HASTINGS RACES IN DANGER

Local Association Will Vote on Question of Abandonment

DATE CONFLICTS WITH CHAUTAUQUA

State Speed Association Unable to Bearrange Circuit and War Between Two Events May

Ensue.

HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 1 -- (Special.)-

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Third race, seven furiongs: Hulford won, fetlakatla second, Burnoletta third, Time: Fourth race, one mile and fifty yards: I'm Joe wen, Jake Moose second, Hooligan third. Time: 1:49%. Fifth race, seven furlongs: Kogo won, Duke of Orleans second, Bogum third. line; 1:al. Sixth race, five and a half furlongs: St. rancis won, Rapid Water second, Gatecis won, Rapid Water second, Gate-third, Time: 1:09%. S ANGELES, Feb. 1.—Results at

Ascot park:
First race, six furlongs: Bauble won,
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HARNESS HORSE SALE ENDS

race between a professional on roller skates from Omaha. Mr. Perkins, and Clide All-good, Auburn's swift young smateur. The management had offered a prize of \$5 to the winner. The race was matched for eighty laps around the hall, estimated at a dis-

tance of two miles. The race was close all the way through and was in fact won by Perkins by about fifteen feet, but was given to Allgood on a foul. CENTRAL WHITS MID-WINTER MEET

Association Will Hod ISession Sioux City This Month.

C. L. Thomas, Sporting Editor of The Beet Enclosed you will please find program for the next annual mid-winter meeting of the Central Whist association to be held at Sioux City February 15 and 16, 180. Will you please give this matter such publicity in your columns as you think it entitled to.

Many people in Omaha and different sec-tions of Nebraska annually attend this meeting and we know that the matter will be of interest to them. Yours very truly, W. A. PRINCE, Secretary.

racing association will be held soon to determine whether or not Hastings shall abandon its place in the state speed circuit.

At a meeting of the State Speed association in Lincoln a few weeks ago Hastings was assigned dates which will bring the horses to this city during chautauqua week. The chautauqua officials objected to the conflict with their enterprise, and with a view of the part of the Des Moines trophy.

This is the Program.

FRIDAY.

11 a. m.—Business meeting.

2 p. m.—First play for the Richards challenge trophy for the pair contest for the Des Moines trophy.

3 p. m.—Second play for the Richards challenge trophy.

4 p. m.—Second play for the Richards challenge trophy.

5 p. m.—Second play for the Richards challenge trophy.

8 p. m.—Second play for the Des Moines trophy.

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to the conflict with their enterprise, and with a view to straightening out the matter President Buck of the State Speed association was asked to call a meeting of the circuit committee for the purpose of changing the Hastings races to some other week.

It has been found that no satisfactory Presentation of trophies and prises.

W. A. Mackenzie writes from his home in

week.

It has been found that no satisfactory rearrangement of the state circuit can be brought about and if the races are held according to the present schedule they will be in competition with the chautaqua events, which include speeches by Senator LaFoliette, Judge Lindsey of the Denver juvenile court, J. Carleton Lee, J. Adam Bede and other persons of note.

The local racing association has worked hard to arouse interest in racing here, and it is believed that if the place is the circuit is given up it will be many years before Hantings can again secure recognition, by the state association.

Rev. H. B. Harrison, secretary of the chautaqua, has predicted that both the chautaqua, has predicted that both the distuition now stands it will be practically as war between the two enterprises. The race promoters insist that the races will not pull down the chautaqua alone and that these is pople will patronize both enterprises.

However, the matter is to be left to a vote of the stockholders of the racing association, a majority of whom are said to be also stockholders in the chautaqua. If it is agreed that the two affeirs cannot be successfully conducted at the same time the rage meeting will be given up.

EVENTS ON THE RINNING TRACKS

Lightnote, a Long Shot, Wiss Fourth Base at New Orleans.

NEW CRILEANS, Feb. 1.—Lightnote, the longest picked horse in the race, won the fourth event at the fair grounds today by two lengths. His victory was a big winning for the bottmakers, to Lightnote, was given by two lengths. His victory was a big winning for the bottmakers, to Lightnote was given by two lengths. His victory was a big winning for the bottmakers, to Lightnote, was given by two lengths. His victory was a big winning for the bottmakers, to Lightnote, was given by two lengths. His victory was a big winning for the bottmakers, to Lightnote, the longest pinced horse in the race, won the fourth event at the fair grounds today by two lengths. His victory was a big winning for the bottmakers, to Lightnote, the longest p

Catherine F. won, Lattice second, Blister third. Time: 0:45%.

Third race, five and a half furiongs: Kestor won, Metador second, Red Ruby third Time: 1:11.

Fourth race, one mile and twenty yards: Lightnote won, Rickey second, Tinker third. Time: 1:47%.

Fifth race, one mile, selling: Sea Salt won, Schroeder's Midway second, Gladiator third. Time: 1:48%.

Sixth race, five and a half furiongs: Marvel won, Veribest second, Florentine third. Time: 1:12%.

Seventh race, one mile and seventy yards, selling: Bell Indian won, Plantagnet second, Gold Coin third. Time: 1:25%.

San FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Results at Second won, Be Thankful second, Bohem third. Time: 0:43%.

Second race, seven furiongs: Miss May Bowdish won, Hainault second, Baker third. Time: 1:25%.

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That real science will win in the long run That real science will win in the long run at whist was demonstrated this week when Mrs. E. H. Martin and Mrs. R. W. Balley, two of the leading whist players among the women of the west, won from Fay Neeley and Arthur Scribner. A week ago the young men had beaten the women at whist by working a system of their own, but the tables were reversed at the last sitting when the women won by twenty-seven points on twenty boards up and back.

First race, six furiongs: Bauble won, Eropyro second, Joe Kelly third. Time: 1:15%.

Second race, futurity course: Phil Igoe won, Louise Fitzgibbon second, King Ahab third. Time: 1:13%.

Third race, one mile and a sixteenth: Homelander won, Desmages second, Givonni Balerio third. Time: 1:50.

Fourth race, five and a haif furiongs: Ampedo won, Allerion second, San Alviso third. Time: 1:07%.

Fifth race, six furiongs: Search Me won, Lady Chiswell second, Elfin King third. Time: 1:15%.

Sixth race, seven furiongs: Uncle Henry won, Bavoit second. The contract Friday for the building of the large extension to the grandstand at Vinton Street park, and also for the crection of the club house, which is to be built for the use of the players near the old wagon gate at the east end of the grounds. The club house will have say the grounds. The club house, which is to be built for the use of the players and is to be 2x14 feet. It will contain a bath room, 12x3, with cement floor and walls, with shower baths as well as plunge. The courtract calls for all these improvements to be completed before the opening of the exhibition season in April.

TWO MORE DRAWS PULLED OFF Osthoff Hall the Scene of Another

Pive Hundred and Eighty-Two Head
Seil for \$175,230.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The mid-winter also of light harness horses by the Fasigaripton company was concluded today at Madison Square Garden. Few horses brought over \$50. There were plenty of stock offered was below that of the previous days. Total sales for the day were young days. Total sales for the day were young the faiture to grace the occasion with his presented was below that of the previous days. Total sales for the day were young the afternoon session Peggy P. was the only horse to attract more than passing notice. She is a well-gaited trotter by Directum, with a mark of 2:15½. She aroused some active bidding and the price was carried to \$910 before W. W. Marsh of Waterloo, Ia., got her.

Reller Skatting Contest.

AUBURN, Neb., Feb. 1.—(Special.)—A large and enthusiastic crowd gathered in Keedy hall Wednesday night to witness the aggressor at all times. The contest was declared a draw.

Dan McMillan, an old-time wrestler, referred the main event. Cotton Billiter and Ed Courtney are matched to box a tenround so at 142 pounds each before the club next Friday night.

Gotch Throws Hackenschmidt. Pair of Disappointments.

Gotch Throws Hackenschmidt. CHICAGO, Feb. L-Frank Gotch, the American wreetling champion, won from

Charles Hackenschmidt here tonight in straight falls, in thirty-six and eighteen minutes, respectively.

TABOR TOO SWIFT FOR BELLEVUE Wins Basket Ball Game by Score of

35 to 26, South Omaha lovers of the game of basks South Omaha lovers of the game of basket ball were out last night to watch the game between Tabor (Ia.) college and Believue. At the close of a sharply contested game Tabor had succeeded in scoring 35 points to 26 for Believue. Tabor, by the superior work of its forwards in the early part of the first half, secured its lead of ten points. This it kept and only once, early in the second half, did Believue come near to regaining its losses. The forwards of the Tabor team were easily the stars. For Believue, Kearns, by his great height, was able to do some very effective work. Pope and Tolies also were in good form. Numerous fouls were made. The play was fast from the start. Tabor had a shade the better luck in goal throwing. There was little dispute over the decisions. The following was the lineup BELLEVUE.

. Forward Umpire: McDermott. Referee: Sutton. Scorers: Kline and Cohn. Timekeepers: Johnson and Hamblin.

NEW MOTOR BOAT RECORD Goes a Mile in 2:20 at Palm Beach.

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Palm Beach, Fla., Feb. 1.—In the mile trials of the annual motor boat regatts today the Dixle, Commodore E. J. Schoeder's racer, drove the mile in 2:29, easily winning the Sir Thomas R. Dewar shield trophy. Unless the official figures, not yet computed, alter the result, a new world's record is undoubtedly established. The second event of the day, a special five-mile race for the speadier boats, was won by the Dixle, the scratch boat, though the Camden racer, the Swallow, finished only a length behind the winner.

The third event, a consolation race, open only to boats not winning a first place in previous events, was won by the Gray Wolf, owned and driven by K. L. Willoughby, jr.

loughby, ir.

The fourth event, a twenty-mile endurance run, for the Wanamaker cup, was ance run, for the Wanan won by the Dixie. This closed the regatta.

WITH THE ROWLERS.

The special bowling match at the Association alleys last right resulted in a victory for Huntington and Blakeney by 175 pins, the winners also taking five straight games. The first games were splendid exhibitions from the error standpoint, only two misses being made in the 160 frames, and both those very excusable. "Dad" Huntington led the men with a 210 average and a single game of 257. Score:

Hartley 204 187 192 173 193 340 Cochran 185 187 206 211 179 927 Totals369 354 897 884 373 1,876 The Omaha Bicycles won all three games from the O'Brien Monte Cristos. Judy of the Bicycles, as usual, had high single game with 224, also high on totals with 588. Griffith of the O'Briens was the only one on their team to reach the 500 mark. Score:

OMAHA BICYCLE CO. 2. 195 174 168 143 163 Totals858 843 875 O'BRIEN'S MONTE CRISTOS.

2.424 Last night on the Metropolitan basement alleys Judy's Stars won two out of three games from the Storz Blue and beat out by 187 pins on totals. G. O. Francisco had high single game with 214, with La Vigne a close second with 210. Judy was high on totals with 564. A return game will be played in the near future on the Association alleys. Score:

JUDY'S STARS. STORZ BLUES. 924 916

Neary Knocks Out Deshler. MILWAUKEE, Feb. 1.—Charles Neary of Milwaukee knocked out Dave Deshler of Boston in the eighth round of what was to have been a ten-round bout tonight.

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER Snow, with North Winds, in Nebraska and South Dokota Today-

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1 .- Forecast of the weather for Saturday and Sunday: For Nebraska, North and South Dakota -Snow, with north winds Saturday; Sun-

Fair Tomorrow.

day, fair. For Iowa-Snow and decidedly colder with high northwest winds Saturday; Sunday, fair and colder in east portion. For Colorado-Fair in west, snow cidedly colder in east portion Saturday; Sunday, fair, except snow in east por-

tion. For Wyoming-Snow and decidedly colder Saturday; Sunday, fair, except snow in east portion.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Feb. 1.—Official record of tem-perature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day for the last three years: 1907, 1906, 1905, 1904. Fears: 37
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Minimum temperature... 35
Mean temperature... 31
T Maximum temperature... 37 38 7 34
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Temperature and precipitation departures
from the normal at Genaha since March 1,
and comparisons with the last two years: Normal temperature Excess for the day......

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M. Station and state Temp. Max. Rain 7 p. m. Temp. fall of Weather. Samarck, snowing 4 heyenne, snowing 20 Chicago, clear
Chicago, clear
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Denver, part cloudy
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Kansas City, cloudy
North Platte, snowing
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Sait Lake City, raining...
Valentine, cloudy...
Williston, cloudy... T indicates trace of precipitation.

— indicates below zero.

January Weather.

Temperature—Highest, & January 3; lowest, —7, January 30; greatest daily range, & January 12. Mean this month for thirty-seven years, 20.5; absolute maximum for this month for thirty-seven years, 6. degrees, 1884. Average daily excess of this month for thirty-seven years, —32 degrees, 1884. Average daily excess of this month as compared with mean of thirty-seven years, 6 degree. Accumulated excess since January 1, 19 degrees. Average daily excess since January 1, 6 degree.

Precipitation—Total this month, 23 inch: snowfall, 3.6 inches; greatest precipitation in twenty-four hours. 25 inch. January 1; snow on the ground at the end of month. 3 inch. Average of this month for thirty-seven years. 3 inch; deficiency of this month as compared with average of thirty-seven years. 3 inch; accumulated deficiency since January 1, 1 loch. January Weather.

REVIEW OF

Sharp Fall in Railway Stocks Does Not Affect Commercial Activity.

PRODUCTION STILL AT HIGH TIDE

of Factories Sold Months Ahead and New Orders for Iron and Steel Stiffen Quotations.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say;
Although the average of sixty of the most active rallway securities fell this week to the lowest point since 190, there was no corresponding reaction in commercial activity, which continued beyond precedent. Reports from leading manufacturing centers indicate that scarcely any idle machinery can be found. Forward business is most extensive in the iron and steel manufacture and the cotton industry, but other prominent producers have liberal contracts on hand also, and the mercantile outlook is bright. Wholesale houses receive large contracts for spring delivery, especially in dry goods lines, and the settled winter weather has produced a wholesale reduction in retail stocks of heavy weight wearing apparel. weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

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in retail stocks of heavy weight wearing appared.

Little specification for delivery of Bessemer iron by the prominent steel interests during the last week has increased the available supply. A large order for cast iron pipe, involving 28,000 tons, and several other important orders for pipe and tubes have stiffened quotations to the extent of about \$1 per ton. Bridge work and other contracts keep the market bare of structural shapes, maintaining firm prices.

Prices of minor metals are sustained by a steady demand, the electrification of steam railways supplying a demand for copper that is not facilitated by the delay in moving fuel and machinery.

Notable strength is still the feature in primary markets for cotton goods, and predictions of further advances are being realized constantly, despite apparent precedents to the contrary. A general resume of the situation discloses a level of prices and a scarcity of supplies that has not existed since the civil war, while there is the additional factor of no element threatening weakness, although quotations are conceded to be abnormally high; but with the production of mills sold so far ahead, there is no interest in new business and spot stocks are practically nothing, while in many departments no goods will be available for some months.

New England footwear manufacturers report liberal supplementary spring orders from eastern wholesalers, and are operating all machinery in filling these contracts, while shipping departments are busy forwarding the shoes when completed.

No changes in prices are reported, the most grades of leather being steady at the recent advance, except that concessions are offered in Texas oak hides. Beiting butts are very strong. Tanners of glazed kild report that the cost of goot skins is above parity with finished leather and some leading concerns are curtailing production. Pracker hides have again sold at full figures on small, lines in some sections of the market, notably or country buffs.

Commodity markets lave shown little activity du

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Cross Currents in Retail Distribution Due to Weather Conditions. NEW YORK, Feb. 1.-Bradstreet's tomerrow will say:

Irregular weather conditions make for numerous cross currents in retail trade, but there is evidence of enlargement in some lines of spring business, notably cotton goods, good demand for coal, which is limited only by capacity of mils, whole-salers or jobbers to deliver. In the iron and steel trade conditions vary with the material and sections reported so far as future business is concerned. Colder weather and clearance sa'es have stimulated trade. In the northwest trade, traffic and contraction feel the effects of heavy snow falls, coming on top of an acute car shortage, though that section appears to be gradually winning out, except in parts of the Dakotas. There is litte change to be noted in crop reports. The cold weather of last week has been succeeded by rains or snew and the wheat beit has had a better snow covering than at any previous time this winter.

The market for textiles are strong, with cotton goods leading and displaying cotton goods leading and displaying remarkable strength. All lines of cottons
sell freely at high prices. Dress fabrics of
sells, worsted and linens sell well. Woolens
are not so active. Rubber footwear, neglected last winter, sells actively. Shoes are
doing well at retail. Leathers are active
and export demand is a feature. Demand
for lumber feels seasonable conditions, but
future business booked is large. On the
whole the situation as regards pig fron is
easier, checking the movement toward abnormally high prices. Pittsburg reports
the sale of 13,000 tons of bessemer, basic
and malleable fron for second, third and
fourth quarter delivery, the prices being
\$21,50 to \$21,25, respectively, which indicates a slight shading. The supply of
steel from independent interests is a little
better and billets at Pittsburg are off 50
cents a ton.

cents a ton.

New business in steel rails is not heavy, but premiums are being offered for fairly prompt supplies and this latter statement applies to plates. Independent tin plate plants have added 10 cents per box to goods sold for third quarter delivery. New busiplants have added 10 cents per box to goods sold for third quarter delivery. New business in copper for future delivery, is not large, as consumers generally are pretty well covered for the time being. Some interests feel that prices are high and the impression is growing that unless lower prices are forthcoming new construction may be affected where it is not imperatively needed.

Business failures in the United States for

Business failures in the United States for the week ending January 31 the week ending January 31, number 221, against 252 last year, 228 in the like week of 1995, 239 in 1995, 23 in 1994 and 208 in 1933. In Canada failures for the week number 25, as against 18 last week and 24 in this

week a year ago.

Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending January 31, aggregated 2,102, 218 pushels, against 3,328,255 bushels last week, (165,236 bushels this week last year 45,338 1,050,206 bushels this week last year, 945,355 bushels in 1903, and 3,702,368 bushels in 1902. bushels in 1969, and 3,702,365 bushels in 1902. For the past thirty-one weeks of the fiscal year the exports are 110,062,546 bushels, against 83,727,547 in 1905-06, 40,062,143 in 1904-05, and 165,666,731 in 1901-02.

Corn exports for the week are 2,157,577 bushels, against 2,064,883 bushels last week, 8,228,259 bushels a year ago, and 5,302,565 bushels in 1965. For the fiscal year to date the exorts are 33,229,708 bushels, against 68,428,045 in 1905-06, and 33,043,645 bushels in 1904-06.

Bank clearings in cities of the United States for the week ending with January 31 aggregate \$2.961,172,285, 12 per cent under last week, and 15 per cent below the same week last year. Excluding New York City, the total is \$1.061.878,275, 25 per cent less than last week, but 4 per cent over last

year.

Canadian clearances for the week aggregate \$68,129,645, a decrease of 8 per cent from last week, but a gain of 2.2 per cent over this week a year ago.

BIT OF POLITICAL HISTORY An Unrecorded Incident of the Gar-

In the anniversary number of Harper's Weekly Arthur Bigelow Paine relates the following incident of the campaign of 1890 in connection with the political cartoons of

field-Conkling-Arthur Feud

of the '80's.

In the campaign of 1890 Nast refused to introduce Garfield into the pictures, though he did not hesitate to satirize Hancock with telling effect. Nast was never satisfied with Garfield's Credit Mobilier explanation, and he did not then highly regard Arthur. After the election, when the Garfield-Conkling feud seemed about to disrupt the party and Vice President Arthur made a

trip to Albany to confer with Senators Platt and Conkling, supposedly for the purpose of winning them back to the adminis tration, Nast carteened him as a bootblack polishing the diagruntled senators' shoes. The artist lived to deeply regret that cartoon, for when Arthur succeeded to the presidency he proved so noble a chief exscutive that he won the respect and even the love of his enemies.

The sequel of the Albany incident oc curred on the eve of the national convention of 1884. Arthur had become Nast's candidate for the nomination, and he was also favored by certain members of the Harper firm. With J. Henry Harper, Nast called on President Arthur at the Hoffman house for the purpose of urging him to make a more definite personal effort to win senate when the president had falled to ac-the nomination. They believed that a com- cord them the state patronage, and Nast favorably reported by the house

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feat Blaine, whom they bitterly opposed, and leave the victory in Arthur's hands. The president listened to their suggestions and admitted that he greatly desired the honor of the nomination, yet he would

make no personal effort to obtain it. "I will accept it, of course, if it falls to me," he said, but I can do no more, I ought not to do that. I am far from a well man, and it is likely I shall not survive the administration. No, I can't do any more. I

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Nobody spoke for several seconds; then Arthur regarded Nast gravely. "Do you recall that once you caricatured me as a bootblack," he asked, "polishing the shoes of Platt and Conkling?" Nast nodded unhappily.

"I do, Mr. President," he said. "It hurt me," continued Arthur. "It hurt me terribly. Yet you were quite right-far more so than you knew-though not altogether in the way you thought." Then he related the circumstances of a political bargain whose harvest had been

party disgrace, which had ended with national tragedy. "With the Maine election of 1890," he said, matters began to look bad for our ticket. and Mr. Garfield agreed with me that we must in some manner enlist Conkling and Platt in our cause. I advised that we come to New York to see them, and we did so Meantime they had heard we were coming

and had taken train for Albany. They refused to meet Garfield, who then suggested that I see them and make any arrange ment that would bring them into line. saw them, and they at first declined to believe in my assurances of Garfield's good faith. 'Gentlemen,' I said, 'I piedge you my word as a man of honor that Mr. Garfield made me that promise, and I will undertake to see it carried out." "It was then understood among us

Conkling and Platt should control the New York patienage, and it was with this assurance than they worked for the ticket. Grant came back from the west and took the stump with Conkling, and everything was done by Platt and Conkling as agreed. You know what happened after the election But there is one thing you do not know. It is true I went to Albany again-I did so far descend from the dignity of my office as to go to see Platt and Conkling-but I did not go to conciliate them. It was worse than that-much worse. I went to Albany that last time because they sent for me to come. went on their order to come and expiain why I had not made good my pledge. They knew I would not refuse to come, and I did go, and I humbled myself for not having been able to keep my plighted faith. Now you understand why your picture was even truer than you could know." During the final sentences the prosident's roice was broken, and when he finished the

tears were streaming down his cheeks. A gentleman of gentlemen-ill and already nearing the doorway of death-the memory of his broken pledge and his humiliation he could not calmly recall.

Conkling and Platt had resigned from the nation might be made which would de- had recorded the episode in the famous set on postoffice and post roads to

DOCTORS FOR MEN





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When you are first aware of any disease, then it is that you should decide an important question, one that means much to your future health and happiness. If you procure the proper medical advice and treatment without defay you will secure to yourself that health, success and enjoyment of life which is every man's lot, whose bright and steady eyes, clear and healthy skin, active brain, congenial makeup and physical development show that no special diseases are devisating his system; that no mental, moral or physical weaknesses are depleting his manhood and making his life a miserable failure.

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or who have a consumptive tendency, or blood disease of any character, are

sure to transmit it to their offspring, and it usually takes the form of Scrofula.

Swollen glands, brittle bones, weak eyes, sores and eruptions on the body,

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which the trouble is manifested. In some cases the blood is so filled with

scrofulous germs and poisons that from birth the sufferer is an object of pity

because of suffering and a total lack of health, while in other instances

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