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ANTIDOTES FOR POISON.

Simple Remedies at Hand in Every Well-Regulated Family.

"More than two-thirds of the deaths from poison could be avoided if men and women would only acquaint themselves with the simple remedies always at hand in every well-regulated household."

The speaker was a house surgeon at a city hospital. "I see the names of six persons on this record of mine whom I know might have been saved had their friends or the police known what to do," he continued. "All six died because too much time was lost in notifying the police, calling an ambulance, and in getting the sufferers to the hospital. Paris green, rough on rats and laudanum seem to be the favorite poisons for suicide. For each of these poisons an antidote can be found in almost every household. The chief points in cases of poisoning are to encourage vomiting, and thus get rid of the substance; to counteract the poisons by antidotes, and to check death by the use of stimulants and artificial respiration.

"Rough on rats is simply arsenic. Hardly a day passes but some one suicides by its use. If on discovering that this poison has been taken the sufferer is given one or two raw eggs, and the eggs are followed up with large draughts of tepid water into which a tablespoonful of salt or mustard has been thrown, the stomach will usually throw the poison off. These, supplemented by a dose of castor oil, sweet oil or milk to offset the action of the poison, will usually save the life of the patient. The same treatment is the one to be followed when Paris green, opium, morphine, paregoric or laudanum is the poison used. When opium, morphine, paregoric or laudanum is swallowed, it is well to give a cup of strong black coffee after the emetic, to apply cold water to the head and neck, and to prevent sleep. These poisons represent the majority of those taken by accident, or by persons intent on suicide. When tartar emetic is taken, after encouraging vomiting, it is well to give milk and strong tea to drink. When poisons like mineral acids are used—such as aqua fortis and oil of vitrol—after an emetic solutions of soda, magnesia, and even of plaster scraped from the wall can be used with good effect. Oxalic and carbolic acid calls for the same treatment after using a little flour and water, the white of an egg, or castor oil in order to protect the gullet and walls of the stomach. When poison like caustic potash soda or lime is used, administer vinegar, lemon or orange juice in water, emetics and oil. If phosphorous is taken, like the ends of matches, for instance, keep up the vomiting and administer big doses of magnesia in water. Oils in such cases must not be used. For corrosive sublimate administer the white of an egg, flour and water, or milk, and then the emetic. In poisoning from chloroform or illuminating gas, let the patient have fresh air, loosen the clothing and dash cold water about the face and neck.

"All of these antidotes are, as a rule, always at hand, and if used will almost every time save the life of the patient and greatly facilitate the work of the physician when the case comes under his care."—*N. Y. Evening Sun.*

Coins of Many Realms.

At the Colonial Exhibition in London mechanical begging-boxes, in aid of the London hospitals, were placed at various points. Some of these boxes were on the "put in a penny and the figure will work" principle. The following is a list of the contributions deposited in them: £404—which sum consisted of a few gold coins, a larger number of silver, but mostly of pennies, half-pennies and farthings; 287 old or defaced British coins; 423 foreign coins—Indian, Egyptian, French, Belgian, Swiss, Grand Duchy of Luxemburg, Canadian, German, Austrian, Italian, Dutch, Straits Settlements, Spanish, Portuguese, American, Jersey, East India Company; one counterfeit florin; 11 metal tokens; 178 buttons of various patterns and substances; 30 disks resembling coins in shape made of metals, bone, india-rubber, cardboard, mother-of-pearl, chalk, sugar and glass, including three spectacle glasses and one lens; two rings, three links and many pieces of folded paper. —*N. Y. Post.*

—Sam Jones told an audience at Round Lake, N. Y.: "I can get along with an old sinner; I can bear patiently with a poor drunkard; but when a church member begins to apologize for his meanness and gets mad because he is told of his faults, it makes me sick at my stomach. If any of you get mad at what I am saying just come up like gentlemen and ask my pardon and I'll forgive you." Nobody apologized.

COAST CULLINGS.

Devoted Principally to Washington Territory and California.

Last year Idaho produced in gold, silver and lead, $9,246,584.

Seattle, by a late census report, has a population of 8,601.

Fred. Langtree, a carpenter, was run over and killed by a train, at Oakland, Cal.

The Southern Pacific Company is having 1,000 freight cars built at the Sacramento shops.

Pat. Flynn, the murderer of Oscar Shea, at Burke, Montana, has been admitted to $5,000 bail.

There are 750,000 acres of tillable land still open for settlement in the Hailey, Idaho, land district.

At San Diego, Cal., G. A. Burnell was shot and killed by Luco Marovich. Jealousy was probably the cause.

Frank McCutcheon, a Mexican youth who was believed to have kindled incendiary fires, was lynched near Oakdale, Cal.

Young T. C. Michael, aged 6 years, died at Mt. Idaho from spinal congestion, caused by a fall from a woodpile while playing ball.

Alvin Rondando, aged four, was fatally wounded by the accidental discharge of a gun being cleaned by Willie Powers, at Watsonville, Cal.

Nearly all the sawmills on Puget Sound have shut down for the winter. They will start up again in the early spring.

Wm. Hopkins, a laborer on J. C. Frazier's ranch at Grand Island, Cal., was fatally stabbed in the abdomen by Matt Dixon.

Fred Salter, a farmer, was accidentally killed by the discharge of a shotgun, at Hollister, Cal. He was a member of the G. A. R.

Willard Smith, 20 years old, who recently arrived at Pasadena, Cal., from Chicago, was drowned while bathing at Long beach.

Goslaw was hanged at San Jose, Cal., for the murder of an old man named H. A. Grant at Los Gatos in January last.

The snowsheds on the switchback are strong. The posts are 10x12 inches and the caps are 10x16, all of red fir. The cover is of four-inch stuff, also of red fir.

At San Jose, Cal., Andres Robles, drove his team along the railroad track, which he mistook for a wagon road, and was struck by a freight train, and instantly killed.

Cat. Lamar, who has been offered $1,000,000 for his mine at Wagontown Idaho, has started for London, where he will attempt to dispose of the property at the price asked—$2,000,000.

The 4-year old son af W. B. Hocking, while playing in a yard, fell backward into a heap of burning rubbish at Nevada, Cal., His back and head were terribly burned and he is in a precarious condition.

A freight-train ran into a work train on the Atlantic & Pacific railroad near Williams, Arizona. Fifteen men on the work train were more or less injured. A brakeman on the freight was fatally hurt.

A man named Nicholson, complainant in an action against George W. Palmer, for assault with a deadly weapon at Tiajuana, Cal., was found dead with a bullet hole through his heart. It is supposed the deed was committed by Palmer, who is now in jail.

While the steamship Yaquina City was docking at San Francisco, the wire connecting with the house and engine broke. The steamer plunged forward at full speed when she should have slackened, and she ran into the wharf, only stoping when striking the stone. She cut a hole twety-five feet long in the wharf.

Emily Doran, a child six years of age, was drowned in Little Wood river, Idaho. With her brother, two years younger, she tried to cross the stream, and both children fell in the water. The boy was rescued by the mother. The body of his little sister was found in the willows and grass, two hours after the sad accident occurred.

The Rod and Gun Club at Kittitas, W. T., had their annual hunt a few days since. There were six on a side. Gillism's party scored 2,765 points and Looney's side 1,110. The kinds and quantities of game killed were about as follows: Three coyotes, four large ducks, six prairie chickens, one sage hen, three jack owls, one large hawk, about twenty jack rabbits, twenty-nine snipe, about thirty magpies, one pheasant and other minor varieties.

A special from Glendive, Montan. says: Three Sioux Indians confined in the county jail for horse stealing, attacked two white prisoners with table-knives, a pair of scissors and chairs. After having as they supposed, killed the white men, two of the Indians hanged themselves in the cell with bunk straps while the third tried to butt his brains out against the wall. He only stunned himself, however, and is all right now. One of the white prisoners will die and the other is in a serious condition.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Legislation Pertaining to the Interest of the Pacific Coast.

WASHINGTON.—Mitchell, of Oregon, will introduce a bill at the first opportunity after Congress assembles to repeal all laws, whether treaties or acts of Congress, which permit Chinese immigration. This is the same bill which he introduced at the last session of Congress. He said this afternoon that the general impression that his bill would prohibit or prevent commerce between China and the United States is erroneous. It will only indirectly have a bearing on the trade relations of the two countries, in so far as it absolutely prohibits the coming of Chinese to this country, except those who come in government capacities.

Also a bill to protect purchasers of land from the Northern Pacific railroad, in case their is forfeiture of the land granted to that corporation between Wallula and Portland. He will also introduce a bill to reimburse settlers on even numbered sections of public land within the limits of the land grants in case of forfeiture of odd numbered sections. This bill is intended to reimburse those settlers who were compelled to pay $2.50 per acre for public land within the limits of land grants which subsequently became forfeited; settlers receiving no benefit by the building of a railroad because none was built, while other public land has been sold at $1.25 per acre.

Also a bill making an appropriation for the establishment of a life-saving crew at Yaquina Bay, Oregon.

Also a bill to provide for the erection of a public building for a custom house at Yaquina Bay.

Also a bill to provide for the appropriation of $1,3000,000 for continuing the improvement of the mouth of the Columbia river. Also $750,000 for improvement of the locks of the Cascades, and also an appropriation for Yaquina and Coos bay.

He will introduce the bill which was favorably reported by a Senate committee during the last session of Congress appropriating $500,000 for the construction of a boat railroad at the dalles of the Columbia.

Also a bill to amend section 3019 of the revised statutes relating to drawbacks on dutiable imported materials when manufactured and exported. This bill is designed to be of benefit to canners of salmon who use tin, upon which a duty has been paid.

He will also introduce a bill appropriating sufficient money for the final survey and estimates for the improvement of the Umpqua river for light-draught steamers, the surveys and estimates to be separate, one being between the mouth of the river and Scottsburg, and the other between Scottsburg and Hart's rapids, near Elkton.

He will also introduce a joint resolution for the appointment of a commission by the Secretary of the Navy for the purpose of selecting a site for a naval station on the Pacific coast.

He will also introduce a bill authorizing the construction of a railroad through the Coeur d'Alene Indian reservation.

A bill for relief of settlers on school lands in Washington Territory.

Also a bill appropriating sufficient money for the re-survey and re-location, shortening and improvement of the military wagon road between Rogue River valley and Fort Klamath, Oregon.

Also a bill appropriating money for the purchase of a site and the construction of a wharf for the use of the light-house department at Astoria.

Senator Dolph made an exhaustive study of plans for the coast defense of the country. He has prepared a bill to provide for carrying out the plans of the commission that made a report on the subject some time ago. The cost of the work will be $126,000,000. The harbors on the Pacific coast that would be improved under the bill are San Francisco, the mouth of the Columbia, San Diego, and the northern coast of Washington territory. The bill appropriates $27,000,000 for the defense of San Francisco harbor. The defense would consist of turrets, barbette batteries, submarine mines, torpedo boats, thirty floating batteries and mortar batteries. The bill approproates $2,519,000 for the defense of the mouth of the Columbia, to consist of barbette batteries, submarine mines and 15 torpedo boats. The bill gives San Diego harbor $594,000 for the same purpose.

On a Denver & Rio Grande train Saturday, a crazy Chinaman fatally stabbed a passenger, and was shot by a brakesman.

At Warsaw, Wis., the dwelling of Carl Honikel burned, and he and his five children perished. His wife escaped, but is insane.

The safe of the County Treasurer's office at Centerville, Reynolds county, Mo., was blown open and robbed of about $20,000 in cash, recent tax collections. There is no clue to the robbers.

A pack of stag hounds was lately brought into Montana, to kill wolves upon the sheep and cattle ranges. They prove strong fleet and plucky, beating the wild marauders in every instance, even when outnumbered two to one. Their sole diet is cornbread and buttermilk.

A VALUABLE MEDICAL TREATISE.

The edition for 1888 of the Sterling Medical Annual known as Hostetter's Almanac, is now ready, and may be obtained, free of cost, of druggists and general country dealers in all parts of the United States, Mexico and indeed in every civilized portion of the Western Hemisphere. This Almanac has been issued regularly at the commencement of every year for over one-fifth of a century. It combines, with the soundest practical advice for the preservation and restoration of health, a large amount of interesting and amusing light reading, and the calendar, astronomical calculations chronological items, etc., are prepared with great care, and will be found entirely accurate. The issue of Hostetter's Almanac for 1888 will probably be the largest edition of a medical work ever published in any country. The proprietors, Messrs. Hostetter & Co., Pittsburgh, Pa., on receipt of a two cent stamp, will forward a copy by mail to any person who cannot procure one in his neighborhood.

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The National Grange will hold its next meeting at Topeka, Kansas.

"Good deed," once said the celebrated Richter, "ring clear through Heaven like a bell." One of the best deeds is to alleviate human sufferings. "Last fall my daughter was in decline," says Mrs. Mary Hinson, of Montrose, Kansas, "And everybody thought she was going into consumption. I got her a bottle of Dr. R. V. Pierce's 'Favorite Prescription,' and it cured her." Such facts as the above need no comment.

Charles H. J. Tyler, United States Minister to Liberia, has resigned.

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—A shorthorn bull and a valuable stallion got into a quarrel at Wellsville, O. The stallion which was a Clydesdale and a beautiful animal, displayed considerable pluck and for a few minutes the struggle was simply terrible, the earth being torn up for yards by the huge animals. All efforts to separate the brutes were futile and the battle continued unabated for ten minutes, when the bull gored his adversary in a vital spot, killing him instantly.

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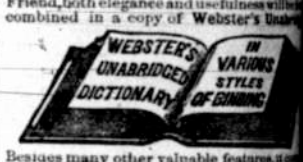

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