

## ITCHING BURNING PIMPLES ON FACE

Also Blackheads. Scratched and Poisoned Pimples. Lost Much Rest. Nothing Helped Until Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. In Few Weeks Completely Well.

210 Poplar St., Wilmington, Del.—"My face broke out in pimples and blackheads which caused me a great deal of trouble. The itching and burning sensation was so great that I scratched and poisoned the pimples. I was hardly able to keep my hands away from them. I lost a great deal of rest. The breaking out disfigured me. I tried — and for some time without relief. I was recommended by a friend to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I washed with Cuticura Soap four or five times daily, after which I would put on the Ointment. In a few weeks I was completely well." (Signed) George H. Belleville, Apr. 17, 1914.

**Samples Free by Mail**  
In selecting a toilet and a skin soap why not procure one possessing delicate emollient properties sufficient to allay minor irritations, remove redness and roughness, prevent pore-clogging, soften and soothe sensitive conditions, and promote skin and scalp health generally? Such a soap, combined with the purest of saponaceous ingredients and most fragrant and refreshing of flower odors, is Cuticura Soap. Although Cuticura Soap (25c.) and Cuticura Ointment (50c.) are sold by druggists everywhere, a sample of each with 32-p. Skin Book will be sent free upon request. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston."

**TWO CHILDREN DIE IN FIRE**  
Dorothy and Jerome Spleen, Shelvey Summit, Burned to Death  
Ridgway, Pa., Dec. 16.—Two children, Dorothy, aged 4, and Jerome, aged 2 years, of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Spleen, at Shelvey Summit, were burned to death Monday evening when fire destroyed the farm house. Rescue was out off, as the children's room was surrounded by flames. The entire first floor was a mass of fire when discovered.  
Mr. and Mrs. Spleen and two older children were compelled to jump from the second story in their night clothes. They suffered greatly until neighbors, a mile away, came on the scene and hurried them to warmth and shelter.

**7 HURT IN TROLLEY CRASH**  
Slippery Rails Cause Collision at Wilkensburg

Wilkensburg, Pa., Dec. 16.—Seven persons were injured when two street cars collided here yesterday morning, due to slippery rails.  
Six of the victims sustained severe cuts and bruises and were taken to the Columbia Hospital. One other victim went home after having his injuries dressed. The cars were badly wrecked.

**WILL PAY U. S. FOR CONTRACT**  
Reading Bidder Offers \$6 to Tear Down Five Buildings

Reading, Pa., Dec. 16.—Contractor William A. Sharp will pay \$6 for the privilege of dismantling five buildings on the site to be occupied by the annex to the postoffice.  
The bids were opened yesterday and there was some surprise when Mr. Sharp's bid revealed that he would pay for being allowed to do the work. The other bidders were: J. McCullough, \$950; Garman Brothers, \$400; D. E. Dempman, \$350; Charles H. Fisher, \$100. The specifications prescribe that the contractor was to receive the salvage.

**Tried to Rob State Policeman**  
Reading, Pa., Dec. 16.—Making the mistake of thrusting his hand into the pocket of a State policeman while operating with a gang of pickpockets at the recent Hamburg King Frost carnival, resulted in Alfred Levy, 35 years old, of Philadelphia, being sentenced in court here yesterday to a fine of \$10 and costs and a year's imprisonment in the Berks jail.

**HOW TO PREVENT  
ACID STOMACHS AND  
FOOD FERMENTATION**

By a Stomach Specialist  
As a specialist who has spent many years in the study and treatment of stomach troubles, I have been forced to the conclusion that most people who complain of stomach trouble possess stomachs that are absolutely healthy and normal. The real trouble, that which causes all the pain and difficulty, is excessive acid in the stomach, aggravated by food fermentation. Hyper-acidity irritates the delicate lining of the stomach and food fermentation causes wind which distends the stomach abnormally, causing that full bloated feeling. Thus both acid and fermentation interfere with and retard the process of digestion. The stomach is usually healthy and normal, but irritated almost past endurance by these foreign elements—acid and wind. In all such cases—and they comprise 90 per cent. of all stomach difficulties—the first and only step necessary is to neutralize the acid and stop the fermentation by taking in a little warm or cold water immediately after eating. From one to two teaspoonsful of bisulphated magnesia, which is doubtless the best and only really effective antacid and food corrective known. The acid will be neutralized and the fermentation stopped almost instantly, and your stomach will at once proceed to digest the food in a healthy, normal manner. Be sure to ask your druggist for the bisulphated magnesia, as I have found other forms utterly lacking in its peculiarly valuable properties.—F. J. G. adv.

### WIFE DEAD; HUSBAND ILL

Mrs. Mabel S. Gilman Dies of Pneumonia in Reading  
Reading, Pa., Dec. 16.—With her husband critically ill with the same disease in an adjoining room, and unaware of her death, Mrs. Mabel S. Gilman, wife of Dr. Roland H. Gilman, of Williamsburg, Pa., died at her former home here yesterday of pleuro-pneumonia.  
Dr. and Mrs. Gilman were married last April at the Bellevue-Stratford hotel, Philadelphia, he being a graduate of the Medical College. After their wedding they went to Williamsburg, where Dr. Gilman established his practice. His wife was taken ill two weeks ago and was in a dying condition when brought to her former home in Reading last Saturday. Upon arriving, the husband took to bed with the same disease.

### MRS. F. B. WORRALL DIES

Wife of Media Real Estate Dealer Drops Dead in Church  
Media, Pa., Dec. 16.—While drilling children for the Christmas cantata for the Sunday school of the First Baptist church, Deborah, wife of Frank Brook Worrall, a Media real estate dealer, dropped dead. The tragedy occurred in the supper room of the church. A physician said that death had been caused by acute indigestion.  
Mrs. Worrall was well known in church and social circles in Media. She is survived by her husband and two small children.

### LAND GOES CHEAP AT AUCTION

Property Worth About \$100,000 Fetches \$9,116 at Reading  
Reading, Pa., Dec. 16.—Seventeen properties, worth about \$100,000, owned by the late Daniel H. Schwyer, in Maxatawny, District, Longswamp, Pike and Rockland townships, this county, were sold at public auction yesterday at the Bowers Hotel for \$9,116.  
Half interest of an ore mine on a tract of land in Rockland, belonging to the estate, which sold at one time for \$10,000 and represented an investment of \$35,000, brought \$131. The buyer was Chrisiana Peterson.



**DUDLEY 2 1/4 inches  
NORMAN 2 1/4 inches**  
**ARROW COLLARS**  
—25c. —  
—25c. —  
—25c. —

### INSTITUTE WELL ATTENDED

Northumberland County Teachers Hear Talks on Playgrounds  
Sunbury, Pa., Dec. 16.—The County Teachers' Institute sessions yesterday were largely attended.  
This was the program: "Music," the Rev. E. B. Bailey, Baltimore; "The Playground; a Character Laboratory," Dr. Henry M. Battagill, Lansing, Mich.; "Grammar School Section of the Playground," Prof. W. M. Pearce, superintendent of schools, Ridgway, Pa.; "Its Primary Section," Miss Lillian Johnson, Millersville, Pa.; "In the Mixed Grades," Prof. I. H. Maser, Sunbury, County Superintendent of Public Instruction; "Creating a Taste for Music," Miss Johnson; "Efficiency in Music," Dr. Battagill, and "Music," Professor Pearce.

### Only One "BROMO QUININE"

Whenever you feel a cold coming on, think of the full name, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature E. W. GROVE on box. 25c.

### DIES LEGALLY FOR CHILDREN

Mrs. Emory Scotten Gives Them Share in \$75,000 Estate  
Dover, Del., Dec. 16.—By waiving provisions made for her in the will of her husband, and electing to take a dower-right, so that her seven children might participate in the estate, Mrs. Emory Scotten, of near here, was decreed "legally dead" by the Supreme Court.  
The Scotten estate, valued between \$75,000 and \$100,000, was willed outright to the widow. Upon her death, it was to be distributed among her heirs.  
Mrs. Scotten waived her claims and the Supreme Court was called upon to decide whether her action was legal. The court held that the renunciation by the widow was equivalent to her death.

### Wife Dies in Clothes Closet

Seranton, Pa., Dec. 16.—While waiting for his wife to return from a shopping tour, where he supposed her to be, Patrick Maloney, of Meridian street, went to a closet to hang up some garments and found the body of his wife on the floor. She had died of heart disease while getting her hat to go out.

### Mystery in Man's Death

Seranton, Pa., Dec. 16.—When yardmen uncoupled the locomotive from a Buffalo extra freight on the Lackawanna reaching here at 7 o'clock last night, the upper half of a man's naked body dropped to the track. No trace of the whereabouts of the other half of the body was found.

### Flees Arrest; Feet Frozen

Williamsport, Pa., Dec. 16.—Knowing that a warrant had been issued for his arrest on a charge of robbery, Clinton Trowbridge, unable to find other shelter, spent the night in a brick yard. Yesterday morning he was found badly frozen and unconscious. Both feet may have to be amputated.



**COME HERE TO-DAY**

**Prices and Terms Cut Down**

**We Are Cutting and Slashing Piano Prices and Terms**

**THIS NEW PIANO**

WAS \$275		\$98
NOW \$98		\$2.00
\$2 DOWN		Down
\$1.00 PER WEEK		\$1.00
		Week

**FREE Stool, Scarf Tuning and Delivery**

**ATTENTION PIANO BUYERS!**  
To-morrow is the day. This store will be jammed with customers from early morning till late at night. We will cut the prices still further as a final effort to close out this enormous stock. Come here bright and early. Bring a few Dollars along with you. Any advertised price buys a Piano. Glance over the values listed in this paper to-day. Can you resist the temptation to buy? Come in anyway. Look these instruments over. An opportunity like this presents itself about once in a lifetime. This sale is apt to close at any moment. Nothing will prevent us from selling these instruments. Nothing should prevent you from being here. **YOU ARE NOT UNDER ANY OBLIGATIONS TO BUY UNLESS YOU SEE THE PIANO YOU WANT.** Give the Children a Piano for Christmas. This Is the Greatest Opportunity Ever Offered

**OTHER PIANOS**  
Winter Elbridge  
Rudolf Crown  
Weser Haynes  
Whitman Jacob Doll  
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Winter Players  
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**OPEN EVENINGS TILL 9 O'CLOCK**

**A Single Little \$2 Bill Will Send a Piano Home**

WAS \$300		\$98
NOW \$105		\$2.00
\$2 DOWN		Down
\$1.00 PER WEEK		\$1.00
		Week

**WESER**

WAS \$295		\$110
NOW \$92		\$2.00
\$3.00 DOWN		Down
\$1.00 PER WEEK		\$1.00
		Week

**CROWN**

WAS \$325		\$115
NOW \$125		\$2.00
\$4.00 DOWN		Down
\$1.00 PER WEEK		\$1.00
		Week

**WHITMAN**

**NEW PIANOS \$98, \$110, \$115, \$120 up. PLAYER PIANOS REDUCED, \$190, \$175, \$160**

**AN APPEAL TO MOTHERS**  
The biggest problem you have to contend with to-day is the demoralizing influence of the dance hall and the street congregating crowds. **Keep your boys and girls at home.** Give them the proper amusement and entertainment at home and they will not seek it outside. Buy a Piano for them at this great sale. Start them on a musical education now. This act on your part will stand out in their minds as a living monument to you when you are dead and gone. It will probably require some sacrifice on your part. But the deed will justify the act. There is logic and sentiment in this. Think it over.

**MR. PIANO PURCHASER**  
What became of the money you have earned in the past six months? You spent it. Somebody else put it in the bank. Why do you let the other fellow save what you earn? Why don't you invest a part of your earnings in the purchase of a Piano for the promotion of your home comfort and happiness? Why don't you take advantage of this wonderful Piano sale? Look at the Pianos. The prices and the terms advertised in to-day's paper. We guarantee an actual saving of \$100 on any Piano in our establishment. Pay a few dollars down. We will deliver the Piano into your home immediately. It will become a part of your estate as much as the insurance policy you carry or the home that we hope you own. Think it over.

**THIS STORE IS OPEN TO-DAY TILL 9 P. M.**

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