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Effects permanent cures.

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One of the little islands of the Hawaiian group containing 70,000 acres is owned by an American named Gay. The principal industry of the island is sheep-raising, from which the owner receives a royal income. Excepting Mr. Gay and his wife, who are the only white people on the island, this jot in the ocean is peopled by 100 natives, who are said to be "as black as midnight." The owner is known as "King Gay," and his slightest word is a law among the subjects of his realm.

A Long Step Forward.

Mr. Binks—In spite of all Miss Finemind's talk about advanced woman and higher education, she is just as fond of a cat as any other old maid.

Mrs. Binks—Yes, but she speaks of it as "a domesticated carnivorous quadruped of the family Felidae and genus F. domestica."

Italy's birth rate has shrunk to 32.47 per 1,000.

A Foolish Memorial.

A stone monument, weighing fifty tons, is being raised in the Schorfheide, near Zehdenick, Germany, on the spot where the Emperor stood when he killed his one thousandth stag. The stone bears the inscription: "Our most illustrious margrave and lord, Emperor William II., stood here on Sept. 20, Anno Domini, 1898, when slaying his one thousandth stag of twenty tines."

The Emperor is so versatile that if monuments were erected to commemorate his achievements in other lines Germany would be studded with them. The places where he wrote his one thousandth poem and where he painted his one thousandth picture should be marked.

Piso's Cure is a good cough medicine. It has cured coughs and colds for forty years. At druggists, 25 cents.

The heart of a Greenland whale is a yard in diameter.

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Jones—We had shortcake for dessert at our boarding house yesterday.

Smith—Are you sure it was shortcake?

Jones—Of course I am. I recognized it by the strawberry mark.

That cotton is in universal use depends upon its cheapness.

Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

Not at Home in Natural History.

"Here's a curious item, Joshua," exclaimed Mrs. Lemington, spreading out "The Billville Mirror" in her ample lap. "The Nellie E. Williams, of Gloucester, reports that she saw two whales a cow and a calf, floating off Cape Cod the day before yesterday."

"Well, ma," replied old Mr. Leamington, "what's the matter with that?"

"Why, it's all right about the two whales, Joshua; but what bothers me is how the cow and the calf got 'way out there."

We say a man is "mulish" instead of likening him to a camel when he gets his back up.

SKIN DISEASES

Altoona, Pa., June 20, 1903.

I was afflicted with Tetter in bad shape. It would appear in blotches as large as my hand, a yellowish color, and scale off. You can imagine how offensive it was. For twelve years I was afflicted with this trouble. At night it was a case of scratch and many times no rest at all. Seeing the good the medicine was doing a friend who was taking it for Eczema, I commenced it, and as a result the eruption began to dry up and disappear, and to-day I am practically a well man. Only two tiny spots are left on the elbow and shin, where once the whole body was affected. I have every confidence in the medicine, and feel sure that in a short time these two remaining spots will disappear. S. S. S. is certainly a great blood purifier, and has done me a world of good. I am grateful for what it has accomplished, and trust that what I have said will lead others who are similarly afflicted to take the remedy and obtain the same good results that I have.

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Warning Notes Calling the Wicked to Repentance.

A LITTLE daily pressure by the daily press would do a great deal towards crushing the liquor business.

You cannot cure your sins by coddling them.

A man cannot pray up until he learns to pay up.

There is little comfort in a compromise.

To stoop to help is to be lifted to honor.

An unfed soul will mean an unfinished character.

A mustard seed of faith is worth a mountain of forms.

The higher life always begins with the death of the lower.

When a church dies it is sure to be a case of heart disease.

The Passover would not be sweet without the bitter herbs.

The devil always wants us to prove our faith by our fortune.

One vision of its work would turn all wine into wormwood.

If you love sin's works you will have to learn to like its wages.

A human liturgy is not sufficient to overcome human lethargy.

A sensible man knows he cannot trust his senses all the time.

You cannot tell much about a man's heart by the size of his hat.

Every man is tempted to make bread out of the devil's flour.

Sins concealed in the basement are sure to creep into the boudoir.

Better humility through adversity than pride through prosperity.

The man who wants to be thought rich is seldom rich in thought.

Wisdom is like money—it never grows so long as it is hoarded.

The only way to guard your reputation is to guide your character.

Some men want an analysis of an angel before they will entertain him.

A man has no right to ask God to assist him in doing a tight-rope stunt.

The devil would be almost harmless if he operated only in his own territory.

VACCINATE FOR CONSUMPTION.

The Message Sent to America by a Famous Physician.

An assemblage of physicians in Philadelphia, met to form a national association for the purpose of fighting tuberculosis and discover, if possible, its certain cure, received a message from Dr. Edward Maragliano, a famous physician of Italy, who said consumption in its early stakes can be prevented by vaccination.

Dr. Maragliano's conclusions are based upon clinical and laboratory work covering thirty-four years and his experiments led him to announce the following conclusions:

First, that it is possible to produce a specific therapy for tuberculosis; second, that it is possible to immunize the animal organism against tuberculosis, as is done in other diseases, and that there is good reason to hope for an anti-tuberculosis vaccination for man.

The paper told of many experiments with animals and then with men. The Italian physician declares that his vaccination is a certain cure in the early stages of the disease and aids greatly in later stages. Some of the statements in the paper were:

Changes caused by tuberculosis infection in the tissue of an organ and in the organism in general are due to the poisons secreted by the living bacilli and the poisons contained in the body of the bacilli. The former, which contain toxins, we have extracted by means of filtration of the young culture.

When this serum is injected into healthy men or animals there is an increase of defensive substances in the blood of the injected animal, greater than the geometrical proportion, and I am forced to conclude that the organism plays an active part in this tremendous increase. The participation of the organism is necessary to this increase.

In regard to the question of immunizing man, the most easily attained method seems to be the production of a passive immunization by the introduction of immunizing substances prepared in the bodies of healthy animals, by the methods previously indicated. Of course the tests made on animals cannot be repeated on men.

While these researches have shown positively that it is possible in several ways to produce specific immunizing substances in the healthy man, it as yet is impossible to say whether this resistance produced is sufficient or how long it will last. Further investigation of the effects of vaccination will be necessary.

Keeping Him Alive.

Miss Richgirl—Really, pa, it is cruel to ask George to wait until spring. He says if our marriage is postponed he'll die.

Old Gentleman—Oh, well, I'll lend him enough to pay his board.—New York Weekly.

Heat of Sun's Rays.

The window blinds in four shops in an Edinburgh street were set on fire recently by the sun's rays. The fire brigade had to be summoned.

When a young man places a girl's picture in his watch case he expects her marry him in time.

Man and Wife.

Buxton, N. Dak., Sept. 12 (Special)—Mr. B. L. Skrivseth of this place has been added to the steadily growing following that Dodd's Kidney Pills have in this part of the country.

Mr. Skrivseth gives two reasons for his faith in the Great American Kidney Cure. The first is that they cured his wife and the second is that they cured himself.

"I must say," says Mr. Skrivseth, "that Dodd's Kidney Pills are the best remedy for Kidney Trouble I ever knew. My wife had Kidney Disease for years and she tried all kinds of medicine from doctors but it did not help her any. An advertisement led her to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. The first box helped her so much that she took eight boxes more and now she is cured.

"I also took three boxes myself and they made me feel better and stronger in every way."

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OLD-FASHIONED LANE.

It is One of the Institutions of Country Life.

"Speaking of old things, reminds me of a thing which seems to have been forgotten by some of my old friends," said a writer in the New Orleans Times-Democrat, "and it is a rather curious fact since it is so intimately related to some of the more affectionate things of the world. Why should we forget the lane? It is the one thing in the life of the man who knows and appreciates the country in which he lives, and who loves the poetry of it all. The long, dusty lane, with its shading, with its winding and willowy meandering—should we forget it? I think not.

"The 'no-fence law,' which has been so popular in some States may have put the lane out of business to some extent. But I decline to believe that the lane will disappear altogether. There is too much of the poetry of the country associated with it, and we must not lose sight of the gentler things as we go along. Strolling down the lane! Did you ever stop to think what that means? It means a world of things when you come to think of it. It is the story of many lives. Men who have grown up in the country will understand what it means to the men and women, or boys and girls, who happen to live in the country. Let us preserve the lane. We are doing away with many of the old things. But it seems to me there is a point at which we should draw the line. And that point is reached when we come to those things which are so much a part of our life, and so much a part of the lives of persons who have lived in some other time."

Fatal Oversight.

Lazy Lew—De guy wot invented work made one bad mistake.

Tired Tim—Wot wuz dat?

Lazy Lew—He went an' died afore he got it finished.

Mozart is the modest violet—simple, unassuming, but delicious.

A Sioux Indian Custom.

Among the Sioux Indians a common custom exists. When one family borrows a kettle from another, it is expected when the kettle is returned a small portion of the food that has been cooked in it will be left in the bottom. Should this custom be disregarded by anyone, that person would never be able to borrow again, as the owner must always know what has been cooked in her kettle. A white woman on one occasion returned a scoured kettle, intending to teach a lesson in cleanliness, but her act became the talk of the camp, as a fresh example of the meanness of the whites.

Miss Rose Hennessy, well known as a poetess and elocutionist, of Lexington, Ky., tells how she was cured of uterine inflammation and ovaritis by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—For years I enjoyed the best of health and thought that I would always do so. I attended parties and receptions thinly clad, and would be suddenly chilled, but I did not think of the results. I caught a bad cold eighteen months ago while menstruating, and this caused inflammation of the womb and congested ovaries. I suffered excruciating pains and kept getting worse. My attention was called to your **Vegetable Compound** and the wonderful cures it had performed, and I made up my mind to try it for two months and see what it would do for me. Within one month I felt much better, and at the close of the second I was entirely well.

"I have advised a number of my lady friends to use it, and all express themselves as well satisfied with the results as I was."—MISS ROSE NORA HENNESSY, 410 S. Broadway, Lexington, Ky.—*$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.*

Conductor—I got your fare before, sir. Passenger—I know. This nickel is for the company.—Judge.

"I'm getting old." "Having rheumatism?" "Worse than that. I'm having reminiscences."—Cincinnati Tribune.

"So she has started on a life journey into matrimony, has she?" "Well, I guess it is only an excursion trip."—Brooklyn Life.

Bursley—He claims to be related to you, and says he can prove it. Ffloyd—The man's a fool. Bursley—That may be a mere coincidence.—Smart Set.

Wife—Good gracious! Do you hear that sound from the kitchen? More dishes broken, I'll warrant! Husband—Never mind, dear, it has stopped the cook's singing.

Affected Youth (to man ringing fog bell at ferry landing)—Aw—my man, why is this bell ringing? Man—Can't you see, you idiot, it's because I'm pullin' the rope?

Mrs. Haggard—Do you know, myself and my daughter are often mistaken for sisters. Mrs. Gay—Ah, the dear girl must be studying too hard, don't you think?—Puck.

Jimmy—Ma, did y' buy Georgie a birthday present? Ma—Yes. Jimmy—Ma, what did y' buy t' pacify me 'cause 'tain't my birthday?—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

Dingdong—Did you try that cigar I gave you yesterday? Biffbang—Yes, but it didn't deserve a trial. Dingdong—Why, what do you mean? Biffbang—It should have been lynched.

Mrs. Kenway—You used to say that I was the apple of your eye. Mr. Kenway—Well, what of it? Mrs. Kenway—Nothing, except that you don't seem to care as much for fruit as you once did.

George—Ethel, dear, I'm going to interview your father to-night. Ethel—All right, George. And if anything happens I'll come to the hospital twice a day until you are able to be out again.—Chicago News.

"I punish you, Browning, because I love you. But you are too young to understand what a mother's love is." "Is it two soles with but a single thought; two hands that beat as one?"—Life.

Mistress (who is going out for the day)—And, Mary, you may invite a friend to come in to tea, if you like. Mary—Please, 'm, I haven't got any friends. I only know young women!—Punch.

Harold (anticipating things)—I wasn't at school yesterday, Miss Bangs. His Teacher (severely)—No; you were not. Harold (decisively)—Miss Bangs, I've got to turn over a new leaf or get into trouble.

Hettie—Now that you have broken your engagement with Fred, shall you return to him the diamond ring he gave you? Minna—Certainly not, Hettie; it would be a constant reminder of the happiness he had missed.

Customer (to chemist's assistant)—In a business like this I presume you have gained some practical experience of therapeutics? Chemist's Assistant—Indeed, yes, sir. I had 'em when I was ten years old. Broke out all over me.

A Chance to Get Even.—"I wish," said the expressman to the lawyer, "that you would send in your bill for legal advice." "I am waiting," replied the lawyer, "until I get your bill for my May moving. I'd rather have the last chance."—Ex.

Actress (angrily)—Did you write that criticism which said my impersonation of "The Abandoned Wife" was a miserable failure? Critic—Ye-y-e-s; you see, you looked so irresistibly beautiful that it was impossible to fancy that any man could abandon you!

First Stockholder—I don't see why people should be allowed to carry packages on the elevated roads. Second Stockholder—Why shouldn't they? First Stockholder—Well, if it were not for the packages we could crowd a few more people into each car.—Town and Country.

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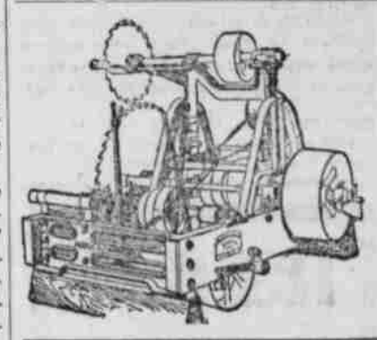

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