

Rothschild's Auto Hothouse.
An automobile hothouse is one of the latest novelties in Paris. Baron Edmond de Rothschild has just had one constructed at a cost of 15,000 francs, for the purpose of carrying hothouse plants from his country estate to his home in Paris. The journey there and back used to take two days, and necessitated the lodging of three men overnight in Paris. It is now performed in the same day and will, doubtless, be a considerable economy.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF CLEVELAND, Lucas County.
FRANK J. CHESTNUT, make oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHESTNUT & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every copy of CARLINA that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

There is nothing so uncertain as a cure. Gardfield Tea, the herb medicine, cures constipation, sick headache and liver disorders. The only solution to the servant girl problem is not to have any.

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MISS BONNIE DELANO

A Chicago Society Lady, in a Letter to Mrs. Pinkham says:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Of all the grateful daughters to whom you have given health and life, none are more glad than I. My home and my life was happy



until illness came upon me three years ago. I first noticed it by being irregular and having very painful and scanty menstruation; gradually my general health failed; I could not enjoy my meals; I became languid and nervous, with gripping pains frequently in the groins. I advised with our family physician who prescribed without any improvement. One day he said, "Try Lydia Pinkham's Remedies." I did, thank God; the next month I was better, and it gradually built me up until in four months I was cured. This is nearly a year ago and I have not had a pain or ache since.—BONNIE DELANO, 3248 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.—80000 Perfect fit about testimonials is not genuine.

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A Substitute for and Superior to Menthol or any other plaster, and will not blister the most delicate skin. The pain relieving and curative qualities of this article is wonderful. It will stop the colic of infants, and relieve headache and neuralgia. We recommend it as the best and safest external counter-irritant known, also as an external remedy for pains in the chest and stomach and all rheumatic, muscular and gouty complaints. A trial will prove what we claim for it, and it will be found to be invaluable in the household. Many people say "It is the best of all your preparations." Price, 15 cents, at all druggists, or other dealers, or by sending this amount to us in postage stamps we will send you a tube by mail. No article should be bought by the public unless the name carries our label, as otherwise it is not genuine. CHEESEBROUGH MANUFACTURING CO., 17 State Street, New York City.

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In all 150 kinds positively furnishing thousands of satisfied customers. In all 150 kinds positively furnishing thousands of satisfied customers. In all 150 kinds positively furnishing thousands of satisfied customers. In all 150 kinds positively furnishing thousands of satisfied customers. JOHN A. SALZER SEED CO., La Crosse, Wis.

DROPSY NEW DISCOVERY. gives quick relief and cures worst cases. Price, Dr. R. S. BAKER'S BROS., Box 3, Atlanta, Ga.

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STRANGE PENSION CASE

HOW A SMALL SUM HAS GROWN INTO A FORTUNE.

On \$50 a Month the Estate of Henry Wensler, an Insane Union Soldier, Now Amounts to \$25,000.—Story of the Veteran and His Accumulated Wealth.
Starting \$11.37 in debt thirty years ago, and depending for a livelihood wholly on a pension of \$50 a month from the Government, the estate of Henry Wensler, of Spiker, Wabash County, Ind., now amounts to more than \$25,000, and is growing at a rapid rate. What is still more curious, the Government, having paid Wensler this pension for a generation, will, at his death, receive back the \$50 a month and \$9000 in addition. Such a state of affairs has never before come within the ken of the bureau officials, as reported by Special Agent Stephens. The story of Wensler and his accumulated wealth is an interesting one, and is thus related by the Wabash correspondent of the Indianapolis News:

"During the war he enlisted from Wabash County in the Eighty-ninth Indiana Infantry. While on the march in the South he suffered from prostration by the heat, which caused mental derangement, and though he has not at any time been violent, he has been, to an extent, incapable of managing his affairs. For twelve years after his affliction Wensler was confined in the hospital for the insane at Indianapolis, and was discharged as being harmless and requiring no attention. Application was made for a pension on account of his mental condition, and the case was pending some time. In 1867 his wife was divorced, and he was left comparatively friendless.

"At that time his condition was such that Jonathan Talmage, a local banker, was appointed guardian, and Mr. Talmage's report to the Circuit Court in September, 1870, showed that Wensler had overdrawn his account with his guardian \$11.37. In the next report Mr. Talmage showed that the pension of \$50 a month, with a considerable amount as arrears, had been paid, and as Wensler had been supported by the State while at the hospital, the arrears amounted to a tidy sum.

"In this way the foundation of the present fortune was laid. Four years ago Mr. Talmage died, and Thomas F. Payne, a wealthy land owner of Wabash, was appointed guardian. The Pension Bureau required, about that time, that all reports of guardians of wards receiving pensions should be made to Washington. In his report of May 1, 1900, Mr. Payne set forth that the amount of funds belonging to Wensler in his hands was \$23,430, and that the total cost of administering the guardianship was \$1214. With a few exceptions the funds were loaned on gilt-edged security, at ten per cent interest, and later at eight per cent. Some of the later loans have been made at six per cent. This interest was compounded, and the total mounted higher and higher. Wensler was active, and contributed to his own sustenance. For years he plied his vocation as a bookkeeper, and drove about the county with his little wagon, on which were printed in sprawling letters the words: 'H. Wensler, Hugger.'

"Recently he went into business in a small way at Spiker's Station, four miles from Wabash. He lives alone, and his expenses for food and clothing are almost nothing. His guardian pays \$350 a week for his food, and Wensler takes \$25 a month for other expenses. The rest of the \$50 pension, and the handsome increment from the \$25,000 at interest, is re-invested as it comes in.

"The reports of the guardian to the Pension Bureau, making this remarkable exhibit, induced Commissioner Evans to send Special Agent Stephens to Wabash to look into the case, and he uncovered the facts as stated. The fact that all reports of guardians of wards were printed in sprawling letters the words: 'H. Wensler, Hugger.'

"It is said of Wensler that a few years ago he was seized with a desire to manage his property, and went to the office of a well-known Wabash lawyer to state his case. 'See here, Mr. —,' said Wensler, 'I am not insane, and I want my funds turned over to me.' The lawyer gazed at him intently for a moment; and then replied: 'You're drawing a good pension, aren't you?' Wensler admitted he was. 'Well, then,' drawled the lawyer, 'if you are not insane your pension will stop, for that's why you are getting it.' Wensler looked wild, and shot out of the door. And after that he was content to waive all right to the management of his estate."

Feasting His Foot in It.
Many different persons find the beginning of a conversation awkward, especially on ceremonious occasions and with strangers. Sometimes, however, the beginning is not half so awkward as what comes afterward. A bashful young man on being introduced to a lady at a dinner party, said:

"I've got to take you in to dinner, Miss Travers, and I'm rather afraid of you, you know. Everyone tells me you're very clever."
The young lady was naturally amused by this display of simplicity. "How absurd!" she exclaimed. "I'm not a bit clever."
The young man heaved a sigh of relief and answered:
"Well, do you know, I thought you weren't."—Tit-Bits.

THE BIG FACE IN THE ICE.

Gigantic Venge That Starred a Sailor on a Norwegian Steamer.

A real but gigantic Santa Claus is coming down from the frozen North, according to reports brought in by the Norwegian steamer Drottling Sophia. On the blotter at the Maritime Exchange the vessel's report—"Four icebergs passed six miles north-northeast from Cape St. Francis"—seemed but little out of the ordinary, but an interview with the Captain brought to light a most curious freak of Nature.

The ship, with her cargo of iron ore for this port, passed the four bergs when two days out from Wabana, N. F. But little attention was paid to them until the ship was just abreast of the largest one. A cry from one of the crew on watch attracted all hands. Captain Nordahl at first thought what he saw was an optical illusion, but leveled his glasses, and then ordered the course of the ship changed.

The Drottling Sophia sailed around the end of the berg, and all members of the crew saw at close range the gigantic head of a man in profile, as clearly defined in the ice as though chiseled by a sculptor. The forehead was at the very top, depressions gave the appearance of eyes, the nose was clear cut, and the bottom of the berg, seamed by tiny rivulets of melting ice, had every resemblance to a long, flowing beard tapering off into the water. The iceberg was over 200 feet high, and was evidently grown up about ninety fathoms of water. The face and head, said Captain Nordahl, bore great resemblance to the familiar Santa Claus—Philadelphia North American.

WISE WORDS.

Shallow waters flow with vexed currents. The homes of a nation are the barometer of its life.

We must answer for our riches, but our riches cannot answer for us.

We put a price upon riches, but riches cannot put a price upon us.

The gem of truth bears all tests with out diminished lustre or clearness.

The meanest use for money is to make it cover a multitude of sins.

It is a great deal better to cheer one man than to be cheered by a thousand.

Better a pair of clean bare hands than the most expensive soiled white gloves.

Call another a fool and you are the fool; call yourself a fool and you begin to be wise.

Goodness outranks goods. A bursting barn and a godless heart proclaim a fool without hope.

No lot in life is small enough to stunt a soul. Lowly circumstances are no bar to high thoughts.

'Tis a sad thing when a man can have no comfort but in diversions, no joy but in forgetting himself.

When two hearts cease to beat as one, it will not be long until the owners will want to beat each other.

Costliest Thing on Record.
Think of it, a thimble which cost \$65,000 in American money! And think of a husband who presents his wife with such a gift! It belongs to the Queens of Siam.

The thimbles were not in use in Siam until a comparatively recent date. The King seeing that English and American women visiting his court used thimbles, had one made for his wife. The thimble is of gold, enriched with precious stones. It is shaped like a partially opened lotus flower, each petal bearing the interlaced initials of the sovereign and his wife in amethysts, rubies, emeralds and topazes. Around the rim of the thimble can be read the date of the marriage of the royal pair according to the Siamese and European calendars, each number and each letter being of alternate diamonds and pearls.

His Sweetheart's Letter.

A colonel, on his tour of inspection, unexpectedly entered the drill room, when he came across a couple of soldiers, one of them reading a letter aloud, while the other was listening, and, at the same time, stopping up the ears of the reader.

"What are you doing there?" the posted officer inquired of the former. "You see, colonel, I'm reading to Atkins, who can't read himself, a letter which has arrived by this afternoon's post from his sweetheart."

"And you, Atkins, what in the world are you doing?" "Please, colonel, I am stopping up Murphy's ears with both hands, because I don't mind his reading my sweetheart's letter, but I don't want him to hear a single word of what she has written."—Tit-Bits.

Honolulu Letter Carriers.

Letter carriers were sent out from the Honolulu postoffice on August 14 for the first time in the history of the islands, though actual free delivery of mail was not then begun. The letter carriers were sent out to familiarize themselves with the streets and house numbering, to apprise householders of the beginning of the free delivery system, and to secure a practically complete mail census of the city.—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Gates in Norway.

A curious feature to travelers in the high roads of Norway is the great number of gates—upward of 10,000 in the whole country—which have to be opened. These gates, which rather mark the boundary of the farms or separate the home fields from the waste lands, constitute a considerable inconvenience and delay to the traveler, who has to stop his vehicle and get down and open them.

BEFORE HE TOOK VOGELER'S

He Could Not Touch His Wife's Dinner and They Were 'Fit For a King.'

So writes our esteemed friend, Mr. Frank Chambers, of 6 Bennett St., Chicago: "For over two years I suffered agonies from indigestion, and became reduced to a mere shadow of my stalwart self. I would return home from my business feeling so faint that I could hardly drag one leg after the other; my dear wife did all she possibly could to tempt me with dainty dishes, and as I entered the house I smifed and thought: 'Oh, how good; I know I can eat that.' But alas! no sooner had I eaten a few mouthfuls, when I felt sick; severe pains shot through my chest and shoulder blades, my eyes swam and everything seemed black; I became alternately hot and cold, and got up from such a dainty dinner heartily sick of living, and feeling I was a sore trial to everybody. I may mention that I was also very much troubled with a scaly skin, and often boils. But one evening I noticed my wife seemed more cheerful than usual. I questioned her and found she had been reading a pamphlet she had received, of men afflicted just as I was, and who had been cured by Vogeler's Compound. Said she, 'What gives me more faith in it is that it is made from the formula of an eminent physician now in active practice in the West End of London, so I am sure it is no quack thing.' 'All right, dear, let's have a bottle,' said I. After taking the contents of the first bottle I felt very much better, and determined to give this remedy a fair trial, and I can positively assure you that a few bottles have made a new man of me. I can sleep well, eat anything and thoroughly enjoy life. I have told several of my friends, whom I knew were suffering the same as myself, and they all wish me to say that they are like new men. I sincerely bless the great physician who gave me the formula of Vogeler's Curative Compound, and also yourselves for making its virtues known to a suffering public." The proprietors (the St. Jacobs Oil, Ltd., Baltimore) will send a sample free to any one writing to them and mentioning this paper.

Wants Warm Motel Bedclothing.

Congressman Charles F. Scott has received a demand from a Kansas woman for the passage of a law "to compel keepers of hotels or sleeping rooms to keep on each bed four quilts and one blanket, each quilt to contain not less than five pounds of cotton batting (not coarse hair), and to be covered with at least 14 yards of cloth (seven yards on each side), two and one-third yards long and at least two yards wide; and the blanket to weigh at least two pounds; this covering to be kept on the beds from September 10 to May 1.

There were 3,516 immigrants refused admission to the United States last year.

There are on the Swiss lakes sixty-five steamers, of which the largest can carry 1200 passengers.

Send to Gardfield Tea Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., for samples Gardfield Tea and Roadside Powders—two invaluable remedies.

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FITTINGLY PERMANENTLY CURED. No other nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. \$2.00 trial bottle and treatment free. Dr. R. H. Kline, Ltd., 951 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

The total length of ocean cables is 100,842 miles.

I do not believe Pilo's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—John F. Boyer, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

The woman who marries a crank discovers that life is a grind.

Gardfield Tea cures constipation.

Some people are so lazy that even their livers won't work.

My Lungs

"An attack of grippe left me with a bad cough. My friends said I had consumption. I then tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and I cured me promptly."

A. K. Rendies, Nokomis, Ill.

You forgot to buy a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral when your cold first came on, so you let it run along. Even now, with all your hard coughing, it will not disappoint you. There's a record of sixty years to fall back on.

Three sizes: 25c, 50c, \$1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor, if he advises you, then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then take it. We are willing to leave it with him. We are willing.

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SALZER'S SEEDS

BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, HOARSENESS, SORE THROAT, INFLUENZA, COUGHS, COLIC, INDIGESTION, BILIOUSNESS, HEADACHE, NEURALGIA, RHEUMATISM, GOUT, GRAVEL, CALCULI, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY SYSTEM.

Best For the Bowels. No matter what ailment you suffer from, you will never get well until your bowels are put right. Cassia's help nature, cure you without a gripe or pain, produce easy natural movements, cost you just 10 cents to start getting your health back. Cassia's Candy Cathartic, the genuine, stamped in metal boxes, every tablet has C. C. D. stamped on it. Beware of imitations.

The New York Chamber of Commerce was incorporated by George III. on March 13, 1770.

Gardfield Headache Powders & Powders are sold by all druggists.

The poor we have always with us, but that is better than having them against us.

Are Anxious to Pay Their Fines. Among the anomalies which the prohibition law has given rise to in Kansas is a fervent desire on the part of certain law breakers to pay the penalty of their crime. At Wellington the temperance folk started to get out an injunction prohibiting the city treasurer from accepting the fines which are imposed on jointkeepers every month. And the jointkeepers headed off this move by rushing in and paying their fines, \$300 each, six months in advance.

THE CHILDREN ENJOY

Life out of doors and out of the games which they play and the enjoyment which they receive and the efforts which they make, comes the greater part of that healthful development which is so essential to their happiness when grown. When a laxative is needed the remedy which is given to them to cleanse and sweeten and strengthen the internal organs on which it acts, should be such as physicians would sanction, because its component parts are known to be wholesome and the remedy itself free from every objectionable quality. The one remedy which physicians and parents, well-informed, approve and recommend and which the little ones enjoy, because of its pleasant flavor, its gentle action and its beneficial effects, is—Syrup of Figs—and for the same reason it is the only laxative which should be used by fathers and mothers.

Syrup of Figs is the only remedy which acts gently, pleasantly and naturally without griping, irritating, or nauseating and which cleanses the system effectually, without producing that constipated habit which results from the use of the old-time cathartics and modern imitations, and against which the children should be so carefully guarded. If you would have them grow to manhood and womanhood, strong, healthy and happy, do not give them medicines, when medicines are not needed, and when nature needs assistance in the way of a laxative, give them only the simple, pleasant and gentle—Syrup of Figs.

Its quality is due not only to the excellence of the combination of the laxative principles of plants with pleasant aromatic syrups and juices, but also to our original method of manufacture and as you value the health of the little ones, do not accept any of the substitutes which unscrupulous dealers sometimes offer to increase their profits. The genuine article may be bought anywhere of all reliable druggists at fifty cents per bottle. Please to remember, the full name of the Company—CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.—is printed on the front of every pack.

In order to get its beneficial effects it is always necessary to buy the genuine only.

