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RADIUM IS OF NO AVAIL

Last Experiment Made With New Discovery in Attempt to Cure Cancer.

AGGRAVATES THE SUFFERING

Surgeons Abandon After Long but Vain Practice to Cure Awful Malady by Use of Radium.

New York, March 23.—The radium treatment for cancer has been entirely abandoned at the cancer hospital, cables the Herald's London correspondent. It was never viewed with much hope there, and a few days ago the last unsuccessful experiment with it took place.

According to the Daily Mail, the trials were made at the end with a case containing five grains, covered only with mica sheeting, probably the largest morsel in any hospital in Europe and the effect was always the same, though it might vary in a degree. The surface of the skin became inflamed, a blister formed and dried up but that was all.

Sixteen cases have been under treatment, the longest period of a single application having been three hours and the longest total time of application having been about 25 hours, and the only favorable result has been an occasional cessation of pain. On the other hand several patients have complained of an increase of pain.

BRIBERY IS DISCLOSED.

Former Bailiff Gives Startling Testimony Against Lawyer.

Chicago, March 23.—Startling information on the alleged bribing of juries by Alexander Sullivan in the interests of the Union Traction Company has been supplied in the disbarment proceedings brought against Sullivan, James G. Lynch, the former bailiff, was on the stand before Master in Chancery Leaming, and was cross-examined by Lawyer H. T. Gilbert. In reply to questions, Lynch said:

"There was a beaten path from the courthouse to Sullivan's office, and I was familiar with the Traction Company's affairs as if I were an employee. Sullivan gave me money for bribing jurors a number of times."

Lynch declares he had bribed more than a hundred jurors. "Did any of the jurors you approached refuse to do business with you?" inquired Attorney Gilbert.

"I only remember three who refused to go into the scheme," replied Lynch.

DETERMINED ON OPEN SHOP.

Operator Avers That He Will Run Mine As He Pleases.

Victor, Col., March 23.—James F. Burns, president of the Portland Mining Company and largely interested in the Midget mine, from which the miners were called out last Saturday, has made the following statement:

"You can state positively for me that the Midget will remain closed for the present, but when it is worked it will be on the 'open shop' plan. We will employ whatever miners we wish and we will ship to whatever mills and samplers we choose."

Mr. Burns has continued to operate the Portland mine since the miner's strike, having agreed to the terms of the union.

Government Must Permit.

New York, March 23.—A semi-official statement says no warships can be sold without the authorization of congress, cables the Herald correspondent at Valparaiso, Chile. This is given out in connection with rumors that a

PIMPLES

"I tried all kinds of blood remedies which failed to do me any good but I have found the right thing at last. My face was full of pimples and black heads. After taking Cascarets they all left. I am continuing the use of them and recommending them to my friends. I feel fine when I rise in the morning. Hope to have a chance to recommend Cascarets."

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New York firm had closed negotiations for the purchase of several war vessels. Meanwhile, it is insisted, every detail had been arranged between the administration and the American firm's agent in Santiago, but against this there is a secret agreement of the senate whereby no more warships are to be sold if the Argentine government does not sell some of her ships.

MINATURE GOVERNMENT.

Congress Will Be Copied Exactly By Chicago Schools.

Chicago, March 23.—The public schools of Chicago will be organized into a miniature national, state and municipal governments, if plans under consideration by Superintendent Edwin G. Cooley are carried out.

Superintendent Cooley believes that by bringing the pupils into organizations representing the three different stages of government, civics can be taught with better results than in any other way.

The plan being considered by Superintendent Cooley and other Chicago educators interested in the subject, contemplates the election of a national house of representatives from the grammar schools, considered as separate states, and the election of senators from the high schools.

Each elementary school will send one representative to the national congress and each high school will send several senators—one or two from each year's class—to the higher branch of the mock national government.

The state and city government will be formed in much the same way. The president and all officers of the different branches of government will be elected by the Australian ballot system and in every detail the machinery of the national government will be copied.

The little government will be founded upon the principals of coeducation and equal suffrage.

FOR BETTER CONDITIONS.

Board of Health Will Enlist School Children to Assist.

New York, March 23.—In an attempt to check the dissemination of pneumonia and germs of other diseases of the respiratory organs, President Darlington of the board of health has enlisted the aid of half a million school children. His idea is that they will help greatly in the enforcement of laws prohibiting expectoration on sidewalks and in public conveyances but that, in educating the children he will be educating the man. He has brought the matter to the attention of Henry A. Rodgers, president of the board of education, who heartily approves the suggestion. Great quantities of slips are being printed by the department of health for distribution among the children, and at the same time the teachers will be expected to explain the seriousness of the dangers involved in the practice of spitting in public places.

It is designed that both boys and girls carry a little pad of the warning slips and that when they see a man violating the ordinance they will hand a card warning him of the heavy fine to which he is liable. Public school teachers also will be directed to take particular pains in pointing out to their charges the dangers of violation of the sanitary code.

Unions Keep Up Strike.

New York, March 23.—None of the local unions of bricklayers has manifested any desire to call off the strike which has tied up work throughout this city. The general executive board of the Bricklayers Union has not been asked to act in the matter. Additional locals of this union have voted to strike, making five out of nine that have decided to stay out.

To End Lockout.

New York, March 23.—It is asserted by President Pritchard, of the Lithographers International Protective and Beneficial Association, that 15 large firms throughout the country have decided to employ only members of his association and end the lockout in their plants. There are nearly 10,000 workmen locked out in various parts of the country, owing to their refusal to sign the employers' arbitration agreement.

Earthquakes Separate.

Baltimore, March 23.—The earthquake that shook New England Monday was separate and distinct from one felt here an hour and a half later. This was shown by developing the films of the seismograph at Johns Hopkins university. They record a 10 minute shock that started in this vicinity at 2:30 Monday morning. The earthquake which thrilled all New England occurred at four minutes past one o'clock in the morning.

WILL SHOOT EX-PRESIDENT

General Bonilla Sentenced to Death by Court Martial and Thrown into Prison.

CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY

Chief Executive of Honduras for Many Years and Made an Excellent Official for the People.

New York, March 23.—There is a rumor here that ex-President Policarpo Bonilla, of Honduras, has been tried by court martial and sentenced to be shot to death, says a Herald dispatch from Panama. He was arrested and thrown into prison last month, with several other members of the chamber of deputies, it being charged that a plot against the government of President Manuel Bonilla was hatching among them.

General Policarpo Bonilla for many years was the president of the country and it was said that he was the only man who ever retired from office willingly and without starting a revolution to bring him back into power again. It was during his administration that a reform constitution was adopted which provided among other changes for a secret ballot instead of the viva voce method of election.

MATADOR IS SLAIN.

Dying Bull Revives Suddenly and Gores His Tormentor.

El Paso, Tex., March 23.—"Cuckoo," one of the most noted bull fighters in all Mexico, met his death while pursuing his vocation in the arena at Juarez.

"Cuckoo" was regarded as an expert with the sword, and when he faced the fourth bull to administer the coup de grace to the exhausted animal no one doubted but that the death of the beast would result from one clean thrust. Contrary to expectations, the bull did not die instantly, but sank to his knees in mortal agony. "Cuckoo" then attempted to give the brain thrust and complete his work, but as he bent over the bull hastily regained his feet and tossed the matador into the air, piercing him with his long horns and tearing the flesh in a horrible manner. The dying man was quickly wrapped in a blanket and carried from the arena, while the victorious bull rolled over in the sand, to rise no more. Several thousand people witnessed the fight and many were sickened by the closing spectacle.

"Cuckoo" was a favorite with the Mexican masses, and his untimely end caused much sorrow among the Mexican people.

Canine Sagacity.

Details which are now transpiring as to the avalanche which cost the lives of six French soldiers bear another touching tribute to the saving intelligence of a dog. But for the sagacity of this faithful animal the death roll must have been doubly greater than it was. After the rescue of the men entombed the troops formed themselves into two parties, one of which went forward in the darkness at once with the injured

Luckily Captain Bartoli, who commanded, had with him a small pocket lamp. This gave light enough for the leading rank to march by. The second party had no such aid and were in a desperate plight, when Captain Bartoli had an inspiration. "Stop! Stop!" he called, and his dog crouched at his feet. Attaching a string to the collar the captain said, "Forward, Stop," and the column marched behind the dog through the dark. At dangerous points the dog often turned back to find the tracks of the first column, but he always did find them, and at last led the column to safety.—London Globe.

Garden Party a Success.

New York, March 23.—United States Minister Irving B. Dudley's garden party just given in honor of the visiting American warships was a great success, says a Lima, Peru, correspondent to the Herald. The beautiful grounds surrounding the legation were brilliantly illuminated and the leaders of Lima's society, together with many distinguished foreigners were present. The cruiser New York's band attracted its share of attention and the patriotic airs which it rendered evoked much enthusiasm.

Millionaire is Ill.

New York, March 23.—Richard A. McCurdy, the millionaire president of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, is very ill here, says a special dispatch from Santa Barbara, Cal. He will be removed to New York in his private car immediately, instead of visiting here for five or six weeks as he had planned. He arrived here only a few days ago, accompanied by his son. Mr. McCurdy is seventy years old and is said to have been in poor health for some time.

To Include Famous Jurists.

St. Louis, March 23.—A ways and means committee has been appointed by Frederick W. Lehmann, chairman of the St. Louis bar committee, to arrange for the international law convocation to be held there this summer. It will be the duty of this committee to raise an entertainment fund, which has been estimated at \$10,000. The delegates to the convention will include the most famous jurists of the world.

Panama is Pleased.

New York, March 23.—There is great satisfaction at the action of the Salvadorean government in finally recognizing the republic, cables the Herald correspondent at Panama. Federico Boyd, who has been appointed consul-general to Salvador, will also represent Panama in Nicaragua.

"I owe my whole life to Burdock Blood Bitters. Scrofulous sores covered my body. I seemed beyond cure. B. B. B. has made me a perfectly well woman." Mrs. Chas. Hulton, Berville, Mich.

A Comical Ass.

An inspector of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals summoned a farmer for working his donkey in an unfit state. When charged before the magistrate with cruelty to the animal the farmer said:

"There's nothing wrong with him. He's only a bit proud."

"But the inspector says he was so lame he had to walk on his tiptoes."

"Yes, he often does that."

"But if the donkey was not lame, why did he walk on his tiptoes?"

"To keep his tail from dragging on the ground, the roads are so dusty."—Dublin News.

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