

**SENSE AND NONSENSE**

Abby's Indigestion Tablets at Thistle's Drug Store, price 25cts.

"I'm troubled about that draft from the West," said the head of the firm. The office-boy hurriedly closed the transom and then looked as if he expected an immediate advance in salary.

R.P. & Co. have their spring suits and suitings in for men and boys, all latest styles.

He—The young lady doesn't look like a singer.

He—Doesn't sing like one, either.

Keith & Plummer have a small quantity of White Russian Wheat and Western White Cluster Oats (weight 42 lbs. per bush.) ordered for seed. Farmers wanting such seed better speak early.

Police Officer—You seem to be lost, my fittle man. Am I not right?

Willie (aged seven)—The perspicacity of the modern officer of the law is most wonderful.

Good morning! Have you seen the new wall papers at Carr's? They are beauties and the price is so low.

"I have a doctor's certificate here that I cannot sing to-night," said the prima donna.

"What?" roared the manager; "I'll give you a certificate that you never could sing."

Shaw & Dibblee have put in stock 1 car Purdy & Green Line, better known as Greenhead lime, 1 car Ryan brick and 4 tons of celebrated Sherwin-Williams ready mixed paints.

Hiram Hayseed—B'gosh, continous performance for a week only er quarter! Gee, I'd take that show in only I ain't goin' ter be in ther city but three days!

Trunks and valises for Klondykera C. Humphrey Taylor's.

"Which of Mr. Carrol's poems do you think evinces the boldest flight of imagination?"

"That in which he refers to himself as a poet."

Go to Watson's Hartland, for a fine parlor suit cheap, also a large stock of spring roller window shades for 25 cts

Her Adorer—May I marry your daughter, sir?

Her Father—What do you want to marry for? You don't know when you are well off.

Her Adorer—No, perhaps not; but I know when you're well off.

Have you tried Dragon Blend Tea? It is the best Tea on the market.

He—I'd like to see that sixteen-inch gun which is being made for the defence of New York harbor.

She—So should I. I had no idea any of those guns were as short as that.

Look at our "Royal Canadian Wringers" at \$3.50, it is a beauty and so easily attached to the tub; we have cheaper wringers too. Shaw & Dibblee.

"I don't know which is worse," muttered young blunderheels at the swell reception, retreating to a corner and wiping his perspiring brow; "but I believe I would rather be run over by a train than to step on one!"

Tobique plaster for sale at Carr's.

Professor—How would you punctuate this sentence? "Miss Wood, a pretty girl of eighteen, walked down Fifth Avenue."

Young Student—I would make a dash after "Miss Wood."

Shaw & Dibblee say their two tin pails for 22 cents are genuine hand made pails, and that they are not in the same class as the cheap factory made tumble down stuff.

Patient—Doctor, is it dangerous for a person to go into the water after a hearty meal?

Doctor—No, but there is no occasion for it. There's plenty of restaurants on 'dry land.'

Driver's Boot Calks. Shaw & Dibblee.

**The Secret of Longevity.**

Sir James Sawyer, a well known physician of Birmingham, England, has been confiding to an audience in that town the secret of longevity. Keep the following 19 commandments, and Sir James sees no reason why you should not live to be 100:

1. Eight hours' sleep.
2. Sleep on your right side.
3. Keep your bedroom window open all night.
4. Have a mat to your bedroom door.
5. Do not have your bedstead against the wall.
6. No cold tub in the morning, but a bath at the temperature of the body.
7. Exercise before breakfast.
8. Eat little meat and see that it is well cooked.
9. (For adults) Drink no milk.
10. Eat plenty of fat to feed the cells which destroy disease germs.
11. Avoid intoxicants, which destroy those cells.
12. Daily exercise in the open air.
13. Allow no pet animals in your living rooms. They are apt to carry about disease germs.
14. Live in the country if you can.
15. Watch the three D's—drinking water, damp and drains.
16. Have change of occupation.
17. Take frequent and short holidays.
18. Limit your ambition.
19. Keep your temper.

**Blue Blood.**

The origin of the term "blue blood" is most suggestive. After the black Moors were driven out of Spain, the aristocracy of Spain was held to consist of those who traced their lineage back to the time before the Moorish conquest. These people were whiter than those who had been mixed with Moorish blood. The veins upon their white hands were blue, while the blood of the masses, contaminated by the Moorish infusion, showed black upon their hands and faces. So the white Spaniards of the old race came to declare that their blood was "blue," while that of the common people was black. The phrase passed to France, where it had no such significance and was, in fact, quite arbitrary, and thence it came to England and America.

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