

MAN IS AS OLD AS HIS STOMACH

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Persians were a very sagacious people, noted among others for their deep thinking on the things which make up above epigram shows the wisdom of their thought.

When a man's stomach is able to take new material to the system faster than the natural process of man requires, then such a man lives his fullest and his best. When a man's stomach begins to fail, the other organs and takes from the blood strength which it cannot back in nourishment taken from food, then begins the death of man and he decays fast. The stomach is strong, splendidly strong, and stands an untold amount of abuse and neglect, but when it fails man dies.

The stomach gives tons upon tons of rich blood every year to the system and draws only 680 pounds of nourishment for its own use. If, however, the food which it receives is not turned into blood which is of use by the body, then the stomach receives no help from the other organs.

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ENDING A SALEM MAN IN LEGISLATURE

The Oregonian today slanders Hal D. Patton by intimating that he wants prominence in the organization to sell the patent of the state for a real-estate agent. Mr. Patton has a little regard for the constitution which forbids a member of the legislature to do business with himself as a representative of the state. The Patton home could once have been secured for an executive position, but will probably never be secured as the above of the Oregonian in public affairs, as it never hesitates to put any man, no matter how clean and honorable his motives, in a false light before the people in order to destroy his influence. Mr. Patton comes of an honorable family and has never been in public office before. He will certainly not be willing to vote for the Oregonian candidate for senator, whether it be Mr. Scott or some other dark horse with a sack, and it is why that crowd tries to beat Patton.

How is Your Digestion?

Mrs. Mary Dowling of No. 288, 8th St., San Francisco, recommends a remedy for stomach trouble. She writes: "Gratitude for the wonderful effect of Electric Bitters in a case of indigestion, prompts this testimonial. I am fully convinced that Electric Bitters is the best remedy on the market today." This great tonic and cathartic medicine invigorates the system, purifies the blood and is especially helpful in all forms of female ailments. 50c at J. C. Perry's drug store.

BUTTERNUT BREAD.

Is worth more than any other bread yet the price is no higher than at your grocers. CALIFORNIA BAKERY, Thomas & Conley, Props.

MADAME DEAN'S FRENCH FEMALE PILLS.

These pills are the most powerful medicine known to man. They cure all forms of female ailments, such as irregular menstruation, white discharge, etc. They are sold by all druggists.

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HOW THE LINE OFFICERS OPPOSE STEAM

As further illustrating this point of giving sea-going officers complete control, it is a matter of history and official record that during Grant's term his Secretary of the Navy, Bristle, for a time turned the actual administration over to Admiral Porter. Admiral Porter was a sailor in the true etymological sense of the term, in that he believed there was nothing like sails. As soon as he was in authority he caused the four-bladed propellers of the vessels to be removed and replaced by two-bladed ones in order that the ships might maneuver better under sail. The inefficiency thereby brought about is, of course, apparent to any engineer, as the size of the propeller opening was fixed and the two-bladed screw could not be made large enough.

A few years later, in a report to the department, he actually claimed that the vessels were faster under steam with the mutilated screws. The facts, of course, were just the reverse, and when his influence became less, proper propellers were again fitted. This was when he was still in his prime, and his judgment was, at least, not impaired by age. About twenty years later, when the Roach cruisers were being built, the dear old man, then over 70, went before the Naval Committee and said that the plans of these vessels were wrong, because they had only auxiliary sail power. In his judgment they should have been given full sail power, with steam as an auxiliary. He was still a sailor. The world had not moved for him.—Engineering Magazine.

MARIE CAHILL SCORES A NEW SUCCESS

Marie Cahill and "The Boys and Betty" are smashing all attendance records at Wallack's Theatre, New York City, for the charming comedienne has scored a most emphatic hit. The success stands alone for this season for while hits of other years may have equalled that of Miss Cahill, there has been nothing within hailing distance of her during the present season. "The Arab Love Song" is again proving that Miss Cahill's personality is most effective in the establishing of a popular song. No less than half a dozen songs have been heard in the past ten years which deal with the Bedouin's love, but this is the first to score heavily. The song will, according to indications, beat the popularity of the "Congo" and "The Bamboo Tree."

Miss Cahill has two other songs which are running well up with this one in popularity. One is "Take Plenty of Shoes," the other "A Little Farther." If it were not for the overwhelming success of "The Arab Love Song" either of the songs mentioned above would be a sensation. "Auf Wiedersehen" is another of Miss Cahill's songs which has caught the public fancy. It is a plaintive little love song, very appealing and sympathetic.

Eugene Cowles' song, "Girls, Girls, Girls," in which the famous Cahill "long-skirted" chorus is featured, is a splendid number, and "Gee, but You Look Awfully Good to Me," as sung by Edgar Achison-Ely, is a Broadway song of the quickest type.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney make oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886. (Seal) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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TRACTION MAGNATE TO RETURN IN 1910

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, Nov. 27.—Henry E. Huntington the multi-millionaire who controls the traction systems of Los Angeles and Southern California, announced today his purpose to retire from active business in February, 1910, at which time he will have attained his sixtieth birthday. He proposes to spend the last years of his life on his beautiful country place near Los Angeles, experimenting in horticulture in the hope of discovering new fruits which can be successfully grown in the southern part of the state.

Huntington has been a busy man for forty-two years, ever since he was seventeen years of age. He has built up a great system of electric roads in southern California and is a millionaire many times over. He says that his long years of toil should begin to end, and when 1910 comes, he says his retirement will be genuine. He believes that he is entitled to "some rest and play time."

Huntington has perfect confidence that the men whom he has been training to succeed him, will be able to carry on his work competently. In Marysville, Ky., a deaf mute woman is suing her husband, also a deaf mute, for divorce on the ground that he curd her with his fingers.

TARIFF COMMISSION IS SEVERELY ROASTED

(United Press Leased Wire.) St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 27.—Criticism of the methods of the tariff investigators on the congressional ways and means committee, by James W. Van Cleave, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, is being discussed by merchants here today.

The statement pointing out the failings of the congressional investigators, issued yesterday, says in part: "Several strange things connect themselves with these hearings. I am told that only about 100 out of 250,000 heads of factories in the country received notice to appear before the committee. The notice is too short to allow them to present fully prepared statements, although all of them have the privilege of submitting briefs at any time prior to December. The charges which will come on December 4 will have covered only about three weeks in the hearings."

"Mr. Payne's easy confidence in being able to make a re-adjustment of the tariff schedules which will be satisfactory to the country must mean that he has provided for scientific aid of the side. I am strengthened in this belief by the fact that he knows that Germany, as a preliminary to its latest tariff revision, created a commission of thirty-two experts and they gave five years of investigation to the subject, many of them visiting every country on the globe.

"Germany was applying business principles to what is pre-eminently a business subject. The men who are running the big corporation called the United States know that the trade laws of the Universe will not suspend themselves for their gratification."

A Hair's Breadth Escape.

Do you know that everytime you have a cough or cold and let it run on thinking it will just cure itself you are inviting pneumonia, consumption or some other pulmonary trouble? Don't risk it. Put your lungs back in perfect health and stop that cough with Ballard's Horshoed Syrup. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by all dealers.

Arthur W. Sills the famous cowboy poet, has been arrested in Bellingham, Wash., on the charge of forging a \$50 check.

Pleasant, sure, easy, safe little liver pills, are De Witt's Little Early Risers. For sale all druggists.

WORK THAT TELLS.

Plenty of It Has Been Done Right Here in Salem.

Cures that last are cures that tell. To thoroughly know the virtues of a medicine you must investigate the cure and see if they prove permanent. Doan's Kidney Pills stand this test, and plenty of proof exists right here in Salem. People who testified years ago to relief from backache, kidney and urinary disorders, now declare that relief was permanent and the cure perfect. How many Salem sufferers longer doubt the evidence?

Mrs. B. Schreiber, 560 High St., Salem, Ore., says: "The good reports I heard concerning Doan's Kidney Pills induced me to procure a supply at Dr. Stone's drug store. I had been suffering from backache which not only troubled me through the day but broke my rest at night. I began to feel the beneficial effects of Doan's Kidney Pills after I had taken a few doses. I soon received a complete cure and there has been no sign of the backache or any other symptom of kidney complaint since. I am only too pleased to let others know of such a valuable and effective remedy as Doan's Kidney Pills."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

There is little interest in the city election. People did want to vote for a permanent improvement on South Commercial street bridge, but the city council thought they had better not let them. So very few will take the trouble to vote.

The unknown man who was found dead near Oregon City with \$600 is claimed to be the relative of two people, who ask for letters of administration.

A Broken Back.

That pain in your back caused by lumbago, stiff muscles or a strain is an easy thing to get rid of. Ballard's Snow Liniment cures rheumatism, lumbago, sore and stiff muscles, sprains, cuts, burns, bruises, scalds and all aches and pains. You need a bottle in your house. Sold by all dealers.

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DON'T MERELY GO TO BATTLE

GO TO WAR

Tacitus, the Roman historian, writing of the Batavians, said: "Others go to battle; these people go to war."

With this persistent people, a battle was merely a part of the war, of the campaign, no matter whether it were won or lost.

In modern business life the same idea prevails. With the merchant who is destined to win, advertising is a CAMPAIGN—not a mere "splurge." A big ad is merely a PART of that campaign—not a thing upon which success or failure wholly rests.

In a war, a great many big battles are apt to be fought—some of them costly, some disastrous—but all inevitable, as a part of a winning campaign.

In advertising a good many big ads must be used. Some of them may seem too expensive—some also a loss of money.

But all are a part of any winning campaign in business—all are incidental to the success of the campaign. And when a business campaign succeeds—as every persistent and wise one will—the COST will seem very small, indeed!

THE EVIDENCE OF RETURNING PROSPERITY

The banks may be said to be real barometers of business. Just as business depression is reflected in reducing deposits, so the improvement in business conditions finds expression in the increasing deposits.

When a bank has the greatest number of depositors, the largest total of savings and shows a new and definite growth in all branches it is a very satisfactory evidence that the returning prosperity is not confined to any one class, but is reaching the masses of the people; and that is the chief good.

The "Comparative Statements of Deposits" which we have been publishing for years, shows 1908 to be the banner year and reflects in no small measure the growth of Salem and the Pacific Northwest; and one need not be much of an optimist to feel that this Northwest country of ours has greater growth and better times ahead than any we have yet seen.

A general invitation to open an account with us is extended alike to the young man starting in business and to the older concerns already established; to those who have newly come to make a home or build up a business in this Great Northwest and to those who appreciate the convenience of a checking account.

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