

Teaching Old England.

White American cities are straining their resources to keep their schools to a high standard, and American universities, Great Britain is falling far behind the United States and Germany in educational development, according to an address recently made by Sir Norman Lockyer, president of the British Society for the Advancement of Science, at the recent meeting at Southampton.

He holds that the nation will be unsuccessful in attempting to maintain a great sea power if it does not cultivate a brain power in all classes of the population equal to the results of the educational work being done in the two countries with which he makes comparison. He calls upon the government to broaden its policy and appropriate far more money for educational work than it has done for many years.

The contrast of \$200,000,000 of private gifts to universities in the United States in the last few years with only \$20,000,000 in the last 60 years in England, Ireland, Scotland, and Wales was dwelt upon, and it was held to show why Britain is falling back in the race of nations.

"We in Great Britain have 11 universities competing with 134 state and privately endowed in the United States and 22 state endowed in Germany," he contends. "The German state gives to one university more than the British government allows to all the universities and university colleges in England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales put together."

Note and Comment.

Gamblers' bail to the amount of \$1075 went into Portland's city treasury Thursday. Bail, did you understand? No! Really a permit to gamble for thirty days, at the end of which, according to Mayor William's program, they will be jerked up and fined again. "Partnership with vice," say you? We can take no other view. If the city can regulate vice thusly it can suppress it if public morality is esteemed above lucre.

A Salt Lake dispatch says that "owing to a rusty revolver not working" in the hands of a streetcar motorman, a holdup desperado shot and killed the motorman and his partner, the conductor. That habit of carrying a gun and attempting defense, when the other man has his gun all ready to shoot, has cost many a man his life. And others will be so foolish. When defense is thus attempted the criminal has no choice but to shoot. And he gets the first shot every time.

The ladies who yesterday thronged the Chicago courtroom where the carbarn bandits are being tried had an experience they did not bargain for—sight of strange men disrobing at order of the court as they were called for examination for juries, to prove they carried no concealed weapons. The women had no business there—nor many of the men for that matter. There is too much of this bawling about courtrooms.

Characteristic Publication.

There is a refreshing quality about some newspapers that may be called the personal equation. Of no publication is this more noticeable than of the Los Angeles Times.

The editor, Harrison Gray Otis, impresses himself on every feature of his newspaper. He has the courage to hew out his own lines of thought, action and policy.

Fighting the labor unions has been one of his diversions, not rather on the mistaken methods of some of the leaders and organizers.

One of the recent achievements of the Times is a Mexican number. It will open the minds of thousands of Americans to the possibilities of that sun-land of gold mines and opal quarries.—Salem Journal.

An American Queen.

The late prominence of Corea, owing to the trouble in the far East, makes especially interesting the following item from "The Housekeeper" in an article on titled American women:

Finally, there is the unique romance which has lately reached its culmination in the Orient. Less than a year ago the emperor of Corea celebrated the fortieth anniversary of his coming to the throne and on the same day a beautiful Yankee girl, Emily Brown, the daughter of an American missionary, was crowned queen of Corea. Emily Brown is the first American woman to become a real empress, and an edict has been issued proclaiming her infant son heir to the throne.

A Shanghai merchant informs the New York Tribune that in the event of war breaking out between Russia and Japan, every captain of the Nippon (Japanese) steamships is under instructions to hurry to the nearest British Consul and register his ship under the British flag. Each captain is, in fact, provided with a certified check for the value of his ship, with which he is to purchase and have it registered at the British consulate wherever he is, under his own ownership.

Just now when Russia wants her fighters so bad in Japan seas, seventy-six of them are bottled up in the Black Sea, not being permitted to pass out through the Dardanelles.

Those desirous of seeing the white doves of peace hover over Manchuria and Corea have not lost hope. They are banking on war smoothing his wrinkled front because ere is so much talk. A long period of talking and filling is rarely a prelude to war.

Twenty years ago the manufacturing of electrical supplies was practically an infant industry in the United States. In 1900, however, the value of electrical and auxiliary manufacturing in the country amounted to \$150,000,000, but the estimated value of these products last year was \$234,750,000.

The deposits in the savings banks of the United States were estimated at \$2,935,220,815 in 1903, as against \$1,924,856,787 in 1883. During the same interval the deposits in all banks in this country increased from \$2,755,938,053 to \$3,315,193,912. No better evidence of the prosperity of the country could be offered than that which these figures offer.

Out of the fifty years of his life William McAdoo, the next police commissioner of New York, has devoted thirty to politics. At times he has held office. From the New Jersey Democracy he entered the Tammany hall fold. Mr. McAdoo was once a barefooted boy in the streets of Jersey City. He was born in Ireland and was brought to this country when very small.

Steel Trust Promoter Schwab thinks the "crest of steel prosperity" has passed. Yet he declined to tell the congressional investigating committee how much of the muchly watered stock he had unloaded on a confiding public after having made it pay fictitious dividends for a time or two. If a cheap thief had done such work he would be wearing stripes behind penitentiary walls instead of being called before the congressmen.

The fighting capacity of the Russian navy is an unknown quantity, and the Russian government has carefully concealed its condition from the world. Stories have been put into circulation that the Department of the Marine has been steeped in official corruption, which may or may not be true, and that the war ships are generally in a deplorable condition as were the Spanish cruisers when they met the American squadrons in 1898. The intimation recently given out by a Russian general in high standing at St. Petersburg that in the event of war between Russia and Japan the former may sink her fleet to save it and force the Japanese to resort to land operations, is almost equivalent to an admission of her naval inefficiency.

Philippines pathetically ask of President Roosevelt that one of their own talented lawyers shall be appointed in one of the Manila courts as some assurance of an intelligent impartiality. Think of a series of courts to obtain justice in which the judge does not understand what is being said either by the counsel or the witnesses! That is the kind we are running over there—the American judge has to depend entirely on his interpreter. And what is to keep that interpreter from misinterpreting, especially where great interest are involved?

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CHINA WILL TAKE STAND FOR JAPAN

Will Be Against Russia When War Does Come.

London, Jan. 9.—A dispatch from Hong Kong from a trustworthy source says the Chinese grand council has taken a stand for Japan against Russia and will submit the following propositions to the Empress Dowager of China: To assume offensive if Russia fails to withdraw from Manchuria, also that she will make an offensive and defensive alliance with Japan against Russia and that the government officials will be sent immediately to Tokio to arrange such alliance.

Paris, Jan. 9.—The foreign office confirms the report that Russia in her reply to Japan made notable concessions. Negotiations for a friendly settlement are proceeding with increased prospects for success.

Tokio, Jan. 9.—The Russian minister today transmitted another note from Japan to the foreign minister to Russia. It is believed to be in the nature of an ultimatum. The war spirit is still high.

CHICAGO CARBARN BANDITS' TRIAL

Prospective Jurymen Had to Partially Disrobe in Court.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—All this morning the court where the carbarn bandits are being tried for murder compelled men called on the jury venire to disrobe to the extent that it could be positively determined that they carried no concealed weapons.

Strong men protested but without avail. They were compelled to disrobe before the matrons who thronged the courtroom.

Not a few sentimental female spectators decided not to watch the proceedings and retired.  
The jury is still incomplete.

San Domingo Revolution.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Commander Dillingham, of the cruiser Detroit, sent the state department the following dispatch from Puerto Plata, San Domingo:

"Morales' gunboat delivered an ultimatum this morning threatening to bombard the town in twenty-four hours if not surrendered. With concurrence of Commander Robertson of the Pallas I made such representations to both sides that the gunboat agreed not to bombard and the other side not to fire on the gunboat. All fighting to be confined to the land side of the town in the future."

Could Not See the Pope.

Rome, Jan. 8.—The vatican today declines to receive the Macedonian, Sarafoff, in special audience. The latter is disappointed as he expected to thus gain many additional volunteers for the insurrection.

Engineer Absent.

Topeka, Jan. 8.—Engineer Benjamin, who is wanted as a principal witness in the Willard inquiry, case is still absent. The coroner's inquest has been indefinitely postponed.

River Steamboat Ashore.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 8.—The steamer Brandon, Norfolk to Richmond, is ashore in the James River, caught in the ice with a very large passenger list aboard.

Some Pensions.

Washington, Jan. 8.—After passing 115 private pension bills the house adjourned at 2:40 today.

Turkey at St. Louis Fair.

Constantinople, Jan. 8.—The sultan on reconsideration has decided to send a Turkish exhibit to the St. Louis fair.

Washington Safe-Blowing.

Eliensburg, Wash., Jan. 8.—Burglars blew up the Kittitas creamery safe this morning. They got \$100 Citizens are after them with blood-hounds.

Big Shingle Mill Loss.

Ballard, Wash., Jan. 8.—The Nichols Lumber Company's shingle mill, dry kilns and 3,000,000 shingles were destroyed by fire this morning. Loss \$25,000. A favorable wind alone saved the western portion of the city.

THE U. S. STANDARD.

No Man Is Stronger Than His Stomach.

The man who seeks to enlist in the U. S. Army must be physically sound. There is a minimum standard of height and men under that standard, no matter how healthy, will not be accepted. But aside from height the requirement is a sound physical condition, and this condition depends in chief upon the health of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition. Many a man has been rejected by the medical examiner who appeared externally to possess all the physical requirements of a good soldier. But the examiner looks below the surface. He knows what the stomach is weak, and he knows also that no man is stronger than his stomach.

Most people look upon indigestion as a discomfort rather than a disease. But



in reality indigestion or dyspepsia is the disease of all diseases. It makes other diseases possible. It involves the blood and the heart, lungs, liver, kidneys—every organ of the body.

WEAK STOMACH WEAK MAN.  
That a "weak" stomach causes general physical weakness may easily be understood. Food is the staff of life. The source of all physical strength is food. But before the body can receive strength from what is eaten the food must be digested and assimilated. To convert the food eaten into nutrition is the office of the stomach and the other organs of digestion and nutrition. When the stomach is "weak" the food received into it is only partly digested and assimilated; the body loses its proper supply of nutrition and grows proportionately weak. The capacity of the stomach in its normal health and use equals the nutritive demands of the body. State that normal capacity as equal to 100. When the stomach is "weak" its capacity is reduced proportionately. It may be that ten or twenty per cent. of the nutritive values of the food eaten are lost or wasted. That ten or twenty per cent. of lost nutrition must then represent a ten or twenty per cent. loss of physical strength.

WHERE STRENGTH COMES FROM.  
Physical strength comes from food and from food alone. If a man has enough to eat and eats enough, there's no reason why he should not have a perfectly scrubbed and healthy body. If he is not well nourished, if he is losing weight, then the stomach is weak or diseased, whether he knows it or not. If he knows his stomach "troubles," then he can be sure that the trouble will not stop with the stomach, but will reach out to other organs of the body dependent on the stomach for nutrition.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has restored lost health and strength to thousands of suffering men and women, because it cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutri-

tion, and enables the building up of the body in the only way known to nature, by the assimilation of the nutrition extracted from food. "Golden Medical Discovery" makes the "weak" stomach strong, and so makes a "weak" man strong by perfect nutrition. "I had been suffering from indigestion so badly that I could not work more than half the time," writes Mrs. L. H. Hays, of Blackstone, Nottoway Co., Va. "But now I can work every day and eat anything I want. Why? Because I took Dr. R. V. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It has put new life and energy in me, restored my health and made a man of me once more. I used to weigh 170 but had gotten down to 141, now am back to 150 and will soon be back at my old weight if nothing happens. Your medicine has done it all. I cannot thank you enough for your advice and think it had not been for your medicine it would not have been here many years."

A CORNFIELD LESSON.  
The average person seems entirely unaware of the dependence of the several organs of the body upon the stomach for their health and strength. Every man makes a weak man that weakness must be distributed among all the parts and organs which taken as a whole, make up the physical man. The relation of the stomach to the physical organs is like the relation of the corn to the soil in which it grows. If the soil abounds in the nutrition which makes corn, then the stalk is tall, the leaves broad, the ears heavy. If the soil is poor or weak then the corn is weak and it is weak all over, in stalk, leaf and ear. Every part of the corn shares in the lack of nutritive elements in the soil. It's so with the stomach. When it is "weak" and there is loss of nutrition, every organ shares that loss—heart,

liver, lungs, kidneys, etc. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of organs remote from the stomach when these diseases have their origin in disease of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition. In numerous cases men and women who have taken "Golden Medical Discovery" to cure disease of the stomach have been astonished to find themselves cured of diseases of heart, lungs, liver, kidneys or other organs.

Words fail to express what I suffered for three years with cold chills, palpitation of heart, shortness of breath and low spirits," writes Mrs. A. C. Jones, of Waterboro, Colleton Co., S. C. "I could not sleep, and really thought I would soon die. Had a peculiar roaring through my head all the time. Was so emaciated and weak I could not feed myself. My aunt induced me to try Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which I did, only to please her, and six bottles cured me. To-day am strong and well. During the three years I was sick I had five different physicians."

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