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What Our Colleges Cost.

In this era of big things it is interesting to consider the cost of college instruction. That may enable us to make up our minds as to whether or not it pays. The grounds and buildings are appraised at \$123,000,000, the productive funds at \$138,000,000, the scientific apparatus at \$14,000,000, the benefactions at \$21,000,000, while the total income of them all is \$21,000,000. That is a great income, even greater than the \$16,000,000 the poor people of the city of New York annually pay into the police shops of the metropolis in a game in which they have no chance to win. Here is an illuminating contrast. The whole country pays \$21,000,000 annually for its highest education. The metropolitan city alone puts \$16,000,000 yearly in a game that only preys on the ignorant. I fancy no college man ever played policy except in the pursuit of knowledge and by way of experiment. When ignorance is so costly, higher education cannot be very dear at twice what is now spent on it.—John Gilmer Speed in Ainslie's.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood; but, when all other medicines failed, three \$1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me, and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis, and all Throat and Lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at City Drug Store.

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A good story is told in Missouri at the expense of its once famous governor, Claiborne F. Jackson. Before he solved the enigma of love-lock he had married five sisters in reasonable lapses of consecutiveness. After one wife had been lost and appropriately mourned he espoused another, and he kept his courting within a narrow circle of his own relatives, for he rather liked the family.

The antiquated father of these girls was almost deaf, and when the governor went to this octogenarian to ask for his surviving daughter the following conversation ensued: "I want Lizzie." "Eh?" "I want you to let me have Elizabeth." "For my wife." "For life." "I want—to—marry—her." "Oh, yes. Just so. I hear you, boy." "I'm precious glad you do," muttered the governor. "Well," slowly responded the veteran, "you needn't halloo so that the whole neighborhood knows it. Yes, you can have her. You've got 'em all now, my lad, but for goodness' sake, if anything happens to that 'ere poor misguided gal, don't come and ask me for the old woman!" Jackson solemnly promised that he never would.

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Dick Clawson's Death.

Dick Clawson, the famous California jockey, died a few days ago at the home of his parents in Missouri from hasty consumption. He leaves a wife and child.

Four years ago Clawson made a great reputation on the California tracks. He appeared in the east in 1897 and rode so well for Sam Hildreth that he was engaged the following season by W. C. Whitney at a large salary.

At the fall meeting at Sheepshead Bay in 1897 Clawson was engaged to ride L'Alouette, one of the trio of horses started for the Futurity by the Messrs. Thompson of Brookdale, N. J. L'Alouette was the despised outsider of the stable, but nevertheless Clawson got her home in front for the rich stake.

Clawson was not successful with Mr. Whitney's horses. In the middle of the season employer and employee agreed to disagree. From the time of parting with Mr. Whitney Clawson met ill luck. He gained weight rapidly and could not get many mounts.

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