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Of London's craze over the "Wild West" people the *Saturday Review* says: "The same worship is in close analogy to the latter and more rotten days of the Roman Empire, when the gladiators were the favored ones and pets of the Roman ladies."

The Rev. Dr. Twitchell, of Hartford, Conn., has a large family of children. Growing tired of selecting names, he dubbed his tenth child "Tenny," a name as euphonious as it is significant. Since then he has had two more children, but has not given them numerical names.

Liver Pills.
Use Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills for Sallow Complexion, Pimples on the Face and Bilioussness. Never sickens or gripes. Sample bottle 5 cent at A. F. Streitz's.

The Manitoba Government acting upon the suggestion of Mr. Goldwin Smith, has resolved upon obtaining the opinion of the Queen as to the right of the Dominion authorities to disallow such acts of the Provincial Legislature as that authorizing the construction of the Red River Valley Railway.

A negro cook on board of a Scotch schooner is the author of a novel way of killing a shark. He heated a fire-brick red hot, wrapped it up in a greasy cloth and threw it overboard, when the voracious shark darted after it and swallowed it. The shark's fury was soon subdued, and he floated to the surface dead.

In Brief, And To The Point.
Dyspepsia is dreadful. Disordered liver is misery. Indigestion is a foe to good nature. The human digestive apparatus is one of the most complicated and wonderful things in existence. It is easily put out of order.

Gray food, tough food, sloppy food, bad cooking, mental worry, late hours, irregular habits, and many other things which ought not to be made the American people a nation of dyspeptics.

But Green's August Flower has done a wonderful work in reforming this sad business and making the American people so healthy that they can enjoy their meals and be happy.

Remember—No happiness without health. But Green's August Flower brings health and happiness to the dyspeptic. Ask your druggist for a bottle. Seventy-five cents.

Charles Sumner's private secretary Arnold B. Johnson, speaks of the great statesman's sweet tooth in a current magazine article. Sumner was especially fond of chocolate creams, and held that as long as he could eat candy his digestion was in good order. He never smoked, and never tasted of whiskey but once.

There are two smoking rooms in Windsor Castle, and no smoking is tolerated outside of these rooms. Labouchere says: "Visitors are not allowed to smoke in their rooms, because if a non-smoker succeeds a smoker of the German nation, he would find himself in an atmosphere which would cure a ham in a few hours."

Now Has Faith.
I had been troubled all winter with cold and pain in the chest and got no relief from remedies recommended by Druggists and Physicians. At the same time I was advertising Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup. I had little faith, but thought to try it as a last resort, now I believe even more than they tell me of its curative qualities. [From the *News*, Elizabeth, Ky.] Sample bottles 5 cents at A. F. Streitz's Drug Store.

A spirit of rivalry is already noticeable between President Cleveland and Governor Hill. A short time since the president offered a premium of \$10 for the best set of triplets to be shown at a village fair in New York state. The governor now comes to the front with an offer of \$25 for the best pair of colored twins. The governor has openly made a bid for the colored vote. It is such little incidents as these that determine the destiny of nations.

The suite of rooms engaged by President Cleveland at the Lafayette Hotel, Philadelphia, for his use during the celebration are to be overhauled and redecorated. They take in the whole Broad street front of the hotel on the first sleeping floor. Three of the rooms will be parlors. Mrs. Cleveland's room will be daintily upholstered in blue and gold. Governor Beaver has engaged the two parlors adjoining Mr. Cleveland's suite. He is a light sleeper, however, and has engaged a chamber way up at the top and back of the hotel, so as to be out of range of the street noises.

Piles.
Piles are frequently preceded by a sense of weight in the back, loins and lower part of the abdomen, causing the patient to suppose he has some affection of the kidneys or neighboring organs. At times, symptoms of indigestion are present, flatulency, uneasiness of the stomach, etc. A moisture like perspiration, produced by a very disagreeable itching, after getting warm, is a common attendant. Blind, bleeding and itching piles yield at once to the application of Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy, which acts directly upon the parts affected, absorbing the tumors, allaying the intense itching, and affecting a permanent cure. Price fifty cents. Address the Dr. Bosanko Medicine Co., Fiqua Ohio. Sold by A. F. Streitz.

Mrs. Cleveland has grown very brown at Marion. Her complexion is one which is improved by a coat of tan, and she now looks like a Spanish beauty. The name, "Donna Frances," which was given her by her friends at Wells College, has followed her to her present abiding place, and even the country folk about Marion call her by the romantic title.

The Quaker colony at Whittier, Southern California dedicated their new church on last Sunday with appropriate exercises. The colony starts out with every prospect of success.

The people of Texas are talking of entering largely into grape culture for wine. The recent election in Texas rather indicates that Texans will relish corn and sour mash better.

The reason why Acker's Blood Elixir is warranted, is because it is the best Blood Preparation known. It will positively cure all Blood Diseases, purify the blood, and thoroughly builds up the constitution. Remember, we guarantee it.
For Sale by A. F. Streitz.

Governor Richardson, of South Carolina, is about to obey a joint resolution of the Legislature of 1861, which was indorsed and renewed by the Legislature of 1896, and present a gold medal, as the gift of the State, to General N. G. Evans of the Confederate Army, for conspicuous gallantry at Leesburg, Va., in 1861. This is the only testimonial presented by the State to a soldier in the late war. It will cost \$500.

The solar eclipse was obscured by clouded skies at various points in Russia. At Klin an aged professor named Mendelstiff, made a balloon ascension alone so as to get above the clouds to take an observation. Though much trouble was experienced, the ascension was successfully made, and the plucky old professor descended in safety near Moscow, forty miles distant. The incident illustrates the enthusiasm and heroism of the devotees of science.

Many Of the good things of this life are sorrowfully let alone on account of Dyspepsia. Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets cure Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Constipation; sold on a positive guarantee at 25 and 50 cents, by A. F. Streitz.

The Salt Lake Tribune declares that the victims in the Comstock mine averaged one a week through the twenty-seven years that the lode has been worked. That is to say at least, 1,400 miners have been sacrificed there by fire, gas, dead air, falls, caving in, explosions or accidents to machinery. A peculiar sternness of feature and sententiousness of speech among the miners are results of this experience.—*Boston Transcript*.

A recent estimate places the number of human lives lost in the United States by tornadoes during the last ten years at a little less than 2,000. It is also declared that nearly all of these lives were needlessly sacrificed through ignorance or foolhardiness. Those who will heed the warning in the sky can put themselves in a place of safety long before the destroyer burst upon them.—*Chicago News*.

AN EPIDEMIC

A Violent Form of Cholera Morbus at Belknap, Iowa, Prostrates the Whole Community.
A Plain Statement of Facts by a Leading Merchant of the Town.
Last summer we had an epidemic in this community in the form of cholera morbus. Nearly every man, woman and child was prostrated by it, and it seemed to me a very violent form. I ordered every medicine we could find without relief. I then went to Ottumwa and Elak, Bruno & Co., wholesale druggists, advised me to take home Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I did so and distributed it, and it gave relief immediately; it worked like magic. I ordered more of the remedy at once, and sold it during the day at my store and at night at my home. I sold as much during the night as I did during the day. The people here cannot say enough in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.
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One favorite newspaper topic is a declamation against ice water, yet everybody drinks it, and nobody is hurt unless the water itself is bad, or it is used to excess, and men are made ill by excess in eating and drinking of anything. Another fancy is that watermelons are a frequent cause of colic, and they used to be called "cholera bombs," and yet nothing is more wholesome and harmless than that part of the melon which is usually eaten.—*Newburyport Herald*.

Save the Children. They are especially liable to sudden Colds, Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. We guarantee Acker's English Remedy a positive cure. It saves hours of anxious watching. Sold by A. F. Streitz.

A little child near Charlotte, Mich., fell into a milk can head first and was drowned. Children should not be permitted to go near the water unless accompanied by adults.

Concealed about the filthy efforts of old Mary Smith, a Boston beggar just dead, the police found in silver gold, bank bills, Government bonds and bank credits, a total of between \$3,000 and \$7,000.

Miss Celeste Stauffer, the New Orleans belle, to whom Mr. Tilden left \$10,000, is at Bar Harbor, and goes in for rowing and other out-of-door exercises. She is one of the best dressed young women there.

New Jersey's State Prison holds 800 convicts, of whom 140 can neither read nor write. Sept. 1 a night school will be opened, to be in session two hours each evening. All who would learn the rudiments may do so.

Can't Sleep Nights the complaint of thousands suffering from Asthma, Consumption, Coughs, etc. Did you ever try Acker's English Remedy? It is the best preparation known for all Lung Troubles, sold on a positive guarantee at 10c, 50c. For Sale by A. F. Streitz.

Bulgaria's purchase of 200,000 repeating rifles looks like rushing business. That will give its soldiers about three guns apiece. Thrice armed is he whose quarrel is just—but little Bulgar had better not pick a quarrel just now.

U. S. Land Office, North Platte, Neb., July 24th, 1897.
Complaint having been entered at this office by Francis Coste against Edmond C. Dickson for failure to comply with law as to Timber-Culture Entry No. 2670 dated May 28th, 1894, upon the northeast quarter section 22, township 13, range 24, in Lincoln county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry, contestant alleging that claimant has failed to break or cause to be broken five acres the first year after entry and has failed to cure said defect up to date; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at the office of the U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., on October 14th, 1897, viz: in case claimant on his Homestead Entry No. 6958 for the southeast quarter section 24, town 13, range 27. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Stephen E. Payne, Charles E. Moon, George M. Peterson and Perry Hill, all of Garfield P. O., Nebraska. Wm. HAYWARD, Register.

Land Office at North Platte, Neb., July 24th, 1897.
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., on October 14th, 1897, viz: in case claimant on his Homestead Entry No. 6958 for the southeast quarter section 24, town 13, range 27. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Stephen E. Payne, Charles E. Moon, George M. Peterson and Perry Hill, all of Garfield P. O., Nebraska. Wm. HAYWARD, Register.

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