# The Whole Truth!

There's nothing so bad for a cough as coughing.

There's nothing so good for a cough as Ayer's WHEA Cherry Pectoral.

The 25 cent size is just right for an ordinary, everyday cold. The 50 cent size is better for the cough of bronchitis, croup, grip, and hoarseness. The dollar size is the best for chronic coughs, as in consumption, chronic bronchitis, asthma, etc.

SANDOW ON EXERCISE.

lays Dumbbell Practice, if Not Overdone Is the Proper Thing.

"Dumbbell practice gives strength to every sinew, from the finger tips to the elbow, from the top of the head to the sole of the foot," Sandow, the strong man, said in a recent interview. "The young can be kept in perfect health, and older people are helped and improved even when suffering any allment which appears to them to be quite hopeless, but, of course, grent care must be taken not to overdo the practising, and it is wiser to increase the number of movements very gradually and not on any account to get overtired at first," he advised. But he state most emphatically that dumbbell exercises, taken in moderation, give grace and suppleness to the figure and that perfect eace to the carriage that comes from having the muscles under control. He makes a strong point of an easy beginning, which does not expect too much at first, but gains strength by degrees. Such exercise sends the blood through the veing with new life, which gives pleasure and joy to every individual;

## Like Finding Money.

like finding money. Why, for only 5e you are enabled to get one large 10c package of "Red Cross" starch, one large 10c pack. age of "Hubinger's Best" starch, with the emiums, two Shakespeare panels, printed in twelve beautiful colors, or one Twentieth Century Girl Calendar, embossed in gold. Ask your grocer for this starch and obtain the beautiful Christmas presents free

Soldier and Courtier.

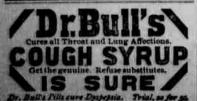
Lord Kitchener of Khartum is a straightforward soldier, but he does not scorn the arr of turning a compliment gracefully. It has long been said of him that he is proof against all feminine charms, and when he waited upon her majesty at Windsor, the queen was curious enough to put a pointed question. "Is it true, my lord," she asked, "that you have never "Yes, your yet cared for woman?" replied the girdar, true-with one exception." "Ah!" said the queen, "and who is she?" Tho sirdar bowed, "Your majesty," said

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, be mag setic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-fac, the wonder worker, that makes weak men trong. All druggists, 600 or \$1. Cure guaran-end. Booklet and sample free. Address terling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

thousands of water snakes were found on the beach in one place, while in an-other the beach was entirely washed away, leaving nothing but bare rocks.

Australia's gold production in the last half century has amounted to consider-ably more than £400,000,000.

England's Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children examined 28,000 cases last year.



#### THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURG. 

CHEESE—Ohio, new	13 13	11
HENS—per pair	10 10 12 20	11 21
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ER-Ohio creamery	27	28
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-No. 2 mixed	37	38
ER-Creamery, extra		27
-Pennsylvania firsts		23

	BUTTER-Creamery, extra				Š
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LIVE STOCK,				
Central Stock Yards, East Lib	nt	ty, P		
Prime, 1300 to 1400 lbs	6	53 (iii)	5	70
Good, 1200 to 1300 lbs		15	5	40

Fair light steers, 900 to 1000 the	3 75	4 45
Common, 700 to 900 hs	8 00	4 45 8 75
moos.		
Medium	3.95	4 00 3 95
Heavy	3 50	3 70
SHEER		
Prime, 95 to 105 ths Good, 85 to 90 lbs. Fair, 70 to 80 lbs.	4 10 3 75 3 03	4 20 4 00 3 57
Common. Vesi Calves.	1 03 5 00	7 25
TAMIS.		
Springer, extra	4 85	5 00 4 95
Common to fair		4 85 4 25 4 10
Good to choice yearlings	4 00	
Medium Common	3 85	4 00 3 65

### REVIEW OF TRADE.

Iron Manufacturers Catching Up With Orders-Decrease in Wheat Receipts.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" reports as follows for last

Business continues wonderfully large, prosperous and heafthy. As the detailed list of failures by branches of business cannot be made until next week, it seems well to say that in four weeks failures have been reported amounting to \$6,848,590, against \$8,110,475 in the same week of last year, \$11,610,195 in 1807 and over \$12,000,000 in 1806 and same week of last year, \$11,010,105 in 1807 and over \$12,000,000 in 1806 and also in 1805. Yet the volume of solvent trade represented by exchanges at the principal clearing houses has been for the month 22.5 per cent greater than last year and 46 per cent greater than in 1892. Thus the ratio of defaults to business payments was \$2.57 in \$1,000 for November, 1805, and \$2.75 for 1806, and \$2.15 for 1807, but \$1.25 for 1806. The use of the Endless Chain Starch Book in the purchase of "Red Cross" and \$2 15 for 1895, and \$2 15 for 1895. But \$1 25 for 1896 and \$2 15 for 1896 and \$2 15 for 1896 and \$2 15 for 1896. But \$1 25 for 1896 and \$2 15 for ing ever since the beginning of las

March.
Wheat remains weak, yielding one cent and a quarter, although Western receipts were barely half last year's for the week, and for four weeks only 21,-743,505 bushels, against 38,602,739 last Corn declined I cent with slight y smaller exports than last year for the

by smaller exports than last year for the week, but for four weeks 15,265,745 bushels, against 11,470,008 last year.

Cotton goods have remained strong, all coming forward not under contract being snapped up quickly, with contracts still unfilled running into next year. In woolens a strong demand continues for dress goods, and cotton warp and all-wool exhumers tend higher, but there wool cashmeres tend higher, but there is not much change in men's wear, nor such a rise as to justify the high prices paid for wool. Sales continue heavy, but largely speculative, and stimulated by the rise in London.

The iron manufacturer has to meet

a greatly increased cost of material next year. Prices for 1900 have been fixed at \$5 50 for bessemer ore at lower lake ports, against \$2 53 last year, and \$4 25 for non-bessemer, against \$2 last year, while coke at \$2.75 for furnace, with high rail rates in every direction, indicate that iron will not be made next year as cheaply as has been. Prices of pig still advance, according to the "IronAge." Bessemer to \$25 at Pitts "IronAge." Bessemer to \$25 at Pitts-burg, with very small transactions, and gray forge to \$21 25, quotations at other points being unchanged. Prices of some finished products are still yield-ing as works run out of orders and compete with each other for more busi-ness, and refined bar is \$2 per ton lower at Philadelphia, common \$2 per ton lower at Pittsburg, and plates \$3 lower at Philadelphia, with further conces-sions in sheets because many of the tin plate works are now closed. Some of the iron works about Pittsburg are runworks about Pittsburg are run

ning half time. The shipments of boots and shoes in four weeks have been 373,307 cases, 14 per cent larger than in 1804, exceeding those of other years even more. But new business, although considerable in quantity shows a marked decrease because of the prolonged rise in prices, even though that rise has been relatively less than the advance in leather which atill continues, or in hides, which has apparently been checked again.

Failures for the week have been 144 in the United States, against 381 last year and 21 in Canada. The shipments of boots and shoes in

UPSTARTS AND POST STAMPS Amusing Follies of One of the Nou veaux Riches.

They were telling snob stories, says the New York Commercial Advertiser, and the demure-looking woman said: The most amusing upstart I ever met had a horror of any one suspecting that she ever practiced economy. She was very fond of walking and loved to walk in the park, but she seldom permitted herself this pleasure, always going in her carriage—for fear some one she knew should meet her and imagine she did not have a carriage. household was conducted on the same principle. She knew few people whom she thought worth entertaining, so her dinner parties were small, but so anxitus was she to be thought rich and Rheral that she would have a butler and three or four assistants to wait upon half a dozen persons. course, they got in each other's way and often collisions and crashes occurred. Then she would sigh and say she didn't understand why she couldn't get good servants. She paid enough, goodness knows. Her follies were many and very funny before she finally entered the sacred portal and was giv en a throne of her own and a scepter to wield, but one of her pet extravagances was really quite original. It was in her early days, when money didn't seem to be able to buy every thing, after all. She gave a dinner to which she had reason to think several grandees would come. And when she cent out her invitations she put a five-cent stamp on each envelope!"

#### Save the Nickels.

From saving, comes having. Ask your grocer how you can save 15c by investing He can tell you just how you can get one large 10c package of "Red Cross" starch, one large 10c package of "Hubinger's Best" starch, with the premiums, two beautiful Shakespeare panels, printed in twelve beautiful colors, or one Twentieth Contury Girl Calendar, all for Sc. Ask your grocer for this starch and obtain these beautiful Christmas presents free.

Why He Was Not Beloved. A practical, matter-of-fact young woman was trying to describe a certain enpopular man that she knew. "He is the sort of person," she said, after careful thought, "who goes to Paris twice a year, but never asks you what size glove you wear."-New York Commercial Advertiser.

How Are Your Eldneys ? Dr. Hobba Sparagus Pilla cure all kidner illa. Sam-ple free. Add. Sterling Hemedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

Accounting for Her Exclamation.

Flusher-Did Miss Gaygirl make any remark when you handed her my bouquet? The Messenger-Yes; she said, "Oh, the dear, dear flowers!" Flusher -Humph! That florist must have sent the bill along with the bouquet .- Paris American Messenger.



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Cats Made Over.

'If you want a Persian cat bring me any common kitten you like, and within six months I will return it to you with a cont which would put to shame that of the shah's favorite pussy," said a cat fancier to the writer. "No torture or fake is employed. Some time ago it was brought to my notice that the cats living in refrigerating chambers got coats of enormous thickness, and also that they grew to nearly double the size of the ordinary pusey. The idea being given, the rest was easy. I had a small refrigerator fitted up in my premises, and made an experiment. It was so successful that I have since made a profit, by turning common pussies into genuine Persians, of \$2,500 a year, Again, I now have only one cure for cats, never mind what disease they are suffering from. I freeze them, and am by this remedy able to return them to their owners, within a week, perfectly happy and well. Again, for the last two years the majority of show cats have come to me in the early autumn to have their winter coats made by my method, so that they shall not catch a chill owing to any sudden change in the weather. A Notable Silver Anniversary.

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With the close of the present year Mr. David C. Cook, of Chicago, will celebrate his first quarter-centennial as editor and publisher of Sunday-school literature. Starting twenty-five years ago, without reputation or assurance of support, he has become one of the most widely and favorably known publishers in this line. Beginning in 1875 with two small publications, his periodicals have grown in number and favor until there are few schools in this country that do not find it to their interest to use some of his pure and helpful publications, while many in distant lands pay tribute to their merits. The past quarter of a century has winessed many changes among Sunday-school publishers, and much less time than this has sufficed for some to cutlive their usefulness. On the contrary, Mr. Cook is proparing to celebrate the beginning of another quarter-century with additional improvements and new publications. Among these may be mentioned The New Century Sunday-School Teacher's Mostraly, a large and thoroughly up-to-date magazine for superintendents and teachers, the first issue of which will appear in December. Among the most remarkable of his publications is the Young Proplet's Weekly, which has attained a circulation of nearly a quarter of a million, being a successful attempt to the Young Proper's Weerly, which has at-tained a circulation of nearly a quarter of a million, being a successful attempt to furnish a high grade of religious story reading for boys and girls. To avoid the "goody-goody" story of the Sunday-school, such as we remember in our child-hood days, and furnish something natural, interesting and ennobling, has been its aim, and we are not at all surprised at its appoplants.

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The restraining influence of the Christian home and the Sunday-school on our growing community of young people, some of us may not appreciate as we should—perhaps because these sometimes fail to restrain. This paper should be a most welcome accessory in this work, and one which all should appreciate. Boys and girls will read, and the story book and paper are their first choice. There seems a plentiful supply of religious papers for oider people, but this is the first successful attempt to furnish a non-sectarian religious story paper for young people.

The paper is profusely litustrated, beautifully printed, and contains as much or more reading matter than the most expensive of secular young people's story papers. The price, seventy-five cents per year, should bring it within the reach of every home. Mr. Cook is now making a special effort to give the paper a wider circulation, and all who send seventy-five cents for a year's subscription before Jan. Ist will receive a beautiful premium picture entitled "The Soul's Awakening." It is exactly the same size (18 by 18 inches) and style as those on sale at art stores for \$1. Orders should be inderessed to David C. Cook. Publishing Co., 36 Washington St., Chicago. Probably no man living has done so much to improve and cheapen Sunday-school literature as has Mr. David C. Cook. Through his ald thousands of schools have been encouraged, improved and made self-sustaining. Mr. Cook is yet a comparatively young man, and it does not appear at all improvable that his field of usefulness may extend over yet another quarter-century.

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Why Changes Are Needed.

Change of scene, change of occupaings and diet are all important at this season, and the time of rest may be secured from these changes even when an expensive outing, or the usual summer vacation, has not been afforded. No woman who has ever tried it can conceive of the rest and pleasure resulting from a change of some sort. Make such changes as are possible by rearranging rooms in the matter of furniture, pictures, ornaments, etc. Do something, anything, to rest the eye and brain from dead-level monotony. It is said that marked cases of insomnia have been cured by changing from one sleeping-room to another. The wise woman will also change her family dietary as completely as possible as the seasons change.-Pittsburg Disputch

Try Grain-0! Try Grain-0! Ask your grocer to-day to show you a package of Grain-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. Children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. Grain-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but is made from pure grains; the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. A the price of coffee. 15c. and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers.

A Treat.

A little girl who was being taken into the country for a day's outing by the Chicago vacation school committee was observed to be very sedate as she sat in the open street car, says the Youth's Companion, "Have you ever had a ride on the cars before?" teacher asked. "Yes, I've hitched, but I never sat up straight like this before," she answered.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10e or 25c.
If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

As dieting is considered one of the most efficient aids in modern medical practice, the University of Berlin has made arrangements with two schools where medical students can take les-sons in the culinary art.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constitution forever to, So. If C. C. C. fall, druggists refund money

Stockholm, Sweden, has probably the largest number of telephones for its population of any city in Europe. There are 25,000 telephones to less than 300,000 inhabitants.

ther physicians had given me up. I was red by Plac's Cure. Halles Ented, Wil-maport, Pa., Nov. E. 1861.



HOW STORIES GROW.

They say the lamb which Mary had, Whose fleece was white as snow, Was really just a clever "Ad." For Ivory Soap, you know.

IVORY SOAP IS 99 16 PER CENT. PURE.

The Czar has revoked the law which since 1865 has forbidden Poles to acquire real estate except by inheritance. They will still be restricted, however, both in Poland and Western Russia, to 65 hectares for one family.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, biotches, blackheads, and that sickly blilous complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Windmills, though only now becom-ing popular for pumping water, were known in Europe far back in 1105.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

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by local applications as they camputerach the
diseased portion of the ear. There is only one
way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Beafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous liming of the
Eastachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling saumd or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed
Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out, and this tube restared to its normal condition, hearing will be
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