NAMING A CHILD.

Suggestions to Help the Busy Father and Mother.

In some foreign lands the baby's name is chosen in strange ways. The poor little Chinese girls are thought of so little importance that they rarely get a name at all as infants, but are called No. 1, 2, 3, or whatever their place in the list of daughters may be.

Chinese boys are given a name by which they are called till they attain the age of 20; then their father gives them a new name

Japanese girls have pretty names, usually those of some flower, "Mimosa," "Chrysanthemum," "Cherry Blossom,' and in some parts of the country the little Japs do not receive a name till they are five years old, when their father chooses one for them

Hindoo babies are named when they are about twelve days old, and it is usually the mother who chooses the name. They, too, are fond of pretty flower names for their little girls.

The Egyptians have an odd way of choosing a baby's name.

They light three candles, giving a name to each, but they always call one after some deified or exalted person. The baby is called by the name borne by the candle which burns longest.

Mohammedans sometimes write table names on separate slips of paper, which they insert between the pages of the Koran. The first slip drawn out gives the name to the baby.

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EXPERIENCE OF FRANK CROMWELL, OF GALT, WITH DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

He Had Kidney Troubles That Threatened to Disable Him Permanently—The Great Canadian Kidney Remedy Cured Him Completely.

Galt, Ont., Jan. 11—(Special).—Mr. Frank Cromwell, the well-known slack wire performer who left here recently to fill an important theatrical engagement in Chicago, at one stage of his career had few hopes indeed of ever again appearing on the wire. In relating that experience, he said:

"I had been troubled with Kidneys, I had a severe backache and my limbs were swollen. I used several medicines, but none did me any good, and I had given up all hope of getting well.

"One day a Dodd's Magazine was left at my house and I read it carefully and my case was there. I bought Dodd's Kidney Pills and began to use them. Before I had finished one box I got relief and four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me completely."

That Mr. Cromwell's cure was complete and permanent is shown by his return to a profession that requires strength and steadiness. But if the disease is of the Kidneys, or from the Kidneys, Dodd's Kidney Pills never fail to root it out entirely.

ORIGIN OF NAMES OF DOGS.

Derivation of Appellations Given Various Breeds.

The spaniel is so called because the original breed of this beautiful and intelligent type came from Spain, and the first arrivals in England were called Spanish dogs.

The Spitz dog got its name from its sharp pointed nose. "Spitz" means "sharp point" in German, and the Spitz was a favorite German breed before he became known in England and America. The Spitz is known also as Dalmatian dog, because his native home is in Dalmatia.

The dachshound is another German breed, and his funny name—almost as long and funny as the dog himself—is a German name, meaning "badger dog." The original dachshund was used for drawing badgers, and the dogsstill are great favorites among German hunters, although the breed has become a little too delicate for fighting such a gray old warrior as the badger.

The fox terrier earned his name, not from any fancied resemblance to the fox, but because long ago, in the days of "merry England," these terriers, much larger and stronger then, were used everywhere by sportsmen for drawing and killing the fox, they being sent down into his burrow. It is said that no good fox terrier ever backed out of a burrow without his fox. If he came out he had the dead fox gripped. If he didn't get the fox he didn't come out, but died there.

The bulldog used to drive cattle, and as he was trained to meet the rushes of the bull by seizing him by his most sensitive point—the nose—the sturdy, brave dog came to be known in time as bulldog. In some countries he is known as bull biter.

The beautiful Blenheim spaniel is named after Blenheim Castle, where this dog first was made fashionable in the time of the great Marlborough. The King Charles dog owes its name to the Merry Monarch.

The various breeds of hounds of to-day are called hounds because they are the present survivors of the time when all hunting dogs were used to hound game. In the early hunting days of England every dog that was used to accompany the hunt was selected mainly for his speed and endurance. There were hounds that were supposed to follow the game by scent, and others who were supposed to sight it a long way off, but all were expected to be able to run the game down. Consequently, while the name of hound, or hund in the ancient Saxon, was first used for all kinds of dogs, it finally came to denote hunting dogs only; that is why we call our running dogs hounds to-day, such as greyhounds, rabbithounds, bloodhounds, wolfhounds, bearhounds, deerhounds, &c

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KEEPING WARM.

Breathe Well, Both Deeply and Rapidly.

Many persons who suffer from cold extremities accept the discomfort as a condition which is natural, and therefore beyond their control. The remedy really lies with themselves, and does not consist in hugging the stove or staying indoors, or in any other artificial protection.

The reason one feels cold first in the extremities is not alone because they are the remotest points reached by the blood in its circulation, but also because they contain a network of the minute blood-vessels known as capillaries, in which the blood current tends to stagnate. When this happens, the nerves, unwarmed by fresh blood, ache in consequence.

The small boy who leaves a warm house on a cold winter morning usually starts on the run, or romps about for a while in the snow. This activity gives such an impetus to his circulation by the rapid breathing which it necessitates that the boy is soon in a glow. Not every one can imitate the boy's activity or enjoy his fun, but all can imitate his breathing.

Breathing completes the circulation. The heart pumps the blood out through the arteries, which become smaller and smaller until they are microscopic. This may be in the wall of the heart itself or in the great toe, but wherever it is the blood current there becomes almost stagnant. It is as if a river had debouched into a broad lake. On the other side of the lake are the venous capillaries with which the arterial capillaries connect, and which carry the blood back to the heart. The question whether the blood shall stagnate here or be frequently renewed is, then, a matter of providing for its speedy entrance into the venous capillaries and its subsequent movement through the larger veins to the heart. This in turn is a matter of breathing, because breathing, by its suction-like action,—the so-called aspiration of the thorax,—accelerates the speed of the blood on its return to the heart. A deep breath thus makes its influence felt at those distant points where blood is halting and nerves are tingling.

The rule for keeping warm is, therefore, first to clear the nose and then to breathe well, both deeply and rapidly.—Youth's Companion.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

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PLOUGHED THROUGH HERRINGS.

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