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Evening Herald

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1898.

OUR COUNTRY: First, Last and Forever

Of 750 food and drug samples analyzed by the state authorities in New Jersey 208 were found to be adulterated. The people of the United States are far behind the English in protecting themselves from this dangerous form of fraud.

THE year 1898 will be a most memorable one, not only for the great victories of our army and navy, but because of the glorious reuniting of the two sections of the country. The strifes and animosities engendered by the war of 1861-65 are melting away. In the North no man received more enthusiastic ovations than Gen. Joe Wheeler. In the South no man has been more cordially received than President McKinley—one a general in the Confederate army, the other in the Union army. The country will most heartily echo the sentiments of the Chief Executive of a united country.

VOTERS should give their most serious attention to the selection of men who shall properly direct the affairs of our schools. There is nothing more important than the education of the young, and citizens should see to it that only men possessing proper moral and educational qualifications are nominated and elected as School Directors. Too often the office is used merely as a stepping stone to future political advancement, by men who are totally unfit to fill such a position. Voters of the wards should aim to have nominated the best men who can be found in the ward. Every effort should be put forth in this direction.

ILLUSTRATIVE of the interest of the public in the narratives of the leading participants in the recent Spanish war, the Century Company is compelled to announce that the December number of the magazine is out of print by December 15th, except such numbers as dealers may have left over. This, although the edition was the largest ever issued, is due to the fact that the narratives of Captain Sigsbee and Constructor Hobson of the stirring events they participated in are leading features of the issue. It is impossible to get another edition in time for Christmas as the artistic cover, by the great artist Tissot, illustrative of the adoration of the Magi, was printed in France and cannot be printed in time to be available.

The Immigration Bill.

In refusing to take up for consideration the Lodge Immigration bill on Wednesday the House committed a grave error and still further postponed one of the reforms to which the Republican party pledged itself at the last National convention. There is a crying need for the restriction of immigration. The question long ago passed the debatable point, and the people now simply look to Congress to adopt the Lodge bill without further delay, and make possible the application of the reforms for which it provides.

Upon what grounds a majority of the members of the House justify their refusal to consider the measure it is difficult to understand, but if they think the necessity for restricted immigration has ceased to exist, or that there is any lessening of the demand of the people for such legislation, they do not interpret the wishes of their constituents aright.

There can be no permanent adjustment of the labor difficulties in this country—no lasting alleviation of the sufferings of the poor—until the evil has been attacked at its fountain source—the gateways of the nation, through which pour the criminal and pauper element of Europe to spread dissension and suffering among our own people.

Congress must grapple with this question without delay, and it ought to be disposed of at the present session.

Nervous ...d. Thousands are in this condition. They are despondent and gloomy, cannot sleep, have no appetite, no energy, no ambition. Hood's Sarsaparilla soon brings help to such people. It gives them pure, rich blood, cures nervousness, creates an appetite, tones and strengthens the stomach and imparts new life and increased vigor to all the organs of the body.

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A Handsome Complexion is one of the greatest charms a woman can possess. POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives it.

Sympathetic Husbands.

The sympathetic tenderness of a loving husband is everything to an expectant mother, especially during her first ordeal. George Layton, Esq., a prominent druggist of Dayton, O., gives the following case:

A customer of mine, whose wife has used four bottles of "Mother's Friend" before confinement, says after seeing the effects of the remedy, that if she had to go through the ordeal again, and there were but four bottles on the market, and the cost was $100 per bottle, she would have them.

"Mother's Friend" is a scientifically compounded liniment which affords certain relief in the various ailments preceding childbirth, and assures proper elasticity to the cords and muscles involved in the final ordeal.

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Valuable book "Before Baby is Born," mailed free on application.

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CIVIL COURT JURORS.

Drawn for the Trial of Short Causes Commencing Monday, Jan. 16, 1899.

The following jurors were drawn to attend a court of Common Pleas on Monday, Jan. 16, 1899:

Thomas Lee, hotel, Shenandoah.
Henry Keiser, laborer, Porter.
Edward Mates, miner, Mahanoy Twp.
Jas. O. Campbell, laborer, Shenandoah.
J. A. Brownmiller, painter, Mahanoy City.
Peter Koerpar, hotel, Tremont Borough.
John Rudman, laborer, Mahanoy City.
Harry Warfield, miner, Porter.
Henry Ent, tinsmith, Pottsville.
James Wainer, tailor, Pottsville.
Frank Farrigan, machinist, Norwegian.
Thomas Reed, farmer, Wayne.
B. H. Hass, farmer, Regina.
Jeremiah Sullivan, laborer, Mt. Carbon.
Grant Harbinger, farmer, West Penn.
James Grant, ironman, Shenandoah.
Geo. E. Kershner, clerk, Tamaqua.
Frank Moser, laborer, Pottsville.
Chas. Barnhart, clerk, Guardville.
Frank Shoemer, laborer, Sch. Twp.
Edmund Harris, grocer, Shenandoah.
Martin Fertig, hackman, Cressona.
John A. Hirst, teamster, Tamaqua.
Martin Otterbine, contractor, Yorkville.
Howard Dodson, cigar maker, Shenandoah.
Dennis Dunn, gentleman, Mah. City.
J. J. Roughey, blacksmith, Shenandoah.
Peter Bassler, merchant, Port Carbon.
Rufus Bohr, farmer, Pinegrove Twp.
Aaron Minnick, painter, Tremont Boro.
C. B. Gluntz, farmer, Norwegian Twp.
Daniel Shephens, laborer, Norwegian T.
Michael Fadden, laborer, Cass Twp.
James McBeaxty, agent, Ashland.
Thos. Ludwig, carpenter, Minersville.
Lewis Mengel, farmer, Ryan.
J. G. Mertz, jeweler, Mahanoy City.
Chas. A. Barner, clerk, Pottsville.
John Doran, miner, Reilly.
John Carrigan, machinist, Port Carbon.
David Ardman, merchant, Tremont Bor.
Herman Reese, blacksmith, Ashland.
David A. Jones, saloon, Gilberton.
Wm. Gilbert, dyer, Tamaqua.
W. R. Dunmoyer, laborer, Tremont Bor.
John Trainer, laborer, Port Carbon.
Isaac Jones, laborer, Pottsville.
Martin Purcell, merchant, Shenandoah.
Jacob Dary, carpenter, Palo Alto.
J. E. Keisler, farmer, Elired.
Thos. P. Trayer, clerk, Pottsville.
Frank Saltzer, farmer, Pinegrove Boro.
Samuel K. Epler, paperhanger, Pottsville.
Thos. Mengel, farmer, Pinegrove Twp.
Michael Sullivan, agent, St. Clair.
E. D. Beddall, laborer, Shenandoah.
Cal. B. Phillips, laborer, Frackville.
John W. Katz, merchant, Mahanoy City.
Peter Beck, grocer, Shenandoah.
Wm. Carlin, miner, Blythe.
Jos. T. Collins, clerk, Pottsville.
Cyrus Doud, bricklayer, Pottsville.
John Jones, watchman, Port Carbon.
Michael Connelly, miner, Middleport.
F. K. Ditchey, cigar maker, Middleport.
John Mitchell, laborer, St. Clair.
John Larkin, laborer, St. Clair.
Clay W. Evans, merchant, St. Clair.
Thos. J. Brennan, laborer, Pottsville.
Thos. Hawkins, miner, Blythe.
Gust M. Haas, laborer, Mahanoy City.
Thos. P. Maley, laborer, Foster.
Thos. McAndrew, laborer, New Castle.
Henry Zerbe, laborer, Reilly Twp.
Jacob Kull, laborer, Norwegian Twp.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. A. Wasley, C. H. Hagenbuch, Shenandoah Drug Store, and P. W. Bierstein & Co. 11-14-33t-dw

Belton Commissioners Can Gunners.

London, Dec. 17.—The Daily News, commenting this morning upon its Washington correspondent's report of the gun trial at Sandy Hook, says: "The Americans have only to give their minds to it to become the first artillerists in the world. In fact, an American artillerist on the warpath deserves the most serious notice of all whom it may concern."

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet. tf

HER LIFE FOR HER BABE.

Brave Mother Saved the Child and Then Jumped to Death.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—Mrs. Johanna Newell lost her life yesterday in saving that of her 2-year-old daughter. The Newell family lived at 183 Orleans street, above a livery stable, which was burned late in the afternoon. There was only one stairway leading to the street from the apartments in which the family lived. Mrs. Newell was near the head of this stairway when the alarm was given, and might easily have made her way to the street. But she ran into her rooms to save her little girl, and by the time she was able to return to the stairway it was in flames, and all escape was cut off.

The woman then ran to the second story window, opening upon an area in which some men were standing, and threw the girl out. One of the men caught it by the skirt and placed it on the ground unhurt. Mrs. Newell then jumped from the window. The men tried to catch her, but were unsuccessful, and she struck the concrete heavily, sustaining injuries from which she died within two hours.

Begin Right With Coughs and Colds.

Take the sure cure, Pan-Tina, 25c. At Gruhler Bros., drug store.

PITHY POINTS.

Speculators Throughout the Country Checkmated for Hoists Perusal.

James J. Corbett, the ex-champion, will hurry embark in the saloon business in Havana. He will be located in the most southern part of the city frequented by Americans.

A piece of a needle about half inch long was extracted from the foot of the three-year-old son of James Kinnage, of Mt. Carmel.

Charles Lasser and Miss Adelaide Miller, residents of Ashland, were joined in matrimony.

Workmen will on next Monday start to fill the P. & R. ice house recently erected near Mahanoy City colliery. The capacity of the house is twenty-five tons.

The Mahanoy City hotel men are complaining about dull business.

Gowen Post, G. A. R., of Pottsville will produce a drama for replenish its relief funds.

The P. & R. railroad employes will be paid on Wednesday at Mahanoy Plane and vicinity.

Rev. W. J. Mills, pastor of the M. E. church at Tamaqua, will leave that charge at the end of the conference year.

The mine employes received their pay today and it was a large one.

Next Sunday will be Christmas.

Michael Murphy, of Mahanoy Plane, bridge inspector for the P. & R. railroad, has started on his annual tour of inspection.

Buy your Christmas presents now, and before doing so consult our advertisers.

Six days this week at the collieries is not so bad.

John Toole, of Sunbury, will take charge of the Centralia House, at Centralia, on January 1st.

Supt. Mercur, of the Lehigh Coal Co., has moved his family to Centralia, from Wilkesbarre.

The Ashland teachers were paid $10 each for institute expenses.

Skating on the dams of the old water company is prohibited.

Nuremburg has a woman druggist.

Robbers are operating at Pinegrove.

Pocketbooks are growing consumptive.

This is the season when the curious woman looks the Christmas gift in the price-mark.

Many people are now suffering from grippe.

Secret Service Agent McManus, who recently broke up a counterfeiters' gang in Lebanon county, has found three well executed $1 dies of 1879 in a resort at Indiantown Gap.

For 39 years Emily Gerhart served as housekeeper for the late Gershon Hull, of Monroe county, receiving 25 cents a week, and now she puts in a claim for $700 from his large estate.

State Treasurer Beacom was yesterday directed by Governor Hastings to draw a warrant for $500 on the emergency fund of the State Board of Health for the suppression of smallpox at Bedford.

Falling coal killed John Wonseck in the Gimlet colliery Northumberland county.

Ella Kantner was yesterday appointed a fourth-class postmaster at Lofty, this county.

The clothing of 4 year-old John German catching fire at Mount Carmel, he was fatally burned.

While skating at Eckley, Luzerne county, Miss Katie Kietzberger fell on the ice and her skull was fractured.

From a Flobert rifle bullet wound, accidentally inflicted last May by a companion, young Calvin Pyatt died yesterday at Easton.

Governor Hastings will tender a farewell dinner to the members of his military staff at the Executive Mansion next Thursday evening.

The Swiss residents of Allegheny City yesterday held a patriotic celebration in commemoration of stirring events in their native Republic.

PARSNIP COMPLEXION.

It does not require an expert to detect the sufferer from kidney trouble. The hollow cheeks, the sunken eyes, the dark, puffy circles under the eyes, the sallow parsnip-colored complexion indicates it.

A physician would ask if you had rheumatism, a dull pain or ache in the back or over the hips, stomach trouble, desire to urinate often, or a burning or scalding in passing it; if after passing there is an unsatisfied feeling as if it must be at once repeated, or if the urine has a brick dust deposit or strong odor.

When these symptoms are present, no time should be lost in removing the cause.

Delay may lead to gravel, catarrh of the bladder, inflammation, causing stoppage, and sometimes requiring the drawing of the urine with instruments, or may run into Bright's Disease, the most dangerous stage of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great discovery of the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, is a positive remedy for such diseases. Its reputation is world-wide and it is so easy to get at any drug store that no one need suffer any length of time for want of it.

However, if you prefer to first test its wonderful merits, mention EVENING HERALD and write to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle and book telling all about it, both sent absolutely free by mail.

General Merritt Home Again.

New York, Dec. 17.—Among the passengers who arrived last night at quarantine on the Cunard line steamer Lucania from Europe were General Wesley Merritt and Mrs. Merritt.

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The genuine Johann Hoff's Malt Extract makes Flesh and Blood. Store strength in one dozen bottles of Johann Hoff's Malt Extract than in a cask of Ale, Beer or Porter, without their intoxicating effects.

Sunday Specials.

Services in the Trinity Reformed church to-morrow at 10:00 a. m., and 6:30 p. m. Sunday school at 1:30 p. m. Rev. Robert O'Boyle pastor.

Regular services will be held in the United Evangelical church, North Jardin street, to-morrow at 10 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. Sunday school at 1:30 p. m. Rev. I. J. Reitz, pastor. K. L. C. E. on Monday evening. Prayer, praise and testimony meetings every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. Jr. K. L. C. E. every Saturday evening at 7 o'clock.

Primitive Methodist church, James Moore, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Class meeting on Wednesday evening. General prayer meeting on Thursday evening. Everybody welcome.

Services in All Saints' Protestant Episcopal church on West Oak street to-morrow. Holy Eucharist at 8 a. m. Morning prayer at 10:30. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Evening prayer at 7 p. m. The rector will officiate.

First Baptist church, corner of West and Oak streets, Rev. D. I. Evans pastor. Services at 10 a. m. and 6 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Prayer meeting Monday evenings. Young People's meeting Wednesday evenings. Class meeting Thursday evenings.

Methodist Episcopal church, corner Oak and White streets, Rev. J. T. Swindells pastor. General class meeting at 9:30 a. m., led by the pastor. Sermon at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m., Dr. J. S. Calleo, Superintendent. Sermon at 6:30 p. m. Seats free. Everybody welcome.

Calvary Baptist church, South Jardin street. Preaching to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Rev. R. R. Albins, pastor. Sabbath school at 2 p. m., Deacon John Bunn, Superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Tuesday evening, at 7:30. Wednesday evening, general prayer meeting at 7:30. Everybody welcome.

Services in the Presbyterian church to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 2 p. m. Jr. C. E. and Sr. C. E. Tuesday evening at 6:30 and 7:30 o'clock. Prayer and song service on Thursday evening at 7:30. Strangers always welcome. H. W. Koehler, pastor.

St. John's Lutheran church, West Cherry street. Rev. John Grahler, pastor. Preaching, 10 a. m.; Sunday school, 1:30 p. m.; preaching 6:30 p. m.

St Michael's Greek Catholic church, West Centre street. Rev. Cornelius Laurisin, pastor. Matatinum service 9 a. m. High mass 10 a. m.

Church of the Holy Family, (German R. C.) North Chestnut street. Rev. A. T. Schuttlehofer, pastor. First mass 8 a. m., second mass 10 a. m.

St. Casimir's Polish R. C. church, North Jardin street. Rev. J. A. Lenarkiewicz, pastor. First mass 8 a. m., high mass 10 a. m., vespers and benediction 4 p. m.

Church of the Annunciation, 218 West Cherry street. Rev. H. F. O'Reilly, pastor; Rev James Kane, assistant pastor. First mass, 7 a. m., second mass, 8 a. m., high mass, 10 a. m, benediction, 7 p. m.

Keheleth Israel Congregation, corner of Oak and West streets, Rev. Henry Mitnik, pastor. Saturday services, 8 to 10 a. m., and 3 to 5 p. m. Sunday services 8 to 10 a. m. and every week day morning from 7 to 8 a. m.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup cures measle and whooping-cough. This wonderful remedy will save the children from many a distressing coughing spell and soon effect a cure.

Virginia Soldiers Off for Cuba.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 17.—The transport Chester sailed yesterday for Marianao, Cuba, carrying Brigadier General Hasbrouck and the headquarters staff of the Second division of the Seventh army corps and the Fourth Virginia regiment. The transports Minnewaska and Roumanian arrived from Havana yesterday. They will take aboard the Forty-ninth Iowa and the Sixth Missouri regiments today, and will probably sail tomorrow.

Burdock Blood Bitters gives a man a clear head, an active brain, a strong, vigorous body—makes him fit for the battle of life.

Deadly Duel in Georgia.

Hawkinsville, Ga., Dec. 17.—A shooting affray occurred south of this place Thursday night in which John James was killed and Base Turner fatally wounded. The young men were first cousins, and had been great friends from their childhood. At a country party these young farmers had a dispute and were about to resort to blows, when their friends interfered and thought everything was settled and friendly feeling restored, but on leaving the party the disturbance was renewed, in which James was killed. Turner is said to be dying.

Never Fails for Coughs and Colds.

That's what Pan-Tina is, 25c. At Gruhler Bros., drug store.

Dead of a Princeton Professor.

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 17.—Professor John Stillwell Schanck (emeritus) died yesterday. He was in his 82d year, and death came from old age. He spent his early years as a farmer boy in Monmouth county, N. J. In 1838 he entered the junior class at Princeton, graduating in 1840. In 1856 he was appointed professor of chemistry in the chair of the late Dr. Terry. He was chosen a member of the American Society for the Advancement of Science in 1856. Lafayette college conferred upon him the degree of LL.D. in the year 1856. His chair is now occupied by Professor Cornwall.

Who Said They Have a Cough?

Advice—Take Pan-Tina, 25c. At Gruhler Bros., drug store.

Dewey Talks to the World.

Manila, Dec. 17.—Rear Admiral Dewey, when a correspondent called upon him, courteously, pleasantly, but absolutely declined to discuss the political situation in the Philippine Islands, on the ground that his sphere was purely naval. Regarding international complications Admiral Dewey said: "Prior to the arrival of the monitors I felt uneasy, but now I am ready to hold this position against all comers."

Croup instantly relieved. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Perfectly safe. Never fails. At any drug store.

TRAGEDY AT A CROSSING.

Four Killed and Two Fatally Injured by a Pennsylvania Train.

Manasquan, N. J., Dec. 17.—A wagon containing eight persons was struck by a train on the Pennsylvania railroad last night at the Allenwood crossing, a few miles from Manasquan, and four were killed, two fatally injured and two others seriously injured. The dead are Mrs. Ellen Allen, Bessie Allen, her daughter, Mrs. Allie Alger and Jennie Crammer. The fatally injured are Davis S. Allen, husband of Mrs. Allen, who was killed, and Katie Allen, their daughter. The infant child of Mrs. Alger and Willie Allen, son of Davis S. Allen, will recover.

Mr. Allen was of the family from which Allenwood takes its name. He and his family had been to Asbury Park in the afternoon visiting a relative, Mrs. Alger. They were driving home, and had reached the crossing, which is within a few hundred yards of the entrance to Mr. Allen's place, when the wagon was struck by the train. The eight occupants were thrown in every direction. The train was stopped immediately after the accident and the train hands and passengers went back to the scene of the accident.

The victims were found lying about, and were carried into Mr. Allen's house. Mrs. Allen was almost cut to pieces. Her daughter, Bessie, was also badly mangled. Mr. Allen's skull is believed to be fractured, and his spine is injured. Katie Allen had her skull fractured and a number of ribs broken. Mrs. Alger and Miss Crammer, who had been induced to return to the Allen household by Mr. Allen, were killed instantly. Mrs. Alger's infant child appears to be but slightly hurt. Willie Allen has two ribs broken.

Davis S. Allen is one of the most prominent men in this part of New Jersey.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by A. Wasley.

Stormy Debate in French Chamber.

Paris, Dec. 17.—A stormy debate took place in the chamber of deputies yesterday on the corruption that characterized the election at Barbonne, said to have been practiced by a candidate who was a protege of the Meline cabinet. The discussion led to a ministerial crisis, M. Guillain, minister for the colonies, and M. Deloncle, minister for commerce, both of whom were identified with the Meline cabinet, threatening to resign. M. Depuy, the premier, after an interview with the incensed ministers, succeeded in mollifying them, and the chamber dropped the matter, but the discussion has revealed friction that is likely to crop up on a future occasion.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup cures sore throat. Don't delay when you are bothered with a sore throat. It may lead to bronchitis. This remedy is a sure cure. Price only 25c.

A Lawless Indian Killed.

Malone, N. Y., Dec. 17.—John Ransom, a St. Regis Indian, was shot and killed on the reservation at Hogansburg while resisting arrest. A month ago Ransom and his squaw attacked an official who attempted to seize some of the Indian's goods under an execution. The same officer, provided with a warrant charging Ransom with resisting, went to his home on Thursday, but was met by Ransom and his family, brandishing clubs and knives. The officer drew his revolver, and the Indian struck it with his club. The charge entered Ransom's body, and he died soon afterward.

Ask your grocer for the new Mocha and Java coffee, the celebrated Red Ribbon brand in one pound packs. 12-12-6t

Did He Want Sagasta's Life?

Madrid, Dec. 17.—A sensation was caused here late yesterday afternoon by the discovery, in the ante-room of Senor Sagasta's official residence, of an intoxicated soldier repatriated from Cuba, armed with a knife. The man was asleep.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will rid you of a cold more quickly than any other known remedy. Don't let a cold go as it comes for you may endanger your life. Price 25 cts.

Princess Gifts to a College.

Montreal, Dec. 17.—Lady Strathcona and her daughter, Hon. Mrs. Howard, have each donated to McGill college $50,000. Lord Strathcona himself has donated in all up to this time $1,485,712.

How was your coffee for breakfast this morning? Was it good? If not, why not buy the celebrated Red Ribbon brand and take no chances. 12-12-6t

Locomotive Strikes a Sleighing Party

Imlay City, Mich., Dec. 17.—A southbound engine, light, on the Pontiac, Oxford and Northern railroad struck a sleigh containing five people, throwing them out, seriously injuring two and killing three outright. The dead are: Mrs. Thomas Robb, of Lum; Walter Robb, her son, aged 4; Mrs. John Yerkes' son, aged 12 months. The accident occurred four miles north of here, just at dusk. A light engine running backwards struck the rear end of the sleigh and the occupants were thrown high into the air.

If you use Red Ribbon Mocha and Java coffee your health will be much better than when you use trashy coffee. 12-6-6t

Drank Bay Rum and Jamaica Ginger.

Camden, Ark., Dec. 17.—George Morgan and Charles Johnson are dead at Ogemaw as a result of drinking bay rum and Jamaica ginger. Mike O'Connell is expected to die at any time from the same cause. The men have been on a spree, and were drinking anything they could get.

A cup of Red Ribbon coffee for breakfast invigorates both body and mind. 12-12-6t

Fire! Fire! Fire!

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Dr. Jackson points to the startling fact that there are now 20 million Catarrh victims in this country and the number rapidly increasing. It has already become the National Disease. Are we to become a nation of Catarrhites? It looks like it.

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The Philadelphia and Reading Route, noted for its splendid two-hour trains to New York, has, to accommodate numbers of its patrons, made several changes in its schedule.

The most important is the addition of the "Royal Limited," composed exclusively of Pullman cars leaving 24th and Chestnut streets only at 5:50 p. m. daily, running through without stop to Jersey City, and landing its passengers at Liberty street ferry, New York, at 8 p. m. On its westward trip the train leaves New York at 3 p. m., arriving at 24th and Chestnut streets 5:03 p. m. The train is composed of observation, parlor, cafe, smoking and dining cars; (the entire equipment being especially made for this service by the Pullman Company) and while giving passengers all the accommodations of an extra-priced limited train, there is no additional fare except the regular Pullman charge.

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