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No other Old Tom will settle your stomach and clear
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Do not seek out a miserable existence as a result of your failure, you are not safe until
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Have you pain in the back, a dull feeling in the region of the kidneys? At times your
water comes freely, a large quantity light in color, while at other times you do not make
it quite so freely, it is dark in color, you make a small quantity, or you may have a mucous
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You need pay nothing until you are convinced that a thorough and complete cure has
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SINFUL HABITS IN YOUTH
MAKE NERVOUS, WEAK, DISEASED MEN.
THE RESULT of ignorance and folly in youth, overexertion of mind and body
induced by lust and exposure are constantly wrecking the lives
and future happiness of thousands of promising young men. Some fade and wither
at an early age, at the blossom of manhood, while others are forced to drag out a
weary, fruitless and melancholy existence. Others reach mat-
rimony but find no solace or comfort there. The victims are found
in all stations of life—the farm, the office, the workshop, the
pulpit, the trades and the professions. Nervous Debility and Seminal
Weakness are guaranteed cured by our New Method Treatment or No
Pay. You run no risk. 25 years in Detroit. Bank security.
CURED WHEN ALL ELSE FAILED. No name need without written consent.
"I am 33 years of age and married. When young I led a gay
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built me up mentally, physically and sexually. I feel and act
like a man in every respect. They treated me six years ago. They are honest,
skilful and responsible financially. No why patronize Quacks and Fakirs when you
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NOW IS THE TIME TO SUBSCRIBE

JOHNNY'S PA.

My pa he always went to school,
He says an' studied hard.
W'y, when he's just as old as ma,
He knows things by the yard!
Arithmetic? He knew it all.
From divided to sum,
But when he tells me how it was
My grandma she says, "Hum!"

My pa he always got the prize
For never being late.
An' when they studied Jogertry
He knew 'bout ev'ry state.
He says he knew the rivers an'
Knew all their outs an' ins.
But when he tells me all of that
My grandma she just grins.

My pa he never missed a day
A-goin' to the school.
An' never played no hooky nor
Forgot the teacher's rule.
An' ev'ry class he's ever in
The rest he always led.
My grandma, when pa talks that way,
Just laughs an' shakes her head.

My grandma says 'at boys is boys,
The same as pa is pa.
An' when I set her what she means
She says it is "because."
She says 'at little-boys is best
When they grows up to men.
Because they know how good they were
An' tell their children them.

—Baltimore American.

Absentminded Professor.



"What are you looking for, Professor
Gumpersnitz?"
"I am looking under 'S' for my spec-
tacles."—Chicago News.

A Misunderstanding.

A tourist, passing along an English
highway, was anxious to know the
name of a large wood that lay just off
the main road and appealed to a pass-
ing yokel for information.

"My man," says the traveler, "can
you tell me the name of that wood?"
Yokel—Witchwood.
Tourist—That wood.

Yokel—Witchwood.
Tourist—Why, that wood over there.
Are you blind?

Yokel—Witchwood.
Tourist—Are you drunk or mad or
both. (Pointing.) That wood.

Yokel—I should think you be the mad
un. (Departs chuckling.)
And it wasn't till the traveler looked
at a map that he realized that the
name of the spot was "Witchwood."
—London King.

Unhappy Man.

Ab!
There is frost upon the window pane.
How my teeth chatter!

Yet with what merriment, what glad-
ness of soul, do I go to the back door
and drive away the man who has
knocked!

For he is the ice man.
Alas, 'tis a short lived joy!
I go to the front door in answer to a
ring.

The same man stands there.
"Did I not tell you to go away?" I
ask.

"Yes," he answers, "but I just want-
ed to tell you that I have quit the ice
business now and am selling coal!"—
Baltimore American.

No Advantage in It.

"Yes," said the postmistress at Po-
dunk Corners, "I'm goin' to resign."
Is the salary too small?

"Oh, I never did take the job for the
salary, an' now there ain't nothin' else
to it. Why, there ain't one person in
twenty that writes on a postal card
these days, an' the thin envelopes that
you could see through has gone all out
of fashion."—Chicago Post.

His Observation.

"Why don't you try to do something
for your country?" asked the earnest
citizen.

"Young man," answered Senator Sor-
ghum, "I have read history, and I have
observed that all of the troubles coun-
tries ever have are made by people who
claim to be trying to do something for
them."—Washington Star.

Not Inappropriate.

Church—I see it's the thing now for
a man to have his initials on the back
of his automobile.

Gotham—Yes; that is so one can
tell who the fellow is who owns it.
"Well, that fellow who took up all
the road had H. O. G. on the back of
his!"—Yonkers Statesman.

An Offset.

Wealthy American Father-in-law—I
find, count, you did not tell me the full
extent of your debts.

Count Boyton de Bakovianek—And
you did not tell me, sare, ze full extent
of mademoiselle's temper. —Chicago
Tribune.

The Autocrat Satisfied.

"Well, I've got the plans for my new
house all finished."
"Got them fixed to suit, eh?"
"No, no, but the architect says he is
satisfied with them."—Philadelphia
Record.

Sure Death.

Biggs—Poor Jones! He's done for
this time.
Biggs—Is there no hope for him?
Biggs—None whatever. He's got
three doctors. —New York Herald.

Saving Money.

"And where did he take you after the
theater?"
"Home."
"Ah! So you are engaged at last?"—
Chicago Record-Herald.

The Dread of an Operation

Stares Many Pile Sufferers in
the Face—The Safest and Sur-
est Cure is

Dr. Chase's Ointment

Possibly you are a sufferer from
piles and have been disheartened and
discouraged because your physician
has told you that nothing short of
an operation will cure you.
You dread the thought of a surgi-
cal operation, for, besides the expense
and strain on the nervous system,
there is the risk of life itself. It is
only a few months since a member
of the Ontario Legislature lost his
life as the result of an operation for
piles. The risk of an operation is too
great, and, besides, it is unneces-
sary.

Dr. Chase's Ointment has frequen-
tly cured piles after surgical opera-
tions have failed. It is every day
curing cases which physicians have
stated to be incurable by any treat-
ment short of an operation.

If you could read a few of the
letters we receive from persons who
have been cured of piles by using Dr.
Chase's Ointment you would soon be
convinced of its wonderful control
over this frightfully common disease.

Rev. S. A. Duprau, Methodist min-
ister, Concession, Prince Edward
County, Ont., writes: "I was trou-
bled with itching and bleeding piles
for years, and they ultimately at-
tained to a very violent form. Large
lumps or abscesses formed so that it
was with great difficulty and con-
siderable pain that I was able to
stoop. At this severe crisis I pur-
chased a box of Dr. Chase's Oint-
ment, but I had little or no faith in
it, as I had tried various remedies
before and to no purpose.

"Now, imagine how great and joy-
ous was my surprise to find that just
the one box cured me, so that the
lumps disappeared and the pain, the
external swelling, I feel like a dif-
ferent man to-day, and have not the
least doubt that Dr. Chase's Oint-
ment saved me from a very danger-
ous and painful operation, and many
years of suffering. It is with the
greatest pleasure and with a thank-
ful heart that I give this testimonial,
knowing that Dr. Chase's Ointment
has done as much for me. You are
at perfect liberty to use this testimo-
nial as you see fit for the benefit
of others similarly afflicted."

Dr. Chase's Ointment 60c. a box.
At all dealers or Edmondson, Bates
& Co., Toronto.

Is he a gold enthusiast?
Oh, no. He pretends to be, but he
isn't.

How do you know?
Why, he gives up playing when the
thermometer gets down to zero.

Nature has just one pigment on her
palette with which she produces all
the marvellous tints of beauty, and
that one pigment is the blood. The
shell-like pink beneath the finger
nails, the delicate rose of the cheek,
the cherry ripeness of the lips, the ir-
resistible brilliancy of the eyes are all
produced by the blood. Just as the
permanence of a beautiful painting
will depend upon the purity of the col-
ors with which it is painted, so the
permanence of beauty depends on the
purity of the blood. Paint, powder
and cosmetics won't avail to preserve
beauty. Beauty begins in the blood.
Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery
is a true beautifier, because it pro-
vides for nature that pure blood with
which alone she can paint. The use of
this medicine will cleanse the skin,
brighten the complexion, brighten the
eyes, and give to face and form that
radiance of health which is the great-
est charm of beauty. Dr. Pierce's
Pleasant Pellets are very effective in
ridding the system of clogging re-
siduum, which accumulates with con-
tinued habit.

In life's journey innocent fun often
becomes serious in its consequences.

Never Say Die.

You may be weak, miserable, nerv-
ous, sleepless, your digestion may be
poor, and you despair. Never say die,
until you have used Ferrozone, the
most wonderful blood maker, nerve
strengthening and brain invigorator.
It tones up the whole system. You
can eat anything and digest it if you
use Ferrozone. You sleep well. You
make blood quickly, strength increas-
es daily, in a short time you're well.
Try Ferrozone, which you can obtain at
McCall & Co's Drug Store.

A wise man enjoys the little he has,
while the fool is looking for more.

Here is a Pointer.

Because you haven't used Catarrh-
ozone is the best reason why you
should use it right away. It will
cure the Catarrh that makes your
breath so heavy and your hearing so
poor. Catarrh is a scientific
cure for Catarrh, Bronchitis and
Asthma, recommended by doctors and
druggists as a certain cure. Mr.
Henry A. Taylor, the oldest druggist
in Halifax, says, "Catarrh is a scien-
tific satisfaction wherever it goes. It is
simple and convenient to use, and en-
joys three times the sale of any other
Catarrh remedy sold in the city."
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cure, and if it fails you can have your
money returned. Price \$1.00 for two
months' treatment. Small size 25c.
Druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston,
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the sugared pill has not a bad taste.

The fact that most diseases arise
from an impure or low condition of
the blood, is fully proven by Hood's
Sarsaparilla.

There is no such thing as being
proud before man and humble before
God.

Minard's Liniment relieves Neural-
gia.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

Spots on paint which cannot be stirred
by soap and water will vanish beneath
a rag dipped in washing soda or am-
monia.

Bedclothes should often be exposed to
the direct rays of the sun. It gives
them a sweetening that is promotive of
quiet rest and sleep.

It is said that two ounces of perman-
ganate of potash thrown into a cistern
when the water has become foul will
purify it completely.

Try renovating brass chandeliers
which have become dirty and discol-
ored by washing them with water in
which onions have been boiled.

A good broom holder may be made
by putting two long screws or nails
into the wall about six feet from the
ground. Drop the broom between them
handle down.

Rugs, mats or carpets can be cleaned
thoroughly by generously sprinkling on
them yellow cornmeal that has been
well dampened in clean soapsuds or
weak ammonia water. Sweep off in a
few minutes.

To use oil of red cedar as a moth
preventive pieces of cotton batting
should be wet with the oil and placed
in closets and drawers and in the
months of bags holding garments or
bedding.

Washing Valuable Rugs.

A writer in Good Housekeeping urges
against the practice of putting valu-
able rugs on the line every two or three
weeks and beating the dust and, one is
almost tempted to say, the very life
out of them. Perhaps this is not gen-
erally known: "When the surface be-
comes soiled, it can be washed with no
fear of injuring the colors, since the
majority of oriental rugs are washed
repeatedly before reaching this coun-
try, and the dyes used are thereby
mellowed and enriched. The best
method of washing a large rug is to
stretch and tack it upon a clean floor,
then scour it well with soap suds. Af-
ter the scouring it must be thoroughly
rinsed to remove all trace of the ani-
mal matter in the soap, after which it
should not be removed until it is per-
fectly dried. Then it will not shrink
and will lie perfectly flat upon the
floor. A small rug may be tacked upon
the side of the house or barn, scoured
as if on a floor and then rinsed with
the hose."

Be Just With Children.

Be just with the children, and you
will gain their respect. A broken will
is about as useless as a shattered tea-
cup, while a strong will trained to
obey is the most valuable possession
a child can have.

Never threaten unless you intend to
perform, and don't scold. Explain
briefly to the child why it is at fault,
punish at once and forgive freely, never
referring to the matter again.

A smart, light slap is the most ef-
fective argument to use with a child
under three or four.

Except for cruelty or an exception-
ally gross fault an older child should
never be touched.

If a child is persistently fractious
and unreasonable, presume it is ill and
send it to bed and administer a dose
of licorice powder.

Sitting on a chair may seem a ridi-
culous light punishment, but if pun-
ishment is rare even a slight one is ef-
fective.

An Afternoon Out.

The housekeeper who is without help
is especially in need of rest and recre-
ation. She should set apart an after-
noon, preferably in the middle of the
week, and on the same day each week,
for if not definitely fixed it will too
often be postponed. This leisure time
should be spent in rest or recreation,
duty for the moment laid aside. Of
course when possible these afternoons
should be literally "out" in the fresh
air and sunshine. On stormy days or
when she is very tired a long nap or
an interesting novel may refresh or
amuse the weary worker. A good story,
read before a open fire, is always
enjoyable. But when possible get
away from home, for usually change is
the best rest. Believe me, you will find
this a wise plan. And make your "af-
ternoon out" as long as you can.

Dining Room Decor.

One of the artistic home decorators'
unwritten laws is always to have one
center rug in the dining room, large
enough to hold the chairs comfortably
when people are seated at the table.
A number of small rugs dispersed at
intervals may be permissible in other
rooms, but not in the dining room.
Brass nails and sockets now come for
fastening rugs to the floor, and these
are often used. Strips of lead fast-
ened in an invisible facing underneath
is another way of preventing rugs from
curling up or slipping on a pol-
ished floor.

A Cup of Cocoa.

The woman who is awakened by the
first streak of dawn will do well to
drink a cup of hot cocoa if many hours
are to elapse before breakfast is
served. Cocoa furnishes both food
and drink and is easily digested by
most people. It will relieve any faint
feeling and give one the necessary
strength to dress. The cocoa may be
made the night before and can be heat-
ed in three minutes over an alcohol
lamp. If the cocoa is made with fresh
milk, it will keep perfectly overnight.

Baskets For Salad.

Salad baskets are large, round, shal-
low affairs, made with handles and
widely woven of fine, strong willow.
In these the fresh green salad leaves
are washed. They should be cut from
the roots and dropped loosely into the
baskets. Plunge basket and all up and
down in a large pan of water, after
which they should stand in a cool
place to allow the leaves to drain.

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is
Pure Hard Soap.
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had in the city.

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P.S.—HERBAGEUM will tone up any ill-conditioned
animal you have.

Why can't you act like a little man,
my boy?
Please, sir, I tried to, but the very
first time I swore pa licked me.

How a Sprain Does Hurt

But it isn't the pain alone that is
dreaded, just think of the loss of time
and wages. Sprains without number
have been cured by rubbing Polson's
Nervine well into the pores of the
skin surrounding the joint. No mat-
ter whether it is a sprained wrist,
ankle, knee or back, just try Ner-
vine on it, and see how quickly it will
cure. There is only one liniment that
can be depended upon to cure sprains,
strains and swellings, and that is
Polson's Nervine. Large bottle 25
cents.

Fox Farming in Alaska.

Within the last fifteen years the new
industry of "fox farming" has been
developed in Alaska. It originated in
the desire to preserve the valuable
blue fox from extermination. The ex-
periment was begun by placing twenty
foxes on an unoccupied island. In the
course of a few years some thirty is-
lands were thus turned into fox
ranches. It was found that the ani-
mals soon became sufficiently domesti-
cated to cease fearing their keepers
and to assemble at feeding places.
Eight hundred or a thousand foxes are
included in a ranch. At the proper
age a certain number are killed for
their pelts. The business appears to
pay well, and it is suggested that oth-
er fur bearing animals might be do-
mesticated and propagated in a similar
manner.

Bridget, what did you say to Miss
Smith when she called?
I told her you were out this toime
for sure, ma'am.

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anyone's business. And it is a
very poor business which
pretends to be philanthropy.

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nerves, they enrich and purify
the blood, they cure constipa-
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pension Bridge or Buffalo.

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in New England during the great
Christmas festival.

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Messrs. C. C. Richards & Co.
Gentlemen,—My three children were
dangerously low with diphtheria. On
the advice of our priest my wife began
the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT. In
two hours they were greatly relieved,
and in five days they were completely
well, and I firmly believe your valu-
able Liniment saved the lives of my
children.

Gratefully yours,
ADELBERT LEBEVRE.
Mair's Mills, June 10th, 1899.

A lady will not criticise a man's
dress no matter how peculiar it seems.

Monkey Brand Soap makes copper like
gold, tin like silver, crockery like marble,
and windows like crystal.

A woman never likes to listen to the
tales of woe of another woman.

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