

BALD**SPOTS**

Without help, a bald spot never grows smaller. It keeps spreading, until at last your friends say, "How bald he is getting."

Not easy to cure an old baldness, but easy to stop the first thinning, easy to check the first falling out. Used in time, baldness is made impossible with—

ART'S HAIR VIGOR

It stops falling, promotes growth, and takes out all dandruff. It always restores color to faded or gray hair, all the dark, rich color of early life. You may depend upon it every time. It brings health to the hair.

\$1.00 a bottle. All Druggists. "I have used your Hair Vigor and am greatly pleased with it. I have only used one bottle of it, and yet my hair has stopped falling out and has started to grow again nicely." JULIUS WITTE, Canora, S. Dak. March 26, 1900.

Write the Doctor. If you do not obtain all the benefits you expect from the use of the Vigor, write the Doctor about it. Address, Dr. J. C. Allen, Lowell, Mass.

SCHOOL CONCERT

The Concert, given in Churchill's Hall on Friday evening Dec. 21st, by the pupils of the Hantsport schools was well attended and the sum of forty dollars was realized, which after the deduction of expenses will go toward the purchase of a school building. The teachers desire through the medium of The Advance to express their warmest thanks to all those who assisted in making the concert a success. To Mrs. Andrew Davison who is always ready to lend her valuable services for the good of the school. To Mrs. Melcom for the use of her piano. To E. Churchill & Sons for their gift of five dollars. And to all others who by their gifts and good will lightened the burden of the teachers on this occasion.

The teachers also desire to express their very high appreciation of the beautiful gifts bestowed upon them at the Christmas season by their pupils. These kind remembrances are treasured by the teachers much more highly than can be imagined by the pupil. We take this opportunity of thanking the pupils because the natural confusion caused by so many children clustered around the Christmas tree at the late hour of that evening prevented a proper expression on that occasion. Ex. Com.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.**No Occasion for Surprise**

Gilded Youth—Oh! doctor, I have sent for you certainly; still I must confess I have not the slightest faith in modern medical science.

Doctor—Oh! that doesn't matter in the least. You see, a mule has no faith in the veterinary surgeon, and yet he cures him all the same—Tag-liebe Randschau.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound is successfully used monthly by over 100,000 ladies. Safe, effective. Ladies seek your drugstore for Cook's Cotton Root Compound. Take no other, as all mixtures, pills and imitations are dangerous. Price, No. 1, 50c per box; No. 2, 10c per box; No. 3, 25c per box. The Cook Company, Windsor, Ont. It is sold and recommended by all responsible druggists in Canada.

No. 1 and 2 sold in Kentville by R. S. Mather and G. F. McDougall. Wolfville, Geo. V. Rand; Canning by Chas. E. Bowen and Canning Pharmacy; Hantsport by Fred E. Pentz; Berwick by Dr. Middleton.

Hantsport

Ho. J. W. Longley spent Christmas at Mrs. Brown's on Main St. Miss May Toye of Wolfville, is visiting here.

Mrs. Phoebe Davison and Miss Adria Coalfield spent Christmas in Wolfville. Miss Beattie Brown is home from Halifax, looking the picture of health. Miss Bertie Jameson of Mulgrave, is spending her vacation with Miss McCulloch.

St. John Sun:—Bark 'Swansea', loading lumber here, is receiving a new fore-mast.

George Pearson left on Wednesday and Benj. his brother, on Saturday returning to Boston.

Mr. James W. Robertson who works in East Boston is home visiting his family for the holidays.

Did you turn over a new leaf at New Year? Anyone can do that, but will you carry out those good resolutions.

Mr. J. Foreythe Smith of the Normal School, Truro, is spending his holidays here at his old boarding house.

The sc. Calabria is undergoing extensive repairs at Summerville, she is under the inspection of Lloyds agent, John Douglas Esq. of Windsor.

Captain Burton Davison went to Yarmouth on Wednesday to look after the bark Ontario. Mrs. Davison and little son went down on Saturday for a visit.

Messrs. G. E. Torrie of South Farmington and Chas. Lindstrom of Lawrenceville, were in town a couple of days last week, guests of J. W. Lawrence.

The donation for Rev. Geo. Westhams, Summerville, will be on the 2nd anniversary, not December 26 inst., as appeared in our columns last week by mistake.

Small pox is prevalent in Westmorland Co., N. B. Very many cases are said to exist, though of a mild type. Churches and schools over a large area are closed.

Mr. J. B. McCarthy was registered at the Hantsport Hotel over Sunday, leaving on Monday morning for his home, Shelburne. Mr. McC. is one of the staff of teachers in the Halifax Academy.

Terrible gales prevailed in England last week. The English Channel was swept by the worst storm in many years. Shipping suffered terrible and the loss of brave seamen is appalling, in some instances whole ships were engaged.

There has been a home coming for Christmas, among whom we noticed the Pearson brothers Benj., George and Will. Miss Annie Ferguson from Gasperaux, Miss Irene McCulloch from Steep Creek, Guysboro Co., Clinton Reid, Wolfville and others.

We regret to learn of the death of Capt. Seward Mosher of Summerville, which occurred on Sunday last at his home. Capt. Mosher was a prominent ship master in days past, he sailed the bark Lady of the Lake and bark Ontario, his last vessel being the brig-tona. We hear the cause of his death was heart disease.

Rev. J. G. Angwin now employed at Sydney, C. B. was home with his family at Christmas time.

Mr. Alex. Gullas is on a visit to his family, during the holiday season. He has been at ship work in Bath, Maine.

The Str. Bridgewater is engaged for the winter to run between Yarmouth and Halifax, and intermediate ports.

Mr. W. H. McLelland, recently working in Bucksport, Maine, has recently completed his engagement there and returned home.

Mr. Fred Miller of Dartmouth, has been a couple of days with friends in town. Fred is going to Toronto to attend military school.

"How Long have I to Live," will be the theme of Pastor White's New Year sermon at the Baptist church on Sunday evening, Jan. 6th, 1901.

Mr. Cecil Churchill, is home from McGill College for the holidays. He is looking a little pale but a relief from study for a few weeks will make him all right again.

Until further notice the Str. Prince Rupert makes three round trips each week between St. John and Digby, the days being Monday, Wednesday and Saturday.

We have received the Christmas number of "Toronto Saturday Night," it is the finest publication of the kind we have yet seen, and deserves a longer notice than we space.

Mr. C. G. Clairmonte of Lakeland, who has been three years at Kings' College, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dickson last week. He left on Saturday for Boston and New York for a trip, and may go further abroad. His many friends here wish him bon voyage.

Mr. S. E. Elkin, representing J. F. Sullivan & Co. Fire and Marine Insurance, St. John, N. B. was in town last week adjusting insurance claims on the cargo of Sch. Brisk, lately ashore at Horse Shoe Cove. He was in Windsor on Friday and returned to St. John on Saturday.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

A Girl With Grip

Will "go" until she drops, and think she's doing rather a fine thing. Very often the future shows her that she was laying the foundation for years of unhappiness. When the back aches, when there is irregularity or any other womanly ill, then the first duty a woman owes to herself is to find a cure for her ailments.

The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in cases of womanly disease will insure a prompt restoration to sound health. It regulates the periods, stops unhealthy drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It makes weak women strong, sick women well.

Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free of charge. All correspondence absolutely private and confidential. In his thirty years and over of medical practice Dr. Pierce, assisted by his staff of nearly a score of physicians, has treated and cured more than half a million women. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

"I will drop you a few lines to-day to let you know that I am feeling well now," writes Miss Annie Stephens, of Bellefleur, Wood Co., West Va. "I feel like a new woman. I took several bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and of the 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I have no headache now, and no more pain in my side; no bearing-down pain any more. I think that there is no medicine like Dr. Pierce's medicine."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay expense of customs and mailing only. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

CELEBRATED SILVER WEDDING

Reception in Honor of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Redden Held in Ruggles St. Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Redden celebrated the 25th anniversary of their wedding with a reception last evening at Ruggles St. Baptist church, Roxbury. Mr. and Mrs. Redden are residents of Dorchester and are both communicants at Ruggles St. church, where they are generally beloved. Mr. Redden being the sexton.

In the afternoon there was a family gathering. When all the relatives and immediate friends sat down to a turkey dinner. This was followed by an informal gathering in the parlors. At 7.30 there was a reception. About 250 friends of the couple gathered and extended congratulations and best wishes for future happiness. They received a number of handsome and substantial gifts. The ushers were Mr. Walter M. Arno, Mr. Hugh H. Hamill Jr. Miss Eva Arno and Miss E. H. Knight.

Mr. Walter M. Arno presided at the piano later in the evening. Mr. Daniel Cameron entertained the company with tenor solos, and Mr. O. J. Redden rendered a pleasing baritone solo. The latter part of the evening was devoted to games and social intercourse. Light refreshments were served.

Among those present at the reception were Mrs. John Clark of Worcester, Mrs. H. Cheney and family of Worcester, Mr. Levi Coldwell and daughter of Waltham, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson, Mrs. Bessie Trenbo and family of Somerville, Mrs. H. Chilson of Dorchester, Mrs. Andrew B. Coldwell and family, Mrs. Bessie Tufts, Mrs. Sutherland of Cambridge, Mrs. Arno and family, Mrs. J. Priestman and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Martin of South Boston, Miss M. Jackson, Mr. J. L. Harbour, Mr. John R. Hague, Dr. William E. Houston, Mr. Adolphe Grohe and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Dewar.

The Reddens and Coldwells once belonged to Lockhartville, Horton Bluff and other parts of Kings Co.

Life on the Ball

Mr. Geo. Cummings, Barrie, Ont., one of the best known engineers on the G. T. R., writes:—For years I suffered from kidney disease brought on by railroad life. The doctors called it railroad kidney, but could give me no permanent relief. A friend recommended Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills saying they had cured him. A few boxes of this grand medicine completely cured me, putting an end to the dreadful pains in the back and greatly strengthening the kidneys. I am a well man to-day thanks to Dr. Chase. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box.

Mr. Elias Payant, who lately returned to his home in Falmouth from Philadelphia, is unhappily prostrated with sciatica. —Tribune.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

ST. JOHN LETTER

too late for last issue

The city will provide a Christmas dinner for a couple of youths who have been pelting ladies and gentlemen on the street with snowballs.

Two-dollar counterfeit Dominion bills are in the city.

From 75 to 100 cases of measles are reported in Fairville.

The Coldbrook rolling mill was destroyed by fire last Wednesday night and 80 men are out of employment. Loss about \$50,000; insurance \$26,000.

Grip is again prevalent in Boston and a few cases have been reported in this city. It is a disease that is guarded against by ordinary prudence.

Last Saturday your correspondent read in a morning paper that "a fire broke out in a house about a mile from the city and totally destroyed it." Then he got into his chariot and started out to inspect his property.

He travelled "about a mile" on every road leading out of the city and found all of his buildings unscathed. Then he learned that there had not been any fire at all.

Robert Roberts a well known wharf builder of the North End, died last Saturday, aged 67 years.

"Uncle Jim Thompson" of Golden Grove, died last Wednesday aged 87 years. He was a colored man of the Uncle Tom type.

Two marriages, 23 births and 7 deaths were reported in the city last week.

Most staples are firm at last quotations. Higher prices are set on the following articles.

Beans,	\$1.90 per bus
Lard in tubs,	10c " lb
" " pails,	10c
" " tins,	11c
Evaporated apples,	6c
Dried "	4c
Walnuts,	14c
Filberts,	13c
Peanuts,	10 @ 11c
Brazil nuts,	13c
No walnuts in the market	
Liverpool salt,	1.00 per bbl.
Windsor salt,	1.10
" " dairy,	2.50
" " 10 lb bags	2.75
" " 5 "	3.00
" " 3 "	3.10
" in 10 lb boxes	14 each
" 20 "	22

St. John Dec. 24.

Capt. W. E. Dixon of this city, who was lately wrecked on the schooner Carleton, has been wrecked again. Arriving home a week ago he found his wife had eloped with Hedley Barbour, a young married man of this city. He traced them to Grand Falls where he caused Barbour to be arrested and relieved his wife. Mrs. Dixon has returned home with the captain and Barbour is at liberty.

Each of the fifty or sixty employees of the Gazette who had ovens in which to cook them were remembered by Proprietor Bowes with a turkey on Christmas eve: the others got an equivalent.

The inmates of the almshouse, the hospital and the lunatic asylum were generously remembered on Christmas day.

Two men and two women were arrested last Wednesday night for fighting in a house on Brussels street. Every article in the house, including the stove and lamps had been demolished.

Two disorderly women were sentenced last Friday to 12 months in jail. The magistrate's fun is rather expensive to the tax payers.

Nine marriages, twenty-seven births and twelve deaths were recorded in the city last week.

There have been very few changes in the markets during the last week. The tea markets abroad are firm for good goo while common teas are in large supply and prices are 1 to 1.2 cent per pound lower, and are in active demand. Staple groceries are quoted to-day as follows:

Best Manitoba flour,	\$4.90 @ \$5.00 per bbl
High grade On tario patent,	3.90 @ 4.00
Oatmeal,	3.50 @ 3.70
Commeal,	2.25 @ 2.30
New clean pork,	18.50

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

New mess "	16.50
Ex. plate beef,	15.00
Plate beef,	14.50
Beans H. P.	1.90 per bus
Rice,	3.38 per lb
Choice butter,	21c per lb
Eggs,	22c per doz

Edward Edwards.

St. John, Dec. 31, 1900.

Catarrh Now Surely Cured

"Catarrh" has worked marvels in the case of my little girl," Mrs. Lorenzo Orchard, Toronto, Ont.

"There is no remedy equal to Catarrh" for Catarrh," Wm. J. Ran nit, Morrisburg, Ont.

"Catarrh" for Catarrh of the head, throat and Bronchitis has given me perfect satisfaction," Miss Dinsmore, Shuberecodiac, N. S.

"It has done more good for me in one week than other remedies have in years," E. P. Taylor, Smith's Falls, Ont. Thousands more like this for the asking. Druggists sell Catarrh" or we will send full treatment for \$1.00 or trial treatment to cents. N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont., Hartford Conn.

He's Guessing Yet

Ye Poet—Would that my me might soar aloft and, cleaving the empyrean blue, find words to sing the glorious glory of your hair of burnished gold!

Ye Maiden (Titan haired, but prosaic)—That sounds very pretty. Mr. Scribbler, but do you know the difference between your poems and my hair?

Ye Poet—Ah, a conundrum! I give it up. What is the difference, oh, fairest of your sex?

Ye Maiden—Well, my hair's read.

Constipated Bowels.

Constipation, or inactivity of the bowels, is probably the cause of more distress and suffering than any other organic derangement. Once the bowels are constipated, the kidneys become clogged, the liver torpid, and the stomach and whole digestive system completely interfered with.

The head aches, there is dizziness, weakness and dimness of vision, pains in the back, sides and limbs, the accumulation of wind and gas on the stomach, pains and fullness in the region of the stomach, and depression and dependency of spirits.

Constipation can never be cured by the use of salts and similar weakening and debilitating purgatives. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills not only cause the natural action of the bowels, but no strengthen and invigorate them as to enable them to regularly perform their functions without the aid of medicines. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all druggists.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

A German Club

In Elberfeld a friendly society has been started among the old and worn-out soldiers and prisoners, entitled the Distelbeck Club. The first paragraph of its printed rules is as follows:

Object of the association: The burial of its members.

We don't seem as if we cared to read any more.—Damen Journal.

Duncan is a golf enthusiast, isn't he?

I think so; he declares he can't play a game of checkers without his golf clothes on.—Chicago Record.

Enormous Sale. Many Imitations.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food has come into popularity by leaps and bounds, until now the sales are enormous, far surpassing those of any nerve restorative or blood-builder.

As a consequence of this phenomenal success there have sprung up many imitations that relieve by degrading the nerves but which can never really cure and are positively harmful and dangerous to the system. As you value your life and health beware of these worthless imitations, and refuse all substitutes which are said to be "just as good."

Imitators do not dare to reproduce the portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, which are found on every box of his genuine remedies.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.