

Running Sore

Little Girl Suffers With Impure Blood—Other Treatment Failed—But Hood's Sarsaparilla Cured—Weakness and Headache.

"My daughter, 9 years old, had a running sore below her right ear for three months. The doctor advised painting it with iodine and we did this but it did no good. Then I got a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. The first bottle made some improvement, and when the third bottle had been taken the sore was nicely healed. A year has passed since then and there has been no return of the sore." **W. E. MAGNUMSON, Arnold, Nebraska.**

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WASHINGTON NOTES.

Secretary Sherman, in order to justify his own turn around towards annexation, made a diplomatic break and gave away a state secret. He said that under ordinary circumstances he was opposed to annexation, but when he learned that a scheme was on foot to put Hawaii in possession of Japan, he favored annexation. Thereby hangs the whole story of the hurrying up of the treaty for the annexation of Hawaii, which President McKinley sent to the senate last week. It would have some in time anyway, but the administration recently learned of a plot on the part of Japanese on the island and the friends of the ex-queen, who is in Washington, and who made an opera bouffe protest against the ratification of the treaty, to overthrow the present government of Hawaii and set up one of their own, with the ultimate design of turning the island over to Japan, and that caused the treaty to go to the senate much earlier than it would otherwise have gone. The Japanese government has all along denied that it had any grabbing intention toward Hawaii, and its denial may have been perfectly honest and it may have been entirely ignorant of the plot to overthrow the Hawaiian government. As the information concerning that plot was secret and was not mentioned in the president's message accompanying the treaty, diplomats regard it as a bad break on the part of Secretary Sherman to have publicly mentioned it, and the Japanese minister regards his having done so as almost an insult to his country and is consequently somewhat disgruntled. There isn't opposition enough to the treaty in the senate to prevent its ratification, but there is enough to make the debate quite lengthy, so it is intended to allow it to go over to the regular session.

No stronger plea for some action on the part of this government that will restore peace to Cuba has been put forth than is contained in an official report prepared by the agricultural department, showing our trade with Cuba for a period of years. For the fiscal year 1893, our commerce with Cuba amounted to \$102,864,204; for the fiscal year 1896 it had dropped to \$47,548,610, and estimate for the fiscal year 1897 place it less than \$20,000,000.

The administration is moving very leisurely towards the inauguration of its Cuban policy. Gen. Woodford, of N. Y., has been nominated minister to Spain, and the official statement made that ex-Congressman Aldrich, of Ill., will shortly be nominated consul-general to Cuba. But there is little probability that either of them will be at their post inside of a month, and the new policy is not to be started until Gen. Woodford gets to Madrid. Report says the policy will be to request Spain to withdraw its troops and allow Cuba to have home rule under a system similar to that in vogue in Canada, and that Spain is willing, provided that this government can persuade the rebellious Cubans to accept and agree to assume the debt of Cuba.

Senator Morgan called attention to the failure of the tariff bill to provide for the repeal of the income tax, imposed by the Wilson tariff bill and declared to be unconstitutional by the supreme court. He said he was glad that the bill did not provide for its repeal, because if it were left upon the statute book, a change in the court might cause it to be sustained.

Quite a number of the senators who helped to knock out the Pettibrew anti-trust amendment to the tariff bill,

have offered amendments of their own, specially aimed at the sugar trust, with which they appear to have a dread of being considered friendly. One of these, offered by Senator Pettus, prohibits the importation of raw sugar by the sugar trust, and another, offered by Senator Nelson, provides that any attempt to monopolize the trade in raw or refined sugar among the states or with other nations shall be punishable, upon conviction, by a fine of not less than \$500, nor more than \$10,000, or by imprisonment at hard labor not less than six months nor more than two years, or by both said punishments in the discretion of the court. This amendment is very carefully drawn and goes into particulars as to how indictments are to be drawn, and what shall be accepted as evidence of the existence of a trust. Notwithstanding all this activity on the part of individual senators, there is no probability that the tariff bill as it finally passes and goes to the president will contain any anti-trust amendments.

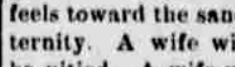
MOTHER AND CHILD.

A mother with babe in arms is an object sacred in theology, poetry and practical life. In no other item of faith do all men so nearly agree. All respect, if not adore, a mother and babe. Nationality, creed, color and conventionality all give place to the affection which every well balanced mind feels toward the sanctity of honest maternity. A wife without a baby is to be pitied. A wife with a healthy baby is congratulated by everyone. Catarrh of the pelvic organs is the most common cause of sterility.

Mrs. L. M. Griffith, Cambridge, Neb., writes: "I am thirty years old and have never had any children, but since beginning your Pe-ru-na I gave birth to a 10-pound baby girl. She is now six months old and weighs 25 pounds. My friends were all surprised. Some would not believe it until they came to see me." My husband says he never saw such a change in any one as there was in me."

Mrs. E. E. Thomas, Alpha, Mo., writes: "I had given up all hope of ever getting well. I had tried so much medicine. My neighbors thought I was nearly dead with consumption. I commenced taking Pe-ru-na according to directions. That was two years ago. A year ago last November I gave birth to a 16-pound baby boy, who is well and hearty; and I am doing my own housework. I can never give Pe-ru-na too great praise."

Dr. Hartman has lately written a treatise on the diseases of women. It will be sent free to any address by the Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.



Low Rates to Milwaukee.
July 3d and 5, via the Burlington route on account of the annual meeting of the National Educational Association. One fare, plus \$2, for the round trip. Special trains of sleeping and reclining chair cars leave Omaha for Milwaukee at 5 p. m., Monday, July 5th. For tickets and sleeping car reservations see nearest Burlington Route agent.

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Mr. Henry Roth, of 1848 South 9th Street, St. Louis, was given the usual mercurial treatment for contagious blood poison. He was twice pronounced cured, but the disease returned each time. He was seized with rheumatic pains, and red lumps and sores covered his body. "I was in a horrible fix," he says, "and the more treatment I received, the worse I seemed to get. A New York specialist said he could cure me, but his treatment did me no good whatever. I was stiff and full of pains, my left arm was useless so that I was unable to do even the lightest work. This was my condition when I began to take S. S. S., and a few bottles convinced me that I was being benefited. I continued the medicine, and one dozen bottles cured me sound and well. My system was under the effects of mercury, and I would soon have been a complete wreck but for S. S. S."

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CHURCH NOTICES.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Morning service at 10:30.
Sunday School at 11:30 a. m.
Junior Union at 4:00 p. m.
Young People's Society at 7 p. m.
Evening service at 8 o'clock.
Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m.

It is with deep regret that we make note of the death of Miss Susan Fisher which occurred June 7th. For a number of years she had been a member of the Red Cloud Baptist Church and had lived an exemplary christian life.

We wish to extend to every one and especially the teachers of the county who may be in attendance at the institute, to worship with us.

C. R. WELDEN, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
Sermon for Lord's day morning, June 27th, "Concerning the Church."
Bible school 12:00.
Junior C. E. 3 p. m.
Senior C. E. 7 p. m.
Evening sermon, "The Sting of Death."
The next prayer topic will be "Christian Citizenship." Rom. 13.
The community and strangers kindly invited to attend all our meetings.
L. A. HUSSONG, Pastor.

METHODIST.
Preaching Sunday morning at 10:30 also Sunday evening at 8:15.
Sunday school at 11:30.
Junior league at 4 p. m.
Senior league at 7:00.
Chapel Sunday school at 9:00.
Prayer and Praise service on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.
The pastor will give on Sunday evening a talk on sacred hymns. The public is welcome.
REV. J. M. DARBY, Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL.
C. H. Beaver of Wisner, Neb., will preach in the Congregational Church next Sabbath morning and evening.
Sunday School at 11:45.
Junior Society at 4 p. m.
Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. Va., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physician told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June 1894, Mr. Evans, then salesman for the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured. For sale by H. E. Grice, Druggist.

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"There's no use talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Cygne, Kas., Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others, I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by H. E. Grice, Druggist.

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J. W. Ball, Editor and Publisher of the Mountain Mirror, Restored to Health From La Grippe by the Use of **DR. MILES' RESTORATIVE NERVE.**



FOR over a year I suffered with complete nervous prostration as the result of La Grippe, writes Mr. Ball of Lake Placid, N. Y. Doctors did all they could but their efforts were without result, and I grew worse. My trouble affected my mind, but kind nature came to my relief by helping me to think, 'If I only had a helping hand to aid nature to build me up slowly and surely.' The result was I refused all other medicine and my wife procured a bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve which I took faithfully and am fully restored to health. I write this hoping it may help others, for Dr. Miles' Remedies surely cure. I am a grateful and happy man. Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle benefits or money refunded. Book on Heart and Nerves sent free to all applicants.
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