

CHICAGO MERCHANT MAKES STATEMENT.

After Spending Thousands of Dollars and Consulting the Most Eminent Physicians, He Was Desperate. CHICAGO, ILLS.—Mr. J. G. Becker, of 134 Van Buren St., a well-known wholesale dry goods dealer, states as follows: "I have had catarrh for more than thirty years. Have tried everything on earth and spent thousands of dollars for other medicines and with physicians, without getting any lasting relief, and can say to you that I have found Peruna the only remedy that has cured me permanently. "Peruna has also cured my wife of catarrh. She always keeps it in the house for an attack of cold, which it invariably cures in a very short time."

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Here's the Proof. Mr. L. ROLAND, Bishop of Scranton, Pa. says:—"On the 7th of this present month, as I was leaving the building at noon for lunch, I slipped and fell, spraining my wrist. I returned in the afternoon, and at four o'clock I could not hold a pencil in my hand. I returned home later and purchased a bottle of Sloan's Liniment."

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and used it five or six times before I went to bed, and the next day I was able to go to work and use my hand as usual."



Sloan's Liniment is an excellent antiseptic and germ killer—heals cuts, burns, wounds and contusions, and will draw the poison from sting of poisonous insects.

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The Center of the Earth. In the Zuni cosmogony, the earth is conceived of as flat, and shaped like a pancake. Being a chosen people of the gods they were commanded early in their tribal career to go to the exact center of the world, and there build their homes; and one of the most interesting legends of the people relates the story of their wanderings in search of the middle place, and tells how they knew it when they reached it. It is about 200 yards south of their village in western New Mexico, 35 miles south of Gallup on the Santa Fe route. It is marked by a crude shrine, built like a bake oven, out of flat stones. Two large removable flagstones close the entrance, which faces the rising sun. On the top are a number of concretionary formations, known to the Indians as thunder stones. In the interior are large numbers of feather tufted prayer sticks, and several earthenware vessels filled with sacred meal. Numerous ceremonial dances, in the nature of rain-making rites, are performed around this holy place.

THE KENTUCKIAN WAS PLEASED.

He Secured a Good Half-Section in Central Canada. It is not only from Kentucky, but from thirty-five to forty different states that there comes the expression of satisfaction from those who have taken up lands in Central Canada as a free homestead or have purchased lands. Mr. E. K. Bell, of Frankfort, Kentucky, writes to a Canadian government official, and says: "I have just returned from Alberta, overjoyed with my trip. Your literature was very flattering, but not half what I found it. I bought a half section between Calgary and Edmonton, one mile from railroad, near a good town. This is the best country I ever saw or ever expect to see. I will go in the spring and get to work on my place. I think it is the coming country of the world." Some of the papers describe the settling of the Canadian West as "becoming a fever with a great many people. The lure of its golden promises is creeping into their hearts and many are they who are answering the call of that unsettled territory." This paper editorially cautions its readers to exercise care and thought before moving to a distant country. This would be a wise precaution, and is exactly what the Canadian officials ask. The success of the settler who has made Canada his home for years is the best evidence that can be offered. And of the large number of Americans who have made their homes in Canada, very few have returned. All are satisfied.

California's petroleum output has been steadily increasing for several years, in 1908 reaching the record figure of 44,864,742 barrels.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

Great Britain's foreign trade in nine months of the present year has increased 4 1/2 per cent. Imports have risen \$7,290,000 and exports \$5,899,000.

WHEN YOUR JOINTS ARE STIFF and muscles sore from cold, rheumatism or neuralgia, when you slip, strain or bruise yourself, use Perry Davis' Painkiller. The home remedy 70 years.

Amended Version. Alexander had defeated and captured Porus. "How do you wish to be treated?" he asked. "Like a king!" answered Porus, with dignity. "Good!" exclaimed his conqueror. "I was thinking of using you as a plaster." For already he was beginning to be stuck on him, as it were.

THINGS YOU MAY NOT KNOW

This country has 900 trade journals. At the age of 70 years a man has consumed ninety-five tons of food.

Soldiers in the Russian army are to carry compasses with luminous needles.

Two thousand million microbes are sometimes injected into a person's blood to cure diseases.

Cavalry officers in Italy undergo a course of instruction in pigeon training for military purposes.

The smallest screws are those made in watch factories. An ordinary thimble would hold 100,000 of them.

The Eastern states, from Maine to Alabama, produced gold worth \$259,143 and silver worth \$35,070 last year.

Covering an area of 2,450 acres, the largest hydraulic gold mine in the world is in Trinity county, California.

The lighthouse of Helgoland has a light of 20,000,000-candle power. At Nuremberg a lamp ten times as powerful has been made.

There are about 170,000 oil producing wells in the United States, representing directly and indirectly an outlay of about \$700,000,000.

A young oak grows three feet in three years. In the same time an elm grows eight feet three inches, and a willow nine feet three inches.

One Scotch casualty insurance company is offering policies to aviators, while another will extend all future policies to cover the risks of aviation and ballooning.

Consul Isaac A. Manning of La Guayra forwards samples of the jipijapa palm used in the manufacture of Panama hats, brought from near Barquisimeto, and which he is told grows in many other parts of Venezuela.

Among the important improvements contemplated in Japan are the quadrupling of the Tokio-Yokohama railway, and the improvement of the Kioto-Kobe line, so that a very much higher speed may be developed.

The study of foreign languages is making rapid progress in German schools. Most of the teachers are native born French and English. This work is a powerful factor in Germany's progress as a power on international commerce.

Breweries and tanneries and printing ink factories confer exemption from tuberculosis, and employ in turpentine factories never have rheumatism. Copper mining excludes the possibility of typhoid among the workers.—Harpers' Weekly.

The wife of a Jerseyman was advertising for a serving maid. The Jerseyman is an editor and his wife has learned the habit of cutting out unnecessary words. This is the way the advertisement read: "Wanted—A white, semi-green maid servant."—New York Sun.

There is no such thing as a forest of mahogany. The mahogany tree lives by and for itself alone. It stands solitary of its species surrounded by the smaller trees and dense undergrowth of the tropical forest, rearing its head above its neighbors. Two trees to the acre are a liberal estimate.

In Berlin the waiters' association is considering the plan of making tips obligatory and according to a fixed table. In the cheaper places they propose that the customer shall pay to the waiter 12 per cent of the amount of his bill and in the large establishments the attentive "Kellner" will be satisfied with 8 per cent.

This one comes from Missouri, where one editor "showed" them why: "An evangelist asked all the men present who were honest and paid their debts to stand up. All rose but one. He said he was the local editor and couldn't pay his debts, because the men standing were his delinquent subscribers."—Atlanta Constitution.

In the Russian campaign the personal baggage of Napoleon's brother, Jerome Bonaparte, who married Elizabeth Patterson of Baltimore, contained sixty pairs of boots, 200 shirts and 318 pocket handkerchiefs. The transportation of his wardrobe entire required several heavy wagons, while his whole campaigning kit stretched over half a mile.

Thackeray was six feet two inches in height and Sir H. W. Lucy says the great novelist wore a 7 1/2-inch hat, beating Dickens and John Bright by a full half inch. Mr. Gladstone's hat was 7 3/4-inch measurement—the same as Macaulay's—while Beaconsfield needed a full 7-inch. The hat of Daniel O'Connell, however, would have beaten them all, measuring 8 1/2 inches by 10 inches.

A portrait bust, heroic in size and erected on an artistic pedestal, of Marie Wilt in the part of Norma, was unveiled recently in the foyer of the Royal Opera House at Vienna. Wilt died in 1891 after a brilliant career, but the acceptance of the bust by the management was, nevertheless, a great surprise to the patrons of the opera, because previously no woman had been honored in that way.

Canada's legal gold coinage is that of the United States. If a man goes to a Canadian bank to demand gold for notes or for credit of any kind, the law says that he shall be paid in United States gold. Again, if Canadian gold from a Canadian gold mine is to be sold it must go to the United States mints. There is no place in Canada where this can be assayed and stamped with the official estimate of its value.

A Disappointment.

"Uncle Jed," asked his neighbor "how is your boy getting along a college?"

"First rate," answered Uncle Jed "He hasn't cost me a cent. He's working his way through, he's winning all the class honors, and they've promised him a professorship of some kind."

"Great Scott!" gasped his neighbor. "Is that all he is doing? With that big husky frame of his I supposed he'd be playing center by this time!"—Chicago Tribune.

Bud Doble, The greatest of all horsemen, says: "In my 40 years' experience with horses I have found Spohn's Disempower Cure the most successful of all remedies for the horses. It is the greatest blood purifier." Bottle, 50c and \$1.00. Druggists can supply you, or manufacturers. Agents wanted. Send for Free Book. Spohn Medical Co., Spec. Contagious Diseases, Goshen, Ind.

Consolation. First lobster—My children were caught on the shore this morning and taken up to that fashionable hotel.

Second lobster—That's too bad, but there's one consolation.

First lobster—And that is?

Second lobster—They will get into the best society.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

WHEN YOU'RE AS HOARSE as a crow. When you're coughing and gasping. When you've an old-fashioned deep-seated cold, take Allen's Lung Balm. Sold by all Druggists, 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottles.

Side Lights on History. Peter the Great had started in to learn the ship carpenter's trade.

"I would have shipped as a sailor before the mast," he explained, "only I don't like the idea of being called 'old salt' Peter."

Warning the jackies that "shiver my timbers!" would be considered lese majesty and punished as such, he proceeded to enase the shavings along the work bench.—Chicago Tribune.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

No Apologies to Offer. Stranger (in Drayhurst)—You people here don't clean the snow off your sidewalks very well, do you?

Uncle Walby Gosh—No, sir. It saves the sidewalks and we believe in conservin' our resources. See anything else you don't like, mister?

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Do not gripe.

An investigation of the boy workers of London revealed that the newsboys were the most healthy, and those employed by the bakers the least so.

\$100 Reward, \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Matter of Necessity. "Papa, why don't you close your store on Christmas?"

"Why, child, mine's a cigar store. People have got to have their smokes on Christmas, same as any other day."

Children Who Are Sickly. Mothers should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. They break up colds in 24 hours, cure Feverishness, Constipation, Headache, Teething Disorders and Stomach Troubles. Over 10,000 testimonials. At all Druggists, 25c. Ask to-day. Sample mailed FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

At the Night School. Teacher—You have heard, I presume, of the "fourth estate." Have you any idea what it is?

Shaggy Halred Pupil—Yes, sir; it's a quarter section of land.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Queer Custom. Comanche Pete—Yeh, pard, I knowed 'im. He died with his boots on.

Foreign Tourist—Deah me! How very singular! Is that one of your—aw fads out here?

A good honest remedy for Rheumatism, Neuralgia and Sore Throat is Hamlin's Wizard Oil. Nothing will so quickly drive out all pain and inflammation.

Another Form of It. Visitor—Come here, my dear; whose pretty little girl are you?

Housemaid—Sh, Mrs. Jimes! The courts 'avent decided yet.

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Painted Lips. The "Personal Recollections of Sutherland Edwards," English music critic, records that after the peace of 1815 it used to be the rule for every hussar to wear a black mustache, and those who had neither a black mustache nor a fair one which they could dye were required to paint the semblance of a black mustache on their upper lip.

Attention Sick Women

If you had positive proof that a certain remedy for female ills had made many remarkable cures, would you not feel like trying it?

If during the last thirty years we have not succeeded in convincing every fair-minded woman that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured thousands and thousands of women of the ills peculiar to their sex, then we long for an opportunity to do so by direct correspondence. Meanwhile read the following letters which we guarantee to be genuine and truthful.

Hudson, Ohio.—"I suffered for a long time from a weakness, inflammation, dreadful pains each month and suppression. I had been doctoring and receiving only temporary relief, when a friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so, and wrote to you for advice. I have faithfully followed your directions and now, after taking only five bottles of the Vegetable Compound, I have every reason to believe I am a well woman. I give you full permission to use my testimonial."—Mrs. Lena Carmocino, Hudson, Ohio. R. E. D. No. 7.

St. Regis Falls, N. Y.—"Two years ago I was so bad that I had to take to my bed every month, and it would last from two to three weeks. I wrote to you for advice and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in dry form. I am happy to say that I am cured, thanks to your medicine and good advice. You may use my letter for the good of others."—Mrs. J. H. Breyere, St. Regis Falls, N. Y.

There is absolutely no doubt about the ability of this grand old remedy, made from the roots and herbs of our fields, to cure female diseases. We possess volumes of proof of this fact, enough to convince the most skeptical.

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Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health free of charge. Address Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

As a Base. "Professor, is there any foundation for the belief that every particle of matter is a universe in itself?"

"My dear sir, you can find any belief on human credulity."—Chicago Tribune.

Raw Eczema on Hands. "I had eczema on my hands for ten years. I had three good doctors but none of them did any good. I then used one box of Cuticura Ointment and three bottles of Cuticura Resolvent and was completely cured. My hands were raw all over, inside and out, and the eczema was spreading all over my body and limbs. Before I had used one bottle, together with the Cuticura Ointment, my sores were nearly healed over, and by the time I had used the third bottle, I was entirely well. To any one who has any skin or blood disease I would honestly advise them to fool with nothing else, but to get Cuticura and get well. My hands have never given me the least bit of trouble up to now.

"My daughter's hands this summer became perfectly raw with eczema. She could get nothing that would do them any good until she tried Cuticura. She used Cuticura Resolvent and Cuticura Ointment and in two weeks they were entirely cured. I have used Cuticura for other members of my family and it always proved successful. Mrs. M. E. Fallin, Speers Ferry, Va., Oct. 19, 1909."

Seeds Planted in Eggshells. Fill half an eggshell with good rich earth, stick in a seed or two, stand the shell up in a box of earth, keep it warm and moist, and then, when you think you can trust the weather out of doors and the seeds have sprouted, you knock the shell off and put the little ball of earth into Mother Earth, and there you are. Not a root has been disturbed, and if you choose a favorable time for transplanting there will not be a wilted leaf to retard the growing of the plant.

For Asthma, Bronchitis and all Throat Troubles Take PISO'S CURE

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If afflicted with THOMPSON'S EYE WATER. S. C. N. U. - - - No. 7-1910.

The Tenderfoot Farmer

It was one of these experimental farmers, who put green spectacles on his cow and fed her hay. His theory was that it didn't matter what the cow ate so long as she was fed. The questions of digestion and nourishment had not entered into his calculations.

It's only a "tenderfoot" farmer that would try such an experiment with a cow. But many a farmer feeds his cows for all the good he gets out of his food. The result is that the stomach grows "weak" the action of the organs of digestion and nutrition are impaired and the man suffers the miseries of dyspepsia and the agonies of nervousness.

To strengthen the stomach, restore the activity of the organs of digestion and nutrition and brace up the nerves, use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is an unfailing remedy, and has the confidence of physicians as well as the praise of thousands healed by its use.

In the strictest sense "Golden Medical Discovery" is a temperance medicine. It contains neither intoxicants nor narcotics, and is as free from alcohol as from opium, cocaine and other dangerous drugs. All ingredients printed on its outside wrapper.

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