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### CHOLERA IS COMING.

Every Evidence That the Fatal Disease Will be Here This Season.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 15.—The cholera scare is spreading. No cases have as yet been openly reported, but every evi-dence goes to show that it is coming sure. Rich families are engaging board in rural townships or making prepara-tions to start for some fashionable watering place at the seaside at a moment's notice. In conversing with several of the leading physicians this week, all seem to agree that this is the season for cholera. One of the eminent M. D.'s said: "In 1856, when our poor citizens were dying off by the scores every day, it was a cool season, just like this one. There were no flies to speak of then, and you will observe there is a great scarcity of them this year. The city authorities are taking every precaution to guard against the fatal disease. Of course the cholera will spread worse in the filthy part of the city, as a na ucal consequence, but it is not believed that it has so much to do with it as many imagine. It seems to be in the air, and if a person's digestive organs are in the right condition for the disease, he will right condition for the disease, he will catch it anyhow. For instance, if you should overload your stomach with green staff and early vegetables you would be in a capital state to court the cholera. Plain food and cleanliness are the best protective agencies. It is thought that the district bounded by the Hamburg and Erie canals will naturally suffer the worst. Indeed, it will not be surprising if some of the lower streets are actually depopulated." It is quietly rumored that several cases of cholera have already been quietly attended to by the medical fraternity, but that they recorded the deaths as occurring from some other cause to prevent a scare. Two of the patients were colored people and two Polocks. The disease seems to be especially fatal with this class of people. The victims were sick only a few hours, and as soon as they breathed their last they were hurried to the ceme-tery and laid away to rest as quick as possible, and the friends of the deceased given to understand by the owners of the property that they must keep quiet or move out immediately. This is a cruel state of affairs, and something must be done to give the poor people at least a little chance to protect their loving wives and little children from the dreaded disease. The cholera germ is no doubt quietly but surely spreading in many places in Buffalo to-day, unbeknown to the residents of perhaps the same block or tenement house.

#### VERY POOR ECONOMY.

Some people make a business of cheating themselves, either by eating very mean and cheap food, or else by eating too small a quantity of good food. Either way is as bad policy as it would be to buy a coffin instead of a suit of clothes, just because the coffin would cost less. Poor diet means impoverished blood ; Nisus, 18 guns, was dispatched to take and that means misery. Brown's Iron possession, and the officers were AYER'S Hair Vigor cures baldness. invited to mean in the course of which, AYER'S Hair Vigor restores youthand that means misery. Brown's Iron possession, and very naturally she Cares dyspepsia, indigestion, weakness, malaria, etc.

#### DOWN THE RED SEA.

To begin with the early morning, we were offered the accustomed tea and coffee, under the name of "chota hazeri"-i. e,, small breakfast. Next we noticed that our luncheon was transformed into "tiffin," and that as we sat in the cabin silent Hindullads squatted on the floor, pulling punkahs to keep us cool, and at the same time blowing away all our papers, till some kind sailor friends supplied us with leaden weights. Evidently we were on the highway to some strangely new stat of existence. The ship's company, too. seemed to comprise samples of all the Oriental races, Chinese quartermasters, Malays, Lascars, splendid Nubian stokers, British officers. There were Hindus, Mohammedans, Confucians, Buddhists, and Christians. The Captain's servant, who waited upon us, was a Kitmutgar of the true stamp-turbaned, white robed, barefooted-a Mohammedan of course, else how could he supply us with genuine roast beef? The fruits, too, at dessert, were newbunches of plantains, like oreamy confectionery; guavas, like indifferent pears, but hateful to smell : pummeloes, like huge oranges with pink flesh, and scarlet pomegranates, duly prepared with wine and sprinkled with spices. The very rocks were altogether strange to us. Wonderful volcanic masses, like great heaps of tinder and slag round some antediluvian smelting furnace, masses of red and green and black lava cutting sharp against pale yellow earth, make these freaks of nature as strange in color as in form. One group bears the name of the Twelve Apostles. Thep comes Bab-el-Mandeb-the Gate of Death-of Hell-or of Terrs, as I heard it variously rendered. It was suggestive of all these as we first beheld it, standing out in purple relief against the ground of flery sunrise, while flouds and sea were alike sombre and solemn. It received its very suggestive name from the Arabs of old on account of the dangers of its navigation. So numerous were the shipwrecks between these cruel gates that when any man started on this voyage he was held to have indeed entered the jaws of death, and his family wailed and put on mourning for him as though he were already dead. Just opposite this headland lies the small island of Perim, commanding the entrance to the straits. On it stands a lighthouse and a small fort, both of very recent date. The story told concerning the annexation of this island is curious. From the beginning of time nobody had coveted so arid a rock, till one day it occurred to France that it might prove a useful position. So in January, 1857, the French brig of war



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HE HAD SLEPT FORTY YEARS.

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years, by heart disease. Just before he made the coffin they had been to a ball, and, after returning home, retired to bed. Fifteen minutes later Mr. Gamble found that his wife had died in his arms. The shock was believed by many to have unsettled his

reason. He always kept his coffin thereafter in the corner of his dining room. He would get into it every night and pull the lid up until only his face was exposed to view. One day he had a traveling photographer take a view of him as he lay in the coffin. This picture he had framed and hung over the dining hall mantel-piece. mantel-piece.

Last night he retired to his coffin at the usual hour, but when the servant called him this morning it was found that he was dead. The body was not disturbed, and will be buried as it was found. Mr. Gamble was a charitable man and much liked.

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A REMARKABLE ESCAPE.

A REMARKABLE ESCAPE. Mrs. Mary A. Dailey, of Tunkhan-nock, Pa., was afflicted for six years with asthma and bronchitis, during which time the best physicians could give no relief. Her life was despaired of, until last October she procured a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, when im-mediate relief was felt, and by continuing its use for a short time she was com-pletely cured, gaining fife pounds in pletely cured, gaining fifty pounds in pletely cured, gaining fifty pounds in ilesh in a few months. Free trial bottles of this certain cure of all throat and lung diseases at J. Zeller & Son's drug store, Bellefonte. Large bottles, \$1.

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thither the following day.

#### THE ART OF SOUP-MAKING.

There is a constant controversy going on as to the economy, digestibility, and necessity of soup at the commencement of a dinner, some maintaining that a dinner without it cannot literally be called a dinner; others, prejudiced against " slops," discarding it from their tables altogether; while a few who would gladly, perhaps, take advantage of an opportunity to reduce the meat bills, have only the will, being ignorant of the way. The average middle-class wife and mother may have sighed over the items of ribs and sirloins of beef, and legs and shoulders of mutton, and said to herself. "Ah! we must take to having a little soup." With praiseworthy promptitude and zeal she has perchance opened her cookery-book, of the old extravagant style, and closed it sorrow. fully, a sadden if not a wiser woman the brain all dizzy from the long strings of ingredients which she is commanded to "throw into stock pot " if she would

insure success. Now, with soup-making, as with all else, once master the theory and the practice is comparatively easy; while, on the other hand, years of practice without a perfect knowledge of the why and wherefore; will prove of no avail. Let me illustrate my meaning clearly, the would-be soup-maker, in: scanning a recipe, discards it as impracticable because she lacks one or more of the in-gredients mentioned, while she who grasps the modus operandi, owing to her theoretical knowledge, at on cs substitutes others, or perhaps disponses with them altogether. No doubt, in many families, the prejudice against soup has arisen from the fact that it is usually prepared and served in large ( mantities, instead of, as at the tables of the rich, in small portions, though many of the kind would furnishin themselves a substan-tial meal for a growing child. A well-known authority has said that a tothing tends more to restore the tone of the stomweb, and make easier of dig ustion that which is to follow, than a little soup

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