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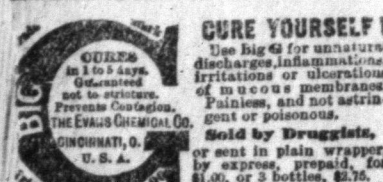


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THE BULLET FROM AFAR.

New Modern War Methods Try the
Soldiers' Nerves.

Today a man may die as soon as the
enemy's guns, hidden away in the dis-
tant, cloud topped mountains seven
miles away, begin to talk. And over
that seven miles he must walk with
caution, with a wide interval between
him and his pals on either hand. He
must lie down at every short halt and
scratch the ground hurriedly with his
little spade at every long one, for the
great shells are sailing toward him,
and he sees by his officer's eye and
hears by his commands that it is con-
sidered that he may perish at any mo-
ment and that precautions are neces-
sary to preserve him. He sees, more-
over, how futile those precautions must
be if one of those monsters howling
overhead should land as near to him as
the last one did to that blasted tree,
for instance, with its scorched, dan-
gling limbs and the huge charred in-
sign in its stout trunk, or as the one
before did to the team of mules in the
stubble waste, now a screaming,
struggling jumble of harness and
bloody flesh.

All this is dispiriting and appears un-
necessary. The country on all sides is
as peaceful as his native dale, not a
sign of an enemy. Even the great blue
hill ahead, on which he is told the en-
emy's long guns are posted, looks as
quiet as the mountain on a Christmas
card. Yet for two miles he walks
through death, thinking only of it be-
cause there is nothing else to think of,
and then as twilight falls throws in
the extended line, sees his friends run
for their tea between the fall of the shells,
notices one of them time his run back
badly and meet a projectile in full ca-
reer, to part from it an awful and dis-
gusting offense, and then lies down in
the darkness with shaking nerves and
the thought that five worse miles still
intervene between him and the guns he
knows he is intended to take.

Next morning he is awakened by a
shell, is shelled even in his bivouac by
the light of the moon and as he watches
the projectiles bursting like water-
sprouts of fire along his hillside is glad
when he is told that tomorrow will be
the battle, after which if he wins and
if he lives he may be able to walk and
sleep in peace for a space.

LINCOLN'S DISPATCHES.

Why Many of Them Were Dated
From the War Department.

Surprise is often expressed by very
intelligent people that so large a pro-
portion of President Lincoln's most im-
portant telegrams and some of his let-
ters are dated from the war depart-
ment instead of the executive mansion
and none of them from the navy, treas-
ury or other administrative bureaus.
This is generally deemed a very singu-
lar fact, and from it writers have
plausibly drawn the conclusion that
Lincoln personally liked the secretary
of war better than any of the other
cabinet officers. While this indeed ap-
pears to have been true, it does not nec-
essarily follow. He certainly held
Mr. Seward in high regard, yet he sel-
dom went to the state department.

In the circumstances it was not at all
singular. The explanation is easy. War
was the business of that time, and Lin-
coln's eyes were always bent to the
army, especially when great military
events were impending. He habitually
haunted the adjacent war department
and army headquarters, where about
General Halleck, his military adviser,
for news and views. Head and heart
were strenuously concentrated on the
fight, wherever it might be. His fertile
brain saw, too, the critical points in the
game oftentimes far more clearly than
some of his so-called "ablest generals."
He not only wished to know what was
going on in the field, but performed his
own part nobly. In the heat of action
or at crucial moments his orders, sug-
gestions, and inquiries were fired off
spontaneously from wherever he might
be at the moment, and at such periods
he was generally "over at the war de-
partment" with Mr. Stanton. That is
the chief reason why so many of his
dispatches are dated at that depart-
ment and not because he perhaps held
Stanton in higher esteem than the sec-
retary of the navy or state or treasury.

Recommending Coal.

A promoter of a recently discovered
coal mine in Rhode Island sent a quan-
tity of the material to Professor — of
New York university. Afterward he
asked for a certificate of its quality,
whereupon the professor wrote:
To Whom It May Concern:
This is to certify that I have tried this
coal in my fireplace, grates and stoves
for several weeks, and having found it
can confidently recommend to all my
friends that they hurry into the state of
Rhode Island on the day of judgment, be-
ing well satisfied that it will be last por-
tion of the earth to burn.

The Useful Man.

Encourage the useful men in the
community. Don't start foolish and un-
truthful stories about them and dis-
courage the work they are doing. If
you cannot do anything for the public
good yourself, don't discourage those
who are willing to give their time and
money toward developing the commu-
nity in which you live.

She Did.

"Auntie, Charles Glass proposed to
me last night."
"The impudent fellow! Somebody
ought to sit down on him."
"Why, auntie, I rather think some-
body did."

Some people seem to think they have
to prove they have a mind by speaking
it.

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 ob-
tain at McCall & Co.'s drug store.

Many a boy thinks he will be his
boss when he reaches man's estate, but
when he proceeds to get married it's
all off.

The popular view of the relation of
the blood to human character and con-
duct is marked in many a familiar ex-
pression. We speak of there being
"bad blood" between people at enmity,
of "blue blood" as indicating ancestry,
of "black blood" as describing a
treacherous nature, and in many an-
other phrase mark our belief that in
the mental, moral and physical man,
"the blood is the life." The one basis
of a healthful, happy and useful life
is pure blood. With the blood purified
there is no permanent lodging place
in the system. For this reason the
use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical
Discovery rids the body of diseases
which have their origin in impurity of
the blood. It absolutely purifies the
blood, carrying off the waste and poi-
sonous matter, increasing the action of
the blood making glands, and building
up the body by supplying the blood in
quantity and quality such as is essen-
tial to a condition of health. It cures
ninety-eight people out of every hun-
dred who give it a fair trial.

It is not good form to talk about
the little spats observed in the house
of your friend.

Toothache Cured in One Minute

Not only toothache, but any nerve
pain is cured instantly by Polson's
Nervine. Thousands have been cured
of its powerful, penetrating, pain-
subduing properties make it an abso-
lute cure for neuralgia, rheumatism,
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pains and aches that beset mankind.
The world is challenged to equal Ner-
vine as a household liniment. Large
bottle 25 cents.

If the Creator ever made a failure
it was probably due to an attempt to
make a man who could please his
neighbors.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he
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F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in
the City of Toledo, County and State
aforesaid, and that said firm will pay
the sum of One Hundred Dollars
for each and every case of Catarrh
that cannot be cured by the use of
Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed
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A. W. GLEASON,
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nally and acts directly on the blood and
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for testimonials, free.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

There is a lot of unconscious humor
concealed in the explanations of base-
ball managers as to why their clubs
fail to make good.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL CO-
FEE."

Do not despise an opportunity be-
cause it seems small. The way to
make an opportunity grow is to take
hold of it and use it.

Just a Cold in the Head!

But if followed by another cold, or
some extra exposure, is liable to re-
sult in Nasal Catarrh. Unless a radical
cure is obtained, the throat, throat,
bronchitis and finally the lungs be-
come affected. Nothing cures colds
so quickly and pleasantly as Catarrh-
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Nova Scotia, Mr. Noville, says,—"Ca-
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ever used. It cured me of Catarrh of
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Simply inhale Catarrh-remedy, and it
cures. Price, \$1.00. Small size, 25c.
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A wise man enjoys the little he has,
while the fool is looking for more.

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Love that breaks hearts knows best
how to tinkler them.

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Monster Speaking Tube.
In the Grand canyon of Colorado a
man's voice has been heard over a dis-
tance of eighteen miles.

A Bonaparte Plate.
A gold plate which Charles Bonaparte
pawed in order to pay the travel-
ling expenses of his son, Napoleon, to
the military school at Brienne has been
placed in the town museum at Ajaccio.

Malin Horsesmith.
The little town of Malin, in Bohemia,
produces the finest horsesmith in the
world. Malin horsesmith is known all
over Europe.

An Odd Notice.
The church in Buecken, a German
village of about 1,000 inhabitants, has
a notice board which bears the follow-
ing legend in large letters: "Cyclists
and huns are forbidden to wander
around the churchyard."

Better Than Slapping It.
Japanese brides during the marriage
ceremony wash the face of the bride-
groom.

A Baby Superstition.
Some people say that it is very bad
luck indeed for a baby to see itself in
a mirror before it is a year old, though
why this should be so considered it
would be difficult to tell.

His Rubber Overcoat.
The people of Portland, Me., call the
poet's mantle that falls in heavy folds
over their statue of Longfellow "that
rubber overcoat."

Darkest New York.
The center of the criminal population
in New York—the police precinct yield-
ing the largest number of arrests—val-
ues each year. It has followed the line
of Broadway, steadily moving up town,
since the time when the Sixth ward
was by common consent the wicked-
est precinct in town.

European Flags.
The yellow and red Spanish flag is
the oldest now in use by any European
power, yet it was not flown till 1785.
The French tricolor came into use ten
years later and England's red ensign in
1801.

Buddha's Tooth.
In a temple in India there is preserv-
ed and worshipped a tooth claimed to
have once been in the jaw of Buddha.

Cape Colony Earthworms.
Cape Colony is the natural habitat of
the largest known species of earth-
worm. It is a soft, scaleless thing
between six and seven feet long and
much resembles our common angio-
worm.

Person.
Person, the great Latinist, was the
son of a weaver. His taste for learn-
ing was kindled by the accidental dis-
covery of a book of Latin proverbs.

A City of Marble.
Modern Athens is a city of marble.
Many of the dwellings and business
houses and nearly all the public ed-
fices are of that material, and even the
sidewalks on some of the streets are
paved with it.

The Tallest Tree.
At Dunmore, Australia, there is a
blue gum tree which has an estimated
height of 450 feet. It is believed to be
the tallest tree in the world.

Attar of Roses.
One can make attar of roses very
simply. Take the flowers of the hun-
dred leaves rose, put in a large jar or
cask and just enough water to cover
them and stand in the sun. In about a
week there will form a scum which can
be removed with a piece of cotton.

African Baboons.
In some parts of South Africa much
damage is done by baboons, which go
in large marauding parties to rob gar-
dens.

Elasticity of Glass.
Glass is the most perfectly elastic
substance in existence. A glass plate
kept under pressure in a bent condition
for twenty-five years will return to its
exact original form. Steel comes next
in elasticity.

The Biggest Aerolite.
The biggest aerolite ever found was
discovered in Greenland in 1870. It
weighed twenty-three tons.

Old Peruvian Pipes.
Some curious pipes have been found
in the vast guano deposits of Peru, the
date of which is fixed by scientists to
whom they have been submitted as co-
equal with the famous Peruvian pot-
tery, the eleventh and twelfth century.

Mud in Water.
It is claimed that mud in drinking
water may be more of benefit than detri-
ment. The mud overcomes offensive
odors and destroys many of the impuri-
ties of bad water.

Parisian Cabbies.
In Paris the cab driver is prohibited
by the authorities from smoking when
driving through the streets.

Houses Without Walls.
Most of the Japanese houses are of
one general shape and two stories high.
They are put together by a curious
method of mortising, at which these
people are adepts, not one nail being
used throughout the construction of the
whole building.

Socrates' Wife.
Socrates once said of his wife, Xan-
tippe, who, if history is to be believed,
was a person by no means easy to live
with, that he married and lived with
her for self discipline.

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or acquire, but there is this about it
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even the worst cases.

WIRE WOUNDS.
My mare, a very valuable one, was
badly bruised and cut by being caught
in a wire fence. Some of the wounds
would not heal, although I tried many
different medicines. Dr. Bell advised
me to use MINARD'S LINIMENT, di-
luted at first, then stronger as the
sores began to look better, until, af-
ter three weeks, the sores have heal-
ed, and best of all, the hair is grow-
ing well, and is not white, as is most
always the case in horse wounds.
F. M. DOUCET.

Weymouth.
Don't hit a man when he is down
unless you are sure he can't get up
again.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

Mrs. Gabb—I never heard of a
magistrate so severe as Judge Crabbe.
He doesn't seem to show mercy to
anybody.

Mrs. Malaprop—You surprise me.
I heard he was very mercenary.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

A kind thought is like a blossom.
It always has the potential fruit of a
good at its heart.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL CO-
FEE."

The more a man studies himself the
less fault he will find in his neighbor.

"DRINK GRANO, CEREAL CO-
FEE."

Shadows make the light more glori-
ous.

It sometimes happens that when one
man raises the "wind" another col-
lects the "dust."

Prussian Oil

Is doing its work in this province, where
ever introduced as thoroughly and surely as it
has been doing all over the Maritime Provinces
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use for the ills that people are subject to.

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When a man has stomach trouble
he is never at a loss for something to
occupy his mind.

Money to Loan on Mortgages at 4 1/2 and 5 per Cent.

**FOR SALE—FARM AND CITY PRO-
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Frame house, two storeys, 12 rooms,
Lot 50 ft. front by 115 deep, \$1,000.
Brick house, two storeys, 7 rooms,
Lot 40 feet front, by 208 feet deep,
\$1,100.00.

Frame house, 10 rooms and summer
kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 104 ft. \$800.00.
Frame house, 8 rooms and summer
kitchen, lot 60 ft. by 208 feet, good
stable, \$1,100.00.

Two vacant lots, each 60 feet front,
by 104 feet.
House, 8 rooms, lot 60 feet by 208
feet, \$1,000.
Farm in Howard, 32 1/2 acres,
house, stable and orchard, \$1,000.
Farm in Chatham Township, 110
acres. All cleared. Good house, barn,
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trade for 25 or 50 acre farm, part
payment.

Farm in Township of Raleigh, 50
acres. All cleared. Good houses and
barn, \$3,750.
Farm in Township of Chatham, 90
acres. All cleared. New 6 room house,
Large barn, stable, granary and drive
house and other buildings, \$7,500.
Farm in Township of Chatham, 50
acres. All cleared. Good house, and
barn, \$2,500.
Valuable suburban residence, 11
rooms, with 11 acres of land. Good
stable, \$5,500.

Apply to
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Blenheim	7:30 a	10:30 a	7:45 a	
Ridgeway	7:45 a	10:45 a	7:55 a	
Rodney	"	"	"	
Westborne	"	"	"	
Dartmouth	"	"	"	
St. Thomas	"	"	"	
London	"	"	4:15 p	
Leamington	7:45 a	"	"	
Kingville	"	"	"	
Waukeville	"	"	9:05 a	
Dresden	"	"	"	9:45 a
Waukeburg	"	"	"	"
Sarnia	"	"	"	"

Going North, mixed 2:05 p m
 7:30 m for London is a through train. Other
 trains connect at Blenheim for East and West
 branch cars.

J. H. S. SON, Gen. Agent, Chatham.