

.Rev. H. Stubenvoll, of Elkhorn, Wis., is pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran St. John's church of that place. Rev. Stubenvoll is the possessor of two bibles presented to him by Emperor William of Germany. Upon the fly leaf of one of the bibles the emperor has written in his own handwriting a text.

This honored pastor, in a recent letter to the Peruna Medicine Co., of Colubmus, Ohio, says concerning their famous catarrh remedy, Peruna: The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

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The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

Variant Estimates. "How did that poem of yours turn

ont? was the difference of opinion that usu- played in four different languages. piece. The postmaster insisted that it helm marine gentleman try conversawas first-class matter and the editor in- tion not."

sisted that it was not."

An Unlucky Number, Sure.

accepted me. superstitious.

Jack-No. Why? she has accepted this season, I believe.

The Stuart Carnation.

The bright red Passionate carnation was the flower of the royal house of Stuart.

Short of Bedclothes.

A Plain Warning.

There is a passenger steamer on the Elbe where the warning against speak-"Oh," answered the author, "there ing to the man at the wheel is dis-

Platinum.

Platinum rarely occurs in nu Jack-Conrectulate me! Mabel has though once in a while a lump of it is window sills and fire escapes dotted take to the woods and how long to Edith-Really? I hope you're not size of a tumbler, being now preserved the green things peep and peer against in the Dresden museum. Some time the panes. Sometimes the herb pot is kitchen, that would be a crime. There Edith—Because you're the thirteenth Y., found the metal in two Meteroites ener it is a box of handy size, and praises, but perhaps some of the prose other worlds than ours.

Brought Their Seats.

In the good old times 500 years ago there were no seats in the Parisian In some of the smaller Russian hotels schools except stools for the teachers. visitors are obliged to find their own The pupils sat on bundles of straw which they brought along.

Valdosta, Ga., September, 1900.

Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.
Dear Sirs:—Something like a rising

came on my instep, very small at

first, not at all painful, but as it

grew larger and began to pain me I

all he could do the sore got worse

and began to discharge; then other

sores came until the whole top of

my foot was one large mass of sores

and I could not walk. Then my hus-

band, who had been cured of Scrof-

ula by the use of S. S. S., said he

believed it would cure me. I began

taking it and eight bottles oured

me; my foot healed up nicely. I be-

lieve I would have been a cripple

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for life but for S. S. S.

Chronic Sores Eating Ulcers, A Constant Drain upon the System Upon the System Seasoning than dry ones, even when Providence Journal.

And a source of worry, anxiety and endless trouble to those who are afflicted with them, particularly so when located upon the lower extremities where the circulation is weak and sluggish. A gangrenous eating ulcer upon the leg is a frightful sight, and as the poison burrows deeper and deeper into the tissue beneath and the sore continues to spread, one can almost see the flesh melting away and feel the strength going out with the sickening discharges. Great running sores and deep offensive ulcers often develop from a simple boil, swollen gland, bruise or pimple and are a threatening danger always, because while all such sores are not cancerous, a great many afe, and this should make you suspicious of all chronic slow-healing ulcers and sores, particularly if cancer runs in your family. Face sores are common and cause the

greatest annoyance because they are so persistent and unsightly and detract from one's appearance.

Middle aged and old people and

those whose blood is contaminated and tainted with the germs and poison of malaria or some previous sickness, or excessive use of mercury, are the chief sufferers from chronic sores and ulcers. While the blood remains in this unhealthy, polluted condition healing is simply impossible and the sore will continue to grow and spread in spite of washes and salves or any superficial or surface treatment, for the sore is but the outward sign of some constitutional disorder, a bad condition of the blood and system, which local remdies cannot curt.

S. S. S. reaches these old chronic sores through the blood. It goes to the very root of the trouble and counteracts and removes from the blood all the impurities and poisons, and gradually builds up the entire system and strengthens the sluggish circulation, and when the blood has been purified and the system purged of all morbid, unhealthy matter the healing process begins, and the eating ulcer or chronic

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THE UPWARD TREND---A WORLD MOVEMENT,

FEVER in the history of mankind has there been so nearly a worldwide brotherhood as at this time. In fact, this may be said to be the distinctive feature of this age, as compared with former ages. Never could so many men be called truly citizens of the world. There is more of a cosmopolitan spirit, more of a bond of union

between nations, more of a universal interest in the doings of men everywhere, than in any age of the past. We are coming to understand each other better. The spirit of the Occident is stirring the Orient, while the wisdom of the Orient is flooding the Occident. Even China is awakening. Whatever we may think of the abuses of England's government in India, in the end the land of the Hindu will be transformed.

There is more of a spirit of unity in a religious sense. Christianity is being preached in all nations, while Christians themselves are coming to see the good that exists in all religions. Narrowness in every sense is passing out. We are coming more and more to see the interests of all the races as identical. This world-wide upward trend is the distinctive feature and the hopeful sign of the present day.

There have been great empires in the past. Babylon once dominated all Western Asia. At a later period Persia exercised the same rule. Then Alexander, for a short time, made this territory tributary to Macedon. In a few centuries Rome was queen of everything from England to Palestine. But all these empires were but narrow compared to the world of to-day. They were held together by force. Now the bond is more of good will and interest. Then it was the conquest of all smaller nations by the larger. Now it is a democracy of nations. Then, at the most, the union took in a few hundred million people. Now it extends to a billion and a half. Then there was no cohesive power, no permanent union, no union at all, in fact, except that of the sword. Now there is mutual understanding, trade relations, constant travel, the railroad, the telegraph, the steamship and a certain universal good will.

All of this has made a revolution in international relations. Different states no longer distrust each other as formerly. Arbitration is coming more and more into vogue. What before was left to the sword is now settled by the court.

Herein is presaged the end of war. It is possible that the world has seen its last great conflict. If not, one or two more must end the chapter. The conscience of the nations will no longer permit any great amount of bloodshed. The vast commercial interests that are now stronger than any one or two governments on the globe, will not allow themselves to be disturbed by any extended struggles. There will still be, of course, a few little wars among the smaller and less advanced nations, petty revolutions and the like, little disturbances on the ragged edges of humanity. These, too, must gradually disappear as civilization and consolidation extend their bounds. So it is not at all the dream of an enthusiast to predict that the present century will see the final ending of war upon the planet.

So all the industrial injustice, governmental corruption, and moral and social evils that seem to flourish, are rather local in their nature and will be sloughed off in time by the healthy body of the whole humanity. These are transitory eruptions, rather than permanent blemishes. The trend of the entire race is onward and the mighty momentum of the mass will sweep out of the way every petty local barrier. The hope no longer lodges in any particular nation, but rather in every nation. Even if the Anglo-Saxon should falter, the Slav, the Teuton, the Latin and the Oriental would move forward. The falling apart of the entire British empire would not check the progress for a day. The many smaller streams are now uniting in one great river, whose force is irresistible. There may be eddies and becalmed spaces, but the current sweeps on.

To the man with the larger view no age in history ever seemed so hopeful of better things as does this. Never were such vast forces in motion, never was such rapid progress made. Science, invention, commerce, religious and sociological investigations, all are being pressed more generally and with more results than ever before. The wars for liberty have left us with their blessings. Never did labor produce so abundantly, never were the comforts of life more generally diffused. The press is educating the world. The spirit of truth is abroad. Inspired by the heights that have been won, the vanguards are pushing on to still higher heights. Having tasted political liberty the masses are moving for economic liberty. The picture is not all bright, by any means, but it is growing brighter, and the fact that so many are aware just what produces the dark places is hopeful that the colors may be better blended and the defects removed.-Denver News.

Winter Use.

found; the biggest on record, about the with growing herbs. Even in winter stay there. ago John M. Davidson of Rochester, N. an old tin can or cracked pitcher. Oft- have been poets who have sung its -an interesting discovery, inasmuch somehow the box herbs always seem rhapsodies are just as eloquent. For as it proved that platinum exists in the most luxuriant. Dill is there, and instance, if you want to crush your mint and fennel, balm, sweet basil, neighbor who regards your dish of Booocooocooocooocooocoo sweet marjoram, thyme—indeed, all onions with a supercilious eye, just the flavorous tribe. Parsley may be ask him if he knows that the onion bought fresh the year round from the is called "the rose among roots." corner grocer, so it is seldom seen in ever pulls it up save with the left spair." hand walking backward, and to carry another is a sure invitation to mis-

seasoning than dry ones, even when Providence Journal. the dry ones are freshly grown. Firstclass marketmen also recognize the fact by offering, along with costly spring lamb, pots of tender, growing mint to sauce the roast. One of these mint pots, properly tended, will grow for years and supply an ordinary kitchen. Mint grows rapidly and the better for frequent plucking. Stalks should not be allowed to grow more than six inches high. If they are not needed nip them off and dry in a shady place against the time when more mint may be needed than the pot can furnish. This applies also to other herbs. Aim in plucking to keep them bunchy and stocky, so as to furnish many leaves with the smallest modiucum of consulted a doctor, but in spite of stems. Garden-grown herbs are permitted to bud before cutting down for drying, but those in the herb-window garden would better not exhaust their

strength in the effort to flower. Kitchen air is commonly both warm | signed the membership roll thus far. and moist; hence things grow in it One enthusiastic member proposed almost tropically. Give the herbs the that the members be prohibited from sunniest window. If a box can be set speaking to young men who swear, the whole window length all the bet- but this radical idea was not adopted. ter. One strong clump of each herb The first president of the Anti-profan- with his name printed on them? is better than several weak ones. Plant ity League is Miss Florence Kessier, them zigzag, up and down the sides of daughter of the proprietor of a dethe box. If seeds are sown let it be partment store at Bertha. The secrein a smaller box, from which the tary is Miss Birdle Carbon. strongest plants can be set in the window box, which should be a foot wide and ten inches deep inside. Fill withdirt and give the plants monthly a lib- cure the signature of Russell Sage to eminent expert, "will be \$5,000." roots. Keep the green tops clean by to sign the contract, he said: sprinkling with fresh water at least

every other day. From such a garden, says the Washington Star, one can gather bouquets yet superlatively delicate flavor. Nor is that all the profit—sauces, extracts. delicious drinks may come from it, not to mention the delights of watching and tending a mass of thrifty growth.

Onion Finds a Defender.

The onion is one of those strenuous vegetables about which one cannot be indifferent. One either yearns for it with a passionate longing or else utterly repudiates it and everybody who has any trafficking with it.

ally attends the production of a master- This is the English version: "To the Growing Herbs in the Windows for onions and forbid it, under penalty of "Where is your brother Thomas?" American housewives may well take a lesson from the foreign colonies in our cities. A walk through one of those colonies in summer shows many those colonies in summer shows many take to the words and how less the master.

American housewives may well take in and imprisonment—preferably imprisonment—at all other times it would in the master.

"Please, sir, he's laid up with a sprained arm. We were trying to see those colonies in summer shows many take to the words and how less the master.

"Please, sir, he's laid up with a sprained arm. We were trying to see the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional disease, sir, he's laid up with a stream to the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional disease, and that it catarrh cure fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitution American housewives may well take fine and imprisonment—preferably im- asked the master.

As for banishing the onion from the

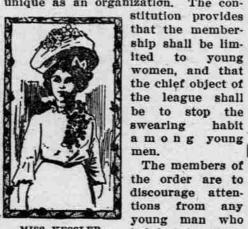
Ask him if he knows that "without the boxes. It may be that superstilit there would be no gastronomic art;" tion has as much to do with that as that "its presence lends color and enconvenience. In the folklore of vari- chantment to the modest dish, its abous lands parsley root is endowed with sence reduces the rarest dainty to malign powers. Ill luck comes to who- hopeless insipidity and the diner to de-

It is quite possible that your haughty a growing root from one homestead to neighbor may decline to follow this hint and may show signs of not being plunged into despair pending the ad-A cook worth the name knows that dition of onlons to his own menu. The

PLAN TO CHECK PROFANITY.

An anti-profanity league has been

formed at Bertha, Neb., which is quite unique as an organization. The constitution provides that the membership shall be limited to young women, and that



MISS KESSLER. indulges in swear- of me. ing. Twenty-six young women have

Paid Sage to Refuse.

A solicitor for a Wall street paper in an inch of the top with very rich had been trying for a long time to se- which is a dangerous one," said the eral watering with liquid manure. If an advertising contract at a cost of that is out of the question soap suds, \$100 per year, but to no purpose. To exclaimed the prospective victim. the dirtier the better, should be given show how diligently he had been workweekly. Pour the suds around the ing, hoping thereby to induce Mr. Sage ecutioners hadn't the nerve to charge "I think, Mr. Sage, you ought to fa-

> vor me with this order, for I have been after you for three years." The old financier leaned back in his

of herbs every day in the year of rich chair, thought a moment, says the New York Times, and then asked: "How long have you been trying to get form him.—New York Journal. this contract, did you say?" "Three years," hopelessly replied the

> "Then, you see," continued Mr. Sage, 'I have saved just \$300." When a woman commences to talk

ance .- Yonkers Statesman. about a sealskin coat, she might as well buy one. It will be among her assets sooner or later. The new idea in men's clothing

by female troubles. Compound to those of my sisters suffering with female weakness and the troubles which so often befall women. I suffered for months with

Miss Gannon, Sec'y Detroit

general weakness and felt so weary that I had hard work to keep up.] had shooting pains and was utterly miserable. In my distress I was advised to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it was a red letter day to me when I took the first dose, for at that time my restorachanged woman, perfectly well in every respect. I felt so elated and happy that I want all women who suffer to get well as I did."-Miss Guila Gannon, 359 Jones St., Detroit, Corresponding Sec'y Mich. Amateur Art Association. — \$5000 forfelt if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

It is clearly shown in this young lady's letter that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will surely cure the sufferings of women; and when one considers that Miss Gannon's letter is only one of hundreds which we have, the great virtue of Mrs. Pinkham's medi-cine must be admitted by all.

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Tommy Won. Two brothers went to the same GARDENS IN THE KITCHEN. | bad. If the law would only set apart school. They were absent about a

fartherest, and Tommy won."

Reasonably Good. Mrs. Dick-Did you and Joe have

good sport? Dick-Well, we didn't get any game; but we didn't shoot each other

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She Made Him.

Mrs. Tower-Frankly, John Tower, I The members of think you are the meanest man I ever

the order are to saw. Mr. Tower-I wouldn't say that, tions from any Gusty; you know you've said hundreds young man who of times that you have been the making

> Eccentricities of Blue Blood. Mrs. Highup—Do you believe that it is true that the Emperor William is having the milk from his farm at Potsdam retailed in Berlin from wagons Mrs. Wayupp-I shouldn't wonder. It's nothing. Why, even my grandfather did the same thing .- New York

Weekly.

Advance of Science. "My fee for the surgical operation

"Five thousand dollars? Whew!" "Why, four centuries ago the royal exover \$10 for their work."-Baltimore

A Laudable Ambition.

Aunt-Have you no serious purpose Niece-Oh, yes. I want to find a real wicked man and marry him to re-

Too Realistic Altogether. Footlight-And was the lighthouse scene realistic?

Sue Brette-Oh, yes They had a

real light house at last night's perform-

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Portland.

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When Does the Season Open. Clarence Minzesheimer of the Stock exchange, who was bemoaning the exactions imposed upon the time of an active broker, said that he had hoped before this to have been in the Adirondacks shooting.

"It is so long since I have had an outing," remarked Dick Halsted, " fear that I am very rusty in my knowledge of the game laws. When does the game season open, Clarry?"

Hadn't Tried It. Mrs. Weddle-Was that gentleman who gave you the cigar a friend of

Weddle-I don't know; I haven't smoked it yet.-New York Times.

Corn on the Cob.

Not many people have ever had the chance to eat an ear of roasted corn on the cob in the middle of winter. How-Amateur Art Association, tells ever, Wadhams & Kerr Bros., wholesale young women what to do to grocers of Portland, had a small quanavoid pain and suffering caused tity put up under their Monopole brand and had it shipped to them from the state of Maine. The corn is put up six "I can conscientiously recommend or seven ears in a gallon can and while Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable it is much higher in price than their regular Monopole canned corn, there are many who are willing to pay extra for such an unusual dainty.

Might Regret It.

Mistress-Poor, darling little Topsy! I'm afraid she will never recover Do you know, Bridget, I think the kindest thing would be to have her shot and put out of her misery. Bridget-'Deed ma'am I wouldn't tion began. In six weeks I was a do that. She might get better, after all, an' then ye'd be sorry ye'd had her killed .- Punch,

> Chopping Him Off. The Count (passionately)-I lofe zee ver-r-ree gr-r-r-round you walk

The Heiress (coldly)-I always ride!-Puck.

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Tribune.

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