

A Bad Stomach
causes the restlessness and mars the happiness of life. It's a weak stomach, a stomach that can't properly perform its functions. Among its symptoms are distress after eating, nausea, indigestion, heartburn, belching, constipation, flatulence and nervous habits.

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cures a bad stomach, indigestion and dyspepsia, and the cure is permanent. Accept no substitute.

Football and the Colleges.
The Reader says: It will soon be a policy for college presidents to declare for policy in the matter of football. It will be the first to pronounce against it? If no easy moralizer poses that the decision will be easily made. Destructive as football has been to life, mind and scholarship, it is one of the chief baits of the colleges. The athletic young man goes to go where his abilities will be tested and where he will enjoy the society of men with tastes and activities similar to his own. Other young men wish to go to universities where there is something doing. They like excitement and the contest of the game. They want, in short, something to do for—and there is nothing that offers such unrivaled opportunities for doing as football.

It is not the learning of the faculty of the policy of the institution so much as it is undergraduate society and excitement that tempt the average American when he makes his choice of a college. The college president knows this. And so human is he that he himself enjoys presiding over a college that finds honor easy in the athletic field. He likes the zest of the game—likes even to be disturbed at night by a mob of yelling maniacs surrounding his respectable mansion, and yell "Proxy! Proxy!" till he comes to congratulate them on their day's story. College presidents look as if they were grown up, but they aren't. One worth anything is grown up. He has the real reason that the public brings on to football the way it does. It is because, for the moment, every mother's son on the ground and bleachers, feels the heart of a child leaping in him as he watches the hotly contested game.

Baseball Players and Foot Racers!
Louis J. Kruger, ex-champion long-distance foot racer of Germany and England, writes, October 27, 1901:
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Willamette Valley Traction Company Secures Boise Strip and Makes Deal With Indian School

It is said on good authority that two little obstacles in the way of the speedy construction of the new electric road between this city and Chemawa were removed Saturday and that there is no excuse for the Willamette Valley Traction Company to refrain from saving wood. The company closed a deal with Judge R. P. Boise for a strip of land between North Mill Creek and Broadway which will give the road a practically straight line between High street and Broadway.

The company also closed arrangements with the authorities of the Indian Training School at Chemawa for the right-of-way through the grounds of the school. This will be finally settled as soon as the Secretary of the Interior can be heard from. The contractors are employing all the men and teams they can secure and say that if they cannot secure the necessary laborers in Salem they will bring them here from other places. Men were engaged Saturday in placing ties along the route in North Salem and engineers were setting the grade stakes getting in readiness for the active work of making the road bed.

The authorities of the company and contractors say that there is no doubt but that the road will be completed between Salem and Chemawa on time and that the cars will be running during the state fair.

KNOWS HOW TO PACK

The Capital Commission Company's Exhibit Was a Practical Lesson in Fruit Packing

Some of the best exhibits at the cherry show were from the Capital Commission Company and in fact the success of the exhibition was largely due to the splendid efforts of this firm. It was understood that the Commission company would be allowed to compete for prizes and the members of the firm were told to. Acting on that information the company got some remarkably fine exhibits together and placed them on display. However the judges ruled out the exhibits from the contest on the grounds that only growers could compete for prizes. It would seem that there was some kind of a misunderstanding of worse in this matter, as some of the cups offered were for 'best commercial pack.'

The display made by this company was perfect. The big plump cherries, an inch or more in diameter, being in perfect rows each way across the box as mathematically correct as a checker board. The fruit was superb, the packing without a chance for improvement. As nothing was said about growers only being allowed to compete and as the Commission company insists that it was told it would be allowed to compete, it naturally feels a trifle hurt at the outcome.

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FROM : OUR : RELIGIOUS : EXCHANGES

The world waits for the ethical manifestation of the sons of God. Dr. Chas. E. Jefferson, in his sermon on "The Church of the Living God," says that the church has something better to do than the solving of all the great social problems that like so many frogs came up out of the Nile of modern civilization to plague us; that the business of the church is to set the human heart right. Exactly. But inasmuch as this Nile of modern civilization is a Christian Nile, and these froglike problems so many times spring out of the hearts of men supposedly already set right by the church, we have a sure evidence, not that we have failed, but that we are not through with our task. To set the human heart right, that is the problem; but this will never be done by crushing the prophet function of the ministry in order to emphasize the evangelistic. The church is filled with men and women who need ethical training and an enlarged conception of the meaning of Christianity. We are not to be always saving and never teaching; if so, we will never save. We are called to fight as well as to drill. Our superlative need now is a loftier ethical life in pulpit and pew, based on a clear understanding of the fact that character counts most both in heaven and on earth.—Western Christian Advocate.

There are not wanting signs, too, that the trend of men's practical energies, as well as their energies of thought and spirit, is changing. They are beginning to grow weary of their triumphs over matter and space in the victories of applied science, and still more weary of successfully "hunting the almighty

dollar" and building up huge business fortunes. "Vanity of vanities" begins to be the cry, and men long to strain their spirits to finer issues. Again, they realize that man cannot live by bread alone, still less by gold and gems, and that all the kingdoms of the world and the glory of them do not suffice his God-worshipful inner spirit. He is turning from them to truth and goodness, beauty and virtue, love and service. Principles, ideas, virtues, and graces, possessed and embodied in character and civilization, begin again to be his quest. It behooves every Christian and every Methodist to be in the van of such a movement of the human spirit.—Rev. S. E. Keeble, in Methodist (London) Recorder.

Do your work and do it well. No one else can ever do it for you. Think of it—God is waiting for you to do that little duty you are just now shirking or reluctantly approaching in timidity. Sometimes we think we will let our own work go and try and manage that of some one else, or our presumption carries us to the point where we would manage even the affairs of God himself. Meanwhile the great universe must wait for us to get around to doing our own little part. It is a great deal easier to talk about international affairs than it is to saw wood in our own back yard. But most of us have a certain pile of wood to saw, and the chances are that we will be kept at it until the job is done.—The Universalist Leader.

In the New York Observer we find a statement concerning the decrease in the number of candidates for the Pres-



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"The fact is that they are manufactured from the intestines of sheep and in obtaining enough raw material even from these animals the manufacturers at times find difficulty. The only string made from the intestines of the feline is that used for surgical purposes—for the sewing up of wounds. One would be amazed to know that there are millions of musical instrument strings used in North America alone, and just think where the tabbies would be if they had to supply the consumption."

"Another amazing thing is that there are over 700 different grades of musical instrument strings. The demand for strings in North America is increasing every year, especially in the South and in Mexico. There are more guitar strings sold in Mexico than any other kind, but through the South the banjo string still holds its own, despite the fact that every year has marked slight but gradual falling off in the demand. The harp is becoming more popular and there is a good demand for strings for this instrument."—Kansas City Journal.

A Tragic Finish.

A watchman's neglect permitted a leak in the great North Sea dyke, which a child's finger could have stopped, to become a ruinous break, devastating an entire province of Holland. In like manner Kenneth McIver, of Vanceboro, Me., permitted a little cold to go unnoticed until a tragic finish was only averted by Dr. King's New Discovery. He writes: "Three doctors gave me up to die of lung inflammation, caused by a neglected cold; but Dr. King's New Discovery saved my life." Guaranteed best cough and cold cure, at J. C. Perry's drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

John Brown's Speech at His Trial.
Even in his enfeebled condition he was still a magnificent figure—rough-hewn, but Titanic—patriarchal but aggressive—his strongly Hebrew features showing passion, purpose, courage, and relentless in every line.

"Virginians!" he began, and his low, well-modulated voice reached every corner of the court room in the deathlike silence; "Virginians! I did not ask for quarter at the time I was taken. I did not ask to have my life

spared. * * If you seek my blood you can have it at any moment without this mockery of a trial. I have no counsel. * * If we are to be forced with a mere form—a trial for execution—you might spare yourself that trouble. I am ready for my fate. * * I beg for no insult, nothing but that which conscience gives or cowardice drives you to practice. I ask again to be excused the mockery of a trial. I do not even know what the special design of this examination is. I do not know what is to be the benefit of it to the commonwealth. I have now little further to ask, other than that I may not be foolishly insulted."

The speaker swayed and sank into his chair again, but every word of his brief utterance was aimed at the pride of Virginia, and it found its mark. It was the courageous defiance of a man at bay, ready for death, but supremely conscious of his own dignity, and, for the instant, something akin to respect for the old fanatic kindled in the minds of his auditors. Indeed, if there had been, up to that moment, any thought of satisfying the public conscience with the form instead of the substance of a trial, that dramatic challenge disposed of it on the instant, and before the wondering whispering of the audience ceased, Brown had, by sheer force of his personality, accomplished for himself what no lawyer could have secured him, namely, a fair trial, if no favor.—Frederick Trevor Hill in Harper's Magazine.

Croup

Is a violent inflammation of the mucous membrane of the wind pipe, which sometimes extend to the larynx and bronchial tubes; and is one of the most dangerous diseases of children. It almost always comes on in the night. Give frequent small doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup and apply Ballard's Snow Liniment externally to the throat. 25c, 50c and \$1. For sale by D. J. Fry.

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A new death test consists of injecting a solution of fluoresceine deep into the tissues. If circulation exists the skin and mucous membranes become very yellow, and the eyes assume the color of emeralds. If the circulation has ceased none of these results occur. The discoverer proposes that at least two hours before bodies are placed in coffins such an injection with fluoresceine be made. If life is not yet extinct, the injection does not harm and the coloring disappears.

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