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How to Sleep. It is not uncommon to hear people say "I was too tired to sleep"—but it is not generally known how great a help it is at such times not to try to sleep, but to go to work deliberately to get rested in preparation for it. In nine cases out of ten it is the unwillingness to lie awake that keeps us awake. We toss and turn and wish we could sleep. We fret, and fume, and worry, because we do not sleep. We think of all we have to do on the following day and are oppressed with the thought that we cannot do it if we do not sleep. First, we try one experiment to see if it will not make us sleep, and when it fails, we try another and perhaps another. In each experiment we are watching to see if it will work. There are many things to do, any one of which might help us to sleep, but the watching to see if they will work keeps us awake.

When we are kept awake from our fatigue, the first thing to do is to say over and over to ourselves that we do not care whether we sleep or not, in order to imbue ourselves with a healthy indifference about it. It will help toward gaining this wholesome indifference to say "I am too tired to sleep, and therefore, the first thing for me to do is to get rested in order to prepare for sleep. When my brain is well rested, it will go to sleep; it cannot help it. When it is well rested, it will sleep just as naturally as my lungs breathe, or as my heart beats."—Leslie's Monthly.

All Night Again. Opal, Wyo., May 16.—After suffering terribly for four or five years Mr. A. J. Kohner of this place has been completely restored to good health. His case and its cure is another proof of the wonderful work Dodd's Kidney Pills can do. Mr. Kohner says: "For four or five years I have been a sufferer with kidney trouble and a pain over my kidneys. I thought I would give Dodd's Kidney Pills a trial and I am glad I did so, for they have done me good work and I feel all right again."

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JUDICIAL DECISIONS.

A statute giving attorneys a lien on the cause of action for their fees in suits instituted by them is held in *Tompson vs. Nashville, C. & St. L. Ry. (Tenn.)* 61 L. R. A. 340, not to deprive the plaintiff of the right to dismiss the suit against their will, or entitle them to be made parties with the right to prosecute the action to protect their own interests.

Injuries caused by the widening of the canal are held, in *Mullen vs. Lake Drummond Canal and W. Co. (N. C.)*, 61 L. R. A. 833, not to be included in the original condemnation of the right of way for the canal so as to prevent the subsequent recovery of damages for them. The other cases on the construction and operation of canals are collated in an elaborate note to this case.

The indorsement by the principal of a check given in part payment of the purchase price of land is held, in *Thompson vs. New South Coal Company (Ala.)*, 62 L. R. A. 551, not to be a sufficient subscription of the contract to make it binding on him, where it was made by an agent not having sufficient authority to bind the principal, although the check was attached to the contract.

A plan by a voluntary association of merchants engaged in selling proprietary medicines, adopted by manufacturers of them, looking to the maintenance of prices, by which the manufacturers should sell at fixed prices, with a rebate only to consumers who could be relied on to maintain the selling price, is held, in *John D. Park & Sons Company vs. National Wholesale Druggists' Association (N. Y.)*, 62 L. R. A. 632, not to be void as creating a monopoly or in restraint of trade, or as against public policy.

That repairs promised by an employer to be made upon a defective machine "the fore part of the following week" had not been made by Wednesday is held, in *Rice vs. Eureka Paper Company (N. Y.)*, 62 L. R. A. 611, not to deprive an employer who complained of the defective condition of the machine of the benefit of the rule that an employee who continues work in reliance on the master's promise to repair does not assume the risk of defects during the reasonable time allowed for making the repairs.

A passenger going upon railroad train is held, in *Kansas City, Fort Scott & M. R. Company vs. Little (Kan.)* 61 L. R. A. 122, to have a right to rely upon the representations of a local ticket agent that such train will stop at a certain point to which he has purchased ticket and desires to ride, and the company is held to be liable if he is compelled to leave the train before reaching his destination, because by the general rules of the company, unknown to the passenger, such train is not scheduled to stop at such station.

An insurer against employers' liability, whose contract gives it the right to defend against suits by employees against the assured, and which, after a judgment in excess of the insurance has been obtained against the assured, agrees to perfect an appeal, is held, in *Getchell & Martin L. and Mfg. Company vs. Employers' Liability Assurance Corporation (Iowa)*, 62 L. R. A. 617, not to be liable for negligently failing to do so, whereby the judgment is affirmed, in the absence of anything to show that the judgment was erroneous and that the plaintiff could not have succeeded on a second trial. With this case is a note on liability involved in the exercise of the right to control or carry on litigation in the name of another party.

Mr. Nolan's Embassy. Mr. Nolan had acquired a great reputation for tact, so that when Mr. Cassidy fell from a ladder and broke his leg it was quickly decided by all the workmen that Mr. Nolan should bear three tidings to Mrs. Cassidy.

"He broke the news gradual," said Mr. Leahy to his wife that night, "and by the time she learned the truth she was as calm as a clock, they say. Oh, he's the great man, is Timmy Nolan!"

"How did he do it?" asked Mrs. Leahy, impatiently.

"Like this," said Mr. Nolan's admirer. "He went to the house and rang the bell, and he says, 'Thin Dinis is not dead, Mrs. Cassidy, or you'd never be so gay-lookin'!"

"Dend! she screeches. 'Who said he was dead?"

"Thin it's not true he's near to dyin' wid the smallpox, either," said Timmy, 'or you'd never be lookin' so amazed."

"Smallpox!" she cries. "Has he got the smallpox, Timmy Nolan, and been tuk to the hospital widout me sayin' good-by to him?"

"Sure an' he has not," said Timmy Nolan, in a comfortable tone. "It's only that he's broken a few bones in his leg, fallin' from a ladder, and I'm sint ahead wid the news."

"It's you that's a thrue friend, an' you've lifted a big load from me heart," said Mrs. Cassidy, and she gave a warm shake to his hand and went back to her washin'."

As We Find Him.

We came upon the college man in the green sweater.

"Studying much?" we asked.

"Studying?" he echoed, his eyes dilating with astonishment. "Well, I guess not. I finished up football in the fall; now I'm playing hockey; soon it will be polo, then lacrosse, and later on baseball."

"When do you expect to open your books?"

"Well, during next vacation, if I get a chance."

A beautiful girl is one who is pretty and doesn't know it.

Less of Kin and More of Kind.

A Scot who served an Englishman as guide and friend on a fishing trip had what the *London Daily Mail* calls "the national weakness" for claiming relationship with all the influential families in that part of Scotland. One day the Englishman met him on the road driving a pig, and saw a little fun.

"Well, Donald," said he, "is that one of your grand relations?" "Oh, no," said Donald, quietly. "This is just an acquaintance—like yerse!"

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BESIEGED BY RATS.

A story which recalls Bishop Hatto and his round tower is told by a correspondent of the *New York Press*. A Mr. Hardy had purchased an old slaughter-house in a New Jersey town with the intention of converting it into a machine shop. He went to the place to make some repairs, and was there when a heavy storm arose.

Busy with his work on the ground floor of the building, he paid little heed to the storm. Presently he saw a big rat scurry across the floor from the cellarway. This rat was followed by another and another, and then they came in droves. Investigation revealed the fact that the flood waters were running into the cellar, and the rats were seeking safety.

Suddenly the man realized that the room was alive with rats. They poured up the stairway, clambering over one another in their attempt to escape from the water, and squealing noisily. Some attacked Mr. Hardy, and bit his feet and ankles.

He seized an iron shovel which lay on the floor, and began to lay about him. If he desisted, the rats returned to the attack. Tired of the fight, he then tried to leave the house, but to his dismay found the water was deep around it.

With difficulty he beat the rats away, and leaped to a stairway leading to a top floor. When he reached the story above he found the rats were there before him. He killed a score or more, and then stood at the head of the stairway and beat back the horde that tried to come up.

"It was my life or theirs," said Mr. Hardy, "and I killed rats till my strength was exhausted."

For several hours he was a prisoner. Then the flood receded somewhat with the tide, and he went downstairs, ran through the room where the rats were still scurrying about in great numbers, and got away through the water up to his waist.

BELIEFS OF MALAYS.

Traces of an Old Religion in Their Present Life.

Many people in Singapore are more or less interested just now in the thirty days' fast, yearly undertaken by all followers of the Islam faith. In these days of modern luxuries and good living it would seem an anomaly to reside in the midst of a people who rigorously abstain from meat and drink, from sunrise to sunset, during one entire month of the year. It is no easy matter for a native who is working all day in the broiling sun to do so without even moistening his lips with water. There have been cases known in which a Malay has been downright ill, yet refused to take medicine from his master, until assured over and over again that it would be Allah's will that he should cure his body by drinking that medicine.

Mohammedanism is nearly related to Christianity, inasmuch as it recognizes the miracles, teaching and Messiahship of Christ, and by means of the Koran it commands a very high state of morality to be observed and has obtained a wonderful hold over the Malay race. Europeans sometimes find it hard to recognize the fact that the Malays have been converted to Mohammedanism, being before that believers in the Hindu religion, and before that again, worshippers of Dyak idols.

A cursory inspection of the hideous wooden gods in Raffles Museum, and of the implements used by magicians in the natives states, gives a very clear idea of the Malay's original upbringing.

Some of the old superstitions and folk lore still cling to the natives. For instance, they believe in a fabulous bird called the jintayu, and on his imagined longing for rain have founded a proverb which refers to people who are full of anxiety and despondent. They say, "As the jintayu awaits the rain," one would suppose the jintayu was fully satisfied this season.—Pittsburg Press.

The New Version.

A soldier of the Russians

Lay japed at Tschirzskivitch,

There was lack of woman's nursing

And other comforts which

Might add to his last moments

And smooth the final way;

But a comrade stood beside him

To hear what he might say.

The japed Russian faltered

As he took that comrade's hand,

And he said: "I never more shall see

My own, my native land;

Take a message and a token

To some distant friends of mine.

For I was born at Smolzksggrzski,

Fair Smolzksggrzski on the Irk-

trvskinnov."

—New York Sun.

Crab Shells as Barometers.

A curious barometer is said to be used by the remnant of the Aracuan race which inhabits the southernmost province of Chile. It consists of the cast-off shell of a crab. The dead shell is white in fair, dry weather, but the approach of a moist atmosphere is indicated by the appearance of small red spots. As the moisture in the air increases the shell becomes entirely red and remains so throughout the rainy season.

Long Still Race.

The longest race ever run on stilts took place from Bordeaux to Biarritz in 1893. The distance is 303 miles.

Extreme Measures.

Mother—if I catch you chasing those hens again I'll wash your face every day next week.—Punch.

An egotist is a man who expects a woman to marry him for himself alone.

A Lesson Out of School.

Plain-mannered, common-sense relatives serve no more useful purpose than in keeping down vain pretensions and silly tendencies in other members of the family. The *New York Press* says that it had become fashionable in a certain school to diversify names. Mabel had become Maybelle, May Mayme, and soon Jessie caught the infection.

She wrote a letter to her elder brother, Sam, and signed it "Jessica." Sam detected the signs of the times, and this was his reply:

"Dear Sister Jessica: Your letter received. Aunt Marica and Uncle Georgia started for Bostonica yesterday. Mamma and papica are well. "I bought a new horse yesterday. She is a beauty; her name is Maudica. Your affectionate brother, Samica."

Honoring Dead White Elephants.

Curious ceremonies are witnessed in Siam when one of the sacred white elephants dies. It is given a funeral grander than that accorded to princes of royal blood. Buddhist priests officiate, and thousands of devout Siamese men and women follow the deceased animal to the grave. Jewels and offerings representing some thousands of pounds are buried with the elephant.

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