

SOMETHING WORTH KNOWING

Every little while, says a correspondent, we read in the papers of some one who has stuck a nail in his foot, or hand, or some other portion of his person, and that lock-jaw has resulted therefrom, of which the patient died. If every person in the world was a victim of a perfect remedy for all such wounds, and apply it, then all such reports must cease. But although we can give the remedy we cannot enforce the application. Some will not employ it, because they think it too simple; others have no faith in it when they read; while others often think such a wound of small account and not worth fussing over, until it is too late to do any good. Yet, all such wounds can be healed without such fatal consequences as follow them. The remedy is simple, almost always on hand, and can be applied by any one, and what is better, it is infallible. It is simply to smoke such wound, or any wound or bruise that is inflamed, with burning wool or woolen cloth. Twenty minutes in the smoke of wool will take the pain out of the worst wound, and repeated once or twice, it will allay the worst case of inflammation arising from a wound we ever saw. People may sneer at the old woman's remedy as much as they please, but when they are afflicted just let them try it. It has saved many lives and much pain, and is worthy of being printed in letters of gold and put in every home.

WHEN TO WATER HORSES.—Those who have the care of horses should let them have what water they want to drink before feeding them oats or corn, and if half an hour or an hour before, so much the better. If the latter are fed to them first, and they are allowed to drink a good deal of water soon after, much of the oats or corn consumed will be washed or carried through the stomach, into the intestines, without being digested, when instead of benefitting the horse, they do him a positive injury, frequently causing colic inflammation of the bowels, etc. A small quantity of water after a feed would be attended with no such results, but the stomach of the horse is small and cannot hold much feed and water at the same time.

RAISED BROWN BREAD.—Get Graham flour fresh from the mill in small quantities, as it keeps longer. Make your sponge the night before, the same as for white bread, using white flour; in the morning divide it, using for the brown one level spoonful of salt and a scant cupful of sugar; use just enough Graham flour to get it together nicely, and be moist; when light make into small loaves; have pie-pans well buttered; grease the top of the bread by putting on the pan first, then turn; turn the sides under good and keep in a warm (not hot) place; when light, bake it in large (twice) pans, white and brown at the same time, both from the same sponge, and make it a point always to have good bread.

One whom we know to be an excellent housekeeper sends to the American Agriculturist the following, which she writes were new to her, and may be to some others at least.—Spots on varnished furniture are readily removed by rubbing them with essence of peppermint, and afterwards with "furniture polish," or oil. Spirits of camphor answers similarly to the essence of peppermint.

BENEFIT OF LAUGHTER.—Probably there is not the remotest corner or little inlet of the minute blood vessels (life vessels) of the body that does not feel some wavelet from the great convulsion (hearty laughter) shaking the central man. The blood moves more lively—probably its chemical, electric, or vital condition is distinctly modified; it conveys a different impression to all the organs of the body as it visits them on that particular journey when the man is laughing, from what it does at other times. And so we doubt not, a good laugh may lengthen a man's life, conveying a distinct stimulus to the vital forces. And the times may come when physicians attending more closely than at present, unfortunately, they are apt to do, to the innumerable subtle influences which the soul exerts upon its tenement of clay shall prescribe to a torpid patient "so many pounds of laughter," to be undergone at such and such a time," just as they now do that for an objectionable prescription, a pill, or an electric or galvanic shock; and shall study the best and most effective method of producing the required effect in each patient.

THE ARMY-WORM.—The army-worm which has been devastating parts of Long Island and New Jersey, is so called because it appears in such large numbers, and because, like others of its species, it moves in columns and follows a leader. It is a caterpillar, the larva of a moth, and is noted for its voracity, as it will, may be, since it can eat, it is said, more than double its own weight in twenty-four hours. Although less glutinous, as a rule, it is more destructive than the locust, from its greater fecundity, and wider distribution over the vegetable world. It feeds on leaves, flowers, roots, buds, seeds, even the wood of plants; indeed, it is nearly omnivorous. The worm is asserted to march in regular and exact order; it lives in society, and moves in procession either in single file, or two, three, and four abreast, the line being so perfect in the columns that the head of one is never beyond the head of another in the row. It follows the leader, stopping when the leader stops, making journeys from plant to plant or from tree to tree in quest of food, and returning to its nest in the same order. The worms form ranks, march and halt with the precision of soldiers. When several nests are in the same neighborhood, the going forth and coming back of the creeping battalions at the same hour, commonly called nightfall, is very curious and interesting.



HOME EVIDENCE IN FAVOR OF PAIN-KILLER.

Mint No. 1. If you wish to save yourself, your family, and your friends a world of suffering and pain, which at present they endure needlessly, and also save many dollars in Doctor's bills, go at once to the nearest store, and buy a few bottles of PAIN-KILLER.

WHY experiment with unknown mixtures without character or reputation, when this world-renowned PAIN-KILLER which has stood the test of over 40 years, can be had for the same price at any Drug Store in the Dominion?

Mint No. 2. Ask your Druggist, Grocer, or Pharmacist, for a bottle of PAIN-KILLER. If he puts it down without ceremony, ask him while extracting the quarter dollar from your wallet, if this is the genuine made by PERRY DAVIS & SON, at some time within the expiration of his patent.

Mint No. 3. When you ask for a bottle of PAIN-KILLER, and the proprietor says, "I have none here," do not be discouraged, but say, "I will call on you again," and he will be glad to oblige you.

Mint No. 4. Beware of all the worthless mixtures, and dirty, greasy combinations which are offered you, and which are advertised as a substitute for the PAIN-KILLER. These mixtures are gotten up expressly to sell on the reputation of the PAIN-KILLER, but have nothing in common with it.

Mint No. 5. If you cannot obtain the genuine PAIN-KILLER in your locality, (in fact not very likely), you should address the Proprietors, Perry Davis & Son, at Lowell, Mass., or at their New York Office, 157 Nassau Street, N. Y.

Mint No. 6. Your Pain-Killer as a family medicine is in constant use in my household for a long time of years, and I would never desire a better one. It never fails me. I call it the "Old Reliable."

Mint No. 7. For twenty-three years past I have used Perry Davis' Pain-Killer, and have always found it to give good satisfaction. I have frequently used it in my family, and received great benefit from the use of it in that way. Although many imitations of it have been put on the market, and are passed off as the genuine Perry Davis' Pain-Killer, I have never found one that is so good as the original.

Mint No. 8. I have been selling Perry Davis' Pain-Killer for the past six years, and have much pleasure in stating that it is the best medicine I have ever seen, and in these years I have never heard a customer say anything but words of the highest praise in its favor. It is an article that seems to have combined in it all that goes to make a first class family medicine, and as long as I have a house and store, Perry Davis' Pain-Killer will be found in both.

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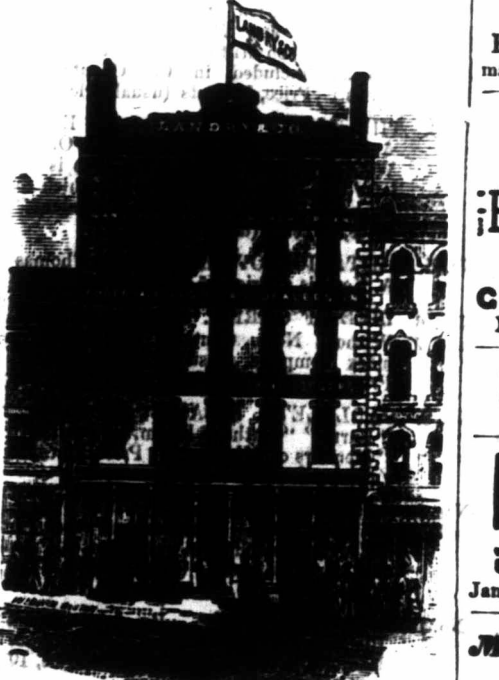
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