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Did you know you could give medicine to your children while they were soundly sleeping? You certainly can. It is called Vapo-Cresolene. You put some Cresolene in the vaporizer, light the lamp, and place near the bed. The children quietly breathe in the vapor. There is nothing equal to it for whooping cough, croup, colds, cough, sore throat, and all other troubles of the throat and chest. It is economical, pleasant, safe.

Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere. A Vapo-Cresolene outfit, including the Vaporizer and Lamp, which should last a life-time, and a bottle of Cresolene, complete, \$1.50, extra supplies of Cresolene sent on request. Illustrated booklet containing physicians' testimonials free upon request. Vapo-Cresolene Co., 110 Fulton St., New York, N. Y.

SIMPLE REMEDIES.

Diluted ammonia is good for insect bites and stings.

A raw egg swallowed at once upon getting a fishbone in the throat beyond the reach of the finger. It is said, will dislodge it and carry it down.

A simple remedy for indigestion is the white of an egg beaten to a stiff froth and stirred into a wineglassful of cold water. This should be taken after each meal.

For burns and scalds, when no other remedy is at hand, try the effect of a piece of rag steeped in vinegar and bound round the scar. This is especially useful when cooking, for the vinegar is generally at hand.

To cure a severe case of colic take a teaspoonful of salt in a pint of water; drink and go to bed. This is one of the speediest remedies known. It will also prove efficacious in reviving a person who seems almost dead from a heavy fall.

OUR CONSTANT AIM IS TO SERVE OUR PATRONS THOROUGHLY AND WELL.

Kindly favor us with a visit at your earliest convenience, so as to assure yourself that we serve the public thoroughly and well. Our dispensing department is under the most competent management, insuring perfect safety in the preparation of prescriptions. Our drugs, medicines and tinctures, are the purest, and our general stock suited to the wants of the most critical.

You Need The Best.

If you are rheumatic, neuralgic, dyspeptic, nervous, weak, or run down, you need the best medicine that medical science can suggest. We strongly recommend Paine's Celery Compound for your troubles. It has cured others afflicted as you are; it cannot fail in your case. We sell the kind that makes sick people well.

J. W. McLaren, Druggist, Chatham, Ont.

Preparing For a Journey.

Jerome K. Jerome recalled, with reverence, a habit of his methodical uncle, who, before packing for a journey, always "made a list." This was the system which he followed, gathered from his uncle's own lips:

Take a piece of paper and put down on it everything you can possibly require. Then go over it and see that it contains nothing you can possibly do without.

Imagine yourself in bed. What have you got on? Very well; put it down. What do you do? Wash yourself. What do you wash yourself with? Soap. Put down soap. Go on till you have finished. Then take your clothes. Begin at your feet. What do you wear on your feet? Boots, shoes, socks. Put them down. Work up till you get to your head. What do you wear besides clothes? Put down everything.

This is the plan the old gentleman always pursued. The list made, he would go over it carefully to see that he had forgotten nothing. Then he would go over it again and strike out everything it was possible to dispense with. Then he would lose the list.

THE PUBLIC LOOK FOR IT

The public look for and demand true and honest dispensing when prescriptions are taken to the drug store. Our dispensing department is conducted on such perfect plans that errors are impossible. Strict attention to business and low prices have won for us a position second to none in the drug trade.

The Kind That Cures.

If you are suffering from Headache, Indigestion, Heart Trouble, Liver complaint, kidney disease or ills resulting from impure blood, we strongly advise you to use Paine's Celery Compound. It is the greatest banisher of disease, the only medicine that can bring you health and new life. Try a bottle of Paine's Celery Compound if you feel weak or run down; it is a marvellous strengthener.

Turner & Platt, Druggists, Chatham, Ont.

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We publish simple, straight testimonials, not press agents' interviews, from well known people. From all over America they testify to the merits of MINARD'S LINIMENT, the best of Household Remedies.

C. C. RICHARDS & CO.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

THE DUST IN THE AIR

ITS FUNCTION IN THE MECHANISM OF A SUNSET.

Color Effects of the Microscopic Particles That Impart to the Atmosphere The Hue of the Sun and the Earth's Blanket.

Most people if they were asked to state the color of the sun would say that it was orange, and they would be confidently assert that the color of the atmosphere was blue. Recent researches and investigations, however, point to the conclusion that the real color of the sun is blue, while that of the atmosphere surrounding the earth is orange. Commonly the earth's atmosphere appears so transparent and translucent that it is hard to realize the fact that it has as much effect on the light and heat coming from the sun as if it were a foot of thick glass. But the atmosphere is very far from being as colorless as it seems to be, and the best way of discovering its true tint is not to gaze immediately overhead, but to look away toward the horizon. By so doing the atmosphere will be seen, as it were, in bulk, for overhead there is only a small accumulation of it compared with the many miles of thickness through which the vision travels when the eye looks toward the horizon.

The atmosphere surrounding the earth then may be likened to a screen of an orange color, and it will be readily understood that any light passing through this screen will experience some remarkable modifications. Now, as already stated, it appears highly probable that supposing any one could see the sun from a position outside the earth's atmosphere the light coming from this central luminary would be seen to be not white, but blue. This blue is of course not a pure monochromatic blue, and the expression really means that it sums up the dominant note in the color scheme. What, therefore, the atmosphere may be considered to do is to stop out or absorb all the colors at the blue end of the spectrum, the residue filtering through to the earth as white light. When the rays of light first left the sun, the blue rays were the strongest, but very soon after they entered the earth's atmosphere their progress was impeded, and of all the rays journeying from the sun they quickly became the weakest. On the other hand, the red rays, which at first were inconspicuous, had the facility of penetrating the earth's atmosphere and were the most in evidence at the end of their long journey.

The first step, accordingly, to be taken when investigating a sunset is to realize that the white light from the sun which is commonly supposed to be composed of the seven primary colors should rather be thought of as a residue of the original radiations. A further important point is to bear in mind that all radiations of light are of different wave lengths. This fact indeed is at its very foundation, so to speak, of all sunsets, and it is the prime agency by which their flaming, gorgeous tints and colors are produced. It is due to this fact, for instance, that in the neighborhood of large towns the smoke which is seen to set as a red ball of fire. The rays of light at the red end of the spectrum are of a much longer wave length than any of their fellow rays, and so are the best qualified for penetrating the dense bank of haze which so commonly floats over all large towns and cities. In such localities, as the sun sinks to rest, the green rays are first absorbed by this bank of haze, and then the yellow, and, lastly, the orange and the red, the latter, more often than not, being the only ones to get through at all. A careful observation of a sunset will reveal the fact that the colors fade in the above mentioned order, and the reason they do so is that they are of different wave lengths.

Now, the color in the sky may, as it were, be painted on the clouds, or on the hazy air, or on the open sky itself. As regards the latter, the color that is most conspicuous is of course the blue, and in seeking for the origin of this tint it will be found that the search leads to an explanation of many of the other colors. On looking up into the sky on a cloudless sunny day, when the swallows, perhaps, are flying so high that they appear but as tiny specks in the dome of blue, it seems almost impossible to think of the atmosphere as being otherwise than perfectly clear and translucent. It is, however, in reality charged with minute dusty particles, which have always been found in myriads whenever the atmosphere has been tested either over the open sea or at the top of high mountains. These particles of dust, it will be seen, are the agents principally responsible for tinting the atmosphere blue and for filtering out the gorgeous hues of a sunset.

In the lower strata of the atmosphere the coarser particles of dust not only scatter the waves of light, but they also reflect them, so that at these lower levels the blue tint is diluted by white light and is accordingly not so intense as when seen, say, from the top of a high mountain. At this elevation only the finer varieties of dust are floating, and there is little reflection of the light, but must scattering, and hence it is here that the blue attains its greatest intensity. In that part of the sky nearest the sun the rays of light come in a direct line to the eye of the observer, and the scattering of the light does not appear so great as when one looks across the path of the beams, and it is due to this circumstance that the sky near the sun is not of so intense a blue as portions of the sky far away. A similar kind of thing happens in respect to the clouds, where dust readily accumulates and, reflecting the light, produces their brilliant whiteness. At the edges of the clouds, moreover, the atoms of dust are busily engaged in refracting the beams of light, and to this cause is due that brilliant fringe of brightness which so often adorns many of the largest clouds. Not only therefore does the atmospheric dust filter out of the blue light that tints the sky, but it also fabricates the pigments that color the clouds, effects which can most readily be observed in contemplating the glories of the setting sun.—Arthur H. Bell in Knowledge.

A Plan For Parity.

"What we want," said the first patriot, "is honest elections."

"I should say so," agreed the second patriot. "Why, Heiler promised me fifty dollars for my influence in my ward, and now he says he never agreed to give me more than ten dollars."

The Miser's Dollars.

BILL—Old Skindint says his first dollar was the hardest to get.

JILL—Yes, and the last is the hardest to give up.

Paine's Celery Compound The Best Invigorator and Strengtheners For Old People

Its Use Insures Freedom From the Infirmities That Come With Advancing Years.

It Restores On The Aged a Condition of Comfort, Happiness and Peace That No Other Agency Can Give

We should give careful attention to the physical welfare of the aged, in that the fact that it has as much effect on the light and heat coming from the sun as if it were a foot of thick glass. But the atmosphere is very far from being as colorless as it seems to be, and the best way of discovering its true tint is not to gaze immediately overhead, but to look away toward the horizon. By so doing the atmosphere will be seen, as it were, in bulk, for overhead there is only a small accumulation of it compared with the many miles of thickness through which the vision travels when the eye looks toward the horizon.

See that you get PAIN'S, the kind that makes old people active, fresh and young. Look for the name PAIN'S on each bottle and wrapper. If you are offered any other kind you are getting a substitute that is worthless.

Many a man with half a soul is well healed.

NO Reasonable Man expects to cure a neglected cold in a day. But time and Allen's Lung Balm will overcome the cold and stave off consumption. Cough will cease and lungs be sound as a new dollar.

Candor may be good enough in the abstract, but the man who is habitually candid is generally hated.

EVERY Housekeeper must often act as a family physician. Pain-Killer for all the little ills, cuts and sprains, as well as for all bowel complaints, is indispensable. It is sold in bottles of 25c. and 50c. Made only by Davis & Lawrence Co., Ltd.

The discontented woman would sour sugar.

The man who tries to look wise usually looks foolish.

BE SURE you get the kind you have always had—Owing to the great popularity of "The D. & L." Menthol Plaster, unscrupulous make are putting out one like it. For rheumatism, neuralgia, &c., nothing is better. Made only by Davis & Lawrence Co., Ltd.

Many a regret for what we count as lost pleasure is as needless as the fear of harm that never befalls. How many of the pleasures that we have longed for and tasted have filled us with disappointment and bitterness!

NINETY-EIGHT PER CENT.

There is a fascination about big profits to a business man. But the conservative and cautious trader prefers and the larger per cent. of interest and the larger per cent. of safety in his investments. There is no business man who would not consider it a sound proposition to invest in an enterprise in which absolute loss was impossible, and which offered ninety-eight chances in a hundred of a rich profit. The statistics of cures effected by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery show that ninety-eight per cent. of cases of "weak lungs" are cured. Almost if not all forms of physical weakness may be traced to starvation. Starvation saps the strength. The body is just as much starved when a man consumes too much of the food from the food it receives as when there is no food. "Weak lungs," bronchial affections, obstinate coughs, call for nourishment. "Golden Medical Discovery" supplies the nourishment in its most condensed and assimilated form. It makes "weak lungs" strong, by strengthening the stomach and organs of digestion which digest and distribute the food, and by increasing the supply of pure blood.

We should never leave out of our busy days love's duties to our hearts' own, whatever else we may leave out. It were better to miss almost anything else in life than what affection demands.

PAIN-BALM cures all coughs. It soothes, it heals, it cures quickly and certainly. PAIN-BALM sells more widely every year. Manufactured by the proprietors of Perry Davis' Pain-Killer.

It is not necessary to act the fool in order to demonstrate that you are one.

LOSS of Appetite and General Debility are quickly overcome by the use of a few bottles of "The D. & L." Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. Manufactured by the Davis & Lawrence Co., Ltd.

Many a man looks into the clouds for work that God has put under his feet.

DON'T.

Don't think because you have taken many remedies in vain that your case is incurable.

You have not taken Hood's Sarsaparilla.

It has cured many seemingly hopeless cases of scrofula, catarrh, rheumatism, kidney complaint, dyspepsia and general debility—many cases that may have been worse than yours.

What this great medicine has done for others it can do for you.

A purpose is the eternal condition of success.—T. T. Munger.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House.

Minard's Liniment is the Best.

A TELEPHONE MISTAKE.

The Widow Had Good Reason For Ringing Off Sharply.

Telephone mistakes have their serious side. A man who wished to communicate with another named Williams looked in the directory and then called up a number "Smith." Presently there came through the receiver a soft feminine "Hello!" and he said, "Who is that?"

"This is Mrs. Williams."

"Have you any idea where your husband is?"

He couldn't understand why she rang off so sharply until he looked in the book again and discovered that he had called up the residence of a widow.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

His Economy.

Farmer Hornbeak—I'm ready to swear that Deacon Flintrock is the economicalist in the neighborhood.

Farmer Dunk—Yes, I know he's pretty darn savin' in his ways.

Farmer Hornbeak—Pretty darn? Well, it that's as much as you know about it. I've not you badly beat. Why, Dr. Slaughter was tellin' me a spell ago that the deacon's little boy drank a quart cupful of kerosene night before last, and when the physician wanted to get it out of the lad the usual way the deacon anxiously inquired if it couldn't be done just as safely and a lot more cheaply by usin' a wick.—Philadelphia North American.

A Boston Boy Edited.

It was at one of the summer schools that flourish up New England way every year, and the white haired lady had just finished her address. Among the crowd surrounding her, swayed by a congratulatory spirit, was a little boy—a Boston boy. Presently, when he had his opportunity, he stepped forward and said:

"I was very much pleased with your remarks. I have been waiting for years to hear you speak on this topic. It was one of the best addresses on the subject I ever heard."

The boy was nine years old, the subject of the address "Motherhood."—Harper's Magazine.

Not a Joke.

"So your wife found some white and blue chips that you had in your pockets?" said the breezy and overfamiliar person.

"Yes, she saw them roll out on the floor."

"Ha, ha! Good joke!"

"No; it wasn't a good joke."

"Was she angry?"

"No, not angry; disappointed. She said it was a little hard to love a man who was small enough to hide away chips in a friendly game of poker."—Washington Star.

Why He Never Calls.

"Blinks seems to be a great friend of yours, and yet he never calls at your house."

"That's because he is a self sacrificing friend."

"How?"

"He lets me put the blame on him whenever I stay too long at the club, and so he has become persona non grata to my wife."—Chicago Post.

Not Recent.

"Don't you resent these cheap jests about the mercenary methods of some politicians?"

"Not a bit," answered Senator Scruggs. "Not a bit. So long as people are laughing they are all right. It's when they begin to take the thing seriously that I shall get worried."—Washington Star.

Hard Luck.

Bob—Farmer Jenkins didn't believe in banks and hid ten five pound notes in an old shoe.

Jack—Hi! What happened?

Bob—His wife took pity on a barefooted tramp, and now Farmer Jenkins don't believe in old shoes either.

Willie's Definition.

Willie (at his lessons)—Say, pa, what's a fortification?

Pa—A fortification, my son, is a large fort.

Willie—Then is a ratification a large rat?—New York Tribune.

How Different!

Mr. Stubbs—Confound it! We are going through a tunnel. I hope it isn't long.

Mrs. Stubbs—Ah, John, I remember the time when you told me you wished the whole distance was through a tunnel. —Chicago News.

How About a Giraffe?

"I'm mighty glad of one thing," remarked the young man who invariably got the neck at dinner, "and that is that you never serve up ostrich in this boarding house."—Yonkers Statesman.

Now, Here's a Man—

"What?" asked the dreamer, "would you do if you could be a king for a day?"

"Me?" answered the practical man. "I'd borrow enough money to live on for the rest of my life."

An Appeal For Mercy.

Judge—Have you anything to say why sentence should not be passed on you?

Bigamist—Just thing of my families, Judge.—Smart Set.

How He Practices.

"Why do they call that politician 'Doc'?"

"He doesn't practice, does he?"

"No, he practices on the body."—Chicago Post.



"Does it require a good skater for this lake?"

"No, only a good swimmer."—New York Journal.

Blood Disorders

are simply kidney disorders. The kidneys filter the blood of all that shouldn't be there. The blood passes through the kidneys every three minutes. If the kidneys do their work no impurity or cause of disorder can remain in the circulation longer than that time. Therefore if your blood is out of order your kidneys have failed in their work. They are in need of stimulation, strengthening or doctoring. One medicine will do all three, the finest and most initiated blood medicine there is.

Dodd's Kidney Pills

Infants too young to take medicine may be cured of croup, whooping cough and colds by using Vapo-Cresolene—they breathe it.

"The 20th Century Way"

is to discard Japan Teas altogether, using instead

"SALADA"

Uncolored GREEN Tea of Ceylon. It's clearly prepared and 'Pure' which Japan Tea is not. Sealed lead packets only, same as the celebrated "SALADA" Black and Mixed Teas.



See Those Little Holes!

"It's so nice to be able to roast fowl, bake onions, and plum puddings all together, without any of them being tainted."

"You see Jack got me one of McClary's."

Famous Active Ranges

last week, and I've been testing it. All the roasting fumes escape through those little holes in the back of the oven, and so keep the air pure.

"And you'd be surprised at the little coal it burns. It's just a dandy range, and I'll cook Jack lots of good things with it."

This is the kind of talk that has made the FAMOUS ACTIVE the most popular Range in Canada.

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And the necessity of fencing is approaching and Geo. Stephens, Quinn & Douglas wish to announce that they have a complete stock of all kinds of wire and wire fencing, hooks, staples, slats and fence tools. Their prices are lower than that of the average dealer and it will pay any person from a distance to call at their store in Chatham, and get prices before buying elsewhere. Wire promises to be firm in price and all orders booked now will be guaranteed in price until April 1st next.

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