PLAGUE-STRICKEN PLYMOUTH!

Does a Similar Danger Threaten Everyone of Us?

How Public Attention is Directed to Personal Perils.

[Rochester (N. Y.) Correspondence Indianapolis Sentinel.]

"Judge," said a young lawyer to a very successful senior, "tell me the secret of your uniform success at the bar."

"Ah, young man, that secret is a life study, but I will give it to you on condition that you pay all my bills during this session of court."

"Agreed, sir," said the junior.

"Evidence, indisputable evidence."

At the end of the month the Judge reminded the young man of his promise.

"I recall no such promise."

"Ah, but you made it."

"Your evidence, please."

And the judge, not having any witnesses, lost a case for once!

The man who can produce indisputable evidence wins public favor. I had an interview yesterday with the most successful of American advertisers, whose advertising is most successful because always backed by evidence.

"What styles of advertising do you use?" I asked H. H. Warner, Esq.

"Display, reading matter and paragraphs of testimonials."

"Have you many testimonials?"

In answer he showed me a large cabinet chock-full. "We have enough to fill Boston, New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Philadelphia morning papers."

"Do you publish many of them?"

"Not a tithe. Wonderful as are those we do publish, we have thousands like them which we cannot use. 'Why not?' Let me tell you. 'Warner's safe cure' has probably been the most successful medicine for female disorders ever discovered. We have testimonials from ladies of the highest rank, but it would be indelicate to publish them. Likewise many statesmen, lawyers, clergymen, doctors of world-wide fame have been cured, but we can only refer to such persons in the most guarded terms, as we do in our reading articles."

"Are these reading articles successful?"

"When read they make such an impression that when the 'evil days' of ill health draw nigh they are remembered, and Warner's safe cure is used."

"No, sir, it is not necessary now, as at first, to do such constant and extensive advertising. A meritorious medicine sells itself after its merits are known. We present just evidence enough to disarm skeptics and to impress the merits of the remedies upon new consumers. We feel it to be our duty to do this. Hence, best to accomplish our mission of healing the sick, we have to use the reading-article style. People won't read plain testamonials."

"Yes sir, thousands admit that had they not learned of Warner's safe cure through this clever style they would still be ailing and still impoverishing themselves in fees to unsuccessful 'practitioners.' It would do your soul good to read the letters of thanksgiving we get from mothers grateful for the perfect success which attends Warner's safe cure when used for children, and the surprised gratification with which men and women of older years and impaired vigor, testify to the youthful feelings restored to them by the same means."

"Are these good effects permanent?"

"Of all the cases of kidney, liver urinary and female diseases we have cured, not two per cent of them report a return of their disorders. Who else can show such a record?"

"What is the secret of Warner's safe cure permanently reaching so many serious disorders?"

"I will explain by an illustration: The little town of Plymouth, Pa., has been plague-stricken for several months because its water supply was carelessly poisoned. The kidney and liver are the sources of physical well-being. If polluted by disease, all the blood becomes poisoned and every organ is affected *and this great danger threatens every one, who neglects to treat himself promptly*. I was nearly dead myself of extreme kidney disease, but what is now Warner's safe cure cured me, and I know it is the *only remedy in the world that can cure such disorders*, for I tried everything else in vain. Cured by it myself, I bought it and, from a sense of duty, presented it to the world. Only by restoring the kidneys and liver can disease leave the blood and system."

A celebrated sanitarian physician once said to me. "The secret of the wonderful success of Warner's safe cure is that it is sovereign over all kidney, liver and urinary diseases, which primarily or secondarily make up the majority of human ailments. Like all great discoveries it is remarkably simple."

The house of H. H. Warner & Co. stands deservedly high in Rochester, and it is certainly matter of congratulation that merit has been recognized all over the world, and that this success has been unqualifiedly deserved.

PEN POINT.

—Probably the most cheerful light station on the California coast is the Farallon light. Thomas Owen, W. H. Rugg, David R. Splain, Philip Savage and an army mule are the accredited Government forces at that place. The following story is told about the mule: "He has been at Farallon several years. All his work consists in hoisting up twice a year the provisions brought over by the light-house Inspector in a steamer. He has learned the sound of the whistle, and when he hears it, hides to shirk work. At the last visit of the Inspector the mule hid and had to be hunted for two hours in the rocks before he could be found.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

—President Eliot says that, without special extravagance or fast living in any way, a Harvard student can easily spend $800 a year, and some get rid of much more. A calculation of the average expense at twenty-five of the principal colleges, according to the statements of their respective catalogues as to price of board, tuition, and general expenses, shows that it is a trifle over $500. An average college education, then, costs $500 a year, or $2,000. Of course, the thing can be done for less than this. Tuition may be remitted by the gaining of a scholarship, and a young man who is determined to support himself may do so in whole or in part by teaching and other work.—*Boston Journal.*

A WOMAN'S BEST FACULTY.

Provided by an All-Wise Providence with Eyes that See Enough to Keep Her Tongue Continually Busy.

As a rapid and exhaustive observer woman outshines man more than the beauty and glory of day at high twelve surpasses the flicker of a brimstone match. With one little bat of her eye a woman can see things to which man, with all his boasted discernment, remains forever blind. The focusing machinery in the visionary department of her mechanism is always in gear, and operates with lightning precision without hitch or friction. Put her in a cannon and shoot her through a millinery store, and if she survives the shock to her nerves, she can tell you with a precision that seems phenomenal the exact shade of every ribbon and the net amount of torture to non-possessors represented by every specimen of male distraction in the entire concern. Send her aloft in a balloon when the wind is careering over the city with the speed of a young man running through an hereditary fortune, and she can tell you the contents of every clothes-line in town, without stopping to catch her breath. Put her in a sleigh behind a runaway team, if you are obliged to know the color of every man's eyes both sides of the street, and have to know it quick. If you are to have a fashion report in fifteen minutes that would take you three weeks to prepare, send the dear creature to church. If you want to know anything that can be seen, shut your eyes and tell your wife to look. With one corner of her eye she will see more in the fragment of an instant than you could discern in two weeks with a field-glass. For breadth, scope and accuracy, the amount of observation she can grasp with a single wink makes a Government survey seem contracted and deficient. Prof. Proctor himself owns up that his daughter can see and salt down more in the butt end of a second without specks on, than he can behold with a telescope in a good long astronomical spell, and he always wants her handy during an eclipse or transit to nail such phenomena as may happen to get away from him.

A Chicago man went to Washington to witness the inauguration and give the new administration the benefit of his experience in tight corners, and by some unaccountable freak of conduct he took his wife along with him. He is a man of reasonable veracity, and whenever he swears to a thing you can put it down as coming sufficiently near the truth to answer all ordinary purposes. On returning home, with considerable more experience and a good deal less money, he appeared before somebody and deposed that out of all the vast ocean of female paraphernalia, military grandeur, and so on, gathered in the Capital on that brilliant occasion, not one thing escaped the clinching gaze of that blue-eyed little woman, and that a minute description of everything with ribbons and ruffles is snugly pigeon-holed between her ears somewhere, for he overheard her telling another woman or two all about them after the return, with a cogency and conciseness that made him feel as though he had been blind from birth. He avows that he kept his eyes at full cock during their entire stay, and did his best to obtain at least a moderately retentive squint of everything in sight, while his wife just stood around and growled about her tight shoes, her headache, encroaching corset, and other female peculiarities, without seeming to care a button-hook for anything or anybody, or even appearing to notice so much as the season of the year. Time and again, he affirms, did he lift up his voice in most vehement entreaty as follows, namely, to wit:

"Keep your eyes peeled, my dear, and try to notice something that will make you remember the place. You may never have another chance to come here, and you ought to try and see all you can while you are about it."

But she gazed not with the rapture for which he famished, and he proceeded with more strenuous intonation:

"I'll declare it looks like a waste of money to take you traveling. Why don't you look around and notice things while you've got a chance? Do you think I went to all this expense for the sake of having a cigar sign along with me? Hold up your head and look around. There's things in sight that will be petrified in history. Shake yourself up and look at 'em while you can, or else blindfold yourself and be done with it?"

But all the solace the enthusiastic man could get in return was:

"O, my headache!" or "Plague take them shoes!" while the apparent eyeless woman at his elbow stood around on one foot, and seemed to be getting about as much benefit from the animated scenes around her as a mole would pick up at an art display. But for all that nothing escaped the busy eye of the undemonstrative little woman. Everything went to the right place under her bonnet, and what she saw would fill every volume of the *Congressional Globe* ever issued, and leave enough over to keep the Government printers busy for years to come, while her husband was tickled nearly to death at the music, and threw up his hat and stood on his head when the elephant went by, he returned home firmly believing he had seen the whole circus.—*E. P. Brown, in Chicago Ledger.*

What Men Fall in Love With.

Men fall in love, they say, with beauty, with goodness, with gentleness, with intellectual qualities, with a sweet voice, with a smile, with an agreeable manner, with a lovable disposition, with many ascertainable and measurable things, and yet we find them continually falling in love with women who are not beautiful, nor good, nor wise, nor gentle, nor possessing any ascertainable or measurable thing. You'll find a hundred reasons given for falling in love, or being in love, and rarely the right reason—which is commonly simply because a man can not help it. He is in love because a mysterious force in nature has touched him. The woman may be unbeautiful, heartless, selfish, cruel, untrue, coarse, frivolous, empty, but if the magic of nature—something of the magic, I suspect, that Puck used on the eyes of Titania—touches him he sees not one of these things in their true aspect. Yes, the Titanias that have fallen in love with men crowned with donkey heads, and the men that have fallen in love with serpents, thinking them doves, are many—and all because of a diabolism, or a mystic fury in nature that delights in bringing incongruous elements together for the sake of a dance of delirium.—*O. B. Bunce.*

—A down-East veteran named Johnson undertook to collect some pension arrears lately, and was amazed to find that his "widow" had got ahead of him on two occasions, as far back as 1863 and 1867.—*N. Y. Sun.*

SMELLING AN EARTHQUAKE.

Abnormal Development of a Sea Captain's Olfactories.

"We was anchored in the harbor of Manilla," said a bronzed and weather-beaten sailor, as he stretched his legs under the table and looked meditatively at a glass of beer which had just been placed before him. "It were in the ship Albert, as I shipped into fur the voyage and our old man's name was Cole. The old man was the best I ever see at scentin' a blow. Why, bless ye, that nose of his were better than any barometer that ever was made. Many a time I've seen him a-walking up and down the poop with the sky as blue and wind as fair as anything. Suddenly he'd stop, cock up his nose and give a sort of snuff like. Then he'd snuff all 'round the compass and sing out for to shorten sail and get ready for a blow. And the blow came, too. The old man used to say he sometimes lied, but he never made a mistake.

"Well, as I was a saying, we was anchored in the harbor of Manilla. It was the most beautifullest day you ever see. Not enough wind to ripple the water, and not a cloud in the sky. The old man was ashore. Bimeby he came aboard. As he stepped over the side he stopped and gave a great snuff. Then he snuffed harder and harder all 'round the compass. Then he looked scared like and rushed below to look at his barometer. He brought the barometer up on deck and placed it where he could keep his eye on it, and began to get the ship ready for a typhoon, for that was what he thought were a-comin'. The barometer didn't go down a bit, but that didn't fool the old man. He sent down the sky sail and royal yards, bent on purventer backstays, put double gaskets on all the sails 'cepting the fore and main tawps'ls, and did every thing he could think of to get the ship in condition for a typhoon. We overhauled the sheets, halyards, buntlins, clewlins and braces of the fore and main tawps'ls, and fixed the gaskets so as we could get um off in about two shakes of a lamb's tail, fur you see we wanted to be able to get sail on to her quick to keep her off shore if so be as she would drag her anchors. We put out both anchors and all the chain we had, and it was a powerful lot I can tell you.

"Well, that night there want any sign of a blow—just as calm and pleasant as it had been, and there was the old man a-walkin' up and down the deck purty much all night a-lookin' at that barometer, which never moved an inch. The next morning the barometer did go down a little, and the old man looked actu'lay pleased, fur you see he'd rather be in the biggest blow that ever was than be caught at a mistake in smellin' bad weather. Well, about noon that day, while we were at dinner, there come a dull rumblin' sound, and the ship began to tremble all over like as if she had struck a rock. Then she began to go up, up, and we rushed out of the foc'tle to see a great tidal wave sweeping into the harbor and on shore the dust and bricks and trees was a-flyin' round in great shape. We was all pretty well scared, but fortunately we had out so much chain that we rode the wave in safety. In the midst of the confusion I saw the old man clinging for dear life to the fiferail and heard him shout: 'A earthquake, by thunder; I thought 'twas a typhoon.'"—*N. Y. Tribune.*

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

The Selling of These on Time a Very Unwise Proceeding For the Producer.

Farmers are wont to complain of small profits when they get the full market price of their products in hand. But a very unwise custom prevails in many dairy districts of selling butter and cheese on time, or of selling through commission houses, and the latter is a still more vicious practice than time sales at a stipulated price. Why should farmers furnish these middlemen with capital to do business on gratuitously? It is the merest pretense that there is not capital enough to handle these goods for cash. The grain crop is not purchased on credit or sold for farmers on commission, nor is the great commerce in live stock carried on in this way.

Every season brings reports of distress among dairy farmers in certain districts by the failure of commission men. It is the fault of farmers that there are so few middlemen of any safe capital to do business on. The ease of obtaining consignments has led hundreds of men without capital to set up as commission merchants. These merchants have nothing to lose, and they seem to enjoy handling the capital intrusted to them by these confiding farmers, and live on the top shelf till the difference between their real income and their expenditures brings them to the inevitable failure, involving hundreds of dairy farmers in the loss of a large share of the year's product of their herds. All sorts of excuses are made for the unfortunate commission merchant, who has lost nothing of his own except the unmerited confidence of the deluded dairymen. But, astonishing as it may seem, these dairymen go right on the next year, and furnish capital for some other adventurer to repeat the game. Occasionally a shrewd and economical business man uses this capital intrusted to him fairly, and thus succeeds in establishing a safe business, and building up a safe capital. But this result is rare.

All farm products are better than an uncertain promise to pay. Let farmers learn to hold their products till they can exchange them for cash.—*Live Stock Journal.*

What Consols Are.

In speaking of consols, most people think they include the entire National debt of England. This is a mistake, for there is only a little more than half a debt, strictly speaking, included under that head. The name consols is, as nearly every one is aware, merely a contraction or term that has got into use in the brief way of speaking used on the Stock Exchange. The full official title of the portion of the public debt called consols is "The consolidated three per cent. reduced annuities," and they have grown to their present enormous proportions, some £330,000,000 sterling, as indeed the whole debt has, from comparatively small beginnings, by fits and starts, and through gradual processes of incurring floating debts to meet emergencies and the subsequent funding of the same in permanent shape at low rates of interest.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

—Linear drawing has been introduced, by recent enactment, into all the elementary schools of England. The theory is that a knowledge of this kind of drawing is useful in almost every kind of trade or handicraft.—*Chicago Current.*

A DEEPLY INTERESTING NARRATIVE.

The name of Rev. John H. Chandler is an honored one in the literature and labor of the Baptist Church; especially in connection with his forty years' devotion to missionary work in Burmah and Siam; a work in which his accomplished wife shared during the whole of this long period. For most of this time his residence was at Bangkok, in Siam, the capitol of the kingdom. Here he rendered himself valuable to the king and his court, as translator of important documents. In 1859 he was appointed U. S. Consul at Bangkok. He was also tutor to the present king of Siam.

One of the almost inevitable results of missionary labor is the breaking down of health, and neither Mr. nor Mrs. Chandler escaped. In 1872 their condition became so serious that they returned to this country for medical treatment. They went back to Siam in 1872, intending to stay for six years, but both soon grew worse, and had to come to the United States at the end of three. What Mr. Chandler's condition was at the time is given in his own words, as related to a gentleman who called upon him recently at his home, in Camden, New Jersey:

"*I was a complete wreck. My lung weakness was so great that for months at a time I could not write or read. The nerves of my stomach were totally demoralized. My food would not digest. I had to lay aside all my teaching and literary labor. I was unable to do either physical or mental work.* I was also troubled with *palpitation of the heart and with an obstinate catarrh of ten years' standing; altogether I was a very, very sick man.* While thus suffering, the Rev. Dr. MacFarland, a Presbyterian missionary, at Bangkok, called my attention to Compound Oxygen. He had tried it for indigestion and general debility and had found it very beneficial.

"While I was on my way home I found myself in a very critical condition. I almost gave up hope. On reaching Philadelphia I consulted Drs. Starkey & Palen. I soon began the use of Compound Oxygen. *It acted like a charm.* Very soon I felt signs of returning strength. *In the matter of diabetes the relief was particularly noticeable.* Improvement went on gradually but surely. I became so that I could eat with regularity and really enjoy my food. *In time my old symptoms of wretchedness and weariness passed away and I was myself again.*

"You may judge of my health and strength when I tell you that I was with the Siamese embassy in New York and Washington a few months ago, traveling with them and going about as freely and energetically as any of them. Compound Oxygen had so recruited my system that the unusual exercise of travel had no unpleasant effect upon me, nor was I in any respect the worse for my journey."

For full information as to this wonderful Treatment, address DRS. STARKEY & PALEN, 1109 and 1111 Girard St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Orders for the Compound Oxygen Home Treatment will be filled by H. E. Mathews, 621 Powell street, between Bush and Pine streets, San Francisco.

At Gloucester, N. J., a child was killed by a thunderbolt.

WHAT IS CATARRH?

Catarrh is a muco-purulent discharge caused by the presence and development of the vegetable parasite amœba in the internal lining membrane of the nose. This parasite is only developed under favorable circumstances, and these are: Morbid state of the blood, as the blighted corpuscle of tubercle, the germ poison of syphilis, mercury, toxæmea, from the retention of the effete matter of the skin, suppressed perspiration, badly ventilated sleeping apartments, and other poisons that are germinated in the blood. These poisons keep the internal lining membrane of the nose in a constant state of irritation, ever ready for the deposit of the seeds of these germs, which spread up the nostrils and down the fauces or back of throat, causing ulceration of the throat; up the eustachian tubes, causing deafness; burrowing in the vocal cords, causing hoarseness; usurping the proper structure of the bronchial tubes, ending in pulmonary consumption and death.

Many attempts have been made to discover a cure for this distressing disease by the use of inhalents and other ingenious devices, but none of these treatments can do a particle of good until the parasites are either destroyed or removed from the mucous tissue

Some time since a well known physician of forty years standing, after much experimenting, succeeded in discovering the necessary combination of ingredients which never fails in absolutely and permanently eradicating this horrible disease, whether standing for one year or forty years. Those who may be suffering from the above disease should, without delay, communicate with the managers, Messrs. A. H. Dixon & Son, 305 King Street West, Toronto, and get full particulars and treatise free by enclosing stamp.

The crops of Southern Russia are ruined by long-continued drought.

BROWN'S LITTLE JOKE.

"Why, Brown, how short your coat is," said Jones one day to his friend Brown, who wittily replied: "Yes; but it will be long enough before I get another." Some men spend so much for medicines that neither heal nor help them, that new clothes is with them like angels' visits—few and far between. Internal fevers, weakness of the lungs, shortness of breath and lingering coughs, soon yield to the magic influence of that royal remedy; Dr. R. V. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery."

The crop of winter wheat in Kansas is estimated at 12,233,380 bushels.

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By malaria, how shall we escape the dread infection? is the question which the denizens of fever and ague districts ask themselves. The answer comes from former sufferers who for years have escaped the visitations of the periodic scourge, through the protecting influence of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. When the necessity for using preventive measures arises, use this means of prevention at once. It regulates the liver, facilitates digestion, and liberates impurities from the system, when such exist, by promoting healthful action of the bowels and kidneys. Act early. In all regions where miasmatic vapors breed disease, it is absolutely necessary to be provided with a safeguard, and this is true, though a sojourn in such localities is destined to be brief. No one can afford to breathe malaria for a short time. The Bitters is a sovereign specific for rheumatism, debility and nervousness. Keep it on hand.

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NOSES.

An Alleged Invention and Some of Its Weak Points.

Some one has invented a process for the reduction of large noses. The inventor was struck by the alleged fact that noses on which spectacles are worn are, as a rule, small noses. He thereupon formulated the theory that the pressure of the spectacles on the bridge of the nose interferes with the free circulation of blood, and that this interference deprives the nose of nourishment and prevents its growth. In accordance with this theory he now proposes to reduce the size of any given nose by placing a metallic clamp on the bridge. This clamp, if worn every night, will, as he believes, reduce the largest nose to moderate proportions within a reasonable length of time.

There are two or three weak points about this alleged invention. One of these is that the theory on which it is founded has no support in fact. Some of our most eminent noses are those on which spectacles have been worn for a lifetime, and among our smallest noses are some on which spectacles have never rested. That spectacles of one sort and another are worn much more generally now than they were fifty years ago, and that noses as a general thing have grown smaller during the same period, is undoubtedly true, but it does not follow that there is any connection between the two facts.

The gradual decline of the human nose is the result of the introduction and general use of handkerchiefs. The Romans never used handkerchiefs, and their noses, as we all know, were of the largest and finest type. Moreover, they were less liable to colds in the head than are people of the present time, and their noses enjoyed almost a sinecure. As civilization spread northward from Italy the inhabitants of the cold and variable climate of Northern Europe found that their noses were constantly called into activity, and as a consequence the average European nose fell below the Roman standard. Within modern times the handkerchief was invented, and a new and potent factor in the reduction of noses thus came into existence. Constant friction will wear away the hardest stone, much more the soft and cartilaginous nose. Under the friction of handkerchiefs the noses of the present century have steadily diminished, until small noses are worn almost as much as spectacles.

It is a question whether it is desirable ever to reduce the size of a nose. Greatness of intellect has in all ages been closely allied to greatness of nose, and the man who, having been gifted by nature with a nose of true nobility, should desire to dwarf it and his intellect at the same time, would deserve no assistance in his foolish purpose.—*N. Y. Times.*

—Baked sausages: After pricking the sausages, put them into a basin and cover with boiling water. Boil for ten minutes; then remove from the hot water and put into cold water for two minutes. Roll in beaten egg and then in fine, dry bread crumbs, and, laying them in a shallow pan, bake in a hot oven for fifteen minutes. An egg and a pint of crumbs will answer for a pound of sausages. Serve on a hot dish with a garnish of triangles of crisp toast. Baked sausages are more delicate than fried ones. If the meat be not in cases, omit the boiling, and proceed with the breading and baking.—*Exchange.*

—The *Christian Advocate* says: "A reasonable estimate justifies the opinion that more than 40,000 persons have professed conversion during the past three months and joined, or are intending to join, the Methodist Episcopal Church.

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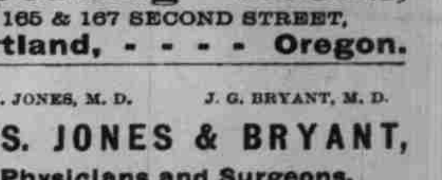

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