

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine
Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of

W. E. Rispin

See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
FOR HEADACHE FOR DIZZINESS. FOR BILIOUSNESS. FOR TORPID LIVER. FOR CONSTIPATION FOR SALLOW SKIN. FOR THE COMPLEXION.
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
PURELY VEGETABLE. NON-TOXIC.
CURE SICK HEADACHE.

Throwing Fire at Soldiers.

Greek fire, which had several other names—wild fire, liquid fire, wet fire and fire rain—was the most destructive war material used before the introduction of gunpowder. Discovered by Callinicus, a Syrian, it was first used in the siege of Constantinople, 673-678, and at Mecca, 680. According to an eyewitness, it made a noise like thunder, looked like a dragon flying through the air and made night light as day. This, allowing for a vivid imagination, gives its striking characteristics when poured from caldrons, shot from copper tubes in balls of twisted flax or expelled from catapults in vials during sieges and naval engagements. Water made it burn more fiercely, and wherever it fell it spread a trail of fire. So well was the secret of its production kept that its precise ingredients and admixture were still unknown, but it is certain that naphtha, sulphur, gums of resinous trees, charcoal, saltpetre, pitch and other bitumens were used.

When the old man speaks of his oldest daughter as the flower of the family he probably means the wall flower.

Does Your FOOD Digest Well?

When the food is imperfectly digested the full benefit is not derived from it by the body and the purpose of eating is defeated; no matter how good the food or how carefully adapted to the wants of the body it may be. Thus the dyspeptic often becomes thin, weak and debilitated, energy is lacking, brightness, snap and vim are lost, and in their place come dullness, lost appetite, depression and languor. It takes no great knowledge to know when one has indigestion, some of the following symptoms generally exist, viz.: constipation, sour stomach, variable appetite, headache, heartburn, gas in the stomach, etc.

The great point is to cure it, to get back bounding health and vigor.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

is constantly effecting cures of dyspepsia, because it acts in a natural yet effective way upon all the organs involved in the process of digestion, removing all clogging impurities and easing the way of digestion and assimilation.

Mr. R. G. Harvey, Ameliasburg, Ont., writes: "I have been troubled with dyspepsia for several years and after using three bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters I was completely cured. I cannot praise B.B.B. enough for what it has done for me. I have not had a sign of dyspepsia since."

Do not accept a substitute for B.B.B. There is nothing "just as good."

The advice of our friends comes handy when we really want to blame our failures on something.

It may be possible to have two girls at the same time, but not if they know it.

The most brilliant match ever made would not set the world on fire.

THE ENSIGN REMEDIES

"Whatever is sufficient to build a human body is sufficient to keep it in repair."

—Ensign.

RHEUMATISM

It is caused by the retention of waste matter. ENSIGN REMEDY No. 22 cures naturally by eliminating the waste. Effects prompt: cure permanent.

Booklets on General Diseases, Private Diseases, Women's Diseases and Varicose of Druggists.

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

A CONVICT'S ROMANCE

ODD WAY IN WHICH A LIFE PRISONER WON HIS FREEDOM.

The story of the construction of the Old Statehouse at Albany—The Price of a Genius Who Saw and Grasped His Opportunity.

Vouched for by the late Henry Smith, who said he learned the fact through being speaker of the assembly, there is an interesting bit of history connected with the old statehouse at Albany, where it stood for years, the finest example of pure Doric architecture in this country, on the easterly side of Eagle street, between Pine and Steuben streets, its walls and partitions all of solid stone, very much as if its halls, rooms and stairs had been carved out within a huge block of marble.

It was completed in 1842, costing the state about \$350,000. It is built entirely of Sing Sing marble, quarried and cut within the prison walls.

The old capital being inadequate to accommodate the increasing business of the state, this additional building was planned and built and is still used for the offices of the state comptroller, the state engineer and surveyor and the state banking department.

In a spirit of economy it was decided to have as much as possible of the work done by the prisoners from the material found within the prison walls at Sing Sing, fairly good material, too, but not the best, as it is a soft marble, as evidenced by the wear which now shows so plainly in the steps and by the crumbling of some of the stones from exposure to the weather. All the material was cut to completion within the walls of the prison under such plans that when shipped to Albany there would be no further work necessary except practically to lay one stone upon another, and so on until the whole was assembled in the completed building.

To accomplish this detailed plan a system of marking the stones was necessary. The plans were carefully laid out by the architect in charge, who found in the prison at Sing Sing a life prisoner whose record showed him to be an engineer of the highest ability and who seemed as competent as any man in the country to carry out the work to be done in the prison, and naturally he was not unwilling to follow his chosen profession in preference to doing the manual labor of cutting or quarrying stone. So, following the spirit of economy referred to above, the plans in detail and the system of marking were turned over to him and the whole work at that end given over to his full superintendence and absolute control.

In due time the stones in their various shapes and sizes and in quantity for the whole building were delivered in Albany and the work of construction commenced in accordance with the plans and system of marking originally furnished. With the very first stone there was trouble. It not only did not fit the place, but none of the stones marked to adjoin it fitted it, and, further, it did not seem ever intended for the place the number indicated. Investigation brought out that the stones were not of the sizes or shapes specified and shown on the plans, and, as to the system of marking, it was quite evident that the stones brought together by it had no relation whatever to each other.

The bewildered architect hardly knew whether he was a candidate for the asylum or possibly for Sing Sing. However, a careful verification of his plans and his marking system proved their correctness, and the blame fell squarely upon the civil engineer, the life prisoner. He was questioned, taken severely to task and roundly rated for his incompetence and threatened and abused. He met it all calmly. "It looks to me like a mighty good joke on you fellows. Anyway it is the best joke I have heard since I came to Sing Sing."

Finally, in answer to the abuse and slurs as to his capabilities as an engineer, he said he had changed the plans both in dimension and shape where they had diverged from purity of style, and the system of marking of the stones, but if they could find some one who understood his system and perfect, excelling the original plan. "But," he added, with a grin, "you can probably get out new stone a good deal quicker than you can work out my system."

Then the state officials said, "We will take you to Albany and force you to put up the building."

He said, "No."

They pointed out the advantage of life in Albany for a time in preference to Sing Sing.

He said, "No."

They tried to bargain with him.

He said, "Secure my pardon and I will stand by you until the building is complete."

They offered to have him pardoned after he had proved what he said by finishing the building.

He said, "No."

He said he would be compelled to work in prison, but not in Albany, and that even in prison they could compel him to do only manual labor unless he chose and that the price of his genius in grasping the opportunity that had come his way was a full pardon.

What else was there to do?

He was pardoned, and the old statehouse stands today in testimony of the fact that he kept his word and a glorious memory to an unknown genius.



What Do You Know of Ontario?

Where are you trying to do business? Do you know all about Ontario?

Ontario has over one-third the total population of Canada—pays over 50% of the money paid in the Dominion to wage earners and over 51% of the salaries. Has over 51% of the working capital of the Dominion invested in Manufacturing.

Don't you think it's worth advertising to your neighbors. The "News" covers the whole Province—goes into 2,475 Post Offices daily. The rate is Flat 56 cents per inch.

This advertisement would cost \$2.50 per day in The News

Announcement of the Toronto News

The London 'Bus.

It is beginning to be felt that the horse omnibus in London will by-and-by disappear. A writer in T. P.'s Weekly recalls the introduction of the vehicle, and points out that London did not take kindly to the word "omnibus." "What is the plural?" people asked, and when Joseph Hume spoke in the House of Commons of omnibuses there was the laughter called "much." The vehicles were long known as "shillibeeers." The first two shillibeeers ran to the city by the New road, now the Marylebone, Euston and Pentonville roads. They were drawn by three horses abreast, and had conductors who had been with Shillibeeers in Paris. When it became known that they were sons of naval officers the young ladies of the Paddington used to ride as far as King's Cross in order to improve their French.

These shillibeeers carried twenty-two passengers; the fare was a shilling. Newspapers and magazines were provided—without reason, since the journey was slow, and there was a long half-way halt. In this generosity Shillibeeers was outdone by a later omnibus, the Haymarket and Chelsea. Cloud placed a small, well-chosen library in each of his omnibuses, so that he who rode might read the standard authors. Mr. Henry Charles Moore, whose history of "Omnibuses and Cabs" is admirably full, says that people rode to Hammersmith purposely to read these books. As they also stole them, this method of getting culture was not so expensive as it looks. The first Free Library was an omnibus.

Pure Tea

Hygienic Packages

Users of Grand Mogul Tea pronounce it the beverage of good health. Grown on the sun-kissed mountains of Ceylon, it has the delicious and mellow flavor of purity.

Prepared by machinery from plantation to cup. The packages, lined with airtight paper, protect it from store dust and microbes. Never sold in bulk nor in poisonous lead. The effort to substitute some other tea to be "just as good" is the desire of some dealers for an excessive profit on an inferior article.

Grand Mogul Tea

Gold at 25c, 30c, 40c, and 50c per pound. Look for the premium coupon and list of premiums in each package.

ICE CREAM PARLORS

OPPOSITE BANK OF MONTREAL

One of the finest assortments of Candy in the city, fresh every day.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Ice Cream or goods delivered to any part of the city. Light lunches served.

J. H. Rhody

In Wigzell's Old Stand.

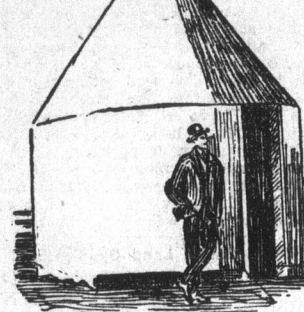
THE NORDARCH TENTS

IMPROVED TENTS FOR HOUSING CONSUMPTION SUFFERERS.

Built With a Frame As Substantial As That of a Dwelling. They Are Models of Comfort, Will Withstand the Heaviest of Gales and Are Not Affected By Either Rain or Snow—Octagonal in Shape.

Never before in the history of the world has more attention been given than now to that dread disease, consumption. Never has the "tent treatment" been so widely used. This "tent treatment" is being given a thorough test in several places, notably in Colorado, where the climatic conditions are such that life out of doors is possible for most of the year.

The tents most in use are of the Nordarch pattern, so called after a camp



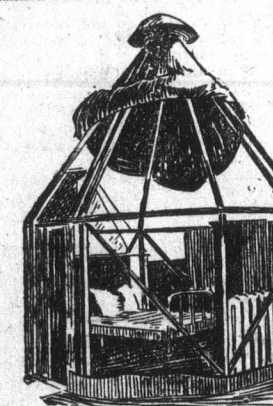
STEAM HEATED TENTS FOR TUBERCULOSIS PATIENTS.

of that name, where consumptives have been treated with marked success. In the Union Printers' Home of Colorado, where ten of these tents are in use, fully fifty per cent. of the patients have recovered health.

These tents are octagonal in shape, as this form has proved the best to resist wind. They are built with a framework as substantial as that of a house, the intersections reinforced with castings, and every part so firmly anchored that they will withstand a wind of one hundred miles an hour. They are covered with the best double filled army canvas, which is not affected by snow or rain.

It is in the arrangement for ventilation that the chief virtue in these tents lies, for this is the all important factor in the outdoor treatment of tuberculosis. The tents have hardwood floors, built a few feet from the ground. Four feet from the ground, and four feet in length, are at the corners of the floor, and these can be opened or closed at pleasure, a wire screen forming a protection against bugs and insects. Another ventilator is in the peak of the roof. This is managed by a cord.

The tents are attractively furnished with a white iron bedstead, rug, chairs and a built-in closet, bureau and



SHOWING THE INSIDE OF TENT AND THE FRAMEWORK.

washstand. Those in Colorado Springs, which were considered models of their kind, are the only steam heated tents in the world. The first cost of the installation of this heating apparatus was expensive, but after the tents are laid, the tents can be built for a little more than one hundred dollars each.

The diet of tuberculosis patients is raw eggs, milk and roast and boiled meats. Other foods are added as the appetite increases and there is better circulation of blood. In all cases, where the outdoor treatment is tried, there is no neglect of sanitary precaution, and care is exercised as much as if the patients were in a house or hospital. Sputum cups are used day and night and all clothing is disinfected.

Newspapers of the World. Among European countries, according to the Revue Hebdomadaire, Germany stands at the head with 5,500 newspapers of which 800 are dailies. England occupies second place with 3,000, 869 dailies. France has 2,513, of which, however, only one-quarter appear daily or two or three times a week. Italy publishes 1,400 newspapers, followed in their order by Austria-Hungary, Spain, Russia, Greece and Switzerland. The total number of newspapers published in Europe is about 20,000.

In Asia not less than 3,000 newspapers appear periodically, the largest number in Japan and the British Indies.

Africa has the smallest number of newspapers, only 200 dailies being published in the whole continent, of which thirty are published in Egypt, the balance in the European colonies.

Newspapers published in the United States at the close of 1903 are given by Rowell's Directory as: Weeklies, 14,455; semi-weeklies, 499; tri-weeklies, 54; dailies, 2,215; total newspapers, 17,223; total periodicals, 3,262; total newspapers and periodicals, 20,485.

The daily and weekly newspapers published in the United States are in number nearly equal to the dailies and weeklies in all Europe.

The distance from Halifax to Vancouver is greater than from London to Halifax.

SUNLIGHT SOAP



Clothes washed by Sunlight Soap are cleaner and whiter than if washed in any other way.

Chemicals in soap may remove the dirt but always injure the fabric. Sunlight Soap will not injure the most dainty lace or the hands that use it, because it is absolutely pure and contains no injurious chemicals.

Sunlight Soap should always be used as directed. No boiling or hard rubbing is necessary.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soap, but is best when used in the Sunlight way.

5c. Buy it and follow directions. 5c.

\$5,000 REWARD will be paid to any person who proves that Sunlight Soap contains any injurious chemicals or any form of adulteration.

Lever Brothers Limited, Toronto

THE GIANT INDIANS.

Peculiar Ways of the Onas of Tierra del Fuego.

The Onas, a tribe of Indians inhabiting the mainland of the Tierra del Fuego island, are over six feet. A few average height is over six feet. A few are six and one-half feet; a few fall below six feet. The women are more corpulent and not so tall. There is no race in the world with a more perfect physical development than the Onas Indians. This is partly due to the topography of the country and the distribution of the game, which makes long marches across the country a necessity.

In mentality they fall far below their physical attainments. In the past their supply of game has been plentiful, and this may account for the lack of inventive genius among them. This lack of progressive skill is portrayed in their home life, clothing and homes. Their children suffer from it, for, contrary to the practice common among most Indians of the world, the Onas' little ones are mostly naked, poorly fed and altogether forlorn. They have abundant material for supplying themselves with clothing and homes, and yet they throw a few branches together, put skins over the windward side and then shiver under the miserable shelter.

Scientists who have made a study of the subject say that the language of the Onas is the strangest ever listened to. Many of the words are not difficult to pronounce, but very few words are interrupted by a sound which it is impossible to produce. The speaker hacks, coughs and grunts, distorting his face in the most inhuman manner, and then passes on to the next stumbling block. The Onas live principally upon meat, which in former years was obtained from the guanaco.

THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA NEW TRAIN—BEST ROUTE.

The Los Angeles Limited, electric lighted, new from the Pullman shops, with all latest innovations for travel comfort, leaves Chicago 10:05 p. m. daily, arrives Los Angeles 4:45 p. m. third day via Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western Line and the Salt Lake Route. Pullman drawing room and tourist sleeping cars, composite observation car, dining car, a la carte service. For rates, sleeping car reservations and full particulars, apply to your nearest agent, or address, B. H. Bennett, 2 East King St., Toronto, Ont.

Do You Want to Know What You Swallow?

There is a growing sentiment in this country in favor of MEDICINES OF KNOWN COMPOSITION. It is not natural that one should have some interest in the composition of that which he or she is expected to swallow, whether it be food, drink or medicine.

Recognizing this growing disposition on the part of the public, and satisfied that the fullest publicity can only add to the well-earned reputation of his medicines, Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., has taken time by the forelock, as it were, and is publishing broadcast a list of all the ingredients entering into his famous medicines, the "Golden Medical Discovery," the popular liver invigorator, stomach tonic, blood purifier and heart regulator; also of his "Favorite Prescription" for weak, over-worked, broken-down, nervous and invalid women.

This bold and outspoken movement on the part of Dr. Pierce, has, by showing exactly what his well-known medicines are composed of, completely disarmed all harping critics who have heretofore unjustly attacked them. A little pamphlet has been compiled, from the standard authorities of all the several medical schools of practice, showing the strongest endorsements by leading medical writers of the several ingredients which enter into the composition of Dr. Pierce's medicines. Address Dr. Pierce as above.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Granules. They regulate and invigorate Stomach, Liver and Bowels. Do not begrudge the "pill habit," but take these. One or two each day for cure constipation. Once tried always in favor. Active habit. Once tried always in favor.

\$50,000 GIVEN AWAY. In copies of Medical Advertiser, a book that sold to the extent of 500,000 copies a few years ago, at \$1.50 per copy.

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Cummings Is Free.

Toronto, Feb. 5.—A. J. Cummings, first arrested as having been mixed up in a counterfeit money deal and later identified as being a notorious bank burglar, was freed yesterday by Magistrate Denison and advised to leave the country. There was not enough evidence.

The publisher of the best Farmers' paper in the Maritime Provinces, in writing to us, states:

"I would say that I do not know of a medicine that has stood the test of time like MINARD'S LINIMENT. It has been an unfailing remedy in our household ever since I can remember, and has outlived dozens of would-be competitors and imitators."

Italian Salad Dressing.

A teaspoonful of tomato paste or tomato catsup, a dash of pepper and half a teaspoonful of salt and a pinch of dry mustard; add four tablespoonfuls of olive oil, gradually stirring all the while; add a tablespoonful of vinegar and a suggestion of garlic.

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SPECIAL PATES TO NEW ORLEANS.

For the Mardi Gras Festivities at New Orleans, La. The very low rate of one way first class fare, plus \$2.25 for the round trip, will be in effect. Good going February 21st to 26th, valid returning on or before March 3rd. Call on agents of Grand Trunk Railway for full particulars.

It is better to rise to the occasion than to jump at conclusions.

A PRIVATE TRAIN THROUGH MEXICO.

A beautiful trip—all the month of February in Mexico, the oldest country in the New World—is being organized by the Grand Trunk Railway System, leaving Montreal for the special sleeping cars on the "Tate" national limited, 9:00 a. m., January 29th, 1906. These cars will be attached to the private train leaving Chicago the following morning. Rate includes everything. Train under special arrangement of the best authority on Mexico. Finest train in the world. Best and only thorough tour of Mexico offered. Particulars and descriptive matter from any agent of the Grand Trunk Railway System or from J. B. McDonald, Union Station, Toronto.

Port Arthur Steel Works.

Port Arthur, Feb. 3.—An agreement between the town and the Port Arthur Steel Co. for the establishment of tube works, etc., at Port Arthur, which will be in the neighborhood of half a million, was given its third reading in council. It meets with the approval of the people, and the by-law will pass. The town bonds the company with \$100,000, putting up \$25,000 for every \$100,000 spent on works by the company, and also gives the company a site of 100 acres. Work has to commence in three months from the signing of the agreement.

Cause of Headaches

You must look well after the condition of your liver and bowels. Unless there is daily action of the bowels, poisonous products are absorbed, causing headaches, biliousness, nausea, dyspepsia. Ayer's Pills are genuine liver pills. We have no secret. We publish J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

GRAND TRUNK

Taken effect Sunday, Oct. 1st, 1905.

WEST.

9:30 a.m. for Windsor, Detroit and intermediate stations except Sunday.

12:52 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.

4:18 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit.

9:19 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago and west.

International Limited daily.

*Mixed 2:30 p. m.

EAST.

2:37 a.m. for London, Hamilton, Toronto, Buffalo.

12:00 p.m. for London, Toronto, Montreal, Buffalo and New York.

5:19 p.m. for London, Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and East.

9:00 p.m. for London and intermediate stations.

*Daily except Sunday: *Tail.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

Corrected Oct. 1st, 1905.

GOING EAST GOING WEST

7 a.m. daily, ex. Sunday 1:03 a.m.

*3:18 a. m. Express. *1:13 a.m.

*3:32 p.m. *8:50 p.m.

*This train runs daily except Sunday. Starts from here and remains over night.

THE VASHAW RAILROAD CO.

GOING WEST EAST BOUND

6:1 a.m. No. 2—12:23 p.m.