

## FEAR AND FUN.

Of course, the great discovery of Doctor Crile on the changes which fear and shock make in the brain cells has enormous bearing on many questions in psychology, as it does also in war, etc. But fun is the opposite of fear, so if fear plays particular mischief with brain cells then fun is what makes them solid, plump and healthy. Anyhow, one sees how much better luck with bad cases some surgeons have than others. It is by the exercise of elaborate care that one surgeon is able to snath from death or permanent disaster a patient who in other hands would surely die. That fear can kill and grief injure is no news, of course. Some hospitals for years have let the patient for several days before the operation whiff a little ether and make believe he was being put to sleep, so that he did not really know he was asleep when the operation came. In the same way for years laughing gas, which has no smell, has been given before the ether, so that the patient would start off with less fear.—Ex.

## CHALLENGE.

We, the Junior Class Basketball Team, do hereby challenge the team of the Senior Class for a game to be played at any suitable date.

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Manager.

## WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY PROGRAM.

On the afternoon of February 22 we all assembled in the chapel for exercises fitting to the occasion—it being the anniversary of the birth of the "Father of his country," George Washington. The exercises had been prepared under the direction of the teachers and were all most

appropriate to the occasion, Mrs. Campbell, principal teacher, had charge of the exercises. One or two screaming hits were made by pupils, but we expect that little Nicholas Clark of the primer grade created the greatest sensation. Rev Mr. Bauer and Rev. Mr. Goudge, both being present, on invitation addressed the assemblage in the most appropriate manner. Following is the program:

- 1 Song—God Bless our Native Land ..... School
- 2 Exercise—A Tribute To Washington ..... Pupils of Second Grade
- 3 Recitation—Honor to Washington ..... Earl Hall
- 4 Recitation—My Country ..... John Adams
- 5 Song—Mount Vernon Bells ..... Girls of Fourth Grade
- 6 Recitation—Story of The Flag ..... Girls of Fifth Grade
- 7 Reading—Washington's Boyhood ..... John Ammon
- 8 Washington's Rules of Behavior ..... Felix Isadore
- 9 Greatest of All ..... Nicholas Clark
- 10 Song—The Red, White and Blue ..... School
- 11 Reading—Selection, Choate's Tribute to Washington... Tom Powers
- 12 Dates in Washington's Life ..... Girls of Junior Class
- 13 Song—The Star Spangled Banner ..... School
- 14 Salute to the Flag ..... School
- 15 Recitation—Patriotism... James Benjamin
- 16 Song—America ..... School

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