

# Coated

Look at your tongue. Is it coated? Then you have a bad taste in your mouth every morning. Your appetite is poor, and food distresses you. You have frequent headaches and are often dizzy. Your stomach is weak and your bowels are always constipated.

There's an old and reliable cure:



**Ayer's Pills**

Don't take a cathartic dose and then stop. Better take a laxative dose each night, just enough to cause one good free movement the day following.

You feel better the very next day. Your appetite returns, your dyspepsia is cured, your headaches pass away, your tongue clears up, your liver acts well, and your bowels no longer give you trouble.

Price, 25 cents. All druggists.

"I have taken Ayer's Pills for 25 years, and I consider them the best made. One pill does me more good than half a box of any other kind I have ever tried."

Mrs. N. E. TALBOT, March 20, 1898, Arrington, Kans.

## PERSONALS

**Advance**

Mrs. Judson Card, Billtown, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Borden of this town for a few days.

Miss Nellie Davison, who has been living in Annapolis has returned to her home here.

Rev. W. H. Robinson, of Antigonish, is stopping with his mother Mrs. Robinson, who has been very ill. We are glad to state she is much better.

Mrs. C. E. Burgess and Miss Grace are visiting in Newport. Miss Jean Burgess has been spending a few days with friends in Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Porter, of Eastport, Me., are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. E. W. Marston and daughter Eleanor, who have been visiting Miss Ada Dickie the past three weeks have returned to their home in Cockett, Mass.

Mrs. Park Smith spent Monday last with Mrs. John I. Dickie.

Miss Emma J. Lantz of Portland, Me. is spending a few weeks with her Aunt Mrs. J. I. Dickie.

Mrs. John I. Dickie and daughter Ada were the guest of Mrs. P. Smith Wednesday last.

Mrs. W. I. Whenton and family of New Hampshire have moved to this town and are occupying the Colby house at the foot of Holmes Hill.

Capt. John T. Smith of Palmyra, New Jersey, is stopping with relatives in Mt. Denson.

Cecil Churchill, son of Mr. Geo. Churchill here, who has been studying at McGill College, is spending the holidays at his home.

Clarence Smith who has been in Boston arrived home Saturday.

Harry Margeson is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Margeson.

Cyrus Mitchener has been visiting in Parraboro. Miss Mary J. Davison will probably accompany him on his return.

You May Need

### Pain-Killer

For Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Cramps, Diarrhoea, All Bowel Complaints

It is a sure, safe and quick remedy.

There's only one PAIN-KILLER. PERRY DAVIS'.

Two sizes, 25c and 50c.

## Hantsport

Mrs. (Capt.) Mitchener, Kentville, spent Sunday in Hantsport.

Mrs. Geo. Comstock is visiting friends at Port Greville.

George A. Fancy and Gabriel Beazley spent Sunday in Halifax.

Mrs. W. J. Shields is visiting her parents at Brooklyn, Queens county.

Miss Daisy Reid of this town is spending her vacation in New York.

The stallion Cresecus has reduced the trotting record another quarter of a second.

Frank and Ralph Woodbury, Halifax, are the guests of Mrs. and Miss Mumford.

Mr. John Martin returned from his visit to Hortonville on Saturday much improved in health.

Mr. Rathbun of Hants Border, is having his house repainted. Mr. T. Smith is employed on the work.

The Shamrock has left for the United States to meet her Yankee rival. On August 1st she was reported at the Azores.

Miss Woodroffe, Waterville, Kings county and Miss Manning, Halifax, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw over Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. I. Margeson were in Melveru Square Monday attending the funeral of the doctor's father, C. Byard Margeson.

The steamer Deutschland has crossed the ocean from Cherbourg to New York in 5 days, 16 hours and 12 minutes. This beats all former records.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pulsifer and family and Mrs. and Miss Ross of Halifax, with a number of their friends, spent a pleasant day at Evangeline Beach Friday.

Mr. Benjamin Lockhart and bride of Cambridge, Mass., are spending their honeymoon in Nova Scotia and visiting Mr. Lockhart's old home at Lockhartville.

The ordinance of baptism was administered at Blue Beach last Sunday. There were five candidates, three from Avonport and two from Lockhartville. A large crowd was present to witness the ordinance.

Lord and Lady Minto and party's tour of the provinces closed Saturday at a big demonstration at St. John. The large crowd assembled gave them a right hearty send off.

A neat platform has been built in front of the American House here. The fence has been taken down and the grounds graded. These changes much improve the appearance of the premises.

Some much needed repairs are being made in the post office here by Mr. Peter Coalfield. A new floor is being laid and the walls will be sheathed up about six feet. The inner office will be painted.

A bolt in the eccentric strap of the engine Weymouth on the evening express from Halifax last Wednesday afternoon broke when near Hantsport. Engineer Billy Taylor, with the assistance of fireman Burton Aekans, fixed the damage and after a half hour delay, the train left for Kentville.

Owing to a remarkable lack of rain, the ground has become very dry, pastures have dried up and vegetation and growing crops are suffering. It is said that apples are dropping very much on account of the dry weather, and grain and root crops will be materially lessened. There were, however showers on Saturday and Sunday nights, which freshened things up a bit.

There was quite a crowd of sports down at the mouth of the Half Way River here on Monday to see the trial races of the miniature sailing vessels.

Capt. Andrew McDonald's yacht, Nova and Capt. Folker's sloop Maple Leaf and schooner Dolphin. They are going to have some real races across the Avon some day, due notice of which will be given in this paper.

The Baptists of Windsor held their annual picnic at Birch Grove, Halifax county, on Tuesday 30th. The usual rain which accompanies their outings put in its appearance, and there was a good smart shower. Some one said they should have gone earlier, it has been so dry. If picnics have a tendency to bring rain, ever body should take one. People wouldn't mind much getting wet if there was a good soaking rain now.

PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS have found Pain-Killer very useful. There is nothing equal to it in all cases of bowel troubles. Avoid substitutes. There is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis'. 25c. and 50c.

A Halifax despatch states that the election petition against Sir C. H. Tupper was dismissed by Justice Meagher last week.



## THE RACE

Does not depend on the start but on the finish. It's staying power which carries many a runner to victory. It's like that in business. Many a man starts off in the race for business success with a burst of speed which seems to assure victory. Presently he begins to falter and at last he falls and fails. The cause? Generally "stomach trouble." No man is stronger than his stomach. Business haste leads to careless and irregular eating. The stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition become diseased. The body is inadequately nourished and so grows weak.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It strengthens the stomach and so strengthens the whole body which depends on the stomach for the nourishment from which strength is made.

There is no alcohol in "Golden Medical Discovery," and it is entirely free from opium, cocaine and all other narcotics. Accept no substitute for the "Discovery." There is no medicine "just as good" for diseases of the stomach and allied organs.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has performed a wonderful cure, writes Mr. M. H. House of Charleston, Franklin Co., Ark. "I had the worst case of dyspepsia. The doctors say that they ever saw. After trying seven doctors and everything I could hear of, with no benefit, I tried Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and now I am cured."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.

St. John Letter

The residence of Capt. Tapley on Douglas avenue was burglarized last Wednesday and robbed of \$40 in cash.

Patrick Anderson of Chatham, an employe in the Cushing Pulp mill, with some of the effects of his fellow employes, disappeared last Wednesday.

Four St. John soldiers and Sergeant Hayden of Gagetown, arrived here from South Africa on July 30th.

John S. Tutbill, an old schoolmaster of Grand Falls, was presented with a rose by Lady Minto while in the city, which is his proudest possession.

Ten thousand tons of hay will be sent from this port to South Africa during the present month.

Tourists are arriving here now at the rate of about 300 a day.

A little girl attempted last Thursday to descend Fort Howe cliff but lost her nerve when about 25 feet from the bottom. She was rescued by two boys who happened to be near by.

Lord and Lady Minto had apartments at the Royal Hotel while here and appeared to be well pleased with their reception.

The Simeon Jones residence it is expected will be occupied by the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall while in the city.

Harry H. deForest's sales of Union Blend and other teas last month exceeded \$4,000 pounds.

Staple groceries and provisions are quoted today by George S. deForest & Sons as follows:

Manitoba flours,	\$ 4.65 per bb
Ontario patents,	3.90
" mediums,	3.80
Oatmeal,	4.10
Cornmeal,	2.90
Pot barley,	4.10
Split peas,	4.25
Clear pork,	30.50
Mess "	30.00
Ex. plate beef,	14.50
Plate beef,	14.00
H. P. beans,	1.90 bush
Rice in sacks,	3 3-8 lb.
" " "	31
Cheese,	10c@18c
Stan d gran. sugar,	4.50 cwt
Austrain g. "	4.35
Extra C. "	3.90@3.90
Yellow C. "	3.70
Codfish, large & med.	4.00
Pollcock,	1.90
Ex fancy P. R. mol.	37 gal
Ex choice "	33
Barbadoes "	28
Best American oil,	17 1/2c
" Canadian "	16c
Silver Star "	16c
Smoked herring,	12c
Shorts,	20.50 ton

Brooms have advanced 28 cents per dozen. Edward Edwards.

St. John, August 3rd.

Thieves broke into St. John's Episcopal church at the Three Mile house Halifax, and stole the silver communion service. The loss was discovered on Sunday morning. The stolen article was presented to the church by a lady in Bermuda.

## GENERAL NEWS

### A LOTTERY FOR SETTLERS

One of the greatest lotteries in history was held at El Reno, Oklahoma Territory, Monday morning. It was conducted by the Federal Government in disposing of 13,000 quarter section claims thrown open to settlement on the Kiowa-Comanche reservation.

No public event in years in the south west has attracted so much attention as this one—the initiation of a new method of disposing of Government lands. One hundred and sixty seven thousand persons, each with one chance in thirteen of winning a homestead, watched the event here at a distance for the applicants come from every State in the Union. The drawing took place on a platform built for the purpose in the open air a few blocks from the center of El Reno.

Situated at the foot of several small hills which formed a perfect amphitheatre, the platform was the cynosure of thousands of eyes. People occupied every inch almost of the space around about and every movement of the small space below was watched with the most intense interest.

El Reno Monday cared for fully 15,000 people and the trains that came in during the night and morning, doubled the number. Hundreds of others are still bound this way.

**57-62 The Critical Age**

Height of vigor past—nature's power showing down vitality less recuperative power less, endurance less. Stop the progress of decay, tone up the weakened nerve centres, impart vigor to the brain, prepare for the crisis. A means of re-markable potency in the renewal of decreasing vigor is found in Ferrozone. It brightens up the whole being, imparts a sense of power and strength. By the use of Ferrozone, old age is pushed back twenty years. Ferrozone gives strength, vigor, endurance, vim. Your druggist has it. Get a box today. At Geo. C. Mc Dougalls.

**Rapid Progress.**—I must say, doctor, that in the past ten years the science of medicine has made no progress at all.

Excuse me—no progress? Formerly I got \$1 per visit, and now I get \$3.

### New Color in the Cheeks

#### Richness in the Blood

And Health, Vigor and Strength in the Whole System When Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is Used.

Paleness of the gums, lips and inside of eyelids, nervousness, weakness, indigestion, headache and drowsiness are the symptoms common to chlorosis and anemia.

These symptoms indicate that the blood is thin and watery, and does not contain sufficient nourishment—symptoms that disappear when Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is used to build up the body and fill the shrivelled arteries with rich, red, life-sustaining blood.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is a special formula devised especially for all diseases arising from an exhausted condition of the blood and nerves, and has proved signally successful as a cure for anemia and chlorosis.

In fact it cannot fail to cure these ailments, because it goes directly to form new red corpuscles in the blood, and so nourishes and restores the system to health and vigor.

It is of incalculable worth to women suffering from the weaknesses and irregularities peculiar to their sex, and is evidenced by the grateful testimonials published from time to time in the daily press.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, the great blood builder and nerve restorative; 50 cents a box at all dealers, or Edman-son, Bates & Co., Toronto.

### In Her Eyes

The Bearded Lady—I don't see how she could marry him. Why, he drinks terribly and is subject to delirium tremens.

The Circassian Girl—It would take more than that to scare her. Isn't she an experienced snake charmer?—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Anything For Pacification. "Regina, cook says dinner was late because the kitchen clock is out of order."

"Well, lend her your gold watch, Reddy. We can't have her getting mad and going off right in the middle of house cleaning."—Chicago Record.

### Her Idea of It

"What is your idea of an egotist?" asked Willie Washington conversationally.

"An egotist," answered Miss Cayenne thoughtfully, "differs from the rest of mankind only in one respect. Every person feels at heart a certain sense of superiority. But the egotist has sufficient courage to publicly admit his opinion."—Washington Star.

### Heat of the Stars

Experiments at the Yerkes observatory have led to certain results on the heat of the stars that may be summarized as follows: The apparatus employed was sensitive enough to register the heat received from a candle 15 miles distant. The heat received from Arcturus was equivalent to the heat received from a candle at a distance of about six miles.

### The Difference

Lady—I see you advertise home-made bread?

Baker—Yes, ma'am.

Lady—Does it taste like homemade?

Baker—No, indeed, ma'am. It's sweet and light.

## Aberdeen Beach Notes

The beach is being well patronized this summer.

Mrs. Ester and family of Windsor, and Capt and Mrs. McDonald and family of Hantsport are occupying Cliff cottage.

Several families from Hantsport and Windsor picniced at the beach last week. Among others were Mrs. Buckley and family and Mrs. Watson of California.

Mrs. Masters and family and Miss Smith of Windsor are spending a few weeks at the beach.

Miss Curry and Mrs. Sydney Welton of New York, have engaged a cottage for next week.

Mrs. Parkman and family are spending a week at one of the cottages.

Mrs. Barrows and family of Bermuda, visited the beach on Saturday.

Mrs. B. S. Knowles and family and Mrs. C. Aubrey Faulkner and son of Windsor, are occupying Belvidere cottage for a few weeks. They expect Miss Faulkner of Hantsport to join them for a few days this week.

Among other visitors at the beach are Mrs. Sanford and family, Mrs. Cabot and family, Mrs. L. Nycins and family and Mrs. Hoggood and family of Halifax.

The 68th Batt. Band of Windsor, played at the concert here Friday evening, 26th. A large number attended and enjoyed the music and bathing.

C. Smith, R. Knowles and S. Wilcox of Windsor are camping at the beach.

### A Sick Stomach

is always relieved, and its unpleasant consequences averted by taking thirty drops of Folsom's Nervine in a little sweetened water. It instantly relieves the nausea and by its soothing and stimulating powers, calms the stomach and enables it to complete the process of digestion. Nervine has been proved more than a million times the best remedy for stomach and bowel troubles. Nervine will cure you. 25c.

Ottawa, August 2.—Tomorrow is the day for the payment of Canada's proportion of the cost of the maintenance of Esquimaux. The last payment was made on August 3, 1898. The amount payable is in all \$21,000, of which \$25000 is the proportion of maintenance of the permanent buildings.

Brazil Lake, Aug. 3.—The express at the crossing one hundred yards south of Ohio Station, at 10.50 a.m., collided with a load of hay, taking off two side wheels and coming within a foot of killing a man and a horse. The man's name is Chas. Brenton. Both escaped uninjured.

Kronstadt, Orange River Colony, Aug. 4.—Two Boers came into the British lines today under a flag of truce with a letter from former President Steyn.

Rev. Robert O. Norwood, who has been curate of the parish of Bridgewater for some months, was unanimously elected its rector at a large meeting of the parishioners recently.

Toronto, Aug. 1.—D.O. Ellis, agent of the Northern Elevator Company of Manitoba, one of the biggest concerns in the business today, received a despatch stating the Manitoba wheat crop was badly damaged by rusts and heats, and lots of shrunken crop, which had been estimated at sixty million bushels, are not likely to amount to over forty-two million.

London, Aug. 1.—A rumor comes from Shanghai for which there appears to be no more basis than the fact that it is printed, to the effect that Great Britain contemplates transferring Weihaiwei to Germany in return for the latter's good offices in the Yangtze valley.

Buffalo, Aug. 1.—The Canadian yachts carried off all the honors in yesterday's regatta. The Canada won the 45 foot class, the Beaver the 35 foot class and the Vesta the 25 foot class—all Toronto boats.

Capetown, Aug.—On arrival here of steamer Montezuma, from New Orleans with mules and horses, she was minutely searched for arms and ammunition. None were found.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S CATARRH CURE

is sent direct to the patient by the Express. It is a powerful medicine, and is the only one that cures Catarrh and Hay Fever, Rhinitis, Allergies, etc. It is the only medicine that cures Catarrh and Hay Fever, Rhinitis, Allergies, etc.

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