

Hard, Racking Coughs.

Barring accidents, the person who gets along with the least amount of cough will live the longest. Of course, the right time to attack a cough is at the commencement, when it is a simple thing for the right treatment to drive the cough quickly away. As a general thing, however, people spend so much time experimenting with various remedies that the cough is well under way before they know it. Then comes the long siege. You feel the hard, racking all through your system, and get relief from nothing. You fill your stomach with nauseating mixture to no purpose. Then you use compounds containing narcotic, which deceive temporarily, and leave you slightly worse. Some coughs of this kind hang on for weeks or even months, and, of course, they frequently develop into serious lung troubles. A true specific for all coughs is Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam, and it should be kept in the house against any emergency. With a cough that has become chronic the first effect of this remedy is a lessening of the dull sensation of pain which usually is felt with such a cough. Then you are conscious that the soreness is leaving you, and presently the desire to cough grows more frequent. All this process is brought about by the healing properties of the Balsam. It is a compound of barks and gums. You can test it. 25 cents at any druggist's. Get the genuine with "F. W. Kinsman & Co." blown in the bottle.

Advertisement for Surprise Soap. Includes an illustration of a man carrying a large box labeled 'SURPRISE SOAP' and a smaller box labeled 'MADE IN U.S.A.'. Below the illustration is the text: 'SURPRISE SOAP is a pure hard soap ST. CROIX SOAP MFG. CO. St. Stephen, N.B.'

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Private advices received from Paris, a World despatch from Paris states, says that a German physician, who recently examined ex-President Kruger pronounced him dangerously ill, scarcely likely to live more than a fortnight longer.

News Summary.

Mr. J. D. Shea has completed the work of installing the heating apparatus in the military buildings, Fredericton.

Business failures in the Dominion last week numbered 34, against 39 in the corresponding week of 1900.

All of the assailants at Enterprise, Kansas, of Mrs. Carrie Nation, the saloon wrecker, were tried on Friday and fined \$1 each.

While the Queen Regent of Spain and her children were boating near Madrid on Friday, a shot was fired from the bank and penetrated the gunwale of the boat. The assailant was not discovered.

The four story brick building on William street, New York, occupied by Lenn & Fink, wholesale druggists, was destroyed by fire and water Friday night. The loss will exceed \$300,000.

A Georgia paper thus sums up legislative work done at the session of 1900: "One solon blew out the gas, another stuck a knife into a fellow member and the entire aggregation succeeded in repealing a dog law."

By the breaking of the main belt in the Hicks steam mill at Hopewell, Wednesday afternoon, the surveyor, a Mr. Tait, of Shediac, received a service cut on the leg. Mr. Job Stiles also was painfully injured on the leg, and a portion of his finger was taken off.

A Chatham binder twine company has been formed, with a capital stock of \$125,000. A factory having a capacity of five tons a day will be erected at once. The stock will be owned mostly by farmers. The institution will employ fifty hands.

Fire destroyed the big wholesale glassware and crockery store of Pitkin & Brooks, Chicago, causing a loss of \$250,000 and injuring several firemen. Included in the mass of broken porcelain, which filled the five floors of the building, is a \$50,000 collection of rare porcelains, recently brought by the firm from the Paris Exposition.

William Briggs, 33 Richmond Street, West, Toronto, Ontario, promises the fourth volume in "The Self and Sex Series," by Sylvanus Stall, D. D., entitled, "What a Man of Forty-five Ought to Know," on or before February 25. Some seventy-five thousand of these highly commended purity books have already been sold.

Fred. Zollo, of St. Louis, chagrined because three street cars had passed him in the rain without as much as hesitating, broke the window of the fourth car with a stone. It came to a standstill and he coolly boarded it and took a seat. The conductor had him arrested, but in the police court the judge fined him and then remitted the fine, saying that he had noticed the tendency of the street car company to pass passengers and he believed the prisoner's story.

The Saturday Evening Post announces for early publication a twelve-part serial story of love and adventure by Morgan Robertson. Masters of Men is a powerful tale of the new Navy. The central figures in the story are a rich orphan, who has entered the navy as an apprentice, and a young ensign, fresh from the Naval Academy. The author leads his two heroes through a maze of adventures by land and sea. This romance may fairly be called the best work of the writer of sea stories in the country.

A London paper says: Lord Hopetoun, the Governor General of Australia, is an aristocrat, whose family archives go back to the reign of James V., but he has all the good qualities of an aristocrat and none of the meaner ones. He is a peer of the realm, with a rent roll of £60,000 a year, but there was no mock condescension in his handshake with the printer's messenger who, while waiting for "cowy" at a state function in Australia, went up to him and proffered a friendly hand.

But one American girl has ever married a King, and she, a New England woman, now a widow, is living in a royal palace in the country of her adoption, almost lost sight of by her American sisters and friends. The romance of this fascinating, gifted American girl, who won the hand and heart of a King—one of the prettiest of love stories—will be one of the features of the March Ladies' Home Journal.

Reports from Texas indicated that the recent oil strike at Beaumont is remarkable. It is stated that in driving to that place from Port Arthur a traveller has to go for miles through crude oil a foot deep. Beaumont is experiencing a great boom, and property has advanced from five to ten times its real value. As usual, the Standard Oil Company was on the alert, and has leased the land in the neighborhood.

As it now comes out, the sixteen-year-old heir to Hawarden Castle will be a rich man when he attains to his majority, and he will never know the pinch that almost embittered his distinguished grandaie's lifetime. When this William Gladstone is twenty-one he enters on an income of \$300,000 a year, thanks to the carefully husbanded resources of Hawarden estate, and should he marry judiciously, the house of Gladstone will be a power in the land.

Among the minor virtues probably the habit of self-control in speech holds the most important place in the life of a woman. The acquirement of this habit must begin early or it will never be attained save with great difficulty. It must be formed in girlhood if it is not well started in childhood. I have seen the happiness of many a life ruined by the want of power to suppress the word of bitterness, contempt and anger, even under what might be called "reasonable provocation." There are times when one's only duty is to keep from talking. There are times when keeping still is wisdom, love, Christianity. — October Woman's Home Companion.

"The Typology of Scriptures," by Patrick Fairbairn, D. D., is one of the recent publications of the Funk & Wagnalls Company, New York. It is a standard work, dealing with typology not only as a Biblical and theological subject, but in all its important relations to Christian doctrine in general. This latest edition of Dr. Fairbairn's great work has been prepared in the light of the most recent investigations and developments of Biblical knowledge. The work will be an 8 vo of 904 pp., cloth bound, and the price will be \$5.

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