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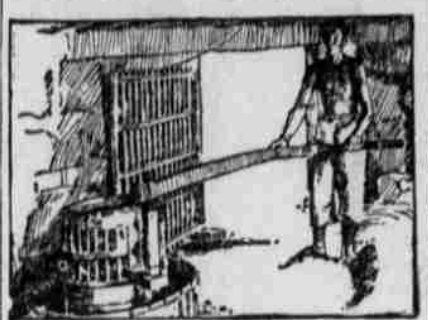
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CANCER IMMUNITY IN SIGHT

Results of Experiments With Mice Hold Out Great Hope, According to the Scientists.

That a vaccine for cancer is about to be discovered is the deduction physicians draw from the results of a long series of experiments on mice made by M. Dastre, professor of physiology at the Sorbonne in Paris.

Describing these to the Academie des Sciences Professor Dastre said that when cancerous growths are inoculated upon mice almost all of these develop the disease; but if the progeny of these infected mice be inoculated with the same growth, only eighty per cent. of these are affected. This 80 per cent. M. Dastre calls the "rich line," in contradistinction of the 20 per cent. unaffected, which he calls the "poor line."

These results, it seems, are constant, which proves that heredity has created among the progeny of cancerous mothers a class of animals that appear to be immune to the disease. For the mice of this "poor line" transmit their immunity to their descendants in a proportion that Professor Dastre calculates at four to one. The experiments apparently have not gone far enough to prove how many generations will be necessary to establish a race of absolutely immune mice.

VARYING COLORS OF RAINBOW

Generally Accepted Idea of Settled Hues Is Shattered by Recent Researches.

Violet, indigo, blue, green, yellow, orange, red—the colors of the rainbow; any child knows them, and the high school pupil can refer you to half a dozen textbooks to prove it. It is true, however, of only a very few rainbows, as C. Fitzhugh Talman demonstrates in the Scientific American.

The colors of rainbows vary with their width, and their width varies with the size of the raindrops, big drops producing narrow bows with bright, clearly defined colors, small drops producing wide bows with pale colors. Here are the colors as generally seen: (1) When the raindrops average 1 millimeter in diameter, violet, light blue, bluish green, green, yellow, orange, light red, dark red.

(2) When the drops average 3-10 of a millimeter in diameter, violet, light blue, bluish green, green, yellow, orange. (3) When the drops average 1-10 of a millimeter, very pale violet, violet, whitish blue, whitish green, whitish yellow, pale yellow. (4) When the drops average 1-20 of a millimeter (fog), white tinged with violet, bright white, white tinged with yellow, very pale yellow.

Not What He Expected.

She—Sal, are those poems in the paper signed "Oedipus" yours?

He—Yes.

She—Well, the girls persisted that they were, but I always spoke up for you.—Fliegende Blaetter.

Not Really Playing.

"I am afraid that Bilgions plays golf on Sunday."

"Maybe," said the contemptuous rival. "But, if so, it's the only day in the seven on which he does play it."—Tit-Bits.

DRYNESS NOT EASILY CURED

Devonshire Farmer, With Big Heart, Misunderstood Meaning of Doctor in Referring to Clergyman.

One hot Sunday morning as the worshippers from a little country church were slowly wending their way toward their homes a burly old Devonshire farmer might have been seen leaning over his yard gate, nodding his head and wishing a cheerful "good day" to passers-by. Soon he described the vicar coming down the road.

"Very warm day, farmer," commented the clergyman, as he drew near.

"Mortal 'ot, indeed," was the hearty response. "Be ye too proud to step inside a minute, an' taste a good glass o' sweet cider, pa'son?"

"I am not too proud, of course," returned the vicar amiably; "but it is so close upon my dinner hour, and I must go straight home."

"Then you bea'n't thirsty?" "No, thanks."

"Look 'ee 'ere, pa'son," exclaimed the farmer, "us don't want to have no misunderstanding for want of a few words o' explanation, and I should like for 'ee to know that I shouldn't have made so bold as to ask 'ee to drink if it hadn't bin for what I heard the doctor say to his son 'bout you as 'e went past my yard."

"What was that?" asked the vicar with interest.

"Why, the doctor said, said he, 'The vicar is terrible dry this morning.'—The Continent.

AUTO-VERY PROPER.

Miss Jackson—She wears a very high and mighty air since she got her automobile.

Mr. Jackson—Yes, very auto-critical.

It Wouldn't Go.

"I'm afraid," said the venerable minister, "I shall not be able to get up a new sermon for next Sunday. Do you suppose the congregation would notice it if I hunted up one that I used, say, 15 or 20 years ago and gave it again?"

"I'm almost sure," his wife replied, "that it would be noticed."

"Do you think they remember my preaching as well as that?"

"Oh, I don't think they remember what you preach much longer than it takes them to reach the church door; but you would be quickly found out all the same if you attempted to make use of a sermon that you had preached 15 or 20 years ago. You used to try to scare people by hinting that there was a devil, you know."

S. Holmes Jr.

"I see you have painted your porch," said Sherlock Holmes Jr.

"Yes," replied Dr. Watson, "but one does not need to have an extraordinary talent for making deductions in order to discover that. The porch looks as if it had just been painted and there is the smell of fresh paint in the air."

"You do not keep a dog?"

"Ah, now you interest me. What is there about my freshly painted porch that suggests to you that I do not keep a dog?"

"There are no dog tracks on it," replied the great amateur detective as he calmly lit his pipe and walked away.

Startling Suggestion.

"When you talk so fast, doctor," said one of his influential parishioners, "I find it a little difficult to follow your train of thought."

"Don't try to follow it, judge," replied Rev. Dr. Fourthly. "It's running wild you have a perfect right to ditch it, sidetrack it, or even to pile obstructions in the way and do a hold-up act."

"Thank you for coaching me," rejoined the influential parishioner, coming back as gamely as he could.

Reciprocal Courtesies.

"Your speech sounded good," said the constituent, "but I can't help thinking that some of it didn't mean anything in particular."

"You all cheered it, though," said the orator.

"Yes."

"Then we're even. I don't think any of you know exactly what the word 'hooray' means."

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Where Sailors Disagree.

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Unheeded.

"And those long, silent pauses in your speech—I didn't quite understand them." "Perhaps not. Those were the points where I had written 'laughter' and 'applause' into my manuscript."

Frequent Failing.

Some men talk so loud they attract attention and call it personal magnetism.—Atchison Globe.

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Not the Kind She Thought.

Crushleigh—Oh, I say, Miss Passay, can you interpret a dream for me? Miss Passay—How very interesting! I'll try.

Crushleigh—Thanks, awfully. It's that one over there in pink. She speaks nothing but French.—Judge.

Oh.

"How do you make your living, my lad?"

"Picking up pins, sir."

"Dear me! What an odd occupation. Where?"

"In a bowling alley, sir."

SHYNESS A FORM OF FEAR

Really Due to Excessive Self-Consciousness, and Afflicted One Is True Subject of Pity.

Although shyness, like egotism, may be said to arise from exaggerated self-consciousness, the presence of this elusive and illogical falling in an otherwise normal individual is by no means easy to explain. Shyness is, psychologically, much more nearly related to fear than to shame, says the Lancet. That it does not necessarily proceed from even a sense of moral, mental or physical deficiency, still less from the actual existence of these, is well known, and it is this fact that makes the curious predilection of the malady for certain individuals one of its most aggravating features.

Speaking broadly, we may say that shyness consists essentially in a state of morbid self-consciousness of one's personal characteristics, whether physical or mental, in relation to the opinions of others. There is a certain amount of evidence to show that shyness is hereditary, but however this may be, it is largely a matter of temperament in individuals and finds a fruitful ally in a too active imagination. It is as protean as influenza in the forms in which it betrays its presence, and may exhibit itself in a thousand little gaucheries, which in extreme cases may render the life of its unhappy possessor a burden to him.

"Sins may be forgiven," said Nathaniel Hawthorne—himself a victim of shyness—"but shyness has no forgiveness in heaven or earth." Not infrequently the malady takes the form of excessive rudeness, with the result, it may be, that the most gentle and kind of characters is shunned at all costs as a boor.

This dread affliction is no respecter of persons. Charles Matthews, Garfield and Byron were instances of men who suffered from shyness in their relations to the social life of their time, and there is a well-known under-dramatist of today who, it is understood, suffers tortures from the disease. Sir Isaac Newton was morbidly shy, and had an objection to the publication of his discoveries lest it

FEARFUL MENACE TO SOCIETY

New York Thugs Have Deadly Weapon That May Be Concealed in Palm of the Hand.

A recent capture by the police of New York city unearthed a new and terrible weapon for the destruction of human life, one that can be carried by the thug or the burglar and no one be the wiser, unless he have occasion to use it.

This weapon is a single blue steel gun barrel that can be concealed in the hand. At its base is a hard rubber cap that fits snugly into the palm; the first and middle fingers encircle the barrel over a steel ring, and a pull downward on a spring discharges a 32-caliber center-fire cartridge.

The picture represents the exact size of the weapon, which is so inconspicuous that it can be carried in the upper vest pocket as a fountain pen or in the trousers pocket as a pen-knife.

The police are seeking the manufacturer of this weapon, but so far no dealer has been found who is handling it.

MULE PROVED GOOD WITNESS

Judge Took Practical Testimony, With Result That Proved Disconcerting to Driver.

A driver brought before a Massachusetts court for working a galled mule, had with him to testify a veterinarian who said the sore on the animal's back did not pain it.

The judge, unconvinced, proceeded to the street, and, with his cane, touched the animal's back, at which the frantic beast almost demolished the wagon and at the same time proffered the judge sufficient counter testimony to influence a fine of \$50 with the announcement that he had asked the mule if the sore hurt and he said "it does!"

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Preached While He Slept.

Very curious was the case of Simon Watson, a hard-working, industrious Englishman, aged about 59, of athletic habits and active temperament, who, about 1826, began preaching in his sleep. His trance or sleeping fit invariably lasted as long as the ordinary nonconformist service, which he was in the habit of attending. The attacks became more frequent as time went on, and he would go through the whole of the ordinary chapel service, praying, reading the bible and preaching.

"Which of these clocks is right?" "I don't know. We've five clocks. When we want to know the time we add 'em together and divide by five, and even then we're not certain."—Punch.

WOMEN SHOULD BE PROTECTED

Against So Many Surgical Operations. How Mrs. Bethune and Mrs. Moore Escaped.

Sikeston, Mo.—"For seven years I suffered everything. I was in bed for four or five days at a time every month, and so weak I could hardly walk. I cramped and had backache and headache, and was so nervous and weak that I dreaded to see anyone or have anyone move in the room. The doctors gave me medicine to ease me at those times, and said that I ought to have an operation. I would not listen to that, and when a friend of my husband told him about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for his wife, I was willing to take it. Now I look the picture of health and feel like it, too. I can do my own housework, hoe my garden, and milk a cow. I can entertain company and enjoy them. I can visit when I choose, and walk as far as any ordinary woman, any day in the month. I wish I could talk to every suffering woman and girl."—Mrs. DEMA BETHUNE, Sikeston, Mo.

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