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THROAT,
LUNGS,
STOMACH,
KIDNEYS,
BLADDER
AND
FEMALE ORGANS.

W. A. Mitchell, dealer in general merchandise, Martin, Ga., writes: "My wife lost in weight from 130 to 65 pounds. We saw she could not live long. She was a skeleton, so we consulted an old physician. He told her to try Peruna. "She gradually commenced improving and getting a little strength. She now weighs 100 pounds. She is gaining every day, and does her own housework and cooking."

The Huguenots.
Here are two essays on the Huguenots by Chicago public school pupils:
"The Huguenots are people in France that are followers of Victor Hugo. Their leader is a man named Jean Valjean that was a thief, but got converted and turned out well. The Huguenots are very good people. A lady named Evangeline wrote a long poem about them, but it don't rhyme."
"The Huguenots is the name of a big thing like a steam roller that the nogs used in India to run over people. It squashed them to death and was very terrible. It had eyes painted on it like a dragon and spouted steam when it was running. They are to huguenots enemy more."
Pinesse.
"Senator, everybody is commending that speech you made the other day on the subject of the trusts."
"I think myself it was a pretty fair effort."
"Unfortunately, I didn't hear it. What position did you take?"
"Hess you, I don't take any. I managed, however, to assure each party to the contrary that its position was the only correct and logical one."
Time to Run.
Gunner—There was a bad, bold burglar up in the girls' college the other day.
Gayer—You don't say. And did the girls yell?
Gunner—I should say so. They gave the college yell and the burglar hasn't stopped running yet.
But the Other Side Objected.
Attorney (for the defense)—Do you know anything about the merits of this case?
Prosecutor—I should say not. It hasn't any merits.
Attorney—We'll take this man, your honor.
No Diagram with This.
"Synthe, you called on that Boston girl, did you? Was she at home?"
"Yes, she was at home, but you see—"
"Yes?"
"She was at home, but you see—"
"Well?"
"She was at home, but you see—"
"Go on!"
"As I said, she was at home, but you see—"
"Yes, yes; she was at home, but I see—"
"Well, that's the answer."

Dubious.
Stippler—Did Miss Kutta admire your paintings? Dobler—I don't know. Stippler—What did she say about them? Dobler—That she could feel that I put a great deal of myself into my work. Stippler—Well, that's praise. Dobler—Is it? The picture I showed her was "Calves in a Meadow."
FADED TO A SHADOW.
Worn Down by Five Years of Suffering from Kidney Complaint.
Mrs. Bernice Myers, of 180 South Tenth St., Ironton, O., says: "I have worked hard in my time and have been exposed again and again to changes of weather. It is no wonder my kidneys gave out and I went all to pieces at last. For five years I was fading away and finally so weak that for six months I could not get out of the house. I was nervous, restless and sleepless at night, and lame and sore in the morning. Sometimes every thing would whirl and blur before me. I bleated so badly I could not wear tight clothing, and had to put on shoes two sizes larger than usual. The urine was discolored and passages were dreadfully frequent. I got help from the first box of Doan's Kidney Pills, however, and by the time I had taken four boxes the pain and bleeding was gone. I have been in good health ever since."
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Black-Eyed Susan.
All in the Downs the fleet lay moored,
The streamers waving in the wind,
When black-eyed Susan came on board,
Oh, where shall I my true love find?
Tell me, ye jovial sailors, tell me true,
If my sweet William sails among your crew.

William, who, high upon the yard,
Hooked with the billows to and fro,
Soon as her well-known voice he heard,
He sighed, and cast his eyes below.
The cord glides swiftly through his glowing hands,
And quick as lightning on the deck he stands.

So the sweet lark, high-poised in air,
Shuts close his pinions to his breast,
If chance his mate's shrill call he hears,
And drops at once into her nest.
The noblest captain in the British fleet
Might envy William's lips those kisses sweet.

Oh, Susan, Susan, lovely dear!
My vows shall ever true remain;
Let me kiss off thy falling tear—
We only part to meet again.
Change as ye list, ye winds, my heart shall be
The faithful compass that still points to thee.

Believe not what the landmen say
Who tempt with doubts thy constant mind;
They'll tell thee, sailors, when away,
In every port a mistress find.
Yes, yes, believe them when they tell thee so,
For thou art present whereso'er I go.

If to far India's coast we sail,
Thy eyes are seen in diamonds bright,
Thy breath is Afric's spicy gale,
Thy skin is ivory so white.
Thus, every beautiful object that I view
Wakes in my soul some charm of lovely Sue.

Though battle calls me from thy arms,
Let not my pretty Susan mourn;
Through cannon roar, yet safe from harm,
William shall to his dear return.
Love turns aside the balls that round me fly,
Lest precious tears should drop from Susan's eye.

The boatwain gave the dreadful word,
The sails their swelling bosoms spread,
No longer must she stay on board;
They kissed, she sighed, he hung his head.
The lessening boat unwilling rows to land;
Adieu! she cried, and waved her illy hand.
—John Gay.

Believes Worms Cause Pearls

French Naturalist Advances a New Scientific Theory of Origin.
The origin of the pearl in the shell of the oyster or other bivalve or mollusk has been the object of a considerable amount of investigation and speculation. Among the more recent studies of the subject may be noted those of Scurat, recorded in the "Comptes Rendus." This naturalist finds that in pearl oysters from the Gambia lagoons in the South Pacific the pearls are due to a small worm—a sort of tapeworm. In cysts on the body and mantle of the oyster he has found true pearls surrounding a nucleus which he has shown to be one of these worms.

Like other tapeworms, this one concerned in the production of pearls requires a second host in which to complete its development. And Scurat considers that the ray is the second host in this case. For he has found in the spiral intestine of this fish small tapeworms which he regards as the adult form of the larval worm of the pearl oyster.

The view has been held that the pearl is a secretion formed, as it were, in self-defense for the surrounding and isolation of an injurious foreign body. If Scurat's views are correct, however, the pearl would rather appear to be a protection to the worm and to bear to it somewhat the same relation as the oak-gall does to the gall-fly.

When the epicurean ray swallows its oysters the pearl will be dissolved in its digestive juices—as Ctesopatra's pearl was dissolved in vinegar—and the worm set free to become a tapeworm in its new host. Scurat notes the curious fact that the fish seems to prefer those pearl oysters in which the shell has been riddled by a species of boring sponge. It does not appear to have been ascertained, however, whether or not these oysters with the perforated shells are the most prolific in pearls.—Philadelphia Record.

How He Knew.
A witness was being examined as to the sanity of one of the inmates of the asylum. "You hold that this inmate is insane, do you?" a lawyer asked. "I do," was the firm response. "Why are you so sure?" "The man," the witness said, "goes about asserting that he is Santa Claus." "And," said the lawyer, "you hold, do you, that when a man goes about asserting that he is Santa Claus it's a clear proof of his insanity?" "I do," "Why?" "Because," said the witness, in a loud, indignant voice, "I happen to be Santa Claus myself."

Limits.
The train was called the limited, but what was limited about it? It ran at an unlimited speed, the inevitability of the conductor and the brakemen was unlimited, as was the capacity of the porter.

"It's a mystery," exclaimed the little party of foreigners.

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Miss Redjep—At the Swellman reception. You were waltzing, I think, with Miss Flutterby.

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The Humorist.
Mr. Depew threw aside the paper in which he had just read that as a Senator he was a joke.
"In that case," he said with decision, "I will not resign. I wouldn't spoil a joke for anybody."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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