

"Played Out"

Is one of the curious expressions used for *worked out*. Many a woman drops into a chair, in utter weariness "all played out," and wonders why she feels so weak. She has not yet realized that the general health is so intimately related to the local health of the womanly organism, that weakness of the latter follows the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It regulates the periods, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It tranquilizes the nerves, encourages the appetite and induces refreshing sleep.



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My gain in weight has been just ten pounds, and I am still gaining.
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Love Among Savages.

Among the Arabs of Upper Egypt the youth who proposes to a girl must submit to a whipping at the hands of all her male relatives; and, says a dry narrator, "if he wishes to be considered worth having, he must receive the chastisement, which is sometimes exceedingly severe, with an expression of enjoyment." Not infrequently it is the maiden herself who imposes the test. The Sakalava girls of Madagascar make their lovers stand at a short distance from a clever spear-thrower and catch between the arm and side every weapon flung at them. If the youth "displays fear or fails to catch the spear, he is ignominiously rejected; but if there be no flinching and the spears are caught, he is at once proclaimed an accepted lover."

Worse than this is the trial enforced upon their suitors by the Dongolowee girls. When in doubt as to the respective merits of two rivals, the young lady fastens a sharply-pointed knife to each elbow, then, seating herself between her lovers, she drives the blades slowly into their thighs; and the hero who takes the greatest length of steel without a murmur wins the bride. Major Mitchell, in his "Expedition Into the Interior of Eastern Australia," says of the natives on the river Darling that all their ideas of fighting are associated with the possession of guns or wives, and that after a battle the wives "do not always follow their fugitive husbands from the field, but frequently go over, as a matter of course, to the victors."

"None but the brave deserve the fair" is a maxim well understood of most barbaric races.—Chamber's Journal.

Raised from Death.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 14.—Dr. Richstein, a local physician, believes that he brought Mrs. Sarah Allen, 40 years old, from death to life on Friday night by an injection of normal salt solution into one of her arms. He says her heart had ceased to beat for three minutes at least before she was revived.

Mrs. Allen was taken to a local hospital to be operated upon for stomach trouble. After the operation three physicians, including Dr. Richstein, felt her pulse and pronounced her dead.

Nitro-glycerine, strychnine and other stimulants used to revive the heart's action were brought into use, but it is said they failed to revive the patient. As a last resort Dr. Richstein opened a vein in the woman's arm and pumped in a pint of normal salt solution. He was rewarded three minutes afterwards by seeing the patient open her eyes. In a few seconds more the woman raised her head and asked for something to eat.

Dr. Richstein made this statement to-day for the *Herald*:—

"Mrs. Allen went on the table in the best of spirits, and we were all surprised when she unexpectedly collapsed. Everything known to medical science was done to revive her, and we had entirely given up hope of bringing her back to life when it was decided to inject normal salt solution into her veins."

I am satisfied the woman's heart did not pulsate for at least three minutes, and every movement of the respiratory system stopped before the injection of the normal salt solution was made. Salt promises to revolutionize medical science and I would not be surprised to see some day become the agent by which the slender thread of life will be prolonged to a remarkable extent.

The normal salt solution is nothing more than sixty grains, or a teaspoonful of common salt added to a pint of distilled water. The salt is dissolved and then the solution is pumped into the vein of the patient's arm."

Mrs. Allen is the mother of 12 children. Dr. Richstein is one of the youngest physicians in the county and obtained his medical education in the East.

Are 500,000 people mistaken? Unless about 500,000 people including lawyers, doctors, editors, preachers and all other classes are very much mistaken, Union Blend Teas are certainly the best on the market to-day. Is there a person anywhere who drinks tea that is not using Union Blend? If so we would like to send that person a sample.

The Illinois State Legislature is considering a bill to establish a home for epileptics. It is well known to philanthropists that the poor epileptics are among the most difficult of patients to provide for. They are hardly to be classed as inmates either of a hospital, of an insane asylum or of a poorhouse. They are frequently sound, both physically and mentally, during the intervals between attacks, and are capable of doing much useful work if properly cared for.

WANTED — TRUSTWORTHY MEN AND WOMEN to travel and advertise for old established house of solid financial standing. Salary \$750 a year and expenses, all payable in cash. No canvassing required. Give references and enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Address Manager, 353 Caxton Bldg., Chicago.

King's Evil

That is Scrofula.
No disease is older.
No disease is really responsible for a larger mortality.

Consumption is commonly its outgrowth. There is no excuse for neglecting it. It makes its presence known by so many signs, such as glandular tumors, cutaneous eruptions, inflamed eyelids, sore ears, rickets, catarrh, wasting and general debility. Children of J. W. McGinn, Woodstock, Ont., had scrofula so bad they could not attend school for three months. When different kinds of medicines had been used to no purpose whatever, these sufferers were cured, according to Mr. McGinn's voluntary testimonial, by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

which has effected the most wonderful, radical and permanent cures of scrofula in old and young.

An Extraordinary Case.

PARIS, April 16.—A despatch from St. Germain, near this city, described the extraordinary case of Juliette Landrioux, a servant girl, from whose body dozens of needles are being extracted. The girl complained of considerable irritation of the skin and last Thursday went to a local druggist, who found a number of needles emerging from various parts of her body. He extracted them with pincers. The girl has returned several times a day since, and up to this morning the druggist had drawn out 120 needles from her arms, hands, feet, breast, the lobe of her ear, her eyelids and the corner of her right eye.

The girl experiences no pain until she feels the needle piercing the epidermis. The needles always emerge thick and fast, and unless extracted at once immediately disappear again. Two reputable newspapers, the *Matin* and the *Temps*, have investigated the matter and vouch for the authenticity of the story. Mlle. Landrioux says that five years ago when eleven years old, she amused herself, with other children, by swallowing quantities of needles. She swallowed forty-nine in one day and never felt any inconvenience until recently, and has enjoyed the best of health.

While relating the foregoing to the reporter of the *Temps*, who saw her at the druggist's, she exclaimed:—"I feel one in my eye, now."

The druggist then upturned her right eyelid and with a magnet drew out four fragments of needles.

A surgeon of the hospital of La Salpetriere said in an interview that the case was quite unprecedented. Needles inserted under the skin were known to have been borne through

the muscles, but there was no record of a needle introduced into the stomach emerging from the lobe of the ear. In such a case the needle must have traversed the skull, which is incomprehensible.

The War In South Africa.

LONDON, April 21.—A despatch to a news agency here from Harrismith, under date of yesterday, locates Gen. De Wet near Kroonstad and says he has few followers and is unable to recruit a sufficient force to make an offensive movement. There have been numerous surrenders of starving Boers.

LONDON, April 23.—The war office has received a despatch from Lord Kitchener reporting that since April 18 various British commanders have taken 81 prisoners, together with 100,000 rounds of small ammunition and many horses, cattle and wagons. Lord Kitchener reports also the surrender of 20 Boers since that date.

EAST LONDON, Cape Colony, April 19.—A train laden with cattle and coal was captured by the Boers near Molteno, Cape Colony, last evening. The forward locomotive escaped and ran to Stormberg and returned with troops, who found the train on fire. A couple of natives were killed. The train had been strapped and then robbed.

LONDON, April 20.—In the House of Commons yesterday William St John Brodriek, Secretary of State for war, in reply to a question stated that the white flag at Lindley had been hoisted by Lieut. Robbins, of the Duke of Cambridge's Yeomanry, and Corporal Jeggs. Lieut. Robbins was severely wounded at the time, Corporal Jeggs had been invalided home and discharged. Field Marshal Earl Roberts, the secretary added, was considering Lieut. Robbins' case.

This has proved one of the earliest springs in the history of Manitoba. Seeding is now general and the ice has left the Red and Assiniboine Rivers. The heavy snowfall of last winter has proved most beneficial in preparing the ground for this season's crop.

Tender Corns,

Soft corns, corns of all kinds removed without pain or sore spots by Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor. Thousands testify that it is certain, painless, and prompt. Beware of substitutes offered for the genuine "Putnam's" Extractor. Sure, safe, harmless. At all druggists or sent by mail upon receipt of twenty-five cents. N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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It is asserted that the birth-rate of Great Britain is decreasing very rapidly—about a million in five years when compared with previous returns.

Among the 2,754 students who matriculated at the Edinburgh University last year there were 252 women, 215 of whom were enrolled in the Faculty of Arts, three in science, thirty in medicine, and twenty-one in music.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

ON and after MONDAY, March 11, 1901. Trains will run daily, (Sunday excepted) as follows:

Trains Leave St. John.
EXPRESS
For Halifax & Campbellton..... 7 00
" Pt. du Chene, Halifax, & Pictou..... 12 15
" Sussex..... 16 20
" Quebec & Montreal..... 17 00
Accommodation,
For Halifax & Sydney..... 22 10

Trains Arrive at St. John.
EXPRESS
From Sussex..... 8 30
" Montreal & Quebec..... 12 40
" Halifax, Pictou & Pt. du Chene..... 16 00
" Halifax & Campbellton..... 19 15
" Accommodation,
From Halifax & Sydney..... 24 45
*Daily, except Monday.

All Trains are run by Eastern Standard Time. Twenty-four hour notation.
D. POTTINGER,
General Manager,
Moncton, N. B., March 5th, 1901.



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CROWDS AND CROWDS COME TO THE GREAT SACRIFICE SALE,
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The way Bargain Seekers and Money Savers crowded into our store during the past few days, from early morning until the closing hours, was the best testimonial of what our **Great Sale** held forth in the way of **Stupendous and Marvelous Rock and Record Prices.** The tremendous outpourings of offerings made by the merciless, clearing figures was too great to be resisted. The great success has spurred us on to still greater efforts. Throughout the coming week the sale will go on with redoubled vigor. In order to insure positive and immediate clearance the Great Bargain Attractions will be given special brilliancy by **Most Remarkable Reductions in Clothing** that has ever been your good fortune to run across.

Last week it was Great Values at Low Prices.
This week it is Greater Values at Lesser Prices.

Price List of the Great Sacrifice Sale:

MEN'S STRONG WORKING PANTS, worth \$1.50, sold for 75c.
MEN'S PANTS, Patented Buttons, sewed with linen thread, extra strong, worth \$1.75, sold for 90c.
MEN'S FANCY STRIPE PANTS, in all leading shades, worth \$2.50, sold for \$1.25.
MEN'S ALL WOOL HAIR-LINED PANTS, made of the best English Worsted, worth \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00, sold for \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.
100 MEN'S SUITS, well made, worth \$5.50, going at \$2.75.
MEN'S BUSINESS SUITS, in all the leading shades, worth \$7.00, sold for \$3.95.
500 MEN'S SCOTCH TWEED SUITS, in Brown and Grey Checks, made to sell at \$10.00 and \$12.00, our price while this lot lasts, only \$5.00.
267 MEN'S ASSORTED SUITS, Tailor-made in every respect, made of Scotch, English and Canadian Tweeds, worth \$15.00, sold for \$7.50.
150 MEN'S SUITS, highest quality of workmanship. These goods are of the best imported Twills, Buckskin and Worsteds. The coat has full facings, Chamois pocket in the vest and five pockets in the pants. These goods must be seen to be appreciated. Manufacturer's cost of these goods is \$16.50, while this lot lasts, only \$9.00.
MEN'S SPRING OVERCOATS, in Whipcord, Black Cheviot and Vicunas, made in the latest style, full back, French facing, were \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$18.00, our price, \$3.90, to \$7.50.
300 MEN'S WATERPROOF OVERCOATS, English and Canadian makes, Blue, Black and Grey—these coats are warranted by the makers—were \$6.00, \$9.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00, now \$3.00, \$3.75, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.50.
75 MEN'S BLUE-BLACK BEAVER OVERCOATS, grand value at \$6.00 and \$7.00, while they last, only \$2.95.
30 MEN'S BEAVER AND MELTON OVER COATS, a bargain at \$8.00, selling at \$3.95.
50 MEN'S OVERCOATS, in Montinack and English Beaver, former Satin lining, were made to sell at \$15.00. While this lot lasts we will sell only one to each customer a \$5.95.
JUST A FEW MEN'S MOSCOW BEAVER OVERCOATS, former Satin lining, Silk Velvet collar, Satin yoke, Silk piping, Tailor made in every respect, made to sell at \$20.00, now selling at \$7.00.
MEN'S FRIEZE ULSTERS, worth \$7.00 to \$12.00 selling at \$3.75 and \$5.00.
MEN'S REEFERS, worth \$5.00 to \$10.00, selling at \$2.50 and \$3.50.
125 BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS, former price \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00, sold at \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.
40 DOZEN BOYS' ASSORTED KNEE PANTS, ages 4 to 16 years, all wool, worth \$1.00, sold for 50c.

Thousands of other Bargains to be given away at figures correspondingly low at the Store in Woodstock. These are absolutely and emphatically the **Lowest Prices** ever made for **Fine Tailored Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing.** The earlier you come the better your choice.

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