# **Poisoned Blood**

These come from pol-sonous minsme arising Malaria from low marshy land and from decaying vegetable matter, which, breathed into the lungs, enter and poison the blood. Keep the blood pure by taking Hood's Sarsar arilla and there will be little danger from malaria. The millions take



The Old Brute "I just hate that old Mr. Browne," said the Newest Girl.

"Really ?" "Really. We girls are going in fot hunting, you know, and when I told him how I had killed a dozen birds he only said, 'Oh, that wasn't so had, but I've got a dog that killed thirty rats in thirty minutes." Hateful old fogy !"-Cincinnati Enquirer.

#### At the Zoo.

Little Elsie (looking at the giraffe at the Zoo)-Oh, mamma! They have made that poor thing stand in the sun, haven't they? Mamma-Why do you say that, my

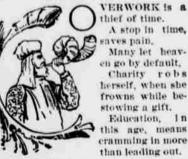
dear? Little Elsie-Look at all his freckles

-Philadelphia Times

The Way to Do It. "What I want is to achieve fame at a single bound." "Then go to Cuba and lose yourself."

-Cleveland Plain Dealer. TRUMPET CALLS.

Ram's Horn Sounds a Warning Note to the Unredeemed.



Many let heaven go by default. Charity robs herself, when she frowns while bestowing a gift. Education, 1n this age, means cramming in more than leading out.

Thought without purpose is like seed spilled upon the ground. The hand that holds the rod should

always be controlled by love.

Every great gift has a germ of responsibility hidden within itself.

If you would have your Bible flame with light, open it to look for Christ. Blessed is the man who knows how

little he knows of other people's busi-It is doing that which costs some-

thing that strengthens the moral backbone.

We don't care so much how far a man is from the cradle, as how far he is from the crown.

The prayer that opens a window in heaven must rise out of a heart that is right with God.

There is no admission into the straight gate, for those who are not willing to give up all that is crooked.

The world is indifferent to religion, because most professed Christians are doing so little to show what it really

One small whisky glass, roughly carved on a small headstone, would often tell more truth that three volumes of biography.

Probably the first thing a bride finds fault with after her marriage, is the newspaper account of her wedding.

## KEYSTONE STATE NEWS GONDENSED.

Among the first "Instruments" to be used toward the education of the little son of the Duke and Duchess of York is a crawling-rug, designed by Miss Emma Windsor, who is famous for her intelligent interpretation of the Frocbel idea of education.

Froebel, she says, constantly urged upon mothers the necessity of the in-fants' education beginning at their mothers' knee, and thinking of this has led me to the invention of the babies' crawling rug. It is a large floorpicture of animals, hirds and domestic figures, made of real skin, swansdown, and other materials sewn on to flannel, and is quite in harmony with Freebel's Idea.

A Crawling Rug.

For as soon as baby is put on the rug the first thing that the mite does is to begin to kick and stretch out its limbs then it begins to roll over and look about, and tries to clutch at the pretty animals on the rug. Then baby finds it beyond its reach, and the first attempt to crawl is after puss, or some other equally familiar form which it sees on the rug.

The kicking, the stretching out the hand, the observation, the crawling, and so on, are all what Froebel calls education.

As baby grows older it learns, with the help of mother and nurse, to imitate the different sounds which the ani mals make, to pick out one from the other, and to learn their names.

Then baby should be taught to stroke each animal gently, and to speak its name in tender tones. Then the infant will early learn that love of animals calls forth the love of mankind.

It is a good plan to teach the baby to notice pictures of animals in children's books, and to call its attention to living animals and their actions. As the child grows older its delight in its zoological carpet increases; and children of seven years of age are known to greatly appreciate them. The place for the rug is the nursery,

the drawing-room, the bath-room, the seaside, and on shipboard.

#### A BOY'S OWN RAILROAD.

#### Built the Locomotive, Laid the Track. and Operates It Himself.

Robert M. Tyler, the son of William M. Tyler, has built a perfectly equipped railroad, with rolling stock and locomotive, on the farm of his father at Buck's Hill, a suburb of Waterbury, Conn.

He built the locomotive himself. He surveyed the line, decided upon the grades and curves, and, aided by ordinary labor, made the roadbed, laid the rails, and now runs the engine. It is a real railroad and not a toy-a railroad over which the engine, built by the boy, runs daily, hauls stones, lumber and other materials and farm products, and has an existence with a definite and profitable purpose. Hunters found afield with their dogs take Tyler's road to get a lift toward the hunting grounds and lots of people have been delighted with an excursion trip over the line.

It was manifest that profit as well as fun awaited the success of a miniature railroad running over Buck's Hill, Tyler, who went to work at it in a very crude, small-boyish way at first, soot compelled his elders to have faith in him as a civil and mechanical engineer and road constructor. Then the necessary cash capital was forthcoming as fast as it became necessary for Tyler to invest in material.

The boy engine-builder very sensibly refrained from attempting to follow the lines of drive-wheel locomotive. Tyler was indifferent to appearances, but bent on practical results. The boy's sensible aim was to save and make money, and not to expend it extravagantly. The engine and boiler and the

In running the line the boy surveyor

humored the topography of the region

with which he had to deal, and did not contract for any steep cuts or for any

rock work. The stony, gravelly sur-

face was easily converted into a solid

bed. The rails used were of steel, and

the cross ties were of chestnut. The

gauge is twenty-six inches. The grade

in its steepest part is 370 feet to the

mile. The whole cost of constructing

the railway was at the rate of \$600 per

More suicides occur in June than in any other month, and fewer in December.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, softens the gums, reducing inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c.a bottle.

ing a capacity of 1,500 pounds.

STUDENTS EARN DISTINCTION. Honors For the Graduating Class of

Washington and Jefferson.

President Moffatt announced the honor or the graduating class of Washington and Jefferson college as follows: Magna cum au de, John S. Holliday and Dunlap J. Me Adam; Cum laude, George Carmichael; hon Ad am; Cum laude, George Carmichael; hon-orary orations, Herbert S. Gans, John H. Jackson, John E. McCurdy, Fraaklin C. Mc-Gill, James McC. Miller, George T. Traut-man, Maynard R. Alleyn, Allexander C. Boeson, James A. Andrews, Alexander C. Boeson, James A. Dougan, Charles L. Harshn, Wm. D. Inglis, Louis H. Jacob, John J. Kerr, Hugh Leith, James McGiffin, A. A. Me-Lachin, F. F. McVay, James W. Martin, Wm. A. Breed, Robert Simple, Wm. Sampson, Thomas R. Stevenson, William Wherry and Francis Woods.

The postoffice at West Hickory, Crawford The postoffice at West Hickory, Crawford county, was entered by robbers, the safe blown open and its contents carried of Among the valuables taken were \$150 worth of postage stamps, \$20 in currency and a lot of jeweiry. The outer shell of the door was blown off by a charge of powder being placed in the space left by the mixed combi-nation. The inner portion of the door was then forced open with pickaxes and other railroad tools. No clew has been found of the robbers.

the robbers. A peculiar wreck occurred at Vandergrift. As a heavy freight train was passing along the old West Pennsylvania main track a large refrigurator car was derailed and dragged for some distance ouer the ties. The train at tast parted and the heavy car was tossed aside like a feather. No explanation can be given as to the cause of the accident, for, although the track was badly torn np, the rails are not spread. The Marcer county branch of the Nationa

the rails are not spread. The Mercer county branch of the Nationa Reform party held a convention in Green ville. The address of welcome was deliver ed by Hev. A. M. Keifer, of the Reformed church. The local officers are: Chairman, J. L. Riley, vice chairman, Julia Buck and E. W. Hodge: secretary, D. E. McClemans. A mass meeting was held. Rev. Dr. Ketter, of Grove City College, was the principal speaker. speaker.

speaker. John Palmer, a producer, committed sui-cide on his case at Tidiout. On leaving the house he told his wife to have his son follow him to the wells, and on reaching a large tank the boy found his father's hat on the top of it, which led to the subsequent dis-covery of the man's body inside. Temporary instants is supervised to have been the cause insunity is supposed to have been the caus of the act

The farmers' picnic to have been the cause of the act. The farmers' picnic to be given under the anaptees of the Westmoreland county Agri-cultural Society, will be held in Youngwood, June 10. It will be a representative gather-ing of farmers of the county. The manage-ment have secured Hon. John F. Elkins, Deputy Attorney General, and James G. Me Sparren, of Lancaster, as the orators of the day. The suit of the Farmers' Oll company agains ex-Congressman Thomas W. Phillips to recover \$20,000 alleged to be due the plaintiffs for oil produced from a lease in Fenn township, Builer county, while the title was in dispute, was settled by Mr. Phil-lips paying \$2,000 and the Farmers' com-pany paying the costs.

pany paying the costs.

The annual convention of the Lawrence county Sabbath-school association was held at Hermon church, in Slippery Rock town-ship. Rev. R. F. Randolph made an ad-dress, and in the afternoon addresses dress, and in the afternoon addresses were made by Rev. I. H. Durfee, Rev. J. S. Martin, Mrs. J. W. Barnes, George Clutton and Rev. H. S. Jordan.

and liev, H. S. Jordan. John Trinowski, who was convicted of murder in the second degree, and of highway robbery at this term of court, was sentenced to 22 years in the Western penitentiary by Judge Walling, at Eric. Trinowski and his partner, who is a fugitive, held up and rob-bed and then shot to death Lee Montgemery.

Daniel Wilder was arrested in Bradford on a charge of counterfeiting, and Deputy Mar-shall Thompson took him to Warren for a hearing. Fora Kissel, a woman who lived with Wilder, swears she saw him making nickels, dimes, quarters and dollars. Two bogus nickels were found on Wilder.

James Orril, superintendent of the Phillip gas line at Freeport, was found dead in the cut at Great Beit, on the Butier branch rail-road. The supposition is that he was wayroad. The supposition is that he was way-laid, murdered and robbed and placed on the track to cover up the crime. Mr. Orril was 33 years old.

Venango county Prohibitionists, in con-vention at Franklin, nominated the follow-ing ticket: Jury commissioner, William L. Andre, Sugar Creek; district attorney, E. A. n, Emlen John E. Gill elected chairman of the county committee. car on which these are mounted cost Charles Brackney, of Butler, was trying to stop a leak in a gas well in Buffalo townnot less than \$500. The further equipment of Buck's Hill line consists of two ship, when the enormous pressure of gas blew off the casing head, crushing his breast and probably fracturing his skull. It is thought he is fatally injured. cars, each four-wheeled and each hav-

### PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE.

May 24 — In the House to-night the bill to prevent the playing of football and baseball on Sunday was reported favorably from com-mittee.

on Sunday was reported favorably from com-mittee. The House took up bills on second read-ing, the first passed being one to make it compulsory on the mayor of Philadelphia to issue licenees for public lodging houses. The bill requiring the state treasurer to pay to the chairmen of legislative investigating committees the expenses of such commit-tees was killed. May 25 - The house started in to-day to hold three aessions, with bills on third read-ing as the order of business. Speaker Boyer is detained at his home by illness, and Mr. Bolles, of Philadelphia, presided. During the moring session 11 bills were considered on second reading on special orders. Those of the most general interest are the reform bills indersed by the state Republican con-vention. They are the non-political inter-ference, non-assessment and poli tax bills, and were taken up in order named. May 26-The senate killed the criminal li-bel bill bing moring the time taken up in order named.

and were taken up in order named. May 26—The senate killed the criminal li-bel bill this morning, but it was reconsider-ed and given another chance. It knocked out the Campbell bill taxing employers of unnaturalized allens and regulating the em-ployment of such, also the Keater bill, regulating the division of cities into wards. Gov. Hastings signed the Greater Fitts-burg repealers last evening. The three re-form bills passed the house on second read-ing. They will pass finally to-day. The resolution for the appointment of an Insur-ance commission was killed in the house. The Farr eight hour day law failed in the house.

May 27 .- Only the house was in session to-

May 22.—Only the host was revenue bills on third reading, and local and special bills on second reading. The local and special bills were quickly disposed of, and then the reve-nue bills were taken up. The first revenue bill to pass levies a four-mill tax on the bonds of corporations. Mr. Boiles estimates this measure will produce a very.

Boiles estimates this measure will produce \$250,000 a year. The bill levying a four-mill tax on the ma-tured and paid-up stocks of building and loan associations also passed finally. This bill will produce about \$150,000 revenue annunlly,

numlly. Two other revenue bills simo passed final-ity. One taxes orders, checks, dividers, com-pons, passbooks or other paper given for wages for labor in lieu of cash. The other authorizes the state trensurer to fasue a li-ernse to between on payment of an annual fee of \$1,000.

#### CONGRESSIONAL.

Abstract of the Important Measures in Both Houses. Ecth Houses. May 24.—The house galleries were well filled at the hour of meeting to-day in ex-pectation that the senate Cuban resolution would be reported and might lead to some exciting scenes. The attendance was quite large

As soon as the journal was read a motion As soon as the journal was read a motion to correct it was made by Mr. Simpson. He showed that a senate pension bill had been referred to the committee on invalid pen-sions, and as there was no such committee he moved to strike out that statement. "Strike it out of what 7" the speaker ask-ed, "out of the record or out of the journ-at?"

'Out of the journal'' Mr. Simpson replied.

"Out of the journal Mr. Simpson replied. "I suppose it is the same in the record." The speaker put the question on the motion to strike out and it was declared lost. The ournal was then approved. The death of Senator Earle, of South Carolina, was an-nounced by Mr. Johnson, and the house ad-ourned till Thursday.

Journed Ull Thursday. May 25.—The tariff debate of 1897 began in the United States senate this morning Soon after the senate met this morning Sen-ator Aldrich, in behalf of the Republican members of the senate finance committee, and in accordance with a previous an-nouncement, called up for consideration the Dingley tariff bill, as revised by the senate finance committee. ance committee.

May 26, When the Senate was called to order this morning Chapiain Milburn prayed for the welfare of Queen Victoria and Great Britain. A joint resolution was passed ap-propriating \$225,000 for deficiencies at the

overnment printing office. government printing office. The final conference report on the Indian appropriation bill, providing for opening to settlement the Uncompanyer reservation in Utah, but reserving to the government the gilsonite lands, was agreed to. The resolu-tion authorizing the government to send supplies to the sufferers in India by any ship was passed.

The tariff bill was then taken up.

May 27.—There was an attempt to bring forward the Cuban question in the House to-day as soon as the journal had been read. Mr. Lewis (Dem., Wash.) should, "A ques-tion of privilege," and sent to the clerk's desk a resolution far the recognition of the beligerency of the Cubans.

### PHYSICIANS BAFFLED.

Prof. R. S. Bowman, Instructor of Natural e in Hartsville College, Cured of a Severe Illness by Dr. Will-lams' Pink Fills for Pale People After Physi-

clans Failed. From the Republican, Columbus. Ind. Prof. B. S. Bowman, the able instructor of natural science in the famous Hartsville Ind.) College, is well and favorably known not only as an educator, but also as a min-

ister of the gospel, as for a number of years he was pastor of the United Brethren church at Charlotte, Mich., before coming to Hartsville.

#### PROF. R. S. BOWMAN.

Some time ago be had a severe illness which was cured almost miraculously. A reporter hearing of this, interviewed him regarding his experience. Prof. Bowman was in the midst of his work when the reporter called, but he cheerfully gave him a hearing.

"A year ago last fall," said the professor I broke down with nervous exhaustion, and was unable to properly attend to my duties. I tried different physicians but with no relief, and also used many different proprietary medicines, spending almost fifty dollars for these medicines alone. I then succumbed to a seige of the grip in the middle of winter, and was left in a much worse condition. My kidneys were fearfully disordered, and my digestion became very poor. I was indeed in a bad condition.

"A minister in conference learning of my condition advised me to tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Fale People. I had heard much about the wonderful curative powers of this medicine, but it was with reluctance that I was finally persuaded to try it, as i seemed that nothing could do me any good. However, I procured three boxes of pilland took them strictly according to directions. By the time the last dose was taken was almost cured, and in better health than I had been for years. I continued using the pills awhile longer and was entirely cured. I can cheerfully recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

Such was Professor Bowman's wondering tory, which was fully endorsed by the fol lowing affldavit:

HARTSVILLE, Ind., March 16, 1897. I affirm that the above accords with the facts in my case.

R. W. BOWMAN. Subscribed and sworn to before me this

16th day of March, 1897. LYMAN J. SCUDDER, Notary Public.

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### Let the Little Ones Sleep.

"God giveth His beloved sleep," and little children should have plenty of it, It is the tendency of the times to dis regard this necessity; hence the increase of nervous diseases among our young men and women. Sleep means growth with young people, and unless there is much sleep there will be no healthy growth.

Nature teaches a little child to lie down and sleep whenever it is weary, and after a bath or after its mid-day meal, and it is only through artificial influences that a little child leaves off the habit of taking a daily nap, and it is generally due to the mother's neglect that it is finally dispensed with. Yet the world often sympathizes with the mother rather than the child when toward night baby grows cross and fret-ful, while the mother often grows impatient, forgetting the long, tiresome day which the little one has endured. What wonder that these little ones grow up into nervous young men and women, with no constitutions to speak of!

Many grown people are pressed for time to accomplish all that they desire, and in their march for gold or daily bread, find little time to rest, yet there is no reason why they should begrudge their children an extra hour's sleep in the morning because they have an inberited idea that it is more healthful for them to rise early, and they fear that if they are allowed to sleep until they naturally awaken, habits of lash ness will be formed which will man their after lives.

Cholly-I wonder if your father would fly into a passion if I were to

ask him for you? Adelaide-Not if you tell him first

that he looks twenty years younger since he shaved off his whiskers .-

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At Frederick, Md., on the B. & O., is a freight station that was built over sixty years ago. A tower on the top contains an old bell that was tolled in the days gone by when a rain was sighted. In those days horses were be motive power.

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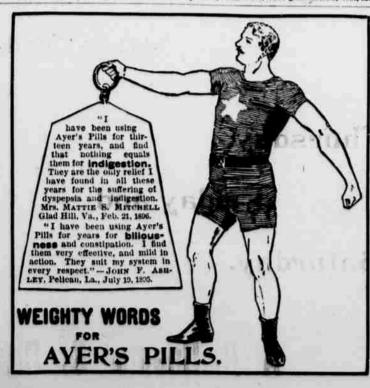
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At the Prohibition county convention in New Wilmington, R. W. McFate, of New Castle, was nominated for Sheriff, and J. S. Du Shane for district attorney. J. J. Ashen-hurst, of New Wilmington, was elected chair-man of the new county committee.

The large barn of Lyman Arner, nea Orangeville, was destroyed by fire with it contents and three valuable horses. Arne attempted to release the animals and sustain Arner ed burns which may result in his death. The loss will be about \$2,500.

Thieves blew open the safe of Postmaster William Siggins, at West Hickory, and stole stamps and money to the amount of \$200. Bars stolen from the tool house of the railroad company were used in prying open the inner doors of the safe.

The new Republican County committee of Indiana county organized by execting John 8. Fisher chairman. The resolutions indorsed the nomination of James 8. Beacom for State treasurer and the re-election of State Chair-man John P. Elkin.

Richard Burns, not 15 years old, has again been committed to prison by a Shenandoah Justice, charged with breaking into a col-liery carpenter shop and getting toois with which he entered and robbed a barber

with which he entered and to design and shop. Hev. Morton S. Hartzell, son of Missionary Bishop Hartzell, has been appointed pastor for the Beaver Methodist Episcopal church for the remainder of this conference year, and will enter upon his duties June 1.

Clarence Harsberger, aged 19 years, is in jail at Indiana, charged with attempting to assault a 12-year-old daughter of William Johnston. The girl's father beat Harsberger before taking him to jail.

Judges Molivaine and Taylor have ap-proved the recommendation of the Grand Jury of Washington county for a new court house, and directing the county commission-ers to secure plans.

Auditor-General Mylin has made an officording to his estimates there will be a de-fielt on November 30, 1897, of \$3,664,954 18.

Allegheny county Populists met and elect-ed delegates to the state convention at Al-toons, and declared themselves in favor of toons, and declared the Omaha platform.

Coaldirt has choked the channel of Blue Mountain dam, north of Hamburg, and boating on the Schuyikill canal is at a stand still.

While fixing a gun as a trap to kill game in the woods, George Herr was hmself killed by the gun at Trout Run, Lycoming

Bailimore has more churches, in propor-tion to population, than any city in the world, and, judging from the reports of new edifices, are intends to keep up has record at the head of the procession.

On a roli call the speaker announced "No quorum," and the house adjourned until Mouday.

THE LABOR WORLD.

Chicago has 1600 union plumbers. London has 60,000 costermongers. Paris has a school for cab drivers. Laborers in India get six cents a day. Londoners employ 15,000 cab drivers. Germany has 374 women blacksmiths, Missoula, Montana, has a labor temple. Fall River (Mass.) musicians have organ-

Portland, Oregon, has a Chinese labor union.

Cleveland (Ohio) women electrical work-

An eight-hour demonstration will be held at Duluth, Minn., on July 4.

San Francisco's Labor Council is opposed to the annexation of Hawaii.

New York cornice and skylight makers will demand \$3.50 for eight hours in Sep-

At Brooklyn 300 shoeworkers won a strike after being idle twelve weeks. Obnoxious boss was fired and wages increased.

There has not been a time in twenty years when so many waiters and bartenders in New York City have been out of work.

Last year 418 English trade unions spent \$1,500,000 in sick and disability benefits. Superannuated members received \$700,000. Bricklayers and Masons' International Union has 28,000 members in 325 locals, and nearly \$1,000,000 in the combined treasuries.

The members of the Architectural Work-ers' Progressive Union employed in a Brooklyn factory have gained a hine-hour day.

At Detroit, Mich., all operators on type-setting machines who hereafter work be-yond fifty hours in any one week will sur-reader their excess earnings to the treasury of the Typographical Union.

The International Union of Bicycle Workers will pay to American Federation of La-bor organizers the sum of \$5 for each local union of bievele workers organized in any city or town where no local union exists.

Electrical workers say that thousands of hands will be thrown out of work as a re-suit of the recent decision on the Berliner patent. The Detroit Telephone Company has already discharged 200 men engaged in constructing its lines.

The textile industry throughout South-ern and Central Lancashire, England, is fast recovering from the long period of de-pression which it has passed through with the result that there are close upon 50,000 operatives practically working full time.

In the German woolen yarn industry there are 1,300,000 spindles working on short time. This includes practically all the German mills, with the exception of some 300,000 spindles whose produce is woven into cloth by the spinners them-

