

AN OUNCE OF PREVENTION, ETC.

The kidneys are the greatest importance to the human body. It is their duty to sift and strain from the blood the poisonous and waste matter absorbed by it...

In Switzerland 70 per cent. of the young men are said to be unlit, by the use of alcohol and tobacco, for the military service.

It is becoming customary for Canadians, when they have acquired a fortune, to remove their domestic establishments to England.

An elephant recently died in Ceylon which had served the public works department for over sixty-five years...

According to the Rome correspondent of the London Daily News, the municipal council of Rome has decided to devote a sum of money to the formation of a Pasteur institute.

The manufacture of luminous paint has been begun in Austria on a large scale, at about a sixth of the cost hitherto.

Brannerite is the name of a new mineral recently discovered in the northern part of Arkansas by Prof. W. Albert Chaplain, of Lead Hill, and named in honor of Prof. John C. Branner, the Arkansas State Geologist.

It is reported from Birmingham, Ala., that a Scotch chemist named Archibald has discovered a process by which all phosphorus may be removed from iron and the ore converted into Bessemer pig at a cost of only fifty cents a ton.

Recent investigations in a French medical institute show that death from hydrophobia is the result of brain and spinal inflammation rather than blood poisoning.

TREASURES OF DELPHI.

A Picture of the City as It Was in the Best Days of Greece.

Let us trust that the American schools at Athens may speedily obtain funds enough to do some good digging at Delphi. It makes one's heart leap to think of the treasures they are sure to find there...

To get a picture of Delphi as it was in the best days of Greece, after the building of the great temple by the Alcmaeonidae, read the tenth book of Pausanias. He tells us of four temples in a row at the entrance to Delphi.

A Russian engineer has invented a device for utilizing the power of running streams. His apparatus consists of an endless cable, carrying a series of canvas cones, which open and shut like an umbrella.

A wonderful revolution in flour barrel making is promised by a patent which has been granted for the making of barrels out of cotton duck instead of wood.

Most railroads in this country when renewing their rails order heavier ones than have previously been used on their tracks. A better road bed and heavier rails are required for increasing traffic, heavier locomotives and greater speed.

A Valuable Medical Treatise. The edition for 1899 of the sterling Medical Annual, known as Hostetter's Almanac, is now ready, and may be obtained, free of cost, of druggists and general country dealers in all parts of the United States.

STORAGE FOR APPLES. Conditions and Precautions Necessary to Retard Decay.

The orchardist who raises fruit extensively for market can afford to build apartments suited to his needs, but the average farmer, who only seeks to have a liberal supply for family use, must depend upon cellar or garret for storage.

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Laughing, if loud, ends in a deep sigh; and all pleasures have a sting in the tail, though they carry beauty on the face.

TRY GERMAE FOR DYSPEPSIA.

That which causes us to lose most of our time is the repugnance which we naturally have to labor.

Henry Stowell's Boston residence was burglarized of \$30,000.

The government persists in not accepting the Vesuvius.

Hermisillo, Arizona's railroad depot, worth \$30,000, burned.

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