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THE SOUND OF A PIANO.

Seeming Defects That May Be Often Due to Exterior Causes.

"A piano," said a dealer, "will sometimes develop or seem to develop a flaw in some one note, which comes to have a rattle or jingle or unpleasant burr to it, but this jarring sound which seems to come from the piano may in reality come from some source quite outside of it.

"Any given note when struck produces a certain number of vibrations to the second. There may be in the room some object that is in tone sympathy with some particular note, and that will be set in motion by it when that note is sounded.

"The owner of a fine piano sent to us one day to say that there was something wrong about a certain note of the instrument, so that that note had an unpleasant sound when struck. When I heard the note sounded, I knew at once that the disagreeable roughness or buzz about it was due not to any defect in the piano, but to something somewhere about in the room, and, asking the lady to strike that note occasionally, I walked around the room to see if I could locate it.

"Passing across the middle of the room as that note was struck, the cause of the jarring accompaniment of it was discovered to come from the vibration of one of the glass globes on the chandelier overhead.

"The owner of the piano was almost incredulous as to this, the sound had seemed so plainly to come from the piano itself. But when at my request she stood under the chandelier and I struck the note she was readily convinced.

"I made that globe immovable and then struck the note on the piano. The answer was clear and sweet and true.

"So, you see, the sound of the piano may for one thing depend much upon its surroundings, and what may seem to be a defect in a piano may be in reality attributable to something quite apart from the piano itself.

"And thus it might easily be that some noble instrument that had seemed to be declining or to be developing faults owed its apparent change to a change of environment or to some specific outside cause and was in reality as good as ever, as would happily be discovered whenever the instrument was again brought under favorable conditions."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

POPULAR SCIENCE.

The microbe of the tuberculosis may live on a book 103 days, as has been shown by experiment.

Of 1,000 parts of the moon 576 are visible to us on the earth; 424 parts remain hidden absolutely to man's eyes.

Without its atmosphere, which serves as a coverlet to protect it against the fearful cold of space, the surface of the earth would be frozen like that of the airless moon.

A certain duration of a luminous impression is necessary to produce an effect on the retina. Hence it is that we do not see a very rapidly moving object, such as a bullet fired from a gun.

If this globe were cooled down to 200 degrees below zero of centigrade, it would be covered with a sea of liquefied gas thirty-five feet deep, of which about seven feet would be liquid oxygen.

Blood travels from the heart through the arteries ordinarily at the rate of about twelve inches per second. Its speed through the capillaries is at the rate of three one-hundredths of an inch per second.

Fishing Through Street Gratings.

In Winchester, England, it is quite a common thing to see men fishing through the street gratings. Under the High street there flow several streams which ultimately discharge into the river Itchen, a noted trout stream. These streams receive the storm and surface water from the street by means of the ordinary street grating. The line is dropped through and fastened to the end of a stick small enough to go through the grate. When the fish is hooked, the line and stick are dropped through the grating, and the fisherman rushes to the point where the stream emerges from under the street and is there able to recover his line and land his fish.

Cause For Separation.

Her Pastor—Do you not know that what God has joined together man should not put asunder?

The Divorcee—It was not a man in our case. It was a milliner.

"A what?"

"A milliner. You see, my husband said he'd rather pay alimony than buy hats, as it would be cheaper in the long run."—New York Times.

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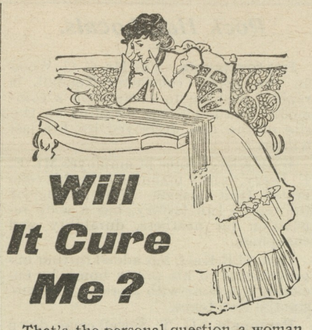

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Why shouldn't it cure her?

Is it a complicated case? Thousands of such cases have been cured by "Favorite Prescription." Is it a condition which local doctors have declared incurable? Among the hundreds of thousands of sick women cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription there are a great many who were pronounced incurable by local doctors. Wonders have been worked by "Favorite Prescription" in the cure of irregularity, weakening drains, inflammation, ulceration and female weakness. It always helps. It almost always cures.

"Three years ago," writes Mrs. John Graham, of 2018 Plumb Street, (Frankford) Philadelphia, Pa., "I had a very bad attack of dropsy which left me with heart trouble, and also a very weak back. At times I was so bad that I did not know what to do with myself. My children advised me to take your 'Favorite Prescription,' but I had been taking so much medicine from the doctor that I was discouraged with everything. I came to Philadelphia two years ago, and picking up one of your little books one day began to read what your medicine had done for others, I determined to try it myself. I took seven bottles, and to-day I am a strong, well woman, weighing 162 pounds. Have gained 29 pounds since I started to use 'Favorite Prescription.'"

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets clear the complexion and sweeten the breath.

ALL WOMEN

Wine of Cardui is the guardian of a woman's health and happiness from youth to old age. It helps her safely into womanhood. It sustains her during the trials of pregnancy, childbirth and motherhood, making labor easy and preventing flooding and miscarriage. It gently leads her through the dangerous period known as the change of life.

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Batesville, Ala., July 11, 1900.
I am using Wine of Cardui and Thedford's Black-Draught and I feel like a different woman already. Several ladies here keep the medicines in their homes all the time. I have three girls and they are using it with me.
Mrs. KATE BROWDER.

For advice and literature, address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department", The Chattanooga Medicine Company, Chattanooga, Tenn.

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W. W. BECK, ATTORNEY.

Order Nisi.

Prescilla Jane Cooper, Guardian for Joseph Clifford Cooper, et al.
vs.
Joseph Clifford Cooper, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

ORDERED, this 4th day of June 1902, by the Circuit Court for Kent County in equity, that the sale of the real estate of George T. Cooper, deceased, made and reported, by Wm. W. Beck, trustee, appointed by a decree of this Court to make said sale, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 8th day of August next;—Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 8th day of July next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $400.00.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy.—Test:—
jn7-3t. JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters of administration on the estate in Kent county, Md., of

SAMUEL FRANKLIN SMITH,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 3rd of December 1902, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

Given under my hand this 3rd day of June, 1902.

jn7 4t. CHARLES S. SMITH, Executor.

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PORT DEPOSIT LINE—Leave Port Deposit week days at 7 a. m., Havre de Grace 7.30 a. m., Betterton 8.45 a. m., stops at Tolchester on Fridays. Returning, leave Baltimore week days, except Friday, at 2.30 p. m. (Friday at 3 30 p. m.) stopping at Tolchester, Fridays.

TOLCHESTER DAILY SCHEDULE.—Str. Louise leaves Tolchester at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Leave Baltimore 8.30 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. Tuesdays and Fridays leave Baltimore 8 30 a. m., 2 p. m. and 6 30 p. m.; Leave Tolchester 10.30 a. m., 4.30 p. m. and 8.45 p. m.

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CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.
BEGINNING MONDAY, MAY. 26, 1902.
Daily Except Sunday as follows:

STEAMER EMMA A. FORD,

Leave Chestertown ..... 7 a. m.
Stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Bogles, Queenstown and Kent Island.
Leave Queenstown..... 8.45 a. m.
Arrive in Baltimore ..... 12 m.
Leave Baltimore, except Saturday ... 3 p. m.
Leave Baltimore Saturday ..... 2.15 p. m.
Arrive Chestertown, Saturday..... 7.15 p. m.
" " other days at 8.00 p. m.

STEAMER GRATITUDE

Will leave Centreville.....7.00 a. m.
Stopping at landing on Corsica River, Jackson's Creek & Rock Hall.
Leave Jackson's Creek... ..... 8.15 a. m.
Leave Rock Hall..... .... 9.30 a. m.
Arrive Baltimore..... 11.45 a. m.
Leave Baltimore..... 2.30 p. m.
Arrive Centreville ..... 7.30 p. m.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.
DELAWARE DIVISION.
Schedule in effect May 26, 1902.

Trains leave Chestertown, Md., for Townsend, Wilmington, Philadelphia and intermediate stations at 6.50 a. m. and 2.40 p. m. week days.

For Clayton, Smyrna, Harrington, Georgetown, Berlin, Ocean City, Seaford, Delmar and intermediate points, 6.50 a. m., 2.40 p. m., week days.

Leave Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, FOR NEW YORK: Express, week days, 3.20, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, 5.18, 6.50, 7.23, 8.20, 9.03, 9.50, *10.21, 11.00, a. m., *12.00 noon, 12.35 *1.00 1.40, *2.30, 3.00 3.50, 4.00 (Limited *4.11) *5.00, *5.56, 6.00, 7.02, *8.05, 10.00 p. m., 12.02 night. Sundays, 3.20, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, 5.18, 8.25, 9.50, *10.21, *11.20 a.m., *12.30, *12.35, *2.30, 4.00, (Limited *4.11) *5.20, *5.56, 6.33, 7.02, *8.05, 10.00 p. m., 12.02 night.

For Boston, without change, 10.50 a.m. week days and 8.05 p. m. daily.

For Sea Girt, Asbury Park, Ocean Grove Long Branch, 6.50, 8.22 a. m., 12.27, 3.30 and 4.00 p. m. week days. Sundays (stops at Interlaken for Asbury Park) 8.31 a. m. week-days.

For Lambertville, Easton and Scranton, 6.50, 9.06 a. m., 12.00 noon, 3.52, 5.00 (Lambertville and Easton only) week days, and 7.02 p. m. daily. Buffalo, 9.06 a. m., week days, and 7.02 p. m. daily.

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Will start a DAILY SERVICE TO BALTIMORE, beginning MONDAY, APRIL 28th. Leaving Crumpton at 5 p. m., Chestertown 6.30 p. m., DAILY (except Sunday), stopping at all points on the Chester river above the mouth of Corsica.

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ON DECEMBER 31ST, 1901, ITS ASSETS WERE AS FOLLOWS:

Stocks, Bonds, Real Estate and Cash	$ 70,307.00
Premium Notes	195,843.00
Total	$ 266,150.00

New Polices transferable upon the approval of the Secretary.

The saving to insurers in this company for the past six years has been from 30 to 40 per cent.

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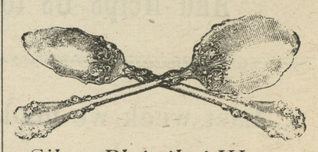

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We are not advertising a circus nor would have you believe we are selling you 50-cent articles for 25 cents, or as shirts, the 50-cent kind for 39 cents, but we will sell you goods at a small margin and give you the worth of your money

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1902

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