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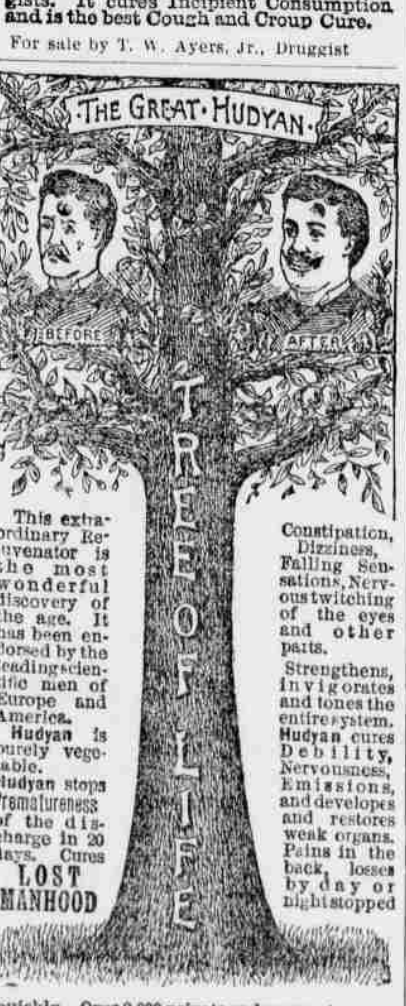
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A ROYAL DEADBEAT. How King Milan Filled His Depleted Purse by Shady Methods. One hundred and sixty thousand dollars per annum is the income conceded to ex-king Milan of Serbia, by his son and by the national treasury in consideration of his quitting the country and betaking himself once more to Paris or some other distant capital.

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SOUTHERN SQUIRREL HUNTERS. Primitive Habits and Customs of Louisiana Natives. "I have been among the squirrel hunters," said a gentleman who had just returned from his vacation, according to the "Herald."

WOKE HIM UP AT LAST. How a Sleeping Telegraph Operator Was Aroused to Duty. There is a good story about a telegraph operator who once worked the land wires in the Duxbury cable office going to sleep one night and a message having to be sent six or seven thousand miles to wake him up.

ALL WERE WRONG BUT HIM. But the Eleven Obstinate Jurors Finally Came to a Sensible Conclusion. The obstinacy which is said to be characteristic of the Scotch is illustrated in the following story, which was recently related to a writer for the New York Advertiser.

THE ORIGIN OF TATTOOING. It Dates So Far Back That It Is Lost in Antiquity. Tattooing dates back so far that it is impossible to discover when it was first practiced, but it was one of the practices that were prohibited to the Jews, for in Leviticus 19:28, is the following: "Ye shall not make any cuttings in your flesh for the dead, nor print any marks upon you."

HIGHEST OF ALL IN LEAVENING POWER.—LATEST U. S. GOV'T REPORT. Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE.

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THE FONY'S SHOES WERE JUST AS GOOD AS NEW SO SHE SAVED THEM. Lord Chancellor Eldon was energetically aided in his parsimonious habits by his wife, of whom it was said that she and her daughter had but one bonnet between them.

BEERBOHN TREE, THE ENGLISH ACHER, IS SAID TO HAVE RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING LETTER: "Venerable Sir, I wish to go on the stage, and I would like to join your theater. I have been a bricklayer five years, but, having failed in this branch, I have decided to take to acting, it being easier work. I am not young, but am six feet without my boots. I have studied 'Bell's Education' and am fond of late hours."

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