A CHAMPION'S STORY

Bob Fitzsimmons Writes The Dispatch About His Great Victory Over the Nonpareil.

WHY HE ABANDONED AUSTRALIA. His Method of Training for the Olympic Club Battle at His Quarters at

SUCCESSFUL SCHEMES IN THE RING.

Bay St. Louis.

The Eure With Which He Could Feel Dempsey One of the Surprises of the Contest.

IWEITTEN FOR THE DISPATCE.1

Before I say anything regarding my battle with Jack Dempsey, I first want to tell you why it was I came to America. I was a boss blacksmith by trade and made my living that way, while the money made by boxing went to swell my little bank account. I in which the ball was hung and I used to practice all sorts of blows on the hall, trying to imagine at the time that it was the Nonparell I had in front of me. At last came the day of the fight and I was at the proper weight all day, despite reports to the contrary.

When we entered the ring was the first time I had ever seen Dempsey or he me, as far as I know, and I suppose we eyed one another with a good deal of interest as we sat in the opposite corners, waiting to be weighed, to shake hands and for the fight to begin. Some papers said that I appeared serious as I sat in my corner, but it was only anxiety for the battle to commence. Then came the sound of time and we rounds, for a small amount. He was not satisfied with this and kept making talk until finally I put up £500 in the Referee office, in Sydney, to make a match with Hall or any other middle-weight in Australia. There was no answer to this challenge, but Hall kept on talking. Finally

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lenge, but Hall kept on talking. Finally I heard that he was going to spar at Larry Foley's Athletic Hall, in Sydney, and I resolved to go there and challenge him from the stage, so that he would have no chance to escape me. I did this, saying I would make the stake as large or as small as he wanted, and that I would fight him again with any sort of gloves he might select. In answer to this challenge he said:

To Fight in America.

"Gentlemen, I am going to America by the Zealandia, which sails to-morrow afternoon, and so I will not be at liberty to accept the challenge of Mr. Fitzsimmons, much as I should like to do so. If he will come to America I shall only be too glad to meet him in a contest there."

I went home, had a talk with my wife, and then and there resolved to go to San Francisco to fight him. Accordingly I packed up what few traps I needed, and went aboard the Zealandia, about noon the next day. I looked about for Hall, but he had not yet come aboard, and I leaned over the side to see him when he should come up the gangplank. Finally he came in sight,

and looking up saw me.

Now, of course I don't pretend to know
whether it was seeing me on board the
steamship which caused him to change his mind or not, but anyway he turned straight mind or not, but anyway be turned straight around and walked away, ordering his bagage to be taken back up town again. The Zealandia salled without thin, much to the surprise of the steward, who was to bring him over. When I saw Hall walk away I had half a mind to get off the boat and stay in Sidney to make him fight again, but I thought better of that, and resolved to fight McCarthy in 'Frisco and thereby settle his claim or mine to the champaonship. All of you are prehably familiar with that battle, which I tought after eight days of training, and in which I succeeded in defeating Mac in eight rounds.

which you are all familiar with. Then came the challenge to Demnsey and the bidding of the clubs for the fight. I had been behind Carroll when he defeated Bowen at the Olympic Club in New Orleans and had seen the fair and square treatment he had received there; and, being my manager and trainer, we both resolved to light in that cinb and nowhere else, for we knew that under the roof of the Olym-pics the best man would be allowed to win, and ther side would get even a shade the

This was what we wanted also. I know that I can traithfully say that I did not want to win the light unless I could does I airly, and could prove to the crown assembled that I was the better may. I think that my treatment of my opponent while in the ring will bear me out in this statement. As a matter of course, I was quite surprased, as was also my partner, Jimmy Carroll, when the purse ran up to \$12,000. It was true we had expected a good-sized purse, but thought \$8,000, or \$10,000 at the soutside, would be the limit it would reach. The binding showed that we were dealing with generous neopile, and when the purse was set at \$12,000 I naturally felt quite proud that I was to light for the largest purse that had ever been offered to two purselists in any class. As a matter of course I let sure of winning, and I guess Dempsey felt the same way, for a pugilist would be very fooish to go into a match in which he thought he would suddenly bend the left knee, bringing by What He Knew of Dempsey. This was what we wanted, and I feel that that

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I suppose my confidence came from the fact that I had never suffered defeat. While I knew that I had never suffered defeat. While I knew that I had never suffered defeat. While I knew that I had never suffered defeat. While I knew that I had never suffered defeat. While I knew to deliver a blow again. That was only one of the big a wonder, in fact a world beater, I never had the pleasure of seeing him. But I had a partier who had known Jack almost ever since he started into the business of ungillsm and deck and run in to clinch and get out of the corner. to started into the business of pugilism, and who could tell use his methods of fighting and tricks of generalship while in the ring. Further than this, I knew that I had the advantage of then in three things, was height, length of reach and greater hitting power. You may be sore I had heard many wonderful stories about his eleverness, his shirty fighting and his endurance and generalation while in the ring, and I knew that he must be a better man than I had ever met before, or he would not have the reputation be had, and which, in my opinion, he still has.

I also knew that a good, hard punch in the right spot well make a man forget a great deal of his cleverness and tricks of generalship, and I may say that scarcely had the match been made before I had almost made up my mind to rosh the fighting along from the start. I say almost, because you never can make up your mind us to the exact way to go to work upon a man you have never seen, and so I had not theroughly declided as to the way I would go to work until I saw Bempsey standing up in front of mean the ring of the Olympic Club.

After the match was made then came the training, which, in my ominion, and in the opin-

raining, which, in my opinion, and in the opin-on of many of my colleagues in the boxing busi-cess, is the hardest part of the fight. Carroll and trained for his light with Bowen at Eay St. Louis, which, to my mind, is the prettiest spot on the coast, and we resolved that I should train there, and for that purpose a next little cottage was hired and we settled down to a quiet home life.

Reputation of Bay St. Louis.

Now there is a peculiar thing about Bay St. Louis, and that is, that although many fighters have trained there, there never was a loser among the lot. I can't remember the names of all who have trained at that beautiful place, but among them are Mace, when he fought Aleu: Sullivan, when he fought Paddy Ryan; Warren, Carroll and, lastly, myself. Not that into an independent football cinb. The name Warren, Carroll and, lastly, myself. Not that I am supersitions, for I don't believe that even the bracing are of the Eay could have made me wie of Dempacy had been the better man, but it was owing more to the above fact, I think, than sanything else, which made the inhabitants of the Bay but on me almost to a man.

Into an independent football cinh. The name adopted was: "The Pittsburg Football Cinh." The following officers were elected: President, Fred Goodwyn; Captain, John Z. Horne; Secretary and the Macpherson, J. E. Boyes, C. V. Childs.

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pounds to take off, and that does not seem much when compared with what some fighters have to reduce when going into battle. His Food and Habits.

My training has been pretty thoroughly decribed in the columns of the press already, and I will only say that I used to get up at sur rise, take an egg, or sometimes two, beaten up in a little sherry. Then I would chop wood or take a short walk before breakfast. At all my meals I would eat heartily, but I did not take meals I would eat heartily, but I did not take any butter, salt or fat meat, and I was not allowed to drink much, and I always took care not to eat until my hunger was entirely appeased, but always left the table feeling that I could eat a little merc. After breakfast I would go out for my morning spin, and cover, in running and walking, from 10 to 15 miles, getting up a good perspiration as I neared home. Then after a good sweat by the fire, when I would be given the tea from 234 pounds of beef, I would get a good rubdown, and then dinner would be ready.

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After dinner I would rest a short time, and then put on my tights and go out and punch the ball for from half an hour to an hour. Then came another rubbing down with alcohol, after which it would be supper time. Then after reading an hour or so I would retire, to repeat the same thing the next day. Sometimes I would vary the monotony of this by going to the blacksmith shop and shoeing a couple of mules, and on Sundays I never did any running, but would spar for an hour or two in the morning with anyone who wanted to put on the gloves, and there were plenty of them who would do so. It had to be understood, however, that I should do no hard hitting.

He Fought a Photograph.

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This was the way I trained to meet the American champion, reducing slowly and gaining strength as the day for the fight drew near. I had a picture of Dempsey nailed up in the room had bexed many men in Australia, and tice all sorts of blows on the ball, trying to

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In this round I found his head several times and be reemed to discover that my head was under ϵ 'mary circumstances a trifle too far away fo: reach to get at, and he proceeded to play fo, my wind, thinking, I suppose, that a few blows well placed in that region of my

The Center of the Ring.

From what I have always heard of Dempsey in the greater portion of his fights his eleverness and generalship have placed him in the position where he could take the center of the ring at the start of the fight and keep it for the greater portion of the contest, making his opponent do most of the running. I telt that I was big enough and strong enough and clever enough to take the center of the ring and make Jack do the running. As the fight progressed I did this and found that it working the greater portion of the contest, making his opponent do most of the running. I telt that I was big enough and strong enough and clever enough to take the center of the ring and make Jack do the running. As the fight progressed I did this and found that it working the greater portion of the contest, making his out that \$1,000 is as much as Dempsey fought Reagan for. Dempsey, according to custom, was compelled to fight for that amount, although he was \$40 loser, notwithstanding the fact of bis winning the fight. The challenge, coupled with the statement of Mr. Harding, who says that if Fixisimmons declines to accept the challenge or the latter will be awarded the belt. Mr. Harding points out that \$1,000 is as much as Dempsey fought Reagan for. Dempsey, according to custom, was compelled to fight for that amount, although he was \$40 loser, notwithstanding the fact of bis winning the fight. The challenge, coupled with the statement of Mr. Harding, who says that if Fixisimmons declines to accept the challenge or the latter will be awarded the belt. Mr. Harding, who says that if Fixisimmons declines to accept the challenge to acce From what I have always heard of Dempsey thereby settle his claim or mine to the champonship. All of you are probably familiar with that battle, which I sought after eight days of training, and in which I succeeded in defeating Mac in eight rounds.

The Challenge to Dempsey.

After this there was talk about matching me against Dempsey, but people wanted to try me out a little more, I guess, and so my match with Arthur Unham was brought about, the result of the could be apparently of the could be apparently thought of was how he could hit me or I him, and I think it was as much to this fact as to anything else that I owe my victory.

I have a fablion of sending my left in on a person's head and then almost simultaneously head and then almost person's head and then almost simultaneously putting my right in on the short ribs, on the wind or over the heart. This method seemed to puzzle Jack a good deal, for, although he stopped my left a great many times, I was almost always successful in placing my right in good and hard on his body. These body blows, I know from experience, tell very much on a man, and I think it was these more than any other blows, that placed the Nooparell at my mercy toward the close of the contest.

Pressure on the Short Ribs.

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while standing with my arms in position, I would suddenly bend the left knee, bringing

Now, as I would be in a position to deliver a good blow at the time he would duck, I would do so, and there were very few times that I missed getting in one good punch, while on some of the occasions I would land both lef surprised that I should be able to fool Jack so easily when in the corners, but I suppose it was owing to the fact that he was a little rattled, and being cornered did not know just exactly now to get away.

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Toward the end of the battle it sort of went against my grain to be forced to give a good, game man and a fair fighter such as Dempsey proved himself to be any more punishment, but Dempsey himself, the referee and the audience demanded it and I had to do it. I fifthis, however, that a referee should be empowered to render a decision when in his own opinion a fight has gone far enough and one man has decidedly the best of it. If this was the case boxing would be more gentlemanly and less boxing would be more gentlemanly and less brutal.

Now the battle is all over and I am the champion of the world, I shall be only too glad to be of service to Jack at any time, and will be pleased to spar for his benefit, if he takes one, at any place I can get to without interfering with my contracts with other people.

ROBERT FITZSIMMONS.

THE KICKERS GETTING READY.

Local Football Players Form a New Organization and Are Ready for Saturday.

A meeting of the association football players who have been known as the "Three

"I will meet Smothers or his backers at THE DISPATCH office during any evening that may be convenient to them. All that I want is a fair race, and I suppose they want the same. I will notice any reply they may make through THE DISPATCH."

COULDN'T GET STOVEY.

The Cleveland Club Failed to Catch Harry but Will Be All Right.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.) CLEVELAND, Feb. 7 .- Cleveland made a good effort to get Stovey, and would have succeeded could money have landed him in the West. He wrote here and stated that he preferred to stay in the East if he could, and was, of course, stay in the East if he could, and was, of course, very willing to join the Bostons. The fact that Soden signed him demonstrates that Stovey had a right to so dispose of his services under existing baseball law and cannot but help strengthen Pittsburg's claim for Bierlauer.

The deal between Cleveland and Pittsburg for the mutual exchange of Miller and Tebeau will not be made, because Cleveland has decided to retain Tebeau here. The greatest regret is expressed at the possibility that Alvord will have to be transferred elsewhere as there are many of the opinion that he is about as strong a player as Tebeau. Here is still an opportunity for J. Palmer O'Neill to get a valuable man.

Cleveland is reported to be after a New York catcher, and it wouldn't be a bad guess that the man is Buckley. It may be Clarke, but is more likely to be the former, as Cleveland has need of a good backstop for its swift delivery men.

The infield of the Cleveland club as at present The infield of the Cleveland club as at present contemplated and as likely to go through, is made up of Virtuc, Childs, McKean and Tebeau. It is a strong batting infield on paper, a good fielding quariet and all are fair base runners. John B. Day, in a letter from New York, writes that Burkett has expressed himself as desirous of playing in Cleveland. He may be given an opportunity.

All the old Cleveland men who signed agreements at the end of the season to play here this year have now affixed their names to regular League contracts.

It is thought here that the Cincinnati muddle will be cleared up at the Chicago meeting to be held next week.

ANXIOUS TO FIGHT FITZSIMMONS. Backers of Jim Hall Challenge the Middle

Weight Champion. CHICAGO, Feb. 7.-The Australian bookmakers, Barney Allen and Joe Harris, now in Chicago, have assued the following challenge, supported by a deposit of \$1,000:

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We, the undersigned, in behalf of Jim Hall, who defeated Bob Fitzsimmons in three and a half rounds for the middle-weight championship of Australia, hereby challenge Fitzsimmons to fight to a finish before any recognized athletic club that way be mutually agreed upon for a purse and a side bet of \$10,000 under Marquis of Queensberry rules. In support of this challenge we have deposited with a Chicago daily paper a forfeit of \$1,000. As this challenge is issued in good faith, we trust Mr. Fitzsimmons or his manager will give it immediate attention. We have cabled to Australia for Mr. Hall, who is on his way. Our offer will hold good for two weeks, which we consider ample time to give Fitzsimmons in which to make up his mind. All arrangements can be made with Parson Davies, who is our authorized agent in the matter.

Barney Allen. BARNEY ALLEN. JOE HARRIS.

Hall, the new Australian aspirant for pugilistic honors in America, is 6 feet 1 inch in height. His fighting weight is 152 pounds. He is 24 years old. It is said he has a longer reach than Fitzsimmons, and that he thinks it an easy job to defeat the man who so lately won such a remarkable victory at New Orleans.

WILL SOON BE MATCHED.

If Nobody Will Fight Farrell He Is to Get the Championship Belt. The backers of Pat Farrell, of this city, will to-morrow forward \$100 forfeit to the Police Gazette, accompanied by a challenge to the

following effect:

Pat Farrell, of Pittsourg, will fight Bob Fitzsimmons or any other man at 158 pounds for \$1,000 a side and the Police Gazette middle weight belt, the fight to take place before the club that offers the largest purse.

This challenge is in response to the advice of William Harding, who says that if Fitzsimmons declines to execut the abeliance.

SHORTEST ON RECORD.

An Irishman Makes Quick Work With the Alleged Fighter Gus Lambert.

IBY DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY,] LONDON, Feb. 7.—Fight to a finish occurred at the Pelican Club this afternoon between Gus Lambert, champion of Canada, and John Maher champion of Ireland for £100 per side It was the shortest finish fight on record lasting 134 minutes.

After the first interchange of blows, Maher After the first interchange of blows, Maher struck Lambert on the point of the chin and knocked him down. When the Canadian rose, the Irishman knocked him down again and again for the third time. Lambert did not rise after the third fall, and at the expiration of the ten seconds' interval the fight was awarded to Maher and Lambert was lifted by his seconds and carried to his corner. He is not badly injured though he will not find any pleasure in eating for several days to come.

CARNEY AND BURGE MATCHED

The Men Will Box at 134 Pounds the Middle of May.

IBY CABLE TO THE DISPATCH.1 London, Feb. 7.-The match between Jem Carney and Dick Burge for the lightweight championship has been ratified, and the men will box at 134 pounds, with small gloves, by the middle of May, for £500 a side. Carney is the favorite.

The Local Shooting Handicap.

George Bennett called at this office this even-ing and paid his entrance fee for the Homewood shooting handicap, which takes place on February 21. Mr. Beardshaw, the promoter, says that as there is some misunderstanding about the rules the following conditions will be strictly observed in the handicap: The runs to be kept below the elbow until the bird is on the wing, and only one ounce of shot to be used; the use of one barrel only and 60 yards' fail. Guns are not specified. Contestants will be handicapped from 13 to 25 yards. There is every prospect of a very large entry. Entries will be received at this office.

To Tackle the Southerners.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7 .- This afternoon a party of 30 Northern sportsmen left in a special train over the Illinois Central to contest with Southern trapshooters at New Orleans, Mobile and ern trapshooters at New Orieans, Mobile and Pensacola for a trophy emblematic of the championship of the country. The participants represent the best shots in both sections. The Northern shoothers are divided into two teams, one of which will do battle for the North and the other for the State of Illinois.

A Shoot at Rochester.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 BEAVER FALLS, Feb. 7.-The Rochester Field Club, of Rochester, will hold a live bird shoot on their grounds at that place Saturday, February 2l. A number of crack shots are ex-pected from Pittsburg, Salem, New Castle, Beaver Falls and other places.

The Coming Dog Show.

Another large batch of special prizes has been added to the list already published for the coming dog show of the Duquesne Kennel Club. The new additions are equally as good as the previous specials. Everything is going along all right, and the prospects for the show are of the very brightest kind.

Sporting Notes.

MIKE WILKES, the pacer with a record of 2;15%, is dead. DIXON and McCarthy may probably fight early this week.

WORSE THAN FEARED. The Chambersburg Iron Failure Is a

Very Serious Matter.

A RECEIVER IS TO BE APPOINTED.

The Last Hope for Peace in the Coke Region Dashed to Earth. A STORY IN A BULLET-PIERCED GAVEL

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE. CHAMBERSBURG, Feb. 7 .- The failure of the Taylor Manufacturing Company yester day turned out more serious than it at first appeared, including a mortgage of \$100,000

placed on the plant two years ago to secure the floating debt. The company owes about \$350,000. The stock of \$250,000 will be entirely wiped out. The plant has been materially improved lately, and is now more valuable than ever. Nearly \$20,000 is owing to the hands, and arrangements are being made to pay

have made themselves by indorsements individually liable on much of the paper of the company, and serious losses to them are feared. Executions amounting to \$20,000 were issued against one of the leading directors to-day. There is little doubt that a receiver will be appointed next week, the company reorganized and work resumed. A numbers of heavy orders for engines and machinery are waiting to be

them off next week. The directors

THE LAST HOPE GONE.

The Coke Region Strike Begins Tuesday, and Men Now Quitting.

"SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. SCOTTDALE, Feb. 7 .- The Scale Committee of the United Mine Workers has declined the smaller operators' proposition to continue operations under the existing rates of wages until March I, and as a result there will be a genera suspension of work in the coke region Tuesday. The Scale Committee decided that if the smaller operators will sign the new scale, which calls for the eight-hour system, the erection of weigh scales on coal tipples, the discontinuance of non-union hands, the wages of coke drawing to be 65 cents per hundred bushels charged, and \$1.07 per hundred for mining coal, they can continue running, otherwise their plants would be closed down. Independent operators expressed an unwilling. Independent operators expressed an unwilling-ness to do business in that manner, and they made the necessary preparations for the

made the necessary preparations for the struggle.

To-day the miners in the employ of the H. C. Frick Coke Company mined their last coal and took out their tools, with the intention of remaining out until a settlement is affected. At many of the smaller operators' plants the miners also finished their work. The labor officials have fully determined to force a strike at W. J. Rainey's works, although that operator has expressed himself as willing to pay the existing wages until another agreement is made.

A BULLET-PIERCED GAVEL.

It Is Responsible for a True Story of the Late Civil War.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH .1 ZANESVILLE, Feb. 7.—A bit of reminiscence of the late war has been developed here through a gavel made of a laurel root taken from the battle field of Lookout Mountain. The gavel, which is well preserved has a minnie ball firmly imbedded in it, and will be pre-sented to John Brown Post, G. A. R., by John

sented to John Brown Post, G. A. R., by John Bangin.

The man was discovered on the streets of Atlanta, hungry and helpless, when a boy 4 or 5 years old by Lieutenant J. G. Round, of the Ninety-second O. V. I. The lad was taken to the regiment headquarters. No one called for him, and he became known as the "child of the Ninety-second." When the war as over he came North with the regiment and drifted to Summerfield, where he now lives. He has recently returned from a trip South in quest of relatives. He was able to find no one at Atlanta, except an old colored man, who remembered his father, and through this small clew he discovered a brother and sister in Chattanoga.

THE SCULL-GREEVY CONTEST.

The Ballots of the Disputed Townships are to Be Examined.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCHAL BEDFORD, Feb. 7 .- Counsel in the Scull-Greevy Congressional contest made an appli-cation to the court to-day, praying that the contents of the ballot boxes in the township of Bedford and Somerset counties, in which it was charged fraud was perpetrated in the last election for Congress, be preserved and returned to the Clerk of the Common Pleas of both counties, so that the Commissioners sitting on the case can examine the ballots and papers.

After a very long opinion from Judge Baer, the order was issued to the election officers of the several districts in accordance

PROHIBITIONISTS USE DYNAMITE. An Unsuccessful Attempt to Destroy a

Village Saloon. SPECIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISPATCE II FINDLAY, Feb. 7.—Yesterday a saloon was opened in the village of Benton Ridge, eight miles west of this city, by Bishop Williamson against the protest of the citizens. At an early hour this morning some unknown person en-tered the room where the saloon was located and poured out all the liquor and destroyed all An unsuccessful attempt was then made to blow up the building, which made a report that was heard in this city.

LEFT HOME WHILE INSANE.

The Demented Wife of an Ex-Sheriff Missing From Meadville.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. MEADVILLE, Feb. 7 .- While suffering under spell of temporary insanity the wife of ex-sheriff S. C. McDowell left her home early this norming and has not since been neard from. It was learned that she left the city on the New York limited express, paying her fare to Jamestown, N. Y. Mr. McDowell took the

The Braddock Strikers Still Ahead, INPECTAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. BRADDOCK, Feb. 7 .- The only new feature in the strike at the Braddock wire mill to-day was an unsuccessful effort on the part of the firm to put the rod department in operation. Several new men have arrived, but they are novices in the way of rolling iron rod.

An Opera Company Wrecked. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH, 1 JEANNETTE, Feb. 7 .- "Tot, the Miners' Pet" Opera Company disbanded in this place this morning. The proprietor of the Windsor Hotel held their baggage, which consisted of two trunks and a few pieces of scenery.

HUGH KEARNS, formerly of Pittsburg, was instantly killed on the railroad at Penn Friday

EVANGELIST ALEX. DITTMORE, who calls himself the "Nazarite preacher," is still labor-ing hard to save Uniontown sinners. THE low price of iron has compelled the Stewart Iron Company, of Uniontown, to temporarily close down. The Schoonmaker coke ovens are also being banked. THE Central District and Printing Telegraph Company, of Pittsburg, is erecting wires in

Clarksburg, which city they will connect with the outside world by long distance wires.

Two more bodies-Poles-were recovered

PITTSBURG DISPATCH. SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1991.

WHAT CUTICURA IS DOING DAILY

BABY ONE SOLID SORE BABY'S FACE WAS RAW A SCROFULOUS BOY DREADFUL PSORIASIS

No Rest Night or Day. Cured by Cuticura Remedies

My baby, when two months old, had a breaking out with what the doctor called eczema. Her bead, arms, feet and hands were each one solid sore. I tried everything, but neither the doctors nor anything else did her any good. We could get no rest day or night with ber. In my extremity I tried the CUTICURA REMEDIES, but I confess I had no faith in them, for I had never seen them tried. To my great surprise, in one week's time, after beginning to use the CUTICURA REMEDIES, the sores were well, but I continued to use the Resolvent for a little

continued to use the RESOLVENT for a little
while, and now she is as fat a baby as you
would like to see, and as sound as a dollar. I
believe my baby would have died if I had not
tried CUTICURA REMEDIES. I write this that
every mother with a baby like mine can feel
confident that there is a medicine that will cure
the worst eczema, and that medicine is the
CUTICURA REMEDIES.

MRS. BETTIE BIRKNER, Lockhart, Tex.

Cuticura Remedies

Cure every humor of the skin and scalp of in-fancy and childhood, whether torturing, dis-figuring, itching, burning, scaly, crusted, pim-ply or blotchy, with loss of hair, and every im-purity of the blood, whether simple, scrofulous or hereditary, when the best physicians and all other remedies fall. Parents, save your children years of mental and physical suffering. Begin now. Cures made in childhood are permanent.

Tried Everything Without Relief. Distressing Itching Skin Disease Cured in One Month by the Cuticura Remedies.

When our boy was 6 weeks old he had a rash on his cheek. It spread on both cheeks and chin. His face was raw. I doctored with various remedies, but he got no better. My mother advised me to try the Cuttoura Remedies. I used them faithfully, and in one week the boy looked better. In one month he was cured, and now he is 3 years old and no signs of it returning. The child was so bad I had to the him in a pillow case, and pun his hands down so that he could not scratch his face. I cannot speak too highly of the Cuttoura Remedies, I recommend Cuttoura whenever I can. I would be pleased to see anyone and talk to them of the good it has done my boy.

MRS, CYRUS PROSCH,
N. B.—My husbang is President of the Prosch

boy. MRS, CYRUS PROSCH,
Coytesville, Fort Lee P. O., N. J.
N. B.—My husband is President of the Prosch
Manufacturing Company. proprietors of the
"Duplex" and "Triplex" Photographic Shutters, 388 Broome street, New York City. He
dislikes undesirable notoriety, but is willing to
make sacrifices to benefit others, and assents
to this testimonial to encourage the use of
CUTICURA, and thus bring relief to others.

Mothers, Do You Realize

or nereditary, when the best physicians and all other remedies fall. Parents, save your children years of mental and physical suffering. Begin now. Cures made in childhood are permanent, skins are literally on fire with itching and burning eczemas and other itching, scaly and blotchy skin and scalp diseases? To know that a single application of the Cuticura skin Cure, 50c; Cuticura Soap, an exquisite Skin Purifier and Beautifier, 25c; Cuticura Resolvent, the new Blood Purifier, \$1. Prepared by the Potter Drug and Chemical (because so speedy) cure, and not to use them without a moment's delay, is to be committed to the property of the positive inhumanity. No greater legacy can be hestowed upon a child than a skin without blemish and a body nourished with pure blood.

Running Sores Covered His Body and Head. Bones Affected. Cured by Cuticura Remedies.

When six months old the left hand of our little grandchild began to swell, and had every appearance of a large boil. We poulticed it, but all to no purpose. About five months after, it became a running sore. Soon other sores formed. He then had two of them on each hand, and, as his

all to no purpose. About five months after, it became a running sore. Soon other sores formed. He then had two of them on each hand, and, as his blood became more and more impure, it took less time for them to break out. A sore came on the chin, beneath the under lip, which was very offensive. His head was one solid scab, discharging a great deal. This was his condition at 22 months old, when I undertook the care of him, his mother having died when he was little more than a year old, of consumption (scrofula, of course). He could walk a little, but could not get up if he fell down, and could not more when in bed, having no use of his hands. I immediately commenced with the CUTICUEA REMEDIES, using all freely. One sore after another healed, a bony matter forming in each one of these five deep ones just before healing, which would finally grow loose and were taken out; then they would heal rapidly. One of these uzly bone formations I preserved. After taking a dozen and a half bottles he was completely cured, and is now, at the age of six years, a strong and healthy child.

MRS, E. S. DRIGGS,
612 F. Clay st., Bloomington, Ill.

MAY 9, 1885.

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MRS. E. S. DRIGGS. FEB. 7, 1890,

Cured for All Time The above is one of the most gratifying of the the above is one of the most grativing of the thousands of cures made by the CUTICURA REMEDIES, and is conclusive evidence that they not only cure the worst cases, but cure them for all time. Hence it is not surprising that mothers and children use the CUTICURA

Covering Entire Body With White Scales. Suffering Fearful. Cured by Cuticura.

My disease (psoriasis) first broke out on my left check, spreading across my nose, and almost covering my face. It ran into my eyes, and the physician was afraid I would less my eyesisht altogether. It spread all over my head, and my hair all fellout, until I was entirely baldheaded; it then broke out on my arms and shoulders, until my arms were just one sorie.

headed: it then broke out on my arms and shoulders, until my arms were just one sore. It covered my entire body, my face, head and shoulders being the worst. The white scabs fell constantly from my head, shoulders and armst the skin would thicken and be red and very tichy, and would crack and bleed if scratched. After spending many hundreds of dollars, I was pronounced incurable. I was pronounced incurable. I was pronounced incurable. I was almost cured; and when I had used six bettles of CUTICUEA RESOLVENT, I could see a change; and after I had taken four bottles I was almost cured; and when I had used six bettles of CUTICUEA RESOLVENT, one box of CUTICUEA and one cake of CUTICUEA SOAP, I was cured of the dreadful disease from which I had suffered for five vears. I cannot express with a pen what I suffered before using the REMEDIES. They saved my life, and I feel it my duty to recommend them. My hair is restored as good as ever, and so is my evesight. tored as good as ever, and so is my eyesight.
MRS, ROSA KELLY, Rockwell City, Ia.

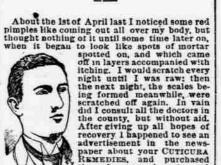
Cuticura Resolvent

The new Blood Purifier, internally (to cleanse the blood of all impurities and poisonous ele-ments), and CUTICURA, the great Skin Cure, and CUTICURA SOAP, an exquisite Skin Beauand CUTICURA SOAP, an exquisite Skin Beau-tifier, externally (to clear the skin and scalp and restore the hair), have cured thousands of cases where the shedding of scales measured a quart daily, the skin cracked, bleeding, burning and itching almost beyond endurance, hair lifeless or all gone, suffering terrible. What other remedies have made such cures?

FOR THE BLOOD

MORTAR SPOTTED SKIN AN ECZEMA 17 YEARS A BURNING SORE LEG (SCRATCHED 28 YEARS

Covered With Scales-Awful Spectacle-Cured in Five Weeks by the Cuticura Remedies.



After giving up all hopes of recovery I happened to see an advertisement in the newspaper about your CUTICURA REMEDIES, and purchased them from my druggist, and notice that the scaly eruptions gradually dropped off and disappeared one by one, until I had been fully cured. I had the disease 18 months before I began taking the REMEDIES, and in four or five weeks was entirely cured. My disease was eczema and psoriasis. I know of a great many who have taken the REMEDIES, and thank me for the knowledge of them, especially mothers who have babes with scaly eruptions on their heads and bodies. I cannot express my thanks to you. My body was covered with scales, and I was an awful spectacle to behold. Now my skin is as clear as a baby's. GEO. COTEY, Merrill, Wis.

Only Relief and Cure

Words can scarcely do justice to the esteem in which these great skin cures, blood purifiers and greatest of humor remedies are held by the thousands upon thousands who have found them the only source of immediate relief and of speedy, permanent and economical cure of skin, scalp and blood diseases, which have rendered life almost unendurable by reason of personal disfigurement and great physical suffering.

Greatest Cures Ever Performed by the Cuticura Remedies.

Cured in 8 Weeks-One of the

At the age of three months a rash (which afterwards proved to be eczema or salt rheum) made its appearance on my face. Physician after physician was called. None of them did me any good at all, but made ine worse. The disease continued nnabated; it spread to my arms and legs, till I was laid up entirely, and from continually sitting on the floor on a pillow, my limbs contracted so that I lost all control of them, and was utterly helpless. My mother would have to lift me out and into bed. I could get around the house on my hands and feet, but I could not get my clothes on at all, and had to wear a sort of dressing gown. My hair had all matted down or fallen off, and my head, face and ears were one scab. The disease continued in this manner, intil I was I7 years old, and one day in January, 1879, I read an account in the Tribune of your CUTICURA REMEDIES. It described my case so exactly that I thought, as a last resort, to give them a trial. When I first applied

of your CUTICURA REMEDIES. It described my case so exactly that I thought, as a last resort, to give them a trial. When I first applied them I was all raw and bleeding from scratching myself, but I went asleep almost immediately, something I had not done for years, the effect was so soothing. In about two weeks I could stand straight, but not walk I was so weak; but my sores were nearly well. As near as I can judge, the CUTICURA REMEDIES cured me m about six to eight weeks, and up to this date (i. e., from January, 1879, to January, 1887) I have not been sick in any way, or have had the least signs of the disease reappearing on me.

W. J. McDONALD.

3732 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill., June 30, 87.

Wonderful Cuticura I regard the CUTICURA REMEDIES of more important and intrinsic value to the world han any other medicines now before the pub-

tors Useless-Crazed With Pain-Cured by Cuticura Remedies.

About eight years ago I wrote you from Wilkesbarre, Pa., describing how your wonderful remedies completely cured me of a terrible case of eczema or salt rheum. I must now tell you what Curicura Remebies have again done for me.
On the 22d of last September
I had the misfortune to brulse
my leg, and I put a piece of
sticking phaster on it. Inside
of a week I had a terrible
leg. My wife became frightened and advised me to go to
a surgeon. I went, and doctored for two months, but no
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a surgeon. I went, and doctored for two months, but no good was done me, besides costing me big money. My leg had by this time formed into an ulcer, and got worse every day. I could not stand it any longer, and made up my mind to go to a hospital and see if I could be helped. I went to several here in the city, in turn, but none could do me any good. I had a terrible leg, with a hole in it as big as a dollar, and pain that almost set me crazy. I got scared about it, and determined to try Cutrcutra REMEDIES. I obtained a set, and inside of five weeks my leg was healed up as well as it ever was, except the terrible scar it left for a reminder of what was once a terrible sore leg. These REMEDIES are worth their weight in gold.

243 E. Ninety-third street, New York.

Greatest Humor Remedies

It is one thing to claim to cure these great skin and blood diseases, but quite another to do it. No remedies ever compounded in the history of medicine have performed the wonderful cures daily made by the Cuttcura Remedies, which are in truth the greatest skin cures, blood purifiers, and humor remedies of modern times. We earnestly desire those who have suffered long and hopelessly from torturing and disfiguring humors and diseases of the skin, scalp and blood, and who have lost faith in doctors and medicine to make at least one trial of the Cuttcura Remedies.

Ulcers Form-Hospitals and Doc- A Scaly, Itching Skin Disease, With Endless Suffering, Cured by Cuticura Remedies.

> If I had known of the CUTICURA REMEDIES 28 years ago, it would have saved me \$200 and an immense amount of suffering. My disease (psoriasis) commenced on my head in a spot not larger than a cent. It spread larger than a cent. It spread rapidly all over my body, and rot under my nails. The scales would drop off of me all the time, and my suffer-ing was endless and without relief. One thousand dollars would not tempt me to have this disease over again. I am a poor man, but feel rich to be relieved of what some of the doctors said was leprosy, some fingworm, paoriasis, etc. I cannot praise the CuTICURA REMEDIES too
> much. They have made my skin as clear and
> free from scales as a baby's. All I used of
> them was \$5 worth. If you had been here and
> said you would have cured me for \$200, you
> would have had the money. I looked like the
> picture (No. 2 page 47) in your book, "How
> to Cure Skin Diseases," but now I am as clear
> as any person ever was. Through force of
> habit I rhb my hands over my arms and legs to
> scratch once in a while, but to no purpose. I
> am all well. I scratched 28 years, and it got to
> be a kind of second nature to me. I thank you
> a thousand times.

a thousand times, DENNIS DOWNING, Waterbury, Vt.

Why Suffer One Moment From torturing and disfiguring skin diseases, when a single application of the CUTICURA REMEDIES will afford instant relief and point to a speedy, permanent and economical cure, when the best physicians and all other remedies fail?

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