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Henry Wilson, the postmaster at Weishton, Florida, says he cured a case of diarrhoea of long standing in six hours with one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. What a pleasant surprise that must have been to the sufferer. Such cures are not unusual with this remedy. In many instances only one or two doses are required to give permanent relief. It can always be depended upon. When reduced with water it is pleasant to take. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton Drugists.

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"They tell me Jones is runnin' for speaker of the house!" "You don't say? When did the old woman die?"—Atlanta Constitution.

Notice of Proposed Street Improvement  
 By order of the Council of Dalles City, notice is hereby given that the portion of the east side of Union street, commencing on the south line of Fourth street, Dalles City, and extending southerly to where the north line of the alley which forms the north line of the public school grounds intersects said street, said public school grounds being situated on both sides of Union street between said alley and the bluff, shall be improved by the construction of a plank sidewalk eight feet in width along the east side of said street.  
 Dated this 20th day of October, 1894.  
 DOUGLAS S. DUFUR,  
 Recorder for Dalles City.

Lost.  
 Yesterday afternoon between the courthouse and Newman's store, two notes. One made Jan. 1, 1893, due one day after date; amount \$124, payable to Martin Wing, signed by Steve Wing. One dated March, 1893, amount \$100, payable to F. H. Woodcock, signed by Mike Kened and George Miller. Finder will please leave them at the sheriff's office. n14-d2w1

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## HOBBS AND GEOMETRY.

How He Happened to Fall in Love with It—Went to Oxford.  
 Hobbes got his Latin and Greek at Malmesbury from a young scholar named Richard Latimer, newly come from the university (doubtless meaning Oxford), and, as was then common, he acquired by exclusive attention to those languages a facility in them which now seems not only precocious but almost monstrous, says the National Review.

"It is not to be forgotten," says Aubrey, "that before he went to the university he had turned Euripidis Medea out of Greek into Latin iambiques, which he presented to his master." We need not regret that this performance is not preserved, for Hobbes, though ready enough in handling both Greek and Latin, does not appear to have been a fine or accurate scholar.  
 "Hobbes was not yet fifteen when he went to Oxford. He did not care much for logic, yet he learned it and thought himself a good disputant. There is no reason to think he learned anything else at Oxford save a strong dislike of academic institutions and methods. He turned from the official studies to amuse himself with geography and voyages. As to mathematics, there was no official recognition of them at all while Hobbes was at the university. So there is nothing improbable in the statement that Hobbes had never opened a copy of Euclid until he was near middle age. The story is best told in Aubrey's own words:  
 "He was forty years old before he looked on geometry, which happened accidentally, being in a gentleman's library. 'Euclid's Elements' lay open and it was the 47th Prop., Lib. I. So he reads the proposition. 'By—!' says he; 'this is impossible.' So he reads the demonstration of it, which referred him back to another, which he also read, 'et sic deinceps,' that at last he was demonstratively convinced of that truth. This made him in love with geometry."

CHINESE CONSUMPTIVES.  
 The Mongolians speedily succumb to the Dread Disease.  
 That there is a large Chinese population in Boston is well known, and yet it is seldom that one hears of a death in the Chinese quarter. The proportion of Chinese residents, says the Boston Transcript, is small as compared with those of other nationalities, and there is no way to tell the exact number of deaths among them, as they are recorded by the city officials under the head of miscellaneous nationalities. Inquiry reveals the fact that Chinamen in nearly every case die of consumption. They are ill, as a rule, but a short time. In their native country their principal diet is rice, which, from its healthfulness, tends to lengthen life. When they begin business here all their habits change. They work early and late, seldom leaving their shops, and as they succeed they begin to eat American food. It is remarked by all with whom they have dealings that they always buy the best markets afford. It is their custom to work until midnight or after and then enjoy a hearty meal. If they are well to do they are certain to have chickens and whatever fruit can be procured, no matter how expensive it may be. If they have just started in the laundry business it is quite likely that they will form a company and adjourn to the nearest "night lunch wagon" or restaurant.  
 Living, as most of them do, in such small rooms, when sickness overtakes them they cannot receive proper care and they are carried to the hospitals.

HISTORIC FAT WOMEN.  
 Celebrities Who Were More or Less Deformed to Embonpoint.  
 From ancient, medieval and modern history the following facts about fat women are gleaned: Agrippina, Nero's mother, was fat. Cleopatra, the serpent of the Nile, as Marc Antony called her, was small and fat. Laura, Petrarch's muse, was fat, fair, with blonde hair. The Marie Fiammetta whom Boccaccio loved intensely was a brunette and fat. Elizabeth, the virgin queen, was tall and fat, with thick red hair. Marguerite of Navarre was fat. All Rubens' women, except his wife, were fat. All Titian's women, except the Madonna, were fat. Catherine of Russia was tall and fat; Louisa Strozzi, for whom Alexandre di Medici died, was rather stout. Josephine Beauharnais, the indolent Creole, afterward empress of the French, was fat and perfumed; Mme. Roland also. The unfortunate Marie Antoinette was tall of stature, majestic and fat; Mme. de Stael, small, dark and fat, with a small viper's head. George Sand had a beautiful head, but was fat and small. Heine said of her: "The build of her body has the appearance of being a little too fat, or at least a little too short; the head alone bears the cachet of the ideal." Queen Isabella of Spain is fat; Queen Victoria the same; Queen Margherita of Italy is certainly going on the same way, and most of the great singers have been noted for their embonpoint.

Wasted Forests.  
 Reckless waste is the thing that shocks the beholder in the Adirondack forests. It is partly the reckless waste of men, partly that of prodigal nature. Trees cut down are left to rot, corded wood neglected for years, large pines felled and burned where they lay for hunters' fires, all proclaim the wastefulness of the human denizen or visitor. Every forest, even close up on the edge of civilization, is a tangle of fallen trunks, blown or rotted down. They lie in every direction, some still intact for their whole length, others mingled with the soil, buried in leaves and vegetation.

No Law Against It.  
 A prisoner in India recently, on being released, revenged himself on the assistant commissioner who had sentenced him by cutting off one-half of his mustache while he was sleeping out of doors on a hot night. It was then found that there was no way of punishing him under the penal code, for, while cutting the hair of a native is punishable as dishonoring the person, there is no such provision for Englishmen, and the bodily harm done was too slight to be considered an offense.

Another Call.  
 All county warrants registered prior to January 1, 1891, will be paid on presentation at my office. Interest ceases after Sept. 10th.  
 Wm. MICHELL,  
 County Treasurer.

Notice.  
 All city warrants registered prior to January 2, 1892, are now due and payable at my office. Interest ceases after this date. I. I. BURGER, City Treas.  
 Dated Dalles City, Aug. 1, 1894.

THE CHRONICLE prints the news.

## A LUCKY CHANCE.

The Good Fortune of an Ocean Traveler Who Liked to Bet.

A well-known Washingtonian of sporting proclivities who has recently returned from Europe spends about half his time telling his friends the story of how he made a big winning while crossing the pond, says the Washington News.

"We had been out three days," says he, "and had exhausted nearly every means of amusement, when far away on the horizon we sighted the smoke of an approaching steamer. Speculation among the sporting element at once took the form of the nationality of the vessel. At length some one suggested that we each put one hundred dollars into a pool, and eight of us did so. Miniature flags of the eight principal maritime nations were deposited in a bag, and each of us took a draw.

"Well, you can imagine my feelings when I found that the one I had taken was that of Italy. The smallness of her navy and merchant marine became painfully apparent to me, and visions of a cool century gone in a moment began to roll up before my eyes. The English flag, by some sort of hog luck, had fallen to an Englishman, and in his mind's eye he had that eight hundred dollars dead sure. And how he did chaff us.

"Well, I had nothing to say, and you can bet I played my part well until the vessel got alongside of us. Then I almost went into hysterics, for there at her mast flew the banner of Sunny Italy. I was so overcome by my extraordinary luck that I spent nearly half of my winnings in pledging Italy in the best of wines before we landed in New York. The captain of our vessel told me afterward that this was the first Italian ship he had met on the high seas for five years."

## A WHISTLING SNAKE.

It Is One of the Deadliest Serpents Found in New Guinea.

The discovery of the Horn expedition to the McDonnell ranges in Australia of a remarkable specimen of natural history called a "whistling spider," whose peculiarity consists in producing a whistling noise by the simple operation of drawing its fore leg across its jaw, seems at the moment to be outdone.

Sir William Macgregor, the administrator of British New Guinea, is now in the field with another extraordinary discovery—a whistling snake. In his latest report Sir William says that a large number of deaths occurred early this year in the Rigo district of New Guinea from snake bite. The administrator points out that the island is infested by a small species of black snake, which is very fierce. The natives declare that whenever a man goes near one it rushes at him, uttering sounds which they describe as resembling a whistle. "Shortly before I was at the government station," writes Sir William Macgregor, "one of these reptiles attacked the government agent, but was killed before it did any harm. A little while before a boy of fourteen years was in the bush near the station, when one of these snakes made a rush at him with the usual peculiar whistling sound. The boy thought the noise emanated from some cockatoos in a tree and began to look for them. He did not discover his mistake until he received a bite from the reptile, from which he died in a little while in great agony."

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