

THE AIR IS GERM-LADEN

In the Springtime—Disease is Ready to Make You a Victim When the Blood is Thin—Rich, Red Blood is the Greatest of Germicides—You Can Get the Blood Right by Using

DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD

When the blood is rich and red, when it is largely composed of red corpuscles, there is little chance for disease germs. They cannot thrive in the system which is filled with good blood.

But in the spring the blood is especially thin, weak and watery. It lacks the vitalizing red corpuscles which are an easy prey to the germs of disease which seek to lurk everywhere at this time of year.

You can fortify yourself against the germs of disease by using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. This great restorative treatment forms new, red corpuscles in the blood, makes the blood rich, red and healthy.

Weakness, tired feelings, stomach derangements and disorders of the nervous system soon disappear when Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is used.

This medicine cures by the building-up process, and for this reason its benefits are lasting. Nearly everybody needs something in the spring to enrich the blood and tone up the system, and it would be impossible to get a more satisfactory spring tonic than Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, at all dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

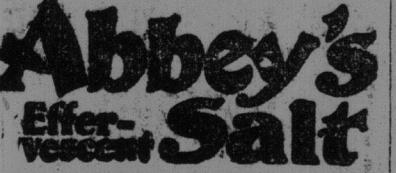
WHY NOT TRY IT?

When you need a laxative, why not try Abbey's Salt?

It is pleasant to take—does not flake on top of the water—and effervesces slowly, without causing or blinding the eyes like seidlitz powders.

Abbey's Salt is used all over the world and regularly prescribed by the leading physicians.

Why don't you find out what it will do for you?



Coronation Number

"Night and Day," the quarterly organ of Dr. Barnardo's Homes, issues its coronation number with a colored cover, and with several new features. The illustrations are numerous and telling. It devotes much of its space to the coronation fund of the homes, which includes the issue of 20,000 Borden Bearer Shares, at one guinea each, for the furtherance and development of "Child Borden's" work. The subscription list opened on 10th April, and names of Borden-bearers are to be attached to "Coronation Number."

In a facsimile letter of praise, the honorary director states that in this coronation year the homes are faced with a drop in the income largely due to diminished receipts from legacies. "We are," he says, "receiving such small donations from boys and girls for the benefit of the nation and the empire of which we are all justly proud, and we are anxious that the progress of our work should not be hampered by the lack of funds." Over \$2,500,000 young people are today under the care of the homes; their emigration work (hitherto phenomenally successful) is in full swing; and their new boys' garden city at Woodford Bridge is steadily rising to give country air and country stamps to the boys who have been rescued, in most cases from city slums.

The report of 1910, nearly ready, under the title "For God and Country," set out with much fulness the varied methods of these remarkable homes, and a copy will be sent, in return for six penny stamps, to any applicant. The usual founder's day fete, held annually, which draws visitors from far and near, is fixed to take place at the girls' village home, Barking, on Saturday, 1st July. The magazine is well worth reading. Send for a gratis specimen to the headquarters, 18 to 28, St. John's Way, London, E.

Nervous Prostration

Makes You Weak, Helpless and Miserable

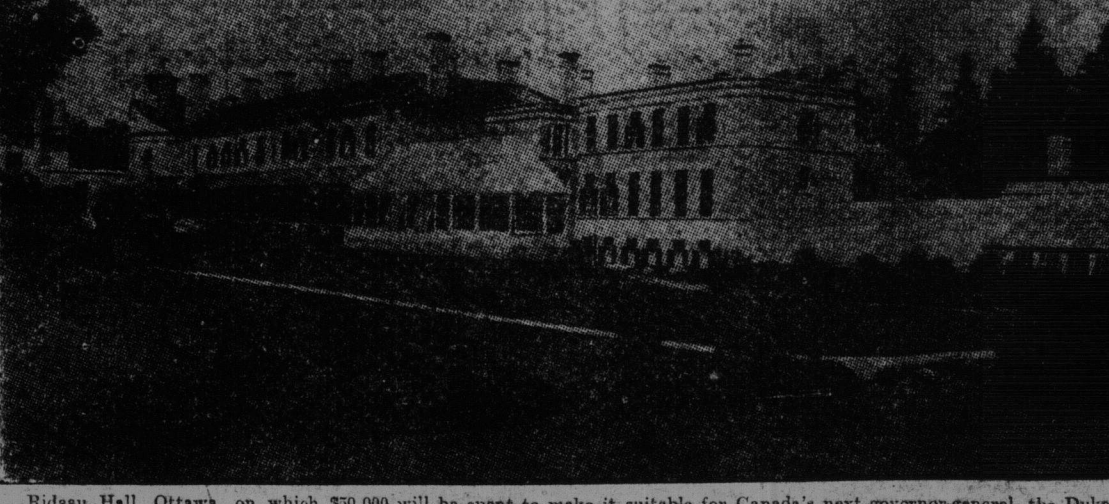
Wherever there are busy people who are troubled with nervous prostration, they will find that Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will restore the equilibrium of these deranged centres, and bring back the shattered nervous system to perfect condition.

They do this by their restorative influence on every organ and tissue of the body, and their extraordinary restorative power manifests itself immediately they are taken.

Mrs. G. D. Ward, Huntsville, Ont., writes: "I take pleasure in sending you my testimonial in praise of your Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I suffered terribly with nervous prostration, and became so bad I was not able to attend to my household duties, and now I can truthfully say that I owe my life to them. Three boxes stopped my trouble."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price. The T. Milburn Co., Limited, London, England.

THE HOME OF CANADA'S GOVERNOR-GENERAL



Rideau Hall, Ottawa, on which \$50,000 will be spent to make it suitable for Canada's next governor-general, the Duke of Connaught.

MACDONALD COLLEGE IS HONORED

Hearty Commendation Comes From Three Eminent British Statesmen—A Great Work for Agriculture is Recognized

(Macdonald College Magazine).

It is the almost unique privilege of the editors of the Macdonald College Magazine to publish letters from three of the most eminent British statesmen—from those three members of the British Government whose messages should have the most peculiar interest to this college, standing as it does for the advancement of learning, the improvement of agriculture and the upholding of the empire.

With the exception of some personal messages which the editor will always publish, those who know the responsibilities of these gentlemen will realize the value of their messages.

The first is from Walter Runciman, the man who is responsible for the direction of the educational policy of the five million inhabitants of Great Britain. WHITEHALL, LONDON, S. W.

My dear Sir,

At a time when all kinds of practical and useful education are occupying the most earnest attention of the board of education of the mother country, we watch with deep interest and sympathy the development of Macdonald College. Thanks to the generosity of your founder you have a great opportunity of which we know that you are taking advantage. The old country hopes to learn much from your experience and will always be glad to share the results of her own at your disposal. We believe that the interchange of ideas based on the experience of the mother country and the colonies will afford an invaluable contribution to the vital resources of the empire.

Yours faithfully,

WALTER RUNCIMAN,

President of the Board of Education.

Lord Carrington, in whose hands lie the destinies of British agriculture, writes as follows:—

It gives me very much pleasure to accept the hospitality of the columns of the Macdonald College Magazine to send a message of greeting to the agricultural students of the Province of Quebec, and through them to the whole agricultural community of Canada. As the Macdonald College is a literary standard of which we are all proud and to which the magazine will, I hope, live up to.

Lastly, I wish well to the editor. His lot is fallen in a fair place. May he be happy and successful subject of the king and citizen of Canada.

Yours very sincerely,

L. H. CARBONELL.

Words like these from across the Atlantic Ocean, and from the pen of the old country who are the pillars upholding the empire, should be a stimulus to it and to us for each one of us stands for Macdonald College. The eyes of the world are upon it, and us.

A QUEEN AT HER KNITTING



This picture shows Queen Victoria of Spain, engaged in charitable work for the poor of Madrid, in which she takes a decided interest. This is her newest picture, and as a photograph of royalty is unique.

A STEP AT A TIME

Have you ever noticed how unreasonably the man at the bottom of the ladder envies the man at the top of the ladder?—He has been actually attained does the man appear at the top, and the consequence is that he gets credit for the step at a time climbing which has brought him there.

This, at any rate, is the experience of the Midland Vinegar Company of England, the manufacturers of "H. P. Sauce."

They are now at the top of the ladder—H. P. is an assured success—everybody who tastes it likes it, and recommends his friends to make a trial of it.

Amid the general business success no one has been able to imagine in all these years was given over to the Midland Vinegar Company to capital experiment with different varieties of rich Oriental fruits and before a specially delicious, rich, thick, juicy sauce like H. P. was arrived at, the company had sent forth to win the way with the people. H. P. has been a success from the very first—but that is because its manufacturers climbed up to a step at a time, and did not want themselves as sauce manufacturers until they had a perfect sauce to talk about. You try H. P. You will like it—everybody does.

IT GROWS HAIR

Here Are Facts I Want You To Prove at My Risk

Marvelous as it may seem, Resall "33" Hair Tonic has grown hair on heads that were once bald. Of course, in none of these cases were hair roots dead, nor had the scalp taken on a glazed, shiny appearance.

Resall "33" Hair Tonic acts scientifically, destroying the germs which are usually responsible for balding. It penetrates to the roots of the hair, stimulating and nourishing them. It is a most pleasant and necessary hair restorative, and will not grow hair permanently stain the hair.

I want to point out a little of Resall "33" Hair Tonic and as directed. If it does not grow hair, return it, remove and refund your hair from falling out and produce an increased growth of hair, and in every way give entire satisfaction, single or come back, and tell me for it. Two sizes, 50c and \$1.00. Sold only at my store—The Resall Store, Chas. R. Watson, 109 King Street.

WILL PRESS VOTE ON RECIPROCITY BILL

Washington, May 17.—Senator Stone of Missouri announced at the senate finance committee at the hearing on the reciprocity and free trade bills that he would soon press for a vote on reciprocity. He said he did not propose to let the hearings drag along indefinitely.

An unsuccessful attempt was made by the committee to fix a time to close the dual hearing. Senator Penrose, chairman of the committee, expressed the belief that the reciprocity bill hearing would end soon.

Here's a Home Dye

That Can Use ANYONE.

HOME DYEING always been more or less of a difficult task, not only when taking into account the time and trouble, but also the cost of the materials.

With DYCLA you can dye either Wool, Cotton, Silk or Linen. Dyes Perfectly with the SAME DYE. No need of using the same dye for all kinds of goods you have to color.

THE VALUE OF IDEALS

What we make of ourselves depends upon the ideals which we habitually hold. Our lives are shaped upon our mental models. If these be high, the life is lofty; if low, it grovels. Man is no better than the ideal he holds. The stream runs higher or lower than its source. Our work can never exceed our ideal, our ambition. It is a great thing to keep the constant suggestion of high ideals, of things that are grand and noble in human achievement, in the mind. It tends to make us love the right and hate the wrong.

There is one thing we ought to hold in such sacredness that no consideration could induce us to dilute it, and that is the quality of the life, the quality of our ideals. Whatever else we are careless about, we can not afford to carry through our lives low ideals, second-class personalities or demoralized mentalities. However, humble our homes or ordinary our environment, we should keep the quality of the life, the personality, at the highest possible standard. We should allow nothing to deteriorate it.

Yet most people are careless and indifferent regarding the quality of their lives. There is a sluggishness in their living, a slovenliness in their mentality, which tend to deteriorate the quality of the life and make it cheap and commonplace.

Whatever your career, guard your ideal as the apple of your eye, the pearl of great price; for everything depends upon the direction in which that points. If it points downward, no amount of money or influence can redeem you from mediocrity, or even save you from a degraded life. Man is so made that he must follow his ideal. He can not go up if his ideal points down.

How true it is that without a vision the life perishes. Where the pursuits are low, where the highest aim is the all-absorbing ambition to make money, everything that is finest, cleanest and most beautiful in life evaporates; the nature becomes gross; this is the threatening picture of American character today.

The vast resources and great commercial possibilities of this country are so tempting, so fascinating, that by the time they are ready for active life our youth are so saturated with commercialism, so ambitious to earn every bit of their ability, their education, their influence, their friendships, almost everything into dollars, that all else is neglected. They lose their ideals, which are the true test of character. (Success Magazine)

"The interesting thing, however, with which I am concerned to-night is that this great work for the diffusion of knowledge is to be brought out before the world and commended to it under the auspices of one of the great universities. The significant thing is that here is a great university taking charge of a work, extra-academic, which has to do with humanity at large, which has to do not with the hearing of classes or the delivery of lectures, or the teaching of the men within the walls of a college; but here is an effort on the part of a great university to spread knowledge of an exact and of a fruitful sort throughout all the world. I believe this is a significant ideal for all universities, and for our own universities in particular."

Dr. Henry Smith Pritchett, in his speech at the dinner to the Canadian and United States contributors to the new Encyclopedia Britannica.

Comprehensive In Its Scope

THE 11th Edition of the Encyclopedia Britannica was described by Dr. Pritchett as constituting a "cross section of the trunk of the tree of knowledge as it stood in the year 1910," and did not the very appropriateness of this comparison render it difficult to grasp, no further account of the essentially comprehensive character of the work would be called for at all.

The 40,000 articles into which the book is divided, deal with persons (of every nationality and all periods, including persons still living), places, histories (whether of countries or institutions), languages, literatures, arts, sciences, religions, philosophies, laws, industries, sports and games, and all the things or ideas connected with them. In fact, whatever word may prompt a question, as to the person, place, object, action, or conception for which it stands, forms the title of an article (varying according to the demands of the topic from a few lines to a complete treatise), in which the required information is supplied by an original authority on the subject in question.

The catholicity of the contents of a work for which such a claim can be made and sustained is alike patent to the reader who merely picks up one of its volumes and turns over the pages from a motive of simple curiosity, and to the more critical inspection of the specialist who tests out the articles along the line of thought with which his studies have made him most familiar. For instance, while the former could not but remark the frequent recurrence of short articles under the names of people, the latter approaching the same articles from a more definite viewpoint would soon discover that the 11th Edition was a complete dictionary of international biography, and in fact the only one extant. Or again, the layman might appreciate the adequacy to his own requirements of the treatment of some legal topic, such as *Remi*, while a lawyer judging the legal articles as a whole would almost immediately be impressed by the fact that, to mention only one feature, they constitute a unique synopsis of comparative legislation. Or, to take one more instance, while the general reader might wonder at the exhaustive character of a work which devoted a separate article to the elucidation of the history and meaning of the term *Ophion*, a lexicographer would realize that the so-called *Dictionary articles*, of which this is an example, were designed to cover the hitherto neglected territory lying near the border-line at which a work of reference ceases to be an encyclopedia and becomes a dictionary.

Just as a portrait seems to each observer to be looking at him alone, so the scope of the new Encyclopedia Britannica always seems to be measured to the viewpoint and requirements of the particular reader who is consulting it, and this, after all, is the final test of universality in a work of reference.

A New Exposition of Knowledge

There is at present no existing encyclopedia which is fully up to date and competent to meet the requirements of this century. By issuing this entirely new survey of human learning, worthy alike of the ancient reputation of the work and of the standing of Cambridge, the Syndics of the University Press are meeting an obvious need. The new (11th) Edition, whilst preserving the characteristic features, and the method and manner which have caused so unique a value to be attached to the pronouncement of the Encyclopedia Britannica in the past, has been built on original lines and upon a new foundation.

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The reader who has satisfied himself that the new Britannica is a work he should have, is urged to send in his order at once, so that it may be registered in advance of the thousands of orders which will be posted on May 31st and the days preceding. The form printed on this page may be used for this purpose.

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