

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Minor mention. Try Moore's stock food. Dr. Green, office 512 Fourth street.

The L. I. E. club has adjourned its meetings until September. Dr. A. O. Mudge, the dentist, removed from 215 to 333 Broadway.

The Evans laundry is the leader in fine work both for color and finish. 520 Pearl street. Phone 250.

Deputy Sheriff Baker is convalescent and will resume his position in the sheriff's office Monday morning.

The women of St. Paul's Episcopal church are arranging for a strawberry festival to be given in the near future.

C. L. Corpening, recently clerk at the Millard hotel in Omaha, has assumed the position of night clerk at the Grand hotel.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to A. S. Douglas, aged 25, of Council Bluffs and Julia Sayles, aged 22, of Gallatin, Mo.

The Council Bluffs High school basketball team will play the Omaha Young Men's Christian Association club in that city next Saturday.

Don't you think it must be a pretty good laundry that can please so many hundreds of customers? Well—that's the "Eagle," 724 Broadway.

Andrew, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson, died at his residence on East Broadway of diphtheria, aged 3 years and one month.

I. V. Howard will take charge of the gospel meeting this evening at the Woodbury mission on South avenue. The meeting will commence at 8 o'clock.

All members of the Lincoln Relief corps are requested to meet at Grand Army Hall of the Republic hall tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock to work for the soldiers.

Christian Science, Room 402 Sapp Building—Meeting at 11 a. m. Lectures on the bible and science and health. Experience meeting Friday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

J. M. Bechtel—of Burlington, division freight and passenger agent of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy road, was in the city yesterday on business with the local office.

Jacob Rapp, charged with beating his wife, from whom he has lived apart for some time past, had the matter dropped by Judge Burke yesterday morning and was fined \$5 and costs.

The members of the executive committee of the Council Bluffs Boating club have arranged to go down to Lake Manly today to see what improvements are needed for the summer.

Spiritual Meetings—Mr. W. E. Bonney will speak in Union hall, 146 Broadway, at 2:30 p. m. Subject, "The Unseen Forces of the Universe." Mrs. M. J. Bonney will speak at 8 p. m. from questions given by the audience.

The police received word yesterday morning to look out for a bicycle that had been stolen from Charles Dick of Glenwood. Some parties traveling through the country in a covered wagon were suspected of being the thieves.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Ekdahl will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Olof Hough, 401 Damon street. Services will be held at the Swedish Lutheran church at 3 o'clock and interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Frederick Warde, who is well known among the actors who have presented the legitimate drama, will take the Dohany theater on Tuesday night. With a strong company he will present Sheridan Knowles' sterling old play, "Virginia." In this piece Mr. Warde has a character for which he is well adapted.

The commencement exercises of the graduating class of the high school will be held at the opera house Tuesday evening, May 15. The junior class will give a play, "The Dohany," and the seniors will give a play, "The Dohany." The exercises will be held at the residence of Mr. T. E. Cavin on Park avenue Friday, June 3. The cadets will have their annual dance Wednesday, June 6.

John Burlew, the old veteran charged with administering a thrashing to his wife to whom he had been married but three weeks, got off lightly. Mrs. Burlew, who was on the stand, refused to testify against "her old man," as she termed him and Justice Burke was reluctantly obliged to dismiss the case. The costs of the case were taxed up against Mrs. Burlew.

A. T. Flickinger received a telegram yesterday afternoon announcing the death of John Beatty, one of the trustees of the State Institution for the Deaf, at his home in Nevada, Ia. Mr. Beatty's graduates this year from the institution and was called home to his father's bedside two weeks ago. Deceased, who had been a trustee of the institution for several years, was a prominent politician of Story county. The funeral will be held today at Nevada.

C. B. Viani Co., female remedy; consultation free. Office, 925 D and 2 to 5. Health book furnished. 333-337-339 Merriam block.

Money to loan on city property. Kinna. N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 250. Irving hotel, 2763 B'd'y; rates, \$1.50.

Partel & Miller have best home-made bread. Augusta grove No. 1. Women of the World and Council camp No. 14. Woodmen of the World, will give a benefit ball for the Woman's Christian Association hospital Wednesday evening, May 18, at Woodmen of the World hall. Admission 25 cents per couple.

Strike Out War Clause. Council camp, Woodmen of the World, has decided in favor of striking out the war clause from the insurance policies of the order during the continuance of hostilities between the United States and Spain. The same action, it is understood, has been taken by a majority of the camps of the order throughout the country. S. A. Green is the only member of the local camp who has joined the volunteers. He is a member of the Dodge Light Guards.

No dead fish were discovered in Manila harbor after Dewey got through with his little settlement with the Spanish. However, there were plenty of them at Sullivan's, but they were good and fresh and you'll find a bigger supply there this week than ever.

See the Jet Flame gasoline stoves, with safety tanks, at Cole & Cole's. Thirty-three jets on each burner. Miss Anna Jorgensen has purchased a League bicycle from Cole & Cole.

We don't claim to have all the furniture in town, but we do claim to have the finest up-to-date goods in that line ever shown in this city. Our leather bottomed chairs are beautiful and for an entire outfit for furnishing your house we can fit you out in fine shape and at moderate cost. Peterson & Schoening, Merriam block.

Real Estate Transfers. The following transfers have been filed in the title abstract and loan office of J. W. Bourke, 101 Pearl street: Henry H. Van Dusen and wife to R. E. Falk, \$45,000 of n. c. d. lot 2, block 5, Glendale add, c. d. \$1,000. Edgar B. Jarrett and wife to A. B. Johns and J. H. McArthur, \$24,000 and all 1/2 sec. 20 of river of 24-76, W. 5. \$1,000. Edgar B. Jarrett and wife to Frank M. Giltner, \$25-76-40, w. d. \$1,000. Total three transfers \$10,000.

FIXING UP THE OLD TOWN

Many Mechanics at Work Giving the City Decorations for the Summer.

MANY NEW BUILDINGS GOING UP

Carpenters, Masons, Painters, Paper Hangers and Laborers Find Much to Do in Carrying Out the Improvements Planned.

Although it can hardly be said that Council Bluffs is experiencing a building boom, still there is more work in that line being done this spring than has been the case for several years past. Carpenters and bricklayers are in fact ordinary laborers, are finding little difficulty in securing work and painters and interior decorators are getting all the jobs they can handle. In addition to the new buildings that are being erected and old ones remodeled, a large number of property owners are having their houses and store buildings painted, many of them both inside and out, and the painters and paper hangers have had so far this spring the busiest season they have seen for a long time.

Much of this satisfactory condition of affairs is due to the Transmississippi Exposition, which has been the means of providing employment for a number of Council Bluffs artisans. Peter Wind, who secured the contract for the erection of the Iowa state building at the exposition, has had a large force of men at work for the last couple of weeks under Chris Bosen, his foreman. The men employed by Contractor Wind are all residents of Council Bluffs.

The construction of the Pottawattamie wigwam at the exposition is also giving employment to about fifteen carpenters and laborers and will for several weeks yet to come.

Ground will be broken tomorrow for the new power house to be erected by the Omaha & Council Bluffs Railway and Bridge company, and as the contract calls for an expenditure close to \$200,000, this will give employment to a large force of bricklayers and other skilled workmen.

The remodeling of the building at the corner of Main street and Broadway, which when finished will be occupied by the Citizens' State bank, and the remodeling of J. W. Squire's office building at the corner of Pearl street and First avenue has and is giving employment to a number of men.

The extensive alterations and improvements at the W. C. A. hospital, made possible through the generous gift of Mrs. Ballard, will, it is understood, be commenced at once.

Dr. S. B. Snyder has just completed the erection of a large brick office on the J. C. Lee property recently purchased by him and is also carrying out several improvements on the house.

Among the new buildings in course of construction may be mentioned the brick store building at 277 Main street being erected by W. L. Kearney, the brick warehouse being built by Cole & Cole on Seventh street just south of Broadway and the handsome residence being built for Mrs. L. Beebington on Park avenue. J. C. Akalt is constructing a store building and residence in Streetsville and S. J. Swanson has just let the contract for his new residence on Glen avenue which is to cost in the neighborhood of \$4,000.

Mrs. L. H. Benner is improving her Washington avenue property with a new coat of paint to cost \$2,000, and besides these there are a number of smaller residences and additions to houses in course of construction throughout the city.

The above list is not complete, but is sufficient to give some idea of the amount of building at present being done in Council Bluffs and to show that the working men of this city do not lack for work as they did at the time last year.

Where the organ stands on the building, that's Bourgeois, where they sell good pianos cheap. No. 325 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Good second-hand bicycle at a bargain. Call at The Bee office, Council Bluffs.

SOCIAL EVENTS OF LAST WEEK.

One-Week Banquet to William E. Bainbridge a Notable Affair. The first of the social events of the week was the testimonial banquet at the Grand hotel last Monday night tendered William E. Bainbridge prior to his leaving to assume his post as second secretary of Council Bluffs. The affair was gotten up by a few of the intimate friends of Mr. Bainbridge.

A pretty wedding occurred Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. F. H. Lamb on Madison avenue, when her daughter Maud was united in marriage to Mr. Frank E. Yost. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. P. Yost of Cedar Rapids, Neb., eldest brother of the bridegroom. Fully thirty relatives of the happy couple were present. The bride is the eldest daughter of the late Fred Lamb and was born and raised in Council Bluffs. She is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Yost of Omaha and has been in the employ of the Nebraska Telephone company for the last six years. Mr. and Mrs. Yost will be at home to their friends at 1004 Madison avenue.

Mr. J. E. Wilcox entertained at luncheon and dinner Friday Mr. W. F. Gude of Washington, D. C., president of the Society of American Florists; Mr. A. Donaghe of Omaha, vice president of the society, and Mr. W. T. Stewart of Boston. They were here arranging for the annual convention of the society, which will be held in Omaha during August.

Mrs. Alfred Smith of Onawa was a guest of Mrs. W. F. Baker last week. Mrs. W. H. Pusey returned from Denver, Colo., Tuesday. Miss Mona Reed and Miss Sue Ellis go to Des Moines today to visit Miss Reed's brother, who is a member of the Dodge Light Guards.

Mrs. E. K. Turbitt of Peoria, Ill., who has been visiting in Missouri and Nebraska, will spend the summer with her son, Mr. George Davis. Dr. Kelley and daughters will leave for an extended visit in Chicago the first of the month.

The Hamilton Whist club will finish its season with a "rural day" at the Weis farm. Miss Nellie Jones, formerly of this city, who has been attending school in Chicago will spend her vacation in the Bluffs and Lincoln.

Miss Nell Wadsworth, who is taking the course in the training department of John Hopkins hospital and was formerly a teacher in the public schools here, will visit the families of Messrs. Wells, Cassidy and S. B. Wadsworth.

Dr. Kelley and daughter, Mrs. Kelley-Alden, who have been the guests of Norman Green, returned to their home at Austin, Ill., last Monday. Mr. S. Parnasworth left for Seattle Friday evening.

Miss Emma Etzner of Oregon, Ill., is a guest of City Attorney Wadsworth and family. Mr. and Mrs. Townes of Pleville, Ky., are visiting Mrs. Peck and daughter, Mrs. Albertson.

The musical given by the Ganymede Wheel club at its rooms in the Grand hotel annex last Wednesday evening proved a most enjoyable affair and was largely attended.

The members of the Hamilton Whist club were entertained by Mrs. Lyman Shugart Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. M. Fredrick entertained Monday evening in honor of Mrs. W. E. Bainbridge. Mrs. H. H. Van Brunt entertained at whist last Tuesday afternoon. Mesdames Cory, Bushnell, Eiwell and Miss Rice.

Miss Nellie Green gave a reception at her home last Monday afternoon to the Methodist Reading club for her guest, Mrs. Alden. Mesdames Alden, Orcutt, Bent and Ristion led a general conversation on Mexico and California. Misses Marian Benton and Bessie Beno served ices. About sixty were present.

Miss G. Carnahan entertained a party of Omaha friends Friday night. Miss Grace Hardman gave a red, white and blue party last night. Mr. and Mrs. J. Oliver were "at home" to friends last evening.

Mrs. M. F. Rohrer, assisted by Mesdames Lucas and Ward, entertained Thursday evening the past graduates and nurses of the Woman's Christian Association hospital in honor of the graduating class of '98.

Mrs. D. Rockwell returned from Onawa yesterday morning. Miss Nell Moore is home from Excelsior Springs, Mo.

The Woman's Whist club will meet with Mrs. T. Elwell tomorrow afternoon. Miss Kramph, city editor of the North Platte Tribune, will be the guest of Mrs. E. W. Keys this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond and son, Everett Ross of Fremont, Neb., were the guests this week of Prof. and Mrs. J. C. Hisey and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Flint. They were classmates of Prof. Hisey and Mr. Flint. Mr. Hammond is one of the proprietors of the Fremont Tribune.

Mrs. J. C. Hisey has returned from a three weeks' visit with relatives in Kansas City. Duellenant Will Murphy has returned from Le Moines, his visit being shortened by a slight ailment.

Mrs. G. Boston, who has been studying china painting with Miss Olla Cook, has opened a studio in Malvern, Ia. The wedding of Miss Stella Patterson, daughter of William Patterson, and Mr. Charles Chapman McChesney will be solemnized on Thursday evening at the home of the bride.

Misses Maud Cavin, Gerlie Gleason, Farnsworth, Sadie Farnsworth and Mr. Guy Shepard attended the Wilkins-Colepeter nuptials in Omaha Wednesday evening. Miss Ellen Dodge returned last Tuesday from her visit to Denver, Colo.

Mr. E. Bolles of Chicago is the guest of O. W. Butts. Mr. L. O. Beam will go to Kearney today to visit friends.

Largest in Western Iowa. The C. B. Paint, Oil and Glass company, Masonic temple, is the largest paint house in western Iowa. Only first class paints are handled. It is fully equipped with a solid reputation to buy of some small concern. We carry a complete line of the best paints and oils and those intending to paint their houses will consult their own interests to visit our store. It simply means money in your pocket to buy of us.

The "Sultana" is still the favorite ten cent smoke. Corner cigar store.

Will curiosities never cease? One of the latest is the fish scaling machine at Sullivan's, 343 Broadway.

Church Services. Services will be held in the different churches of the city today as follows: St. John's English Lutheran Church, Southeast Corner of Willow Avenue and Seventh Street, Rev. G. W. Snyder, Pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Subject, "The Resurrection." Sunday school morning sermon, "Much to be Glad For." Sunday school anniversary services in the evening.

Broadway Methodist Episcopal Church—At 10:30 a. m. a missionary service will be held by the Women's Foreign Mission society of the church. The public is invited. Addressed by Miss Frank Baker of Detroit, Mich. Church meeting at 12 m. Sunday school at 12 m. Union league at 4 p. m. Epworth league at 7 p. m. Preaching at 8 p. m. by the pastor. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend these services. Rev. J. H. Senseney, pastor.

First Congregational Church, Corner of Sixth Street and Seventh Avenue—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Wilson, at 10:30 a. m. Subject, "Accounting for Christ." Sunday school at 12 m. P. S. C. E. meeting at 7:15 p. m. Gospel praise service at 8 p. m. with short sermon on "Making a Business of Being a Christian." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Christian Tabernacle, Corner Scott and Myrnest Street, S. M. Perkins, Pastor, Miss Gertrude B. Kennedy, Musical Director—Special music at each service. The pastor will visit a mission point east of the city at 11 a. m. Dr. Samuel Barstow will preach the morning discourse. The pastor's theme at 8 p. m., "Rightly Adjusting and Dividing the Word of Truth."

Second Presbyterian Church, Frank and Harmony Streets, Rev. Alex. Litherland, Pastor—Subject of morning sermon, "Jesus Christ, Lord of the Earth." Evening, "The Ascension." The Sabbath school and Endeavor societies will meet at usual hours. You will be welcomed at any or all of these services.

Fifth Avenue Methodist Church—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject, "Abundant Life." Evening, second discourse on "Grieving the Spirit," by the pastor, G. F. Fry. Sunday school at 12 m. Epworth league at 7 p. m.

Central Christian Church, Hughes Hall, Corner Broadway and Park Avenue—Bible school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor, A. R. Caudle. Special religious services on Wednesday evening, 7 p. m. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

First Presbyterian Church—Morning services at 10:30 a. m.; sermon on "The Sacrifice or Sin." Evening sermon at 8 o'clock. Sermon on "Let Us Alone." All other services as usual. Seats free. All welcome. W. S. Barnes, pastor.

Baptist Church, Corner First Avenue and Sixth Street—Morning service at 10:30, subject, "Fraternal Ties." Sunday school convenes at 12 m.; Baptist Young People's previous to service evening service at 8 p. m. subject, "A Panorama in the Heavens;" regular prayer meeting of the church on Wednesday at 8; Boys' brigade on Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

Lends Them All. The painting season has but fairly commenced. In selecting paints people cannot be too careful to get the best. Devore's stand at the head of all others for purity and durability. That's why we advertise them. They have a reputation and so have we, and it doesn't pay to handle poor paint, much less advertise it. Devore's will give satisfaction during any season of the year. You can get them only at Morgan's drug stores, 142 and 742 Broadway.

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Looking Up Labor Statistics. Leonard E. Tilden of Washington, D. C., special agent of the United States Department of Labor, is in this city, which he expects to make his headquarters for a couple of weeks or so, while collecting statistics for his department. Mr. Tilden is

an old newspaper man, having been formerly connected with the Boston Globe. A poem of his on Dewey's victory has been extensively published in the newspapers throughout the country.

There Are Others. No. Harrison street has not only the only paints sold in Council Bluffs, but they are the best. They have the lead and will keep it. Competitors cannot divert public attention from the merits of these paints by the silly side-line waddle. The fact is we buy in carload lots and handle more lead, oil, paint and glass than any other house in the city. Remember, we do not make a specialty of picture frames, buggy whips, burry-combs and brooms and handle paint as a side-line. This is Davis, the reliable drug, paint and glass man, 200 Broadway.

New Storage Warehouse. Cole & Cole have just about completed, on Seventh street, a first-class warehouse, 50, for storing stoves, etc. This will fill a long felt want in the city for clean, dry storage, that is easily accessible and private.

Peterson & Schoening, in the Merriam block, have a complete line of hardware, garden tools, builders' supplies, etc. All their goods are made of Underwood and furniture line, are sold on close margins and you will always find their prices right.

Matters in District Court. The trial of the case of the State against Dan McKenzie of Silver Creek township, charged with the malicious destruction of corn and other property of J. H. Larson, was continued in the district court yesterday afternoon. The jury required but a short time to bring in a verdict of acquittal. Following the verdict McKenzie said he would institute suit against Larson and his attorney for damages for alleged false arrest and prosecution.

In the damage suit of Jennie Kassing against the Rock Island railway, the defendant yesterday filed a motion for judgment.

Attorney J. J. Shea commenced proceedings yesterday looking for a permanent injunction against C. E. Poore, the saloon keeper at 503 West Broadway. Mrs. S. C. Key, owner of the building, is included as a party defendant in the suit. A sum brought by Shea against Poore for a temporary injunction is now pending in the superior court, having been continued over from the term just closed.

The trial was commenced of the suit of C. J. and A. L. Graham against T. L. Currie and Fisher kind and of Underwood. The suit is over the sale of a corn crop and \$200 is involved.

People buying furniture this spring should see the fine display of goods at the big store of Peterson & Schoening in the Merriam block.

War is not the only interesting topic in Council Bluffs during these exciting times. At least you won't hardly think so to see the big rush for fish at Sullivan's, the grocer, 343 Broadway.

"The Corner" five cent cigar beats all other stores. You can get 'em at Moore's Corner cigar store.

Store your stoves at Cole & Cole's new warehouse.

Base Ball Game. There will be a game of base ball this afternoon at the Field Club park between two teams known as the Deweys and Sampsons. Game will be called at 2:30, and the lineup will be as follows:

Deweys: Position: Sampsons. O'Rourke..... pitcher..... Kane Orell..... catcher..... Saar Moore, B..... first base..... Banbar Moore, F..... second base..... Shugart Russell..... third base..... Grady McManigall..... short stop..... Stevenson McGowan..... left field..... Franklin Gregg..... center field..... Darrough Ferron..... right field..... Tamisen

The fish season is upon us and Sullivan intends to let no one go hungry. His orders keep increasing with each week, but he lets no order go unfilled.

Store your stoves at Cole & Cole's new warehouse.

Iron bedsteads are getting to be all the rage. For something nice in that line see Peterson & Schoening, Merriam block.

Klein's summer drinks will be all the rage and make 112 Broadway a popular place to stop.

Smokers bear in mind that Klein keeps the favorite cigars.

See the new Hygrade Herrick refrigerator at 715 p. m. The Hygrade is the best of this refrigerator is impossible. The largest food capacity of any box made. Adopted by all state institutions, including the school for the deaf.

Survivors of Late War Remembered by the General Government. WASHINGTON, May 14.—(Special.)—Pensions have been issued as follows:

Issue of May 3: Second Increase—Philip Harper, David City, \$8 to \$10. Original, widow, etc.—Mary M. Angelo, Mullen, \$12.

Iowa: Original—Louis V. Dell, Des Moines, \$8; Abraham Mull, Hebron, \$12; Isador Flickef, Strawberry Point, \$8. Restoration and increase—John Walters (dead), Des Moines, \$10 to \$12; increase—George J. Williams, Resnor, \$17 to \$24; James Reynolds, Centerpoint, \$24 to \$30. Original widows, etc.—Cynthia A. Gupton, Ottumwa, \$8; Eleanor Ann Birr, Downs, \$8; Mary Plummer, Central City, \$8.

South Dakota: Increase—David V. Coleman, Hot Springs, \$27 to \$30. Original widows, etc.—Mary Sweet, Sheridan, \$8. Wyoming: Increase—John M. Tillard, Basin City, \$8 to \$10.

Colorado: Original—William F. Baker, Denver, \$8.

Montana: Original—David Noble, Cooke City, \$8.

Banker Spalding Goes to Joliet. CHICAGO, May 14.—Charles Warren Spalding, president of the Globe Savings bank, was taken today to Joliet, Ill., where he will serve an indeterminate sentence. His crime was the embezzlement of \$40,000 worth of bonds belonging to the United Illinois Endowment fund.

New Steamship Line to Orient. LOS ANGELES, May 14.—A number of local capitalists and men interested in the transportation line in Southern California



Thousands Testify

To the curative, health-giving powers of Swift's Specific, the only blood remedy to be relied upon for obstinate, deep-seated blood diseases.

For centuries the human race has battled with a disease which has claimed its victims by the million. Contagious Blood Poison, the most horrible of all diseases—the curse of mankind—has spread its contamination throughout the world, blighting one generation with the taint of another.

This foe to humanity has baffled the skill of medical scientists, and, being unable to cure the disease, the doctors direct their efforts towards covering up its symptoms. There is but one effect to be obtained from the universal potash and mercurial treatment—it bottles up the poison and dries it up in the system—but it must be remembered that it dries up the marrow in the bones at the same time, gradually consuming the vitality.

With this wreck of the system comes falling of the hair and eyebrows, loss of finger-nails, and decay of the bones—a condition most horrible.

But there is a cure for Contagious Blood Poison. Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) has been curing it for fifty years, and is the only remedy which will have the slightest effect upon it. It forces the poison from the system, and removes all trace of the taint.

I was afflicted with a terrible blood disease, which was in spots at first, but afterwards spread all over my body. These soon broke out into sores, and it is easy to imagine the suffering I endured. Before I became convinced that the doctors could do no good, I had spent a hundred dollars, which was really thrown away. I then tried various patent medicines, but they did not reach the disease. When I had finished my first bottle of S. S. S. I was greatly improved and was delighted with the result. The large red spots on my chest began to grow paler and smaller and before long disappeared entirely. I regained my lost weight, became stronger, and my appetite greatly improved. I was soon entirely well, and my skin as clear as a piece of glass.

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After suffering twelve years from Contagious Blood Poison, being treated by several of the best physicians, my condition grew steadily worse, and I was finally declared incurable. I had spent two hundred dollars with the doctors and was a great deal worse than at first, and gave up all hope of recovery. I afterwards took many patent medicines but they had no effect whatever. A friend persuaded me to try S. S. S., and I saw its good effect from the first. The improvement continued and, after taking twenty bottles, I was cured sound and well, and for eight years have had no sign of the disease.

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