

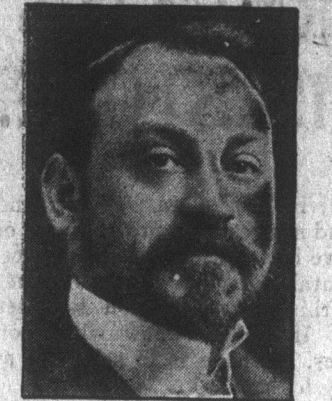
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Detroit Specialist Discovers Something Entirely New for the Cure of Men's Diseases in Their Own Homes.

You Pay Only if Cured

Expects No Money Unless He Cures You—Method and Full Particulars Sent Free—Write For It This Very Day

A Detroit specialist who has 14 certificates and diplomas from medical colleges and boards, has perfected a certain method of curing the disease of men in their own homes; so that there is no doubt in the mind of any man that he can be cured.



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The Possessor of 14 Diplomas and Certificates
Who Wants No Money That He Does Not Earn.

both the method and the ability to do so he says, Dr. Goldberg, the discoverer, will send the method entirely free to all men who send him their name and address. He wants to hear from men who have stricture that they have been unable to get cured, prostatic trouble, sexual weakness, varicocele, loss of manhood, blood poisons, hydrocele, emaciation of parts, impotence, etc. His wonderful method has not only cured the condition itself, but like-wise all the complications, such as rheumatism, bladder or kidney trouble, heart disease, nervous debility, etc.

The doctor realizes that it is one thing to make claims and another thing to back them up, so he has made his name to ask for money unless he cures you, and when you are cured he feels sure that you will willingly pay him a small fee. It would seem, therefore, that it is to the best interests of every man who suffers in this way to write the doctor confidentially and lay your case before him. He sends the method, as well as many booklets on the subject, including the one that contains the 14 diplomas and certificates, entirely free. Address him simply: Dr. S. Goldberg, 208 Woodward Ave., Room 2, Detroit, Mich., and it will all immediately be sent you free.

This is something entirely new and well worth a few lines more about. Write at once.

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The range of our stock of jewelry is wide enough to satisfy everyone. If you want a R. F. Simmons Chain we have the genuine, fully guaranteed 15 years, 14k gold.

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If you want a plain Gold Ring, it's here, and prices as well as quality is right. Every Gem or piece of Jewelry you buy of us is guaranteed. We stand back of every sale. Just now we have an unusually fine assortment of

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HOUSES OF SAND.

New Process Will Erect Houses as Durable as Granite—Perfected by an Englishman.

Houses built of sand, but as substantial and durable as granite, have been made possible by a process just perfected in England by Mr. L. P. Ford of Grosford.

Mr. Ford is well known in South Africa, where before the Boer war he founded Fordsburg, a suburb of Johannesburg, and also the Johannesburg Electric Lighting Company.

A bed of clean sand and ground quicklime are all the materials needed for the new artificial rock. The ingredients are mixed in proper proportions mechanically and forced by a screw into a mold formed of a very strong steel cylinder.

After the mold is filled it is placed in a box, and the air it contains is sucked out by an air pump. Hot water is then admitted. The water rushes into every minute space and sets the particles of lime to slacking. The lime swells and causes a great pressure in the mold, while at the same time an intense heat is produced.

Under the influence of the heat and pressure the sand and lime are molded into a rock which has 60 per cent. as much strength as the hardest granite. It is ready for use in eight hours.

The rock is of the same composition as the old Roman cement, the most durable of building materials. The secret of making this Roman cement has been lost for ages.

The new building stone costs but 23 cents a cubic foot. The secret of Mr. Ford's success is said to lie in his use of a cylindrical mold. Others who tried to make effluvia of lime building stone used square molds. They did not get an even distribution of the internal and external strains, and the stone produced was full of cracks.

Kipling's Pants Bag at the Knees.

The latest picture taken of Rudyard Kipling, whose new book, "The Five Nations," published a few weeks past, is considered one of the great



RUDYARD KIPLING'S LATEST PICTURE.
Literary events of the year, reveals the disconcerting evidence that Kipling's trousers bag at the knees. O tempora! O mores! O poetic pants!

Living in a Grave.

A remarkable saint has recently made his appearance in Bengal and professes to effect miraculous cures of incurable diseases. During the recent cold weather he passed fifty-one days in a tank by keeping nearly the whole of his body under water, and now he is living inside a "pucca" grave six feet deep. This has been wholly covered over with masonry, leaving only a small hole (the diameter of which is about two inches) through which to serve him with his daily food, simply consisting of an orange or pomegranate juice with one almond only. In this state he will remain for fifty-one consecutive days, and through the hole a string has been passed into the grave, one end of it being tied to a bell suspended on a bamboo post to enable him to give an alarm in case of any danger or mishap. He also uses it to respond to calls inquiring after his health, signifying thereby that he is all right. The saint entered the grave with his bedding, some holy books, two or three bottles of rosewater and one or two vials of attar of roses, after which the opening was blocked up, barring the hole, and then, leveling the place with earth, some greens were sown, which being regularly watered, thrive nicely. The saint has taken the rosewater with him in lieu of plain water to wash his face, hands and feet before saying his prayers. But the saint was not without an eye to the main chance, for one day a money order came to his address from Bombay, which, being rolled up, was dropped into the grave through the hole. It was shortly after passed back duly signed by the holy man.—East Indian.

Lined was once celebrated for a very beautiful glove made from the skin of a young calves, lambs or kids, and so fine that a pair might easily be enclosed in a walnut shell.



LOVE

Often leads to poverty. No real woman ever sold her heart for the luxuries of life.

But many a woman who has gladly faced poverty for the man she loved, may well doubt her wisdom when pain becomes the mate of poverty. If she were rich, she thinks, she could find a way of cure. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is within the reach of every one. It lifts the burden of pain which weighs down those who suffer from womanly diseases. It establishes regularity, dries weakness, drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness.

"You have my heartfelt thanks for your kind advice to me," writes Mrs. Geo. Fletcher, of 101 Victoria Avenue, Galt, Ontario. "I was troubled with catarrh of uterus for over a year. The doctors said I would have to go through an operation, but I commenced to use Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and Golden Medical Dietetic, and after taking a few bottles of Dr. Pierce's medicine, I am completely cured, after using six bottles of Dr. Pierce's medicine. I am now able to say my medicine has made me a new woman."

Weak and sick women, especially those suffering from diseases of long standing, are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter. All correspondence is held as strictly private and absolutely confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are easy and pleasant to take. A most effective laxative.

Finger Prints.

The Chinese were the first to use finger prints for means of identification.

Hot Spots.

The following are the temperatures at some of the hottest places in different countries: Haidarabad, 105 degrees; Lahore, 107 degrees; El Paso, 113 degrees; Mosul, 117 degrees; Agra, 117 degrees; Death valley, 122 degrees; Algeria, 127 degrees; Fort Yuma, 128 degrees; Jacobabad, 122 degrees; Bahrain, 140 degrees.

French Doctors.

There are a few physicians in Paris with incomes of \$40,000 to \$50,000. The average income of French physicians, however, is only \$550 a year, or \$720 in Paris.

Smoking Competition.

At a "smoking club" in Thailingen, southern Germany, a competition was held, the object of which was to smoke a cigar as long as possible without letting it go out. The prize winner smoked his cigar seventy-four and one-half minutes, while none of the other competitors' records was over one hour.

Horses.

A good authority on horses says that the gray will live the longest and that the roans come next in order. Blacks seldom live to be over twenty, and creams rarely exceed ten or fifteen.

A Chinese Edict.

During a rebellion in China in 1833 an imperial edict was issued at Peking ordering officials to destroy all sulphur deposits, to prevent insurgents from obtaining material for gunpowder. As these deposits were chiefly active volcanic crateries, the officials had their task full.

Scientific Forestry.

In scientific forestry the young trees are thinned out, the underbrush is moved and every means possible taken to give air and sunlight to the growing trees.

Don't Snuffle!

You make people sick—You keep yourself sick.

Cure that Cold.

You can do it if you exercise common sense and use only Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. It relieves colds and catarrh and cures headache in a few minutes. If you have common sense and catarrh you will use it now.

Rev. L. McPherson, of Jefferson St. Church, Christ, Buffalo, N. Y., says:—"Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder relieved me in ten minutes and is a blessing to mankind."

The URSULINE SISTERS of St. Bernard's, Grand Forks, N. Dak., state:—"We have been using Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder in our institution. We find it a very good remedy."

The Great South American Nerve Tonic

is first a nerve food and then a physician, searching out and strengthening every weak spot in the body of man, woman or child. It means nerve, health, vigor, hope, liveliness, lightheartedness and life. Sold by Messrs. Gunn and McLaren, Druggists, Chatham.



THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players."

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:—Gibney Stock Co.—Dec. 14 to 19. Cecilian Co.—Dec. 25. Royal Hungarian Court Orchestra—Jan. 1.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

WELL PLEASED AUDIENCE.

The Gibney Stock Company, under the management of John T. Powers, opened a week's engagement at the Grand last night to a large and appreciative audience. The company is by far the best organization playing week stands that has visited Chatham in many years.

The bill last night was a sensational melo-drama in four acts, entitled "Woman's Power," in which every member of the company took a strong part and played it well. Miss Nellie Gibney the lady who sought revenge, Mr. Morgan Gibney the man who mixed drinks and politics, Mr. Arthur Rutledge the head of the house, and Miss Marian Gibney a lady drifting in a great city, were all worthy of special mention, and each displayed a wide knowledge of their profession.

The illustrated songs were put in between acts three and four and were without question the nicest views and the plainest that were ever shown in the Grand. The machine, which is one of the most expensive, was operated by Mr. Lewis Bennie; the songs were sung by Mr. G. Walter Thompson, who received four encores.

The specialties were rendered by John T. Powers, Lewis Bennie, G. Walter Thompson and Miss Marian Gibney, each receiving several encores.

Manager Powers came before the curtain at the end of the third act and announced the bills for each night during the week. To-night the play will be "Down in Maine," with new songs and specialties, and no doubt the Grand will see another big house. The Gibney Stock Company is worthy of as large a house as the Grand will hold. The prices are 10, 20 and 30c.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

DRESDEN

Dec. 14.—One of the oldest residents of this section passed away on Thursday last, in the person of Mrs. Sarah McKay, nee McVean, of the town of Ship. The funeral took place on Saturday at 1:30 p. m., from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Hugh Jones, Brown street, to the Dresden cemetery. Services were conducted at the house by the Rev. S. Bond.

Dr. J. J. Wiley was in Chatham on Friday as a witness in the Currie damage suit.

Geo. Morden was a Chatham visitor on Friday.

G. A. Miller was in Chatham Friday and Saturday conducting the Model School examinations.

Miss Eva Aiken was a Chatham visitor on Friday.

Jas. Colter was in Chatham all last week attending court there.

Miss Abbie Davies and the Messrs. Jessie and Helen McVean, of the C. C. I., are taking holidays now.

The funeral of Amos Cairns, Tupperville, took place on Saturday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Armstrong conducting the services, interment being made in the Dresden cemetery.

Miss Irwin, of the Public School staff, spent Saturday in Chatham, visiting her sister.

Mrs. Peter Blackburn was a Chatham visitor on Saturday.

Miss Mary Stephens, who is working in Chatham this week, the holidays, spent Sunday at her home here.

G. E. Weir was in Chatham on business Saturday, the 12th.

Miss Lillie Campbell spent Saturday in the Maple City.

The Currie trial was finished on Saturday, the plaintiff being awarded \$500 damages.

Thomas Leatherdale was in Chatham on business last week.

Mrs. H. Waddell was a Maple City visitor on Friday.

Alex. McElhinie, of Port Lambton, visited friends in town yesterday.

Jas. E. Crafts, an old resident of Camden township, died on Friday, Dec. 11th, after a very brief illness. He was taken ill on Monday and died on Friday of the same week. The cause of his death was acute pneumonia.

The funeral services were conducted to-day at 1 p. m., in the Dawn Mills Methodist church, by the Rev. Mr. Taylor; interment in the Chatham cemetery.

Miss Grace Laird spent Sunday with friends in Chatham.

The sale of work held by the ladies of Christ Church Parsonage Guild on Saturday, was well attended, and very successful notwithstanding the unfavorable weather. About \$50 was realized, and a few things were left over, which will be disposed of a few days before Christmas.

Dec. 15.—Wm. Wagg, one of the Times staff has secured a good position in the News office, Chatham. His many friends wish him every success in his new position.

The half yearly examinations are being held at the Public School this week.

Smith Hazard, an old Dresden boy, but now a resident of New York State, is visiting his parents, North Dresden.

Miss Emma Wheelahan, who has been attending the Chatham Model School, has finished her course, having tried the final examinations on Friday and Saturday of last week.

Miss Amy Birch, who has been spending the last three months on the northern shore of Georgian Bay, returned home last week.

Sandy Herby is back from his season's work on the Great Lakes.



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Centre Tables, quartered oak, polished, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$6.50, \$7.50.

We show the same designs in Mahogany finish at the same prices.

Centre Tables, mahogany, \$4, \$5, \$7, \$8.50, \$12.50. Centre Tables, oak, Belgian black, \$7.50.

Jardiniere Stands, too, are suitable for gifts, prices \$1, \$1.25, \$1.75, \$4.50.

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LOGGERS.

WELLINGTON Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.

ALEX. GREGORY, Sec. F. D. LAURIE, W. M.

MEDICAL.

DR. OVENS OF LONDON Surgeon, Oculist, Specialist Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Will be at Chatham on SATURDAY, Sept. 26, Oct. 24, Nov. 28, Dec. 26. Glasses properly fitted. Office at Radley's drug store.

DR. E. C. CURRIE, OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN, SPECIALIST IN CHRONIC DISEASES; Examination Free. Office, Sixth street opposite Fire Hall. Hours—8 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 p. m., 7 to 9 p. m.

LEGAL.

I. B. BANKIN, K. C.—Barrister, Notary Public, etc., Victoria Block, Chatham.

A. F. SMITH—Barrister, Solicitor, etc., Office, King Street, west of the Market. Money to loan on Mortgages.

J. R. O'FLYNN—Barrister, Solicitor, Conveyancer, Notary Public, Office, King Street, opposite Macpherson's Bank, Chatham, Ont.

SMITH & GOSNELL—Barristers, Solicitors, etc., Harrison Hall, Chatham. Herbert D. Smith, County Crown Attorney, R. L. Gosnell.

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