

**IS BLOODY SPORT.**

**Many Men and Animals Die in Bull Fights.**

A new circus is being built in Madrid for bull fights which will seat over 17,000 persons. In 1907, 2,280 bulls and 2,720 horses were killed in the sport. Of human lives seven were lost, including that of Torador Montes, who died in the arena last January, and whose death was considered a national loss.

Then there was the death of the "Bandillero" Melito, who, happening to be present at a bull fight and not being satisfied with the way the performance was being conducted, jumped into the arena. The enraged bull soon put him to death.

During the past year 82 persons were severely wounded, most of them matadores.

**FUEL FOR THE FUTURE.**

In the opinion of Prof. V. B. Lewes, when the existing supplies of fuel become limited, men must rely upon alcohol produced from vegetation of some sort, which may be produced in any required quantity. Professor Lewes thinks that the alcohol will be manufactured either from potato starch or sawdust, but a writer in Nature suggests that when the question becomes urgent, some highly specialized plant will have been brought into existence for the sole purpose of absorbing the maximum amount of carbon dioxide from the air, and he thinks that the wonderful improvements which hybridization has already effected save this idea from being regarded as too fanciful.

**FOUR HOSPITALS FAILED.**

James Heard, of Morton Park, Ont., says: "While employed at the Specialty Works of Newmarket 6 or 7 years ago, I bruised my ankle, but through neglect this bruise turned to an ulcerated or burning sore which caused me a great deal of suffering. I tried a great number of doctors, and was in the hospital four times. I tried almost everything, but nothing did me any good. I could not sleep at night with the scalding and burning pain, but from the first application of Zambuk I never lost any sleep, and felt nothing more of the trouble. I persevered with it and my ankle is now as sound and well as ever it was. I cannot speak too highly of Zambuk."

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**THE VAGARIES OF DREAMLAND.**

(By A. Banker.)

"Balmy sleep, kind nature's sweet restorer," is indeed one of her greatest boons to mankind; to the tired worker, whether the labor be manual, or whether it be the far more fatiguing toil of brain-work, or to those harassed by anxiety or apprehension; or to those hapless and pitiable individuals who have nothing to do—no pursuits, except perhaps that most insipid occupation of novel reading, no hobby, whether in arts, or craft, in nature, or philanthropy, in literature or politics, and whose whole life is a vapid, listless existence—to all these the tranquil repose of sleep is an incalculable and measureless boon.

But although the body is at rest, the mind is sometimes running riot; in a moment of time an incident, full of detail and crowded with adventure, flashing through it. (It has, too, from time to time, been recorded by those who have recovered from apparent death by drowning that at the moment when the heart practically ceases to beat the whole life-history from beginning to end, with every incident in detail, flashes through the brain in a most startling manner.) And how fertile is the brain during sleep in creating imaginary occurrences; some full of rhapsody and enchantment; some grim and horror-stricken; and some an irritating series of vexations. A sportsman misses everything, or the trigger of his gun becomes jammed at every attempted shot; the bank cashier cannot count his gold; the mountaineer hopelessly stumbles at every step upon the ice. Everything, in fact, persistently goes wrong.

Or on the other hand, the dreamer is revelling in scenes of ecstasy and loveliness. The constellations, for instance, at the midnight skies are transformed into the figures shown on celestial

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gloves. Here is Andromeda flashing in starry beauty, chained to a rock, while brilliant Perseus, grasping gorgon's head which drips with crimson stars, attacks the sea-monster and rescues the beautiful maiden from his vengeance. Here magnificent Orion, scintillant in splendor, furiously pursuing winged Pegasus, while groves and glens of scintillant lustre, mansions gemmed in sparkling precious stones, and numerous splendid beings of dazzling beauty traversing those streets of gold, all add to the glistening radiance of the wondrous scene. And then in a moment, all is vanished into the blackness and darkness of night.

But if a fanciful dream be a vision of such glittering splendor how transcendently sublime and majestic must be the beautiful vision of those supernal realms of glory which are the inheritance of those whose names are inscribed in the roll on high, and against whom the Accuser can bring no charge. For although those triumphantly victorious ones were but shining mortals yet having conformed their lives to the Divine Laws, and accepted as their Saviour the Son of God, who received in His own Person the punishment due to them, their transgressions cannot be punished a second time, and eternal justice is satisfied.

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Those who know farmers who are paying for their farms and making money usually appreciate that to raise a few calves each year is a sure money maker. Clydesdale horses are recognized to be the best heavy draft herd of horses for Ontario and every up-to-date farmer should try this year, when prices are low, to procure a brood mare at the current prices. Quality and pedigree should always be considered when purchasing to breed from, so only high-class mares should be procured.

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**THIRSTY FRENCH.**

The French appear to be the thirstiest nation on the globe. They managed to drink in 1906, besides nearly 2,000,000,000 pints of beer, 900,000,000 of cider. The strangest part about this figure is that the average annual crop of apples produces only about 200,000,000 gallons of drink. The riddle is to find what the remaining 700,000,000 gallons were made from. Last year the only articles of drink on which there was a falling off—but that a remarkable one—were spirits of all kinds. In particular, the consumption of absinthe in two years dropped from 3,900,000 gallons to 3,700,000—a figure which is still formidable enough.

**A CLEVER SWINDLER.**

**Uniform of Naval Officer Brought Wealth to an Impostor.**

A clever rascal masquerading in the uniform of a warrant officer of the navy has been arrested at Greiz, in central Germany.

For the last month this individual, whose exploits in some respects resemble those of the famous Captain of Koepenick, has been visiting towns and villages in the neighborhood of Greiz in a naval uniform, decorated with the China medal. He speedily became known at most of the inns and beerhouses, where he was welcomed by the people frequenting these places, probably for the sake of the uniform he wore, probably also because of his extraordinary oratorical equipment. He harranged his company about the hardships of warrant officers and their trouble in drilling recruits, especially those recruits who had the misfortune to be educated in universities.

In one way and another, and on various pretences, he collected considerable sums of money from persons in sympathy with him. Encouraged by his success he took to lecturing on his experiences in China, rivaling the famous De Rougemont in tales of hairbreadth escapes. On the Kaiser's birthday he addressed a large and fashionable audience on this theme with extraordinary success financially.

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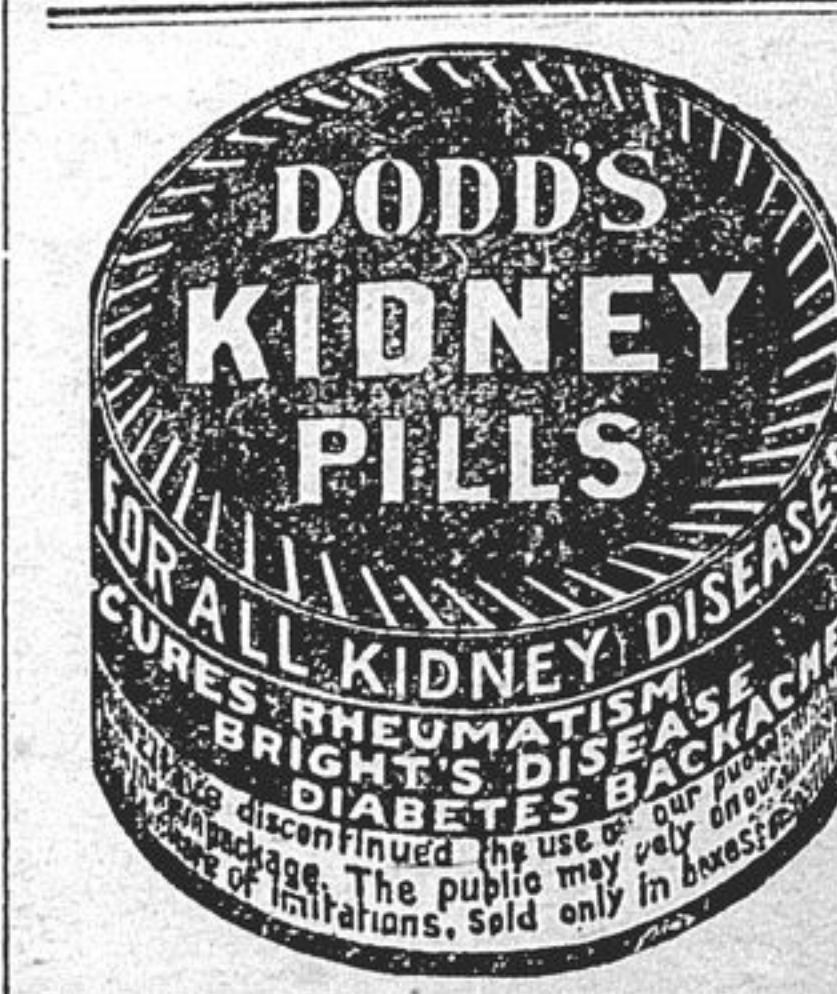
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