

EMERGENCY USES.

The Self Contained are the Most Help-ful in Cases of Sudden Illness. There is nothing more comforting in a household than to have a self-contained, helpful man or woman who understands what to do, and goes ahead administering relief in cases of sudden illness or in an emergency.

Having been reared in a large family and my father being a physician, I have had a number of experiences, and perhaps some of them may be useful to mothers with young children.

One simple medicinal remedy that the father set great store to was borax. He had my mother keep a solution of salt water and borax constantly on hand, and if the slightest irritation or sore throat developed among us he had us gargle three times a day, and have our mouths and tonsils freely. His thought our good health and freedom from fevers and contagious diseases was owing to the use of borax.

In the case of a burn, he had us wet cloths, dipped into a strong solution of borax water, and was very careful to exclude the air in putting them off and on. It is very cooling and healing, and a child does not rebel so much against it as with other remedies. One very great thing in its favor in using it among children is it is so harmless, while other gargles, with carbolic acid and such, are often taken by mistake, and cause great distress. I often think if every young mother only knew of its virtues, she would be thankful and having once adopted it, would never give it up. As a disinfectant it is excellent. One should keep it on the kitchen shelf.

If you awaken in the night coughing and cannot stop, get a small portion of powdered borax, and place on your tongue, and let it slowly dissolve, and it will almost instantly stop the cough, as it will almost relieve an ulcer in the throat.

There are a few simple remedies that are invaluable. Witch hazel is one of them. I know of nothing so helpful to a tired brain as a cloth wet with it at the back of the neck. It will soothe and restore you like magic.

In emergencies such things are harmless, and yet wonderfully healing. In case of sudden pains in the lungs or side from cold I think mustard is about the best medicine. It burns quickly, and gets you warmed up and relieves the terrible pain. I keep mustard leaves, borax and witch hazel where I can lay my hands upon them in a minute in the darkest night.

I have been with young mothers on several occasions, where they were helpless and knew nothing what ever of medicinal remedies, and my sympathy for them and the little sufferer was roused and it made me learn what was helpful.

At Breakfast.

The dining-room should be in perfect order before breakfast is served. The plates should be properly heated and placed before the host.

Coffee should be served very hot, and with hot milk.

The glasses should be freshly filled with clear, cold water.

A sufficient number of knives, forks, and spoons should be placed on the table, so that nothing need be called for after the family is seated.



Convenient Book Shelf and Paper Rack

The accompanying illustration shows a set of shelves for books, magazines, etc., with a rack for newspapers above. It is fastened with stout cord or flat tape might be used. Measure off four lengths of tape or cord about four feet long. Then begin at each corner of the shelves and fasten the strings securely with brass-headed nails. Cut a strip of board just the length you care to have the shelves apart, and when you tack the string to the second shelf, hold this strip between the shelves, drawing your cord snug, and when you come to hang the shelves in place they will not be crooked, as they possibly may be if you do not measure the space between them carefully. Then insert two books in the wall, on a level with each other and as far apart as the shelves are long. Fasten the strings from the back of the shelves to the front of the shelves can be adjusted in such a manner as to bring the shelves on a level and hold them so. The paper rack is made of small strips of wood tacked to other strips. The strips to which the cross pieces on which the papers are to be hung are attached and fastened to the books in the wall. Two supports from the front corners of the shelves hold the rack in proper position above the shelves.

The Cultivation of Music in the Home.

One enters a house arranged with exquisite care, and both artistic and homelike in its atmosphere. The one false note in the whole arrangement is in the draping of the piano—an upright which is swathed in embroidered and covered with porcelain until it has positively lost all semblance of its original form, and is ridiculous waste for use. Many of the so-called music rooms are ruined by a total disregard of acoustics, heavy curtains, carpets, and portieres breaking and muffling the sounds, and there are almost always far too great a number of ornaments scattered about. Considering that many who are in the possession of wealth place themselves on the prominence as patrons of music, or on being considered average performers from the amateur standpoint, it is extraordinary how very seldom an appropriate music-room is to be found.—Barber's Bazar.

AT FORGE AND FOUNDRY.

Signs of Activity Among the Heavy Consumers of Iron and Steel.

The foundries and machine shops of the country report a fairly active demand for their products, with bright prospects for a continuance for some time to come.

The foundry department at the plant of the Casey & Hedges Manufacturing Company, at Chattanooga, Tenn., is soon to be put in operation.

It is stated that the Lake Shore Foundry Company, of Cleveland, O., contemplates building a new foundry.

The new foundry of Baker Brothers, at Toledo, O., is expected to be completed and put in full operation in a short time.

The Plattsburg Foundry and Machine Company, of Plattsburg, N. Y., has been incorporated to engage in the general foundry business.

It is stated that the Jessup Foundry, Machine and Manufacturing Company, of Jessup, Ga., is to begin at once the erection of a foundry.

The Davis & Egan Machine and Tool Company, of Cincinnati, O., has secured an order from the Krupp Works, of Essen, Germany, for a number of machine tools.

Work has been commenced on two additions to the Midvale Foundry, at South Allentown, Pa.

The plant of the Jones & Lamson Machine Company, at Springfield, O., is working full time.

The factories of the Wilmot & Hobbs Manufacturing Company, at Bridgeport, Mass., are running night and day in all departments, with good prospects for a continuance through the winter.

The Western Automatic Machine Screw Company, of Elyria, O., is now running its works twelve hours a day.

The gray iron foundry at the plant of the Warden, Bushnell & Glessner Company, at Springfield, O., has been put in operation with 100 men.

The Morgan Engineering Company, of Alliance, O., is reported to be rushed with work and is running its plant to its fullest capacity.

The Terre Haute Boiler Works, of Terre Haute, Ind., have been put in full operation, with an additional force of men.

NO HEART TOO BAD TO BE CURED.

—Testimony could be piled high in commendation of the wonderful cures wrought by Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. No case stands against this great remedy where it did not relieve the most acute heart sufferings inside of thirty minutes. It attacks the disease in an instant after being taken.—29. Sold by C. A. Klein.

Topics of the Old World.

German savings banks are managed by the municipalities instead of by the government, and the number of depositors and the aggregate of the deposits fully attest the thrift which impels the German, no matter how small his income, to make some provision for the "rainy day" which comes at some time into every life. Altona, with but 149,000 inhabitants, has 130,000 depositors, with \$20,000 to their credit. Berlin, with nearly 1,800,000 people, has nearly 500,000 depositors in its 79 branch offices, with savings of \$40,000,000. Dresden, with one-fifth of the population of the capital, has on deposit \$22,000,000, and Aix-la-Chapelle, with 110,000 people, has 106,000 depositors who have laid up \$20,000,000.

The rural population have, however, no such aids to thrift, and are clamorous for national postal banks. In Southern Germany the savings banks are supplemented by a system of private associations known as the Eberfeld banks, an improved system of the United States savings banks, with limited deposits and certain restrictions as to withdrawals of funds. There are also a large number of German penny savings banks which receive postage stamps as deposits, the stamps being redeemed by the government; and a system of mutual benefit societies under the supervision of government bank inspectors.

The Bristol (Eng.) council has reconsidered its rejection of the great dock extension scheme, and the plans will be carried out at a cost of \$6,000,000, the success of the Cardiff improvements having acted as a stimulant. A fast steamship service between Bristol and Boston will be one of the fruits of the awakening.

According to the just published Blue Book, 6,553 vessels were engaged last year in the Irish fisheries, employing 23,997 men and 1,167 boys, the value of the catch being nearly \$2,000,000, exclusive of the salmon exports, which were a trifle larger. The herring fishery was very successful, and the mackerel take better than for years, the spring and fall catches being valued at \$400,000 each. Carelessness in packing the mackerel, however, injured American sales, and the new tariff has given the finishing stroke to the sale in the states of any but choicest fish put up in superior style.

Just try a box of Casarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made. 4-11

HASTINGS PREDICTS DEFEAT NEXT YEAR.

Cause of Opposition to the Republican Party Cannot Be Concealed.

Governor Hastings said Friday concerning the result of the election last week:

"There is no use in hiding the cause of the formidable opposition to the Republican party in this state, and unless we get together we will be beaten next year."

As to the vote cast for Swallow he said it had no significance so far as his personality was concerned—that any other candidate, running under like circumstances, would have made as good a race.

Attorney-General McCormick did not discuss the probable effect of the reduced Republican plurality, but said the Swallow vote in Lyscoming county (which exceeded that of Beacom and Brown) went beyond all estimates.

State Treasurer Haywood told a story Friday showing the good judgment of Senator Quay, in whose company he was on election night. Mr. Haywood, in an interview, had remarked that Beacom would receive from 150,000 to 225,000 plurality.

Senator Quay, before any returns had been received, said this estimate was entirely too high and that Mr. Beacom would get about the plurality Colonel Jackson scored in 1893, which was in the neighborhood of 130,000. This was only 9,000 out of the way.

DO YOU KNOW

That glass windows were first introduced into England in the eighth century?

That until 1776 cotton spinning was performed by the hand-spinning wheel?

That the first iron ore discovered in this country was found in Virginia in 1715?

That the first steam engine on this continent was brought from England in 1753?

That books in their present form were invented by Attalus, king of Pergamus, in 837?

That the first complete sewing machine was patented by Elisha Howe, Jr., in 1846.

That glass was made in Egypt in 3000 B. C., and that the earliest date of transparent glass is 719?

That the electric light was invented by Lodyguin and Kossloff at London in 1874?

That the daguerrotype was invented by Dageure and Nieper in 1839?

That the first electric telegraph was used in 1835, from Paddington to Brayton, England?

That the Mormons arrived at Salt Lake valley, Utah, July 24, 1847?

That \$1,000,000 in gold coin weighs 3,685 8 pounds avoirdupois?

That Robert Fulton launched his newly invented steamboat on the Hudson in the summer of 1807?

That William IV, of England, was called the "sailor king"?

That in 1833, the first cheap newspaper ever published, which sold for one cent, appeared in New York?

That Dr. William T. G. Morton introduced the plan of producing artificial sleep by the breathing of vapor of ether in 1846?

That George Washington was born in the year 1732?

REVIEW OF TRADE.

Wheat Lower But Iron Industry Is Booming.

Dunns & Co's weekly review of trade says:

Stronger proof of the great change in the condition of business could not be given than is found in the detailed report of failures by branches of business for the month of October.

Though swelled by a few large speculative or brokerage failures, the aggregate was smaller than in any other month for more than four years, except in July and August, and one month in 1894.

The quiet following the great rush of orders and purchases for every two months is still increased in many branches by unseasonably mild weather, and yet the mills are obliged to refuse many orders, being unable to finish previous engagements soon enough.

More works have joined the active list, including some long idle, and the production in iron manufacture is the greatest ever known.

Another rise in wheat lifted the price above \$1, but profit taking speedily caused reaction, and the price closed 2 1/2c lower for the week. Receipts were about a million bushels larger than last year, and Atlantic exports, flour included, were 3,287,536 bushels against 1,862,533 last year. Exports in October, as in September, were heavier than in any preceding month, and after gloomy reports of the condition of winter wheat extensive rains have caused material improvement.

ITCHING PILES.—Dr. Agnew's Ointment is proof against the torments of Itching Piles. Thousands of testimonials of cures effected by its use. No case too aggravating or too long standing for it to soothe, comfort and cure. It cures in from 3 to 6 nights. 35 cents.—C. A. Klein.

FAMILY WIPED OUT BY GAS.

Five Asphyxiated by Fumes From a Coal Stove.

In one room of a one story house at Lansford three dead bodies could have been lying last Thursday morning and in another apartment two more nearly dead, all five victims of gaseous fumes from a stove. The dead are Peter Chewper, Annie Chewper, his infant daughter, John Stophman his father-in-law, Mrs. Chewper, and John Simon, a boarder. The last two died on Friday.

Simon was employed on the night shift in a mine. When he returned from his work at 4 o'clock Thursday morning he poured a quantity of fresh coal on the stove, after which he lay down for his last sleep, in the room occupied by his wife and child. As no one was seen stirring about the house Thursday morning, neighbors made an investigation and found the five inmates unconscious and the house stifling with the deadly fumes.

Physicians were promptly summoned, but by the time they arrived at the shanty Chewper, his child and his father-in-law were dead, and the lives of the two other inmates were fast ebbing away. Physicians labored industriously all day long to revive Mrs. Chewper and Simon, but up to a late hour Thursday evening the patients showed no signs of recovering from the stupors and both died early Friday morning.

When bilious or costive, eat a Casaret, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed, 10c, 25c. 4-11

Winter Excursion Tickets on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

On November 1 the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will place on sale at its principal ticket offices excursion tickets to all prominent winter resorts in New Jersey, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, and Cuba. The tickets will be sold at the usual low rates, with the usual liberal return limits.

The magnificent facilities of the Pennsylvania Railroad, with its many connections, make this the favorite line for winter travel.

An illustrated book, descriptive of winter resorts, and giving routes of travel and rates for tickets, will be furnished free on application to ticket agents. 11-4-21.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Samuel Johnson, late of Madison township, deceased. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Samuel Johnson, late of Madison township, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to W. C. JOHNSON, Administrator, Jerseytown, Pa. 11-4-21.

ANNUAL ELECTION.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bloomsburg Land Improvement Company for the election of officers for the ensuing year, will be held on Monday, November 22, 1894, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock p. m., at the office of the company.

N. U. FUNK, Secretary.

DIVORCE NOTICE.

COUNTY OF COLUMBIA, SS.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said county of Columbia, greeting: We command you that by publication one week for four full weeks successively in two newspapers, viz. COLUMBIAN and BLOOMSBURG, published in your bailiwick, you notify James Zimmerman, late of your county, to be and appear in our court of common Pleas for the county of Columbia, on the first Monday of December next, then and there to show cause, if any he has, why the bonds of matrimony entered into with James Zimmerman, according to the prayer of petition or libel filed in said court, and have you then and there this order, and make your return how you have executed the same. Witness the Honorable E. R. Keeler, President of our said court at Bloomsburg, the 9th day of October 1894. W. H. HENRIE, Prothonotary.

R. R. ZARR, Deputy. 10-28-94.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of A. J. Keenan, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, deceased.

The undersigned auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County to distribute the estate of said deceased, as shown by first and final account, to parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg for the performance of his duties on Monday, November 15, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims or demands against the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to L. R. WALLER, Auditor. 10-21-94.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Mathias Whiteight, late of Henlock township, Columbia county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to M. C. Whiteight to A. L. M. C. L. Whiteight, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to M. C. WHITEIGHT, L. M. C. L. WHITEIGHT, Executors. Vanderslice, Atty. 10-14-94.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Purson Edwards, late of Madison township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Purson Edwards, late of Madison township, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to Quick, Atty. A. DALINK C. B. W. R. B. S. Jerseytown, Pa. 10-7-94.

HOW TO MAKE MONEY!

If you are out of employment and want a position, paying you from \$50 to \$100 monthly clear above expenses by working regularly, or if you want to increase your present income from \$20 to \$50 yearly, by working at odd times, write the GLOBE CO., 721 North St., Philadelphia, stating age, whether married or single, last or present employment, and you can secure a position with them by which you can make more money easier and faster than you ever made before in your life. 11-4-106

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

N. U. FUNK, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, 7th East's Building, Court House Alley, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

A. L. FRITZ, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Post Office Building, 2nd floor, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

C. W. MILLER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Wirt's Building, 2nd floor, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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GEO. E. ELWELL, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Columbian Building, 2nd floor, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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W. H. SNYDER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Office 2nd floor Mrs. Enis building, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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A. N. YOST, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Wirt Building, Court House Square, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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RALPH R. JOHN, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Hartman Building, Market Square, Bloomsburg, Pa.

IKELER & IKELER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office back of Farmers' National Bank. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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B. FRANK ZARR, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Clark's Building, cor. Main and Centre Sts., BLOOMSBURG, PA. Can be consulted in German.

W. H. RHAWN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Office, corner of Third and Main Streets, CATAWISSA, PA.

DR. J. C. RUTTER, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Office, North Market Street, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

J. S. JOHN, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Office and residence, 410 Main St., BLOOMSBURG, PA.

J. HOWARD PATTERSON, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Second floor Columbian Building, Bloomsburg, Pa.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO DISEASES OF CHILDREN

H. BIEMAN, M. D. HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON OFFICE HOURS: Office & Residence, 4th St., Until 9 A. M., 1 to 2 and 7 to 8 P. M. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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HENRY W. CHAMPLIN, M. D. SURGEON AND GYNECOLOGIST. Office over Farmer's National Bank. Hours 10 to 12 A. M., 3 to 5 and 7 to 8 P. M. Residence, Third St. West of Jefferson. TELEPHONE.

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