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ASK FOR THE OCTAGON MARK

WHAT IS A MILE ?

Its Length Varies in Different Countries.

English-speaking countries have four different miles—the ordinary mile of 5,280 feet, and the geographical or nautical mile of 6,080 feet, making a difference of about one-seventh between the two; the Scotch mile of 5,929 feet, and the Irish mile of 6,720 feet, four various miles every one of which is said to be still in use.

The German mile of to-day is 24,318 feet in length, more than four and a half times as long as our mile. The Dutch have a mile of 19,295 feet, the Danes one of 24,875 feet, and the Prussians one of 24,856 feet; and the Swiss get more exercise in walking one of their miles than we get in walking five of ours, for theirs is 27,459 feet long, and ours is but 5,280 feet.

The Italian mile is only a few feet longer than ours, the Roman mile is shorter, and the Tuscan and the Turkish miles are 450 feet longer. The Swedish mile is 22,023 feet long, and the Vienna post mile is 25,037 feet in length.

Besides this list of twelve different miles, there are other measures of distance, not counting the French kilometer, which is rather less than

"You are a dead man!" said the pert apprentice. "But I have here an antidote. Quick! take as much of it as you can swallow." And he filled a tumbler full of salt and water.

The poor fellow eagerly drank off the abominable stuff to save his life, if possible. He then rushed out in order to secure a second antidote from the neighboring pump.

He has never been known to pilfer sugar since that day.

IMPROMPTU SOLO.

In one of the large Irish towns, a few days ago, a disastrous fire broke out in a tenement house, and soon threatened to destroy the entire building. Efforts to get out the furniture, etc., were only moderately successful, and some of the tenants were in a frantic state.

One young girl rushed up to the captain of the Fire Brigade, who was working hard with his men to prevent the fire spreading, and cried: "Surely you can save my piano; it's on the ground floor?"

The ground floor being completely gutted, the captain knew nothing could be done; but to console the fair damsel he smiled and said:

"Don't you fear, missy, the piano is all right; sure the horse is playin' on it!"

Mr. Homebird (in great glee)—"Shout with joy, Mary! Hooray!" Mrs. Homebird—"I think you're going crazy, aren't you? We've had new cooks before, you know." "Yes, of course; but this one had her pocket picked in the train coming here, and lost both her purse and return ticket."

Edith—"I hear old Mr. Richman deceived Edith dreadfully about his age." Gladys—"Yes, poor girl! After they were married he confessed that he was only sixty instead of seventy-five."

SALADA

Ceylon Tea is the finest Tea the world produces, and is sold only in lead packets. **Black, Mixed and Green.** Japan tea drinkers try "Salada" Green tea.

Office Boy (to his employer)—"I've got a complaint to make, sir; the cashier kicked me. I don't want any cashier to go kicking me, sir." Employer—"Kicked you! Of course the cashier kicked you. Surely you cannot expect me to attend to every trifling detail of the business like that myself, can you?"

Step the Cough and works off the Cold. Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

A curious perquisite of the Danish M.P. is the right to a free Turkish bath anywhere in the kingdom of Denmark.

MANY ADVANTAGES OVER OTHER LINES.

That the New York Central possesses great advantages over other lines cannot be gainsaid, and they are too numerous to enumerate, but a few of the principal features are: the great train service (twelve express trains each way between Buffalo and New York), four tracks and the Grand Central Station the only station in the city of New York.

This is the route of the famous Empire State Express.

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Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Groves' signature is on each box. 25c.

There pass through the London Clearing House in six weeks cheques more than equal in amount to all the coin in the world.

Linard's Liniment Cures Distemper

A man between 20 and 30 loses on an average only 5½ days a year from illness. But between 50 and 60 he loses 20 days yearly.

Linard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

The Standard Oil Trust owns 6,000 miles of pipe for oil-carrying. Through these pipes a million gallons of oil pass every day of the year.

LOW SETTLERS RATES.

During March and April, 1902 the Northern Pacific will sell ONE WAY SECOND CLASS SETTLERS' tickets from eastern terminal points—St. Paul, Minneapolis, Ashland, Duluth, and the Superiors—at greatly reduced rates to nearly all points on its main line, branches and connecting lines, west of North Dakota. These tickets to Northern Pacific points will be good for stopover west of Hope, Idaho.

For example the rate to Portland and North Pacific coast common points will be \$25. For further detailed information about these rates call upon or write to Wm. G. Mason, D.P.A. Nor. Pac. R'y, 215 Elicott Square, Buffalo, N.Y., or address Chas. S. Fee, Gen. Pass & Tkt. Agent, Nor. Pac. R'y, St. Paul, Min.

For those who have not yet arranged to buy homes in the Northwest this is a rare opportunity to go out to Montana, Idaho, Washington, and Oregon and look over the country. The good lands are being rapidly sold and the country and towns are prosperous and growing. Ranch lands, farm lands, fruit lands, timber lands are all to be found. If you want to go where irrigation renders you independent of rainfall or drought come along and we can fix you out.

Some of the important valleys reached by the Northern Pacific are the Yellowstone, Gallatin, Madison, Deer Lodge, Bitter Root, and Clark Fork, in Montana, the Palouse, Big Bend, Colville, Clearwater, Walla Walla, and Yakima valleys in Idaho and Washington, the Puget Sound and British Columbia regions and the Oregon country. It is a vast empire where climate soil and other advantages make of it a favored land.

Ceylon Green tea is gaining daily in popularity. If you want the best you should buy Blue Ribbon Ceylon Green.

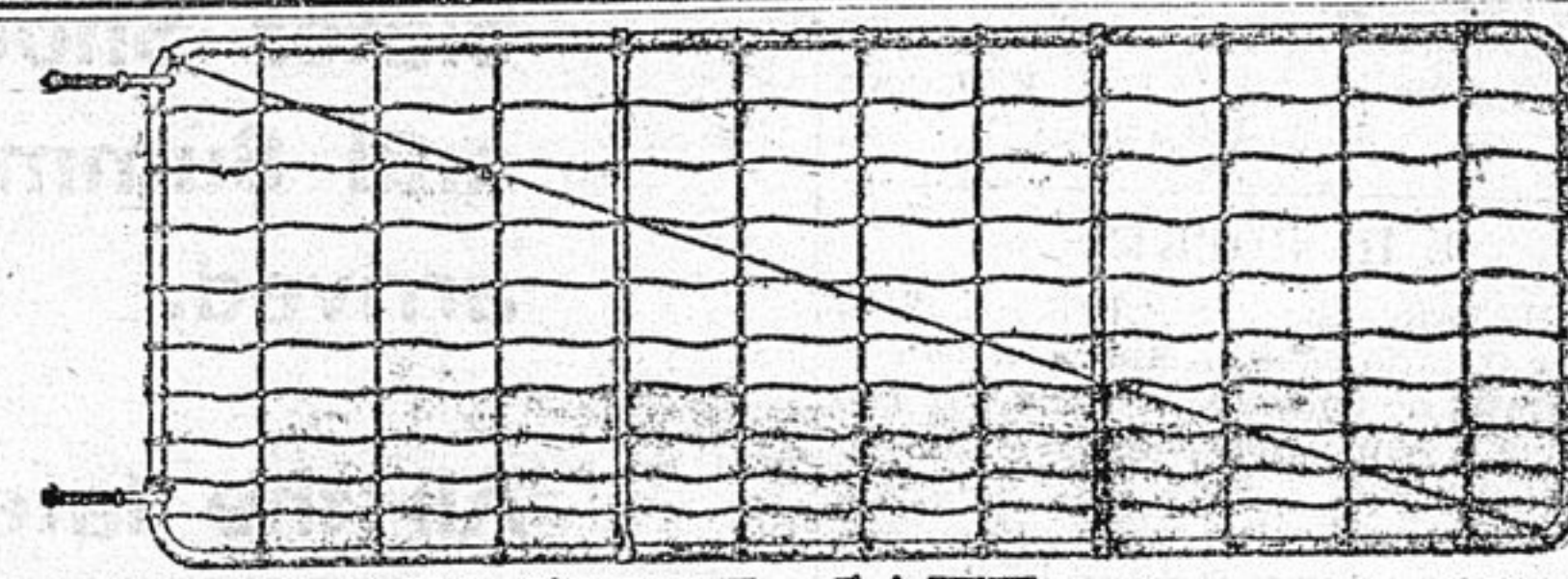
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When washing greasy dishes or pots and pans, Lever's Dry Soap (a powder), will remove the grease with the greatest ease.

The use of the German language is decreasing in Switzerland. In 1888, 714 out of every 1,000 Swiss spoke German; to-day only 697 per 1,000.

Monkey Brand cleans and brightens everything, but won't wash clothes.

The population of England and Wales is now 32,966,106. At its present rate of increase the next census, in 1911, will show a population of 36,588,288.

For Over Sixty Years Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, always cures wind colic, regulates the stomach and bowels, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP."

Lancewood is the strongest in the world. Its tensile strength is 23,000 pounds. That is to say, a piece of lancewood an inch square will stand that strain before breaking.

Linard's Liniment Cures Colic, etc.

Horse-chestnuts contain no less than 27 parts in 100 of valuable feeding matter. Unluckily, the 10 per cent. of bitter resin which they also contain renders them unfit for food.

Linard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Middlesex has the smallest proportion of pauperism of any British county—only 15 per 1,000. Dorsetshire has 42 per 1,000, and shares with Herefordshire the largest number.

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How a Remarkable Case of Paralysis Was Cured, THE MOST INTERESTING MAN IN CANADA.

Joseph Brown Attracts Attention of Physicians, Scientists and Sick People.



JOSEPH BROWN.

From the Mail and Empire.

Oshawa, Ont., Feb. 17.—Joseph Brown, whose case was fully reported in The Mail and Empire some days ago, seems to be the most talked-of and written-about man in Canada. He is in receipt daily of many letters from all over the Dominion. Physicians and scientists, as well as sick people, write him, and many and often amusing questions are asked. To all Mr. Brown answers:—"I have given my sworn statement, and it tells my story. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me, and that after I had been partially paralyzed and unable to move for over four months, and given up by many doctors."

Many people have been puzzled as to how a kidney medicine can cure paralysis. This is easily understood when it is remembered that the kidney poison, which is the direct result of kidney weakness, is most destructive to all healthy tissues and nerve.

Seventy-five per cent. of all nervous diseases, paralysis and brain troubles is directly caused by weak kidneys, allowing violent poisons to escape through the system to de-range and destroy.

Dodd's Kidney Pills, by correcting the action of the kidneys, encourage these natural filters of the blood to extract and expel the poisons, thus removing the cause of many of these dangerous ailments, which are not generally spoken of as kidney diseases.

two-thirds of a mile. The Brazilians have a milia that is one and one-fourth times as long as our mile; the Neapolitan miglio is about the same length; the Japanese ri is about two and one-half times as long as our mile; the Russian verst five-eighths as long. The Persian standard is a farsakh, about four miles long, which is not far from the supposed length of the parasang, so familiar to every schoolboy who has read Xenophon's "Anabasis." The distance indicated by the league also varies in different countries.

A certain Paris photographer never says to a lady customer, "Now look pleasant, madam, if you please." He knows a formula infinitely better than that. In the most natural manner in the world he remarks, "It is unnecessary to ask madam to look pleasant; she could not look otherwise." Then click goes the camera, and the result is never in doubt.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

THE WAYS OF SOME.

Stubbs—"Scripps tells me he gave you an elegant edition of Shakespeare as a birthday present."

Scripps—"Yes, he did; then he borrowed it and kept it six months."

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CURED OF PILFERING.

A man stepped into a grocer's shop to make a few purchases. Whilst the apprentice was weighing the goods the customer could not resist the temptation of treating himself to a piece of sugar which was lying on the counter.

The apprentice observed the action, and soon afterwards, with startled mien, called aloud into the shop: "What has become of that lump of arsenic that was lying here?" The poor fellow felt hot and cold, and in his terror confessed the deed.