

For Thin, Poor Blood

You can trust a medicine tested 60 years! Sixty years of experience, think of that! Experience with Ayer's Sarsaparilla; the original Sarsaparilla; the Sarsaparilla the doctors endorse for thin blood, weak nerves, general debility.

But even this grand old medicine cannot do its best work if the liver is inactive and the bowels constipated. For the best possible results, you should take laxative doses of Ayer's Pills while taking the Sarsaparilla.

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HAIR VIGOR,
AGE CURE,
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The Unfitness of Things.
"Everything you buy is adulterated nowadays," grumbled old Pessim, "except the stuff they put in cannon crackers and other infernal machines. That gets stronger every year."

Now They Don't Speak.
Clara—Don't be surprised if Willie Sapleigh proposes to you to-night.
Maud—Gracious! Do you think he will?
Clara—Sure I do. When I refused him last night he said he didn't care what became of him.

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Too Methodical.
"As for me," said Aunt Clarissa, "I haven't any use for a woman that takes three or four handkerchiefs with her when she goes to see her friends here interesting. She's too business like and calculating to be the genuine thing."

Yielding to the Inevitable.
Lotson Slathers—My dear girl, our family estates join, and you and I are the only children. You can see what is naturally and properly expected of us, can you not?
Ann Thensum—O, I suppose so. Yes, the ring is a beautiful one. It is easy to see that you have good taste in diamonds. Certainly; we may as well kiss it is customary, I believe."

No Compulsion.
"Isn't it horrible to read—that stuff they're sending out from New York City now?"
"I've no doubt it is. What do you read it for?"

20 MULETEAM BORAX

Will Sterilize All Articles of Clothing, Acting as an Antiseptic and Preventing Odor from Perspiration.

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Checkless.
"You may try to hold me in like you did last year," drawled the callow youth in the purple hatband, "but I will see that I go through my vacation this summer unchecked."
"That's what you will," snapped the old gentleman. "I'll see that checks to you are cut out altogether."

Value of Rain Water.
The purest water met with under ordinary circumstances is rain water which is certainly a great luxury to those in towns or cities for washing. If it were fully appreciated how valuable rain water really is, the dwellers in large towns would see that it was not always lost.

For each child born to the families of the municipal clerks in Kansas City the civic authorities promise to add \$5 a month to the father's salary.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflated with a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.
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Sold by druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Good Material for a Juror.

The judge had his patience sorely tried by lawyers who wished to talk and by men who tried to evade jury service, says the Green Bag.

"Shudge!" cried the German.
"What is it?" demanded the Judge.
"I think I like to go home to my wife," said the German.
"You can't!" retorted the Judge. "Sit down."
"But, Shudge," persisted the German. "I don't think I make a good shuror."
"You're the best in the box," said the Judge. "Sit down."
"What box?" said the German.
"Jury box," said the Judge.
"But, Shudge," persisted the little German, "I don't speak good English."
"You don't have to speak any at all," said the Judge. "Sit down."

The little German pointed at the lawyers to make his last desperate plea.

"Shudge," he said, "I don't make no-dings of what these fellers say."
It was the Judge's chance to get even for many annoyances.

"Neither can any one else," he said. "Sit down."
Correctly Defined.
Little Willie—Say, pa, what is a pessimist?
Pa—A pessimist, my son, is a man who doesn't think Chicago is the greatest city on earth.

Higher Education.
The stranger in town observed a very small lad sitting up beside the driver of a huge van.
"Ah," said the stranger, "your mamma is moving, isn't she, little boy?"
"Why, no, indeed," replied the lad. "I'm going to school and this van contains my regular schoolbooks. This is Boston, you know."

So, There!
"Ha! You refuse me, then, proud beauty? Well, I know your reasons? Were I rich you would be but too glad to accept me."
"Mayhap, it is even so, Rupert Fitzgoobler. But by my troth you would have to be a whole lot richer than anybody else in the world, I'll tell you that."—Cleveland Leader.

Similar, but Different.
Wife—Why, George, I'm surprised that you should spend \$5 for a hat!
Husband—Huh! That's nothing. You paid \$12 for years.

Howard E. Burton, Assayer and Chemist, Leadville, Colorado. Specimen prices: Gold, Silver, Lead, \$1; Gold Silver, 75c; Zinc or Copper, \$1. Cyanide Tests, Blasting Explosives and full price list sent on application. Control and Empire Work-ollected. Reference: Carbonate National Bank.

In After Years.
Mrs. Hix—When John was courting me he called me his little duck.
Mrs. Hix—Indeed?
Mrs. Hix—Yes; and we hadn't been married a year before he called me an old hen.
Mrs. Hix—Well, only a goose would live with a man who called her such fowl names.

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Incomplete.
Now Guest (at summer resort hotel)—You had a dance here last night, didn't you? How many couples were on the floor?
Landlord—One regular couple, and the halves of twenty-eight others.

Best Appreciated in a Dry Climate.
A fresh cigar made of good tobacco is the ideal smoke. Lewis' "Single Binder" straight to us fresh from the factory wrapped in foil, is an ideal cigar. Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Too Ancient.
Roxey—I hear that De Barnes has given up his intended tour through Egypt?
Rowland—Yes, he has just read that some eggs 3,000 years old have been dug up over there.

Habit.
Proudly the young motorman, who was about to be married, strode down the aisle, while the people in the pews craned their necks and rubbered, as it were, at the happy pair.
"No stopping on the way now, Bertha," he whispered to her. "Our follower is climbing right over us!"—Chicago Tribune.

England's Oldest Peer.
The only living peer who was a member of the house of lords at the time of Queen Victoria's accession is Lord Nelson. He succeeded to the earldom in 1835. Lord Nelson is not a direct descendant of the hero of Trafalgar, but is only collaterally descended from Horatio Nelson's sister, Mrs. Bolton. He enjoys a good estate and a pension of £5,000 granted to the first Lord Nelson and his heirs.

Where It Will Hit Him.
"Who is that husky man yonder, talking so loud and fiercely against the new canned goods trust?"
"He keeps a farm boarding house for summer boarders, where everything is grown on the farm."—Brownings' Magazine.

The Usual Game.
"Young Spendthrift and his father are always having a game of seesaw together."
"I didn't know they were that playful at home."
"Oh, yes; every time the young man settles down the old man settles up."—Baltimore American.

Not Much Doin'.
Simkins—Old Skinner is considered pretty well to do, isn't he?
Timkins—Yes. Also pretty hard to do.

WORN TO A SKELETON.

A Wonderful Restoration Caused a Sensation in a Pennsylvania Town.

Mrs. Charles M. Preston of Elkland, Pa., says: "Three years ago I found that my housework was becoming a burden. I tired easily, had no ambition and was fading fast. My complexion got yellow, and I lost over 50 pounds. My thirst was terrible, and there was sugar in the kidney secretions. My doctor kept me on a strict diet, but as his medicine was not helping me, I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. They helped me at once, and soon all traces of sugar disappeared. I have regained my former weight and am perfectly well."



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Coincided.
Algy—Chap asked me just now if I wasn't a detective. Says I've got exactly the right kind of face for that business.

Wise Boy.
"I was just having a little business chat with your sister," said Mr. Willibruy.
"Aw, that don't go with me," replied little Johnnie. "When sister talks business to a guy she always takes him in the conservatory."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

"The Man at the Brewster" For Twenty Years Your Disease He Has Studied

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Most Approved Plan.
"Hello, old man! Where are you keeping yourself these days?"
"I'm running a model farm."
"What kind is that?"
"It's the kind you run by riding over it in your automobile and hiring experts to do the work."

One Convert.
Dick—I know that man. He goes around telling people where to dig for water. By the way, do you believe in this hazy superstition?
Rick—I do. The most charming, tantalizing little witch I know of is named Hazel.

The Reason.
"Why do you suppose arbitrary governments are always inclined to muzzle the press?"
"Because they are afraid of its biting remarks."—Baltimore American.

Conspicuous Example.
Udelhofen—Mein friend, was dere effer a Irishman dot vass a great eggsploer?
Clancy—He jarge, did ye niver hear av Mark O'Polo?

That Accounted for It.
Hicks—Nobody can change my regard for Jigloy. He's av man you don't meet every day.
Wicks—That's a fact. But I attribute it to the further fact that I loaned him \$10 a month ago.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Need.
"Here is another question that ought to be brought before Congress," said the earnest citizen.
"My dear sir," answered Senator Sorghum, "Congress now has all the questions it can take care of. What it needs is some answers."—Washington Star.

He who fights and runs away may live to fight another day, or draw a pension, so they say.

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Try W. L. Douglas Women's, Misses and Children's shoes; for style, fit and wear they excel other makes.
If I could take you into my large factories at Brockton, Mass., and show you how carefully W. L. Douglas shoes are made, you would then understand why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater value than any other make.
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CHANGES IN BIRDS' HABITS.

With New Conditions Come Adaptations Dictated by Reason.
Among the familiar examples of the changes in the habits of birds which have resulted from association with mankind are those of the chimney swift, or popularly named "chimney swallow," which formerly nested in the hollows of trees and now in all settled regions using the chimneys of the houses, and the barn and eave swallows, the former originally nesting in eaves and now building on the beams and rafters of barns, and the latter, once a cliff-dweller, now attaching its curious mud tenement under the shelter of the eaves of barns and dwellings.

In a series of interesting notes in the Auk on the changes in the habits of birds George F. Breninger records having observed in Mexico the old and the new way of swallow-nesting. In the ancient town of Tuxpan he found numerous instances of barn swallows nesting in the living-rooms, and in the unsettled portions of the State of Chihuahua, 100 miles back from the railroad on one of the large haciendas—a region devoid of the time-honored adobe—barn swallows still nested on the rocks.

Mr. Breninger notes other changes in the nesting habits due to the removal of large timber. There is, for example, the Lucy's warbler, which normally nests in natural cavities in the trunks of trees, most commonly in the mesquite, but in the vicinity of Tucson, where the larger trees have been cut away, the warblers have in some instances had recourse to rebuilding their nests in the abandoned nests of other species, and, most curious of all, among the small limbs of a mesquite tree.

In timbered countries the flickers cut holes in the trunks of trees for their nests. In some sections, where the large trees have been removed and the flickers no longer such nesting sites, they have taken to the telegraph poles. "Along the railroad between Benson and Bisbee, Ariz.," writes Mr. Breninger, "the telegraph poles and fence posts show evidence of the work of woodpeckers, all by the Texan woodpecker. Throughout this region trees are few and the woodpeckers are forced to use anything that is dead and large enough to permit of a nesting cavity being excavated in it. Dead stalks of the century plant are often used. About Phoenix, Ariz., this woodpecker is common. Timber to their needs is still in abundance and the poles along the railroads and elsewhere are untouched. In some parts of Mexico the work of woodpeckers on telegraph poles has reached the stage of a nuisance and a source of much outlay of money to keep the line in repair. Over a piece of road running between San Luis Potosi and Tampico the nuisance has become so great that the management threatened to dip the poles in a solution of creosote."—Forest and Stream.

Insistent Politeness.
Good-tempered, kind-hearted, and liked even by the Russians, is the description which the author of "With Russian, Japanese and Chuchese" applies to the Japanese soldier. He also gives an illustration of the determination of the Japanese, even when the object is courtesy.

When, after the Battle of Tashikhan, the Russian garrison evacuated Niuchwang by order of General Kuropatkin, the Japanese were not long in taking command of the place. Two scouts were the first to enter the town. They rode straight to the civil administration buildings. There, in one of the smaller rooms, they came upon a Russian soldier who had managed to get left behind his brothers-in-arms. He slowly rose from behind some furniture and faced his captors. They smiled amiably at him, and, reassured, he pulled off his cap and commenced to fan himself with it.

Now it is a common custom for the Japanese soldier, in war and peace, to carry about with him in the hot weather a small fan. On this occasion a fan was forthcoming, and handed to the Russian.

He refused to take it, preferring to use the cap.
Still with an amiable smile on his face, one of the Japanese, a short man with abnormally broad shoulders, again proffered the rejected fan with the left hand, at the same time covering him with a revolver.

The captive took the gift without further reluctance and fanned himself with vigor. It cooled him far more than the cap.

Bird Surgeons.
Certain birds seem to possess a remarkable instinct for surgery. The woodcock, the partridge and some others are said to be able to dress their wounds with considerable skill. A naturalist observes that he has shot several woodcock that were recovering from wounds previously received. In every instance he found the injury neatly dressed with down plucked from the stems of feathers and skillfully arranged over the wound, evidently by the long beak of the bird. In other cases ligatures had been applied to wounds or broken limbs.

Nothing Alarming.
Next Door Neighbor—I was about to say—that's that terrible racket upstairs? Is somebody having a fit?
Mrs. Hewjams—No. That's John. He's rehearsing the speech he is going to deliver to-morrow night before the Universal Peace Society.

One Kind.
Teacher—Miss Badger, what do you understand by "the privileged classes?"
Coed—The botany classes. They can go out in the woods once in a while.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Man vs. Beef.
The lunch counter man walked in stiffly, took his usual place, and gave his customary order. "Fine day, gentlemen," he said gaily. "I've got a poser for you to-day. See who'll guess first. Why is a man like beef?"
"Always wanted," panted the waiter, slapping down the portion before him. "And wanted worst when it can't be had at all," added a young man who had several maiden aunts, and whose recollections of the strike menu were vivid.

Won by Waffling.
Her—For nearly forty years Miss Oldun had looked under the bed every night for the proverbial man and at last she discovered one.
Him—What did she do—call for a policeman?
Her—No; she telephoned for a minister.

Playing Safe.
"Why did you shoot this highwayman?" asked the policeman.
"In self-defense," answered the pedestrian with the big gun.
"But he was running away from you when you fired," said the officer.
"I know it," replied the other, "but I was afraid he was going to run around the block and attack me in the rear."

Small Satisfaction.
The man from West Pullman was making a complaint at the water office.
"The way we are treated in our suburb," he said, "is outrageous and abominable! Water, sir, is one of the prime necessities of life!"
"Not at all," responded the imperturbable man at the desk. "If it were, my dear sir, it would all be in the possession of some trust."—Chicago Tribune.

When You have a Bad Breath



Food does not tickle them enough to make them act.
That's Constipation!
Castor Oil, or "Physic" will help to slide out one load of trouble, but they can't help the Cause.

In fact, they weaken the Bowel-Muscles more than ever by slackening them, and by doing work for them which they should do for themselves.
When your Arm-Muscles grow flabby they need Exercise, to strengthen them—not a sling to support them.
When your Bowel-Muscles grow flabby they need Exercise to strengthen them—not "Physic" to pamper them.
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All Druggists sell them—over ten million boxes a year, for six years past.
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Told in Confidence.
Fresh Guest—Yours seems to be a favorite resort for summer girls.
Landlord—You bet; Over there is a couple of 'em that's been coming here for ten or fifteen summers.

His Wonderful Luck.
Long—So you were fishing yesterday, eh? What luck did you have?
Short—Splendid. Didn't catch a fish, but about a dozen of my creditors called at the house during my absence.