

If the ladies would abandon cosmetics and more generally keep their blood pure and vigorous by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, naturally fair complexions would be the rule instead of the exception, as at present. Pure blood is the best beautifier.

"Papa," said the young mother, "I've decided on a name for baby; we will call her Imogen." Papa was lost in thought for a few minutes. He did not like the name, but if he opposed it his wife would have her own way. "That's nice," said he presently, "my first sweetheart was named Imogen, and she will take it as a compliment." "We will call her Mary," after my mother," was the stern reply. -- Harper's Bazar.

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore made a remarkable utterance at the closing meeting of the Universalists Grove meeting at Weirs, N. H., last week. She said: "We believe that Jesus Christ rose from the dead. We believe that since then men have risen from the dead and that hereafter resurrection will become more frequent. In our own belief the time will come when it will be a common thing for a person to say that he has seen such a one who has been dead perhaps for five years. In this time the eyes will see visions not now dreamed of. The veil that separates us from the spiritual world will be from time to time removed and will allow us glimpses of spiritual things.

As a general liniment for sprains and bruises or for rheumatism, lame back, deep seated or muscular pains, Chamberlain's Pain Balm is unrivalled. For sale by A. F. Streitz.

The amount of money in circulation Aug. 1, as estimated by the treasury officials, was \$1,431,716,367, against \$1,370,636,937 Aug. 1, 1889. The increase during the month of July was \$1,097,991, the greatest increase being \$1,034,730 in gold certificates, \$1,538,870 in silver certificates, \$514,912 in silver dollars. There was a decrease of \$1,993,734 in National bank notes. The circulation was composed on Aug. 1, of \$375,114,196 in gold coin, \$56,981,263 in standard silver dollars, \$54,284,363 in subsidiary silver, \$131,444,749 in gold certificates, \$293,743,913 in silver certificates, \$334,517,604 in United States notes, and \$179,625,274 in National bank notes. The money and bullion showed a decrease during the month of July of \$2,278,679, being now \$682,204,283. The largest decrease is \$3,857,619 in gold bullion and \$1,217,991 in gold coin. The increases are, in silver dollars, \$1,885,088, and in silver bullion, \$1,009,355.

"Brick" Pomeroy is manifesting all the symptoms of a man who has come out on top, financially speaking. He has just emerged from a successful financial measure in floating 156 square miles of Adirondack forest. He invested in this acreage for \$250,000, and has just sold the spruce and pine lumber on the tract to the Adirondack League Club for \$400,000 leaving him the land. Furthermore, the first shipments of gold and silver ore from the Atlantic-Pacific Railway Tunnel, of which he is president, are just being made, the first hauling of 24,000 pounds of ore having yielded \$25 silver, \$2 gold and 46 per cent lead per ton, the receipts for the carload being \$592. This tunnel is being dug through the Rockies, sixty-two miles west of Denver, and "Brick" says that it is the head center of all the gold and silver veins of that part of the country. He expects to swing the gait of a millionaire by 1892, and perhaps run for president on the poor man's ticket.

Happy Hoosiers.
Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of the same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town, says: "Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c a bottle, at A. F. Streitz's drug store."

The clock in Trinity Church, New York, is the heaviest timepiece in America. It might seem that in its construction an effort has been made to ascertain how much metal could possibly be planted in a clock. The frame stands 9 feet long, 5 feet high and three feet wide. The main wheels are 30 inches in diameter. There are three wheels in the time train, and three each in the strike and chime. The winding wheels are formed of solid casting 30 inches in diameter and 2 inches thick, and are driven by a "pinion and arbor." On this arbor is placed a jack, or another wheel, pinion and crank, and it takes 800 turns of this crank to wind each weight up. It requires 700 feet of three inch rope for the three cords and over an hour for two men to wind the clock. The pendulum is 18 feet long and oscillates twenty-five times per minute. The dials are 8 feet in diameter, although they look little more than half that size from Broadway. The three weights tip the scales at about 800, 1,200, and 1,600 pounds respectively. A large box is placed at the bottom of the well, which holds about a ball of cotton waste, so that if a cord should break the cotton would check the concussion.

Massachusetts has increased her farm products in twenty years from \$32,000,000 a year to \$47,000,000, thanks to the tariff, which has placed the factory by the side of the fruit and truck patch fence. But for this, Western cheap land would have turned New England farms into forests.

Ayer's Hair Vigor restores color and vitality to weak and gray hair. Through its healing and cleansing qualities, it prevents the accumulation of dandruff and cures scalp diseases. The best hair-dressing eye made, and by far the most economical.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.
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John and Mary Shay are under arrest at Harrison for poisoning a herd of cattle belonging to Dan Klein. They lived for some years in the Klein neighborhood in Sioux county, had much trouble and were frequently arrested. They returned to Dakota last spring, but returned the other day and scattered salt mixed with paris green on the grass where the cattle would get it. Several fine cows are dead, and a number of others are dying.

The following bill has been introduced by Congressmen Oates: "Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled, that from and after the approval of this act shall be lawful for any national banking association to loan or advance money to any person or persons upon real estate, secured by mortgage, not to exceed in any case fifty per centum of the cash value thereof, at a rate of interest not to exceed that allowed by law to be taken by such associations, and the taking of any greater rate of interest for the loan or use of money as aforesaid shall make the mortgage or obligation for the payment of such loan null and void.

A continual coughing is annoying to persons sitting near you in any kind of a gathering; besides, it is of great damage to the throat and lungs, and is exceedingly dangerous at this season of the year. One-half bottle of Beggs' Cherry Cough Syrup will relieve any ordinary cough, and this remedy costs no more than the inferior grades that are thrown on the market to sell at enormous profits. A. F. Streitz Druggist.

The Boston Commercial Bulletin recently had an instructive article on "Increased Cost of Production in Europe." It shows that the tendency in England is toward higher wages and shorter hours for labor, while coal, a most important element of cost, is becoming dearer owing to the increasing depth of the mines and the consequent greater cost of mining, and it states that last winter English pig iron reached a point where, even without duty, it could not undersell the American product. On the continent a similar state of affairs exists, and all things would seem to point to conquest in the near future of the world's markets by American goods.

Mr. John Carpenter, of Goodland, Ind., says: "I tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, for diarrhoea and severe cramps, and pains in the stomach and bowels with the best results. In the worst cases I never had to give more than the third dose to effect a cure. In most cases one dose will do. Besides its other good qualities it is pleasant to take." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by A. F. Streitz.

Authorities in the treasury department say that the greatest difficulty counterfeiters meet with in the imitation of United States paper money is found in the peculiar paper used by the government, which has silk fibers running through it. You can pull these silk fibers out of one of Uncle Sam's notes without injuring it; but if you split a counterfeit in two you will find any silk fibers that may be in it simply laid between two films of paper, and they will not pull out at all. The making of this paper is a government secret, and is conducted at Dalton, Mass., under the eye of treasury experts.

A good adjustable wagon seat is thus made for a wagon from which the box has been removed in order to haul lumber, wood, etc. Into a piece of plank six inches wide cut two holes, one in each end, and put the same between and over the front stakes of the wagon. At the center and at right angles to this piece fasten another plank one foot wide and three feet long. Now get the iron seat from the mower and bolt it through the plank and cross bar at its center and you have a comfortable seat.

During the epidemic of flux in this county last summer, I had hard work to keep a supply of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy on hand. People often came ten or twelve miles in the night to get a bottle of the Remedy. I have been selling patent medicines for the last ten years and find that it has given better satisfaction in cases of diarrhoea and flux, than any other medicine I have ever handled. J. H. BENHAM, Druggist, Golconda, Pope Co., Ill. Over five hundred bottles of this Remedy were sold in that county during the epidemic referred to. It was a perfect success and was the only remedy that did cure the worst cases. Dozens of persons there will certify that it saved their lives. In four other epidemics of bowel complaint this Remedy has been equally successful. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by A. F. Streitz.

It is now accepted that a Turkish bath is peculiarly unfriendly to rheumatism, and far ahead of any other remedial agency. One physician records over 3,000 cases treated by the means of these baths, and a cure was obtained in 95 per cent. One cause of rheumatism lies in the waste material which accumulates in the bodies of its victims. The easiest way to expel this is through the skin and by sweating. Turkish baths, when rightly employed, can scarcely do harm. They sometimes debilitate, but it is only for the time being, the strength being almost always restored in a few hours.

Mr. Teller has introduced in the senate a proposed amendment to the bill to discontinue the coinage of the \$3 and \$1 gold and the 3 nickel pieces. The amendment corresponds to the first four sections of the recently enacted silver bullion act, with some changes. One of these changes is the omission of the words "or so much thereof as may be offered" referring to the purchase of a stated amount of bullion monthly. The amendment also provides that the amount to be coined shall be not less than two millions monthly, and the clause limiting the coinage to July 1, 1892, is struck out. A free coinage clause is added (to take effect when silver shall be worth \$1 for 271.25 grains), and it is provided that purchases of bullion shall cease when free coinage commences.

People troubled with constipation should be very careful what kind of a laxative they use, as so many medicines are put up to sell which are absolutely without merit or value, and which, if taken, will get your bowels in such a state that you will be compelled to keep on using physic the year around in order to enjoy any health. Beggs' Liver Pills will do more to keep a family in good health than any other pills on the market, as they are put up with the utmost care, and are guaranteed to give satisfaction. A. F. Streitz Druggist.

The true story of a faithful dog comes from the west part of the county says the *Auburn Post*. A man named Moren living near Johnson, went over into Johnson county to hulk clover. He was gone some time, and when he returned home he left the engine there, intending to bring it home later. Upon his return he missed his dog, and as the animal did not make his appearance he was given up for lost. Three months after Moren went to get his engine, when, to his surprise, he found also his faithful dog, which had remained there beside his master's property all the time to watch it, and probably foraging at night to keep himself from starving. The sagacious animal was overjoyed to see his master and be released from his long and patient vigil.

How long will a human body remain in the earth before it decays until it cannot be distinguished from the surrounding clays is a question as yet undecided by the scientists. Much depends upon the character of the soil and the different elements of which it is composed. In countries abounding in limestone, or, again, in regions thoroughly saturated with alkaline waters, human flesh will retain a natural color and firmness for an indefinite period of time. The bogs of Ireland have yielded up bodies fresh and natural as life that had been buried in their slimy depths for centuries. It is said to be an historical fact that the bodies of three Roman soldiers were found in a peat bog on the Emerald Isle in the year 1569. A. D. fresh and life-like, although they had been buried almost sixteen centuries.

Remarkable Rescue.
Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her that she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from the first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at Streitz's drug store, large bottles 50c. and \$1.00.

J. H. Sanders, publisher of the *Breeder's Gazette*, has written a letter to the World's Fair headquarters relative to a unique and thoroughly original plan for a live stock exhibit at the exposition. His plan embodies the following features: There shall be selected and placed on exhibition a thoroughly characteristic and fully representative male and female matured specimen of each and every breed of horses, cattle, sheep and swine raised in America, the breeds to be classified and grouped with reference to the special adaptation and uses of each. The specimens so selected need not necessarily be the best or most expensive that might be found, but in every case must be such as are most thoroughly characteristic of the breed represented. In the selection of these specimens none but animals bred and raised in the United States should be considered. The secretary of agriculture has assured Mr. Sanders that he feels inclined to adopt this as a part of the plan of exhibit to be made under the direction of his department. To reap the greatest possible benefit of this part of the exhibit, as an attraction to draw the public, Sanders says invitations should be sent all over the world soliciting foreign countries to furnish representatives of breeds not yet introduced into this country.

"That interesting period has come in the history of New York real estate," said an architect and builder, "when a judiciously planned building, no matter what business purpose it is originally dedicated, may be made to contain on its street fronts stores enough, to be devoted to other and distinct businesses, to pay by their rentals the interest on the cost of constructing the entire building. A hotel draws people to its vicinity, and a great hotel would draw people enough to a new locality to give good custom to the shops to which the ground floor could be appropriated. A single store room under the Fifth Avenue hotel pays a rental of \$15,000 annually. The rentals such a hotel might receive would enable it to exist without any guests at all, just as the New York Central Railroad company is said to own enough real, rent paying estate to enable it, out of its income so received, to pay actually a dividend on its bonds, even if it never sent out a train."

It does seem singular that so many people will let their skin become yellow, dark and greasy, (finally resulting in blotches and skin eruptions, as well as a general drying up of the blood, causing wrinkles and premature old age), when this can be remedied at so little expense. Two bottles of Beggs' Blood Purifier and Blood Maker will renew and purify the blood throughout the whole system, leaving the skin clear and free from all eruptions. A. F. Streitz Druggist.

Assurance is given by Professor R. H. Thurston in an article on the future of electricity, that in a few years the large factory system of the present day will be broken up, and that the home worker will again be able to successfully compete with the large establishment. This will be brought about, he thinks, by the distribution of cheap power by means of electric wires. Great central plants will send out wires to every part of cities and towns, giving power for light machinery as well as heat and light for the workers. It hardly seems possible in these times of concentration to bring back the old order of things, and indeed it is doubtful if the condition of the workers would be much improved by returning to the house system. But that electricity will become a great agent for good in the household seems certain. It will help in the kitchen and laundry, will run dumb waiters and elevators and add in a thousand ways to the comfort and convenience of the public. It is too much to expect, however, that it will revolutionize the industries of the people. -- *State Journal*.

The house bill providing 523 additional clerks to be employed in the work of preparing for the payment of pensions, under the dependent pension bill, will soon be adopted by the senate. The new law has been in force but a little over a month and already about 280,000 applications for pensions have been filed under it. One-third of these are cases that were already on file in the pension office, but had to be filed again in accordance with the provisions of the law. One-half of the other two-thirds will probably be rejected. Before the end of the year it is likely 400,000 applications for pensions will be filed under the new law, and by the end of eighteen months there will be 500,000 cases. Of the cases that are filed earliest a large proportion are likely to be more successful than those filed later on. There are now about 1,200,000 men living who enlisted in the union armies and saw some service. A majority of these may become entitled to a pension under the dependent law, but it is not probable. The average age of the living veterans of the late war is now about fifty-three years.

They now say that the Westinghouse company spent \$100,000 in attempting to defeat the use of their machinery in legal executions in New York.

U. P. TIME TABLE.

GOING EAST.	
No. 4—Chicago Express.....	Dept 6:20 A. M.
No. 2—Limited.....	" 12:25 P. M.
No. 8—Atlantic Express.....	" 1:30 A. M.
No. 22—Freight.....	" 3:45 A. M.

GOING WEST—MOUNTAIN TIME.

No. 7—Pacific Express.....	Dept 5:10 A. M.
No. 5—Denver Express.....	" 9:25 P. M.
No. 1—Limited.....	" 10:20 P. M.
No. 23—Freight.....	" 7:15 A. M.

J. C. FENNERSON, Agent.

Superintendent's Notice.
Until October only I shall be found in the Superintendent's office in North Platte upon the third and fourth Saturdays, and during all of the intervening week. Examinations on third Saturday of each month.

MARY E. HOSFORD,
County Supt.

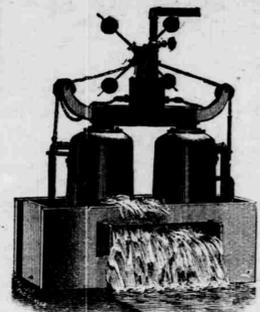
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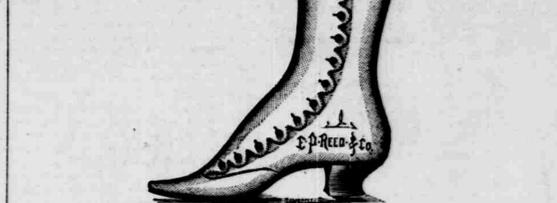
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THE GREAT HAIR-RESTORER.
The use of various unguents to dress and beautify the hair is a custom as old and universal as the race; but preparations to prevent the hair from falling out, or for restoring it to its original color and fullness, seem to be of modern origin and confined to the limits of the higher civilization. Probably the fatalistic and superstitious ideas of the ancients and of most barbarous people would forbid their interfering with what seems to be the course of nature, in thinning the locks and sprinkling them with gray, as life advances toward the close.

The ancient Hebrew poetically termed white hair "a crown of glory," and so it is when it gracefully adorns the brows of the aged. But when a person in the full vigor of life becomes gray, his gray hair, so far from being a crown of glory, is rather an indication of weakness and premature decay. What may be admired in "John Anderson, my Jo, John" at eighty, is to be deplored in John Anderson at thirty or forty. It has been observed that early baldness is more common now than formerly. Whatever may be the cause of the early loss of hair, there are few but would avoid it if possible. Some attempt to conceal the loss of their hair by brushing what is left over the vacant places; others brave out their misfortune, as did the fox when he lost his tail; but the majority of the "too previous" ones look anxiously about for something that will restore lost youthfulness and hide their tell-tale physiological deficiencies. For this purpose, nothing has as yet been discovered that surpasses Ayer's Hair Vigor.

We so far from being a crown of glory, it will cause hair to grow on a scalp that has been denuded for years and polished like a billiard ball, but without claiming for it any more than its just due, we assert that it certainly promotes the growth of hair, restores color to faded and gray locks, heals humors, keeps the scalp cool, prevents dandruff, and imparts to the hair a silky texture and a lasting fragrance. It will not stain the skin or clothing. Though Ayer's Hair Vigor has been before the public many years, it is still in greater demand than any similar preparation—a convincing proof of its superior merits and extensive popularity.

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