



There are very few cleansing operations in which **Light Soap** cannot be used to advantage. It makes the home bright and clean.

AN AFRICAN METROPOLIS.

Kano is the Manchester of the Sudan.

The recent extension of British administrative authority over the Kano, Katsina and Sokoto districts in Northern Nigeria has attracted attention to this prosperous and fertile country, Kano, which has a hundred thousand inhabitants, is the metropolis of that part of Africa.

It has been called the Manchester of the Sudan. For centuries the **Basasas**, as the people are called, have been the clothmakers of northern Africa. They raise cotton, spin the yarn, dye it with indigo or scarlet, and then weave it. But there is not a factory in all the country. The work of weaving is done on hand-looms in the homes of the people.

Much of the morocco leather comes from Kano, and this, too, is prepared and tanned by workmen at home. Their caravans carry their goods across the continent to Alexandria, and thence down the eastern shore of the Red Sea even to Mecca.

The city has been the center of a great slave-trade, for much of the work in the fields and practically all the work of transportation is done with the assistance of slaves. It is said that not less than five hundred men and women are offered for sale every day in the slave pens of the city. This traffic and slavery itself, will be abolished at once.

BABY'S VITALITY.

The vitality of infants and young children is at its lowest point during the hot weather. More children die in summer than at any other season. This is because the little ones suffer more from bowel troubles, are nervous, weak, sleepless and irritable. Prompt action often saves a valuable little life, and troubles of this kind can be promptly met and cured by giving the little ones **Baby's Own Tablets**, which should be kept in every home ready for emergencies. These Tablets speedily relieve, and promptly cure all stomach, bowel and other hot weather ailments, and give sound refreshing sleep. Mrs. P. Ferguson, 106 Mansfield street, Montreal, says: "My baby was attacked with dysentery and was hot and feverish. I gave him **Baby's Own Tablets** and they promptly cured him. Before this he had been rather delicate, but since using the Tablets he has been better and stronger in every way."

These Tablets can be given with an absolute certainty that they will do good to all children from a new born upwards. They contain no opiate or poisonous "soothing" stuff. Sold by medicine dealers or mailed at 25 cents a box by writing direct to Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockton, Ont.

BOTH SURPRISED.

A young lady presented her intended with a beautifully worked piece of silver, and he acknowledged the present by sending her his picture encased in a handsome frame. He wrote a note to send with it, and at the same time replied angrily to an oft-repeated rum for an ungrateful suit of clothes. The engaged a boy to deliver the package and notes. The young lady received a note in her adored one's handwriting, and flew to her room to devour its contents. She opened the package with eager fingers and read:

"I am getting tired of your everlasting attentions. The suit is about worn out already. It never amounted to much, anyway. Please go to Jericho!"

And the tailor was struck utterly dumb when he opened a parcel and discovered the portrait of his delinquent customer, with a note that said:

QUITE DIFFERENT NOW.

"Where is the dashing soldier who used to be the life of the party when I was here before, Mrs. Livermore?" asked an old patron of the house, addressing the landlady.

"I married him," was the quiet reply.

"Indeed! He was one of the sprightliest fellows I ever met, always bubbling over with spirits and check-full of stories. He's away from home, I suppose? I haven't seen him since I returned."

"He's at home; he has never been away."

"Indeed! Where is he, then?"

"What! That quiet, subdued-looking man?"

"Yes, sir!" (significantly).

AN UNKNOWN ROYAL TOMB

CHARIOT IN WHICH PHARAOH RODE AT THEBES.

Rare Discoveries Made by the Inspector of Monuments of Upper Egypt.

The great event of the Egyptian season from an archaeological point of view, has been the discovery of the tomb of one of the Pharaohs of the eighteenth dynasty, Thothmes IV, says the London Times. For the last two years Theodore M. Davies, an American gentleman, who is well known in Egypt, has been excavating steadily and systematically in the Valley of the Tombs of the king at Thebes, clearing the rubbish away inch by inch, and so laying bare the bed rock. He has been rewarded this spring by the discovery of a previously unknown royal tomb. The mummy of Thothmes IV, is in the Cairo museum, having been found in the tomb of Amenhotep II., to which it had been conveyed by the Egyptian priests for the purpose of concealment, probably in the age of the twenty-first dynasty, but the sepulchre of the Pharaoh had never been discovered, though it was pretty certain that it was hidden somewhere under the debris in the Valley of the Tombs of the Kings.

The actual discovery was made by Howard Carter, the inspector of the monuments of Upper Egypt, who has been conducting the excavations for Mr. Davies, and it is to his credit that the preservation of all the objects found in the tomb, but also a scientific record of the conditions under which they were discovered. The tomb itself, like the other royal tombs in the same valley, consists of a gallery cut into the heart of the mountain. After sloping downward for a considerable distance, it is interrupted by a deep square well, on one of the walls of which is a bank of paintings. On the right side of the well the passage turns back upon itself, and finally opens into a large chamber, at the extreme end of which is a magnificent sarcophagus of granite covered with texts from the Book of the Dead.

Mummy Bearer. On either side are smaller chambers, the floor of one of which was covered with mummified loaves of bread, legs of mutton and trussed ducks and geese, offerings made to the dead king between 3,000 and 4,000 years ago. Clay seals with the name of the king had been at the mouth of the doors of the chambers and it is interesting to observe that the Egyptians of the eighteenth dynasty had already to some extent anticipated the invention of the sealing, the rattling portions of the seals being smeared with blue ink before being impressed upon the clay.

The walls of a chamber which served as a vestibule to that in which the sarcophagus was laid are adorned with a few paintings, and on one of them is a hieratic inscription, dated in the eighth year of Thothmes and stating that the tomb had been plundered by robbers, but restored as far as possible by that Pharaoh.

STOLEN JEWELS. It was blissful at that time that the jewelry and other precious objects, looted with the king were stolen.

More than enough was left, however, to satisfy the archeologist of to-day. The floor was literally covered with vases, dishes, boomerangs, symbols of life and other objects of blue faience. Unfortunately nearly all of them have been wantonly broken; in some cases the damage must have been done by the original decorators of the tomb, as the broken pieces have been re-patched with pieces of blue faience. There are also fragments of an opaque white glass, as well as what would have been pronounced to be the bottoms of modern beer bottles had they been met with on the surface of the ground. Equally interesting is a piece of textile fabric into which hieroglyphic characters of different colors have been woven with a workmanly skill as to present the appearance of painting on linen.

FOUND PHARAOH'S CHARIOT.

The great and unique find, however, has been that of the actual chariot in which he rode at Thebes. The body of it alone is preserved, in a perfect condition. The wooden frame was first covered with papier mache made from papyrus, and this again with stucco, which has been carved, both inside and out, into scenes from the battles fought by the Pharaoh in Syria. The art is of a very high order, every detail being exquisitely finished and the faces of the Syrians being clearly portraits taken from captives of Thebes. The chariot is, in fact, one of the finest specimens of art that have come down to us from antiquity, and that it should have been made for the grandfather of "the heroic king," whose foreign

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light on the history of the ancient coast, leads to its additional interest. Along with the chariot was found the leather gaudlet with which the king protected his hand and wrist when using the bow or reins.

CLOTHES FROM FISH SKINS.

Until recently few people thought of utilizing as a substitute the material to be gained from water animals. The United States Fish Commission has taken up the question, and already proved that several kinds of fish have skins that make excellent leather for some purposes. Salmon hide is found not only serviceable for boots, but among the Eskimoes it has been used for generations in making waterproof clothing. The people of the very far north also use codfish skins for jackets. The different skins which the Fish Commission has found to be most practical and durable are whale skins, porpoise skins, and seal leather, which dye in most exquisite colors.

HIS TROUBLES NEVER CAME BACK

ERNEST GRANT TOOK DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS—THEY REMOVED THE CAUSE.

He Had Backache and Urinary Troubles for Twelve Years Before He Used the Great Kidney Remedy.

Montreal, July 27. (Special.) Ernest Grant, 2874 Urban street, this city, is among those who never let an opportunity pass to say a good word for Dodd's Kidney Pills. He has his reasons for this, and here they are in his own words:

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The strangest menagerie in the world is on the Ohio farm. Through the fields, orchards, and fields of this curious place one meets wild beasts of many kinds ingeniously fashioned out of roots, trunks, and the branches of trees. It is a veritable toy Noah's Ark grown up.

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PAPER NOSES.

People sometimes lose their noses by disease or by accidents, and some have lost them in war. For noseless persons the most appropriate organs are said to be made of wax, and the best ones cost about \$175, though a really good one can be got for \$75. A nose made of papier-mache may be bought for \$5. Noses made of this material are enameled and are deceptive, and for a poor man they are said to answer all the purposes that are required. Waxen and paper noses are, for ease of disease, preferable to those made by the planting of flesh on the diseased part, for several cases have been known where the nose has endangered men's lives.

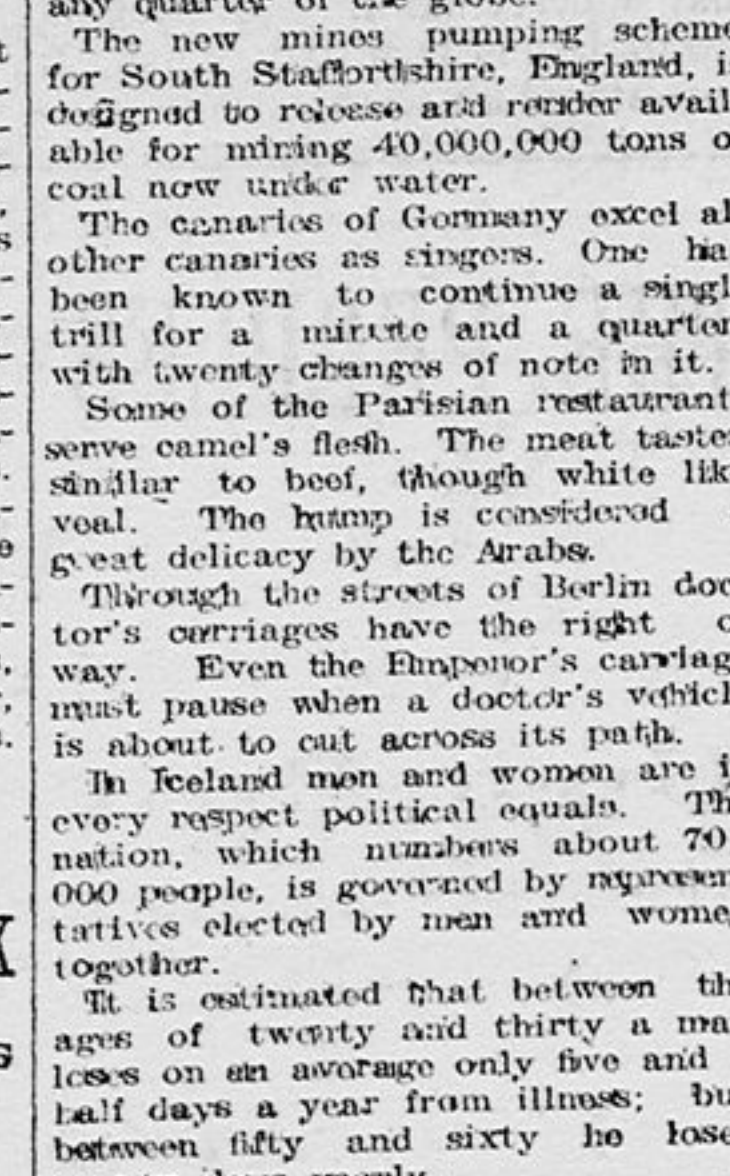
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AN ARCTIC DIOCESE.

The Bishop of Mackenzie River, in Northwest Canada, who is at present in England, gives an interesting account of his Arctic diocese. Although the bishop's jurisdiction extends over an area of more than 500,000 square miles the population is only about 5,000, and consists of a few white people, some half-breeds, and a large number of Eskimoes and Indians. In the northern part of the diocese the sun is not seen at all for two months in the winter, but for an equal period in the summer it shines all the twenty-four hours round. Some of the mission stations are 500 miles apart, and to visit all the stations and to return to his own residence involves the bishop in a journey of 4,000 miles.

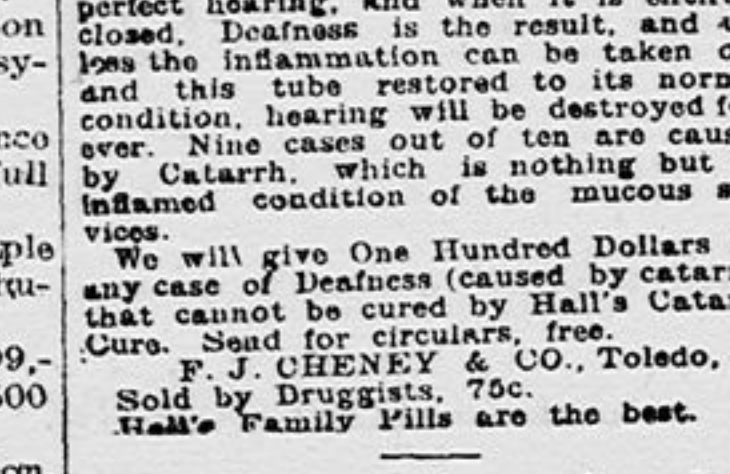
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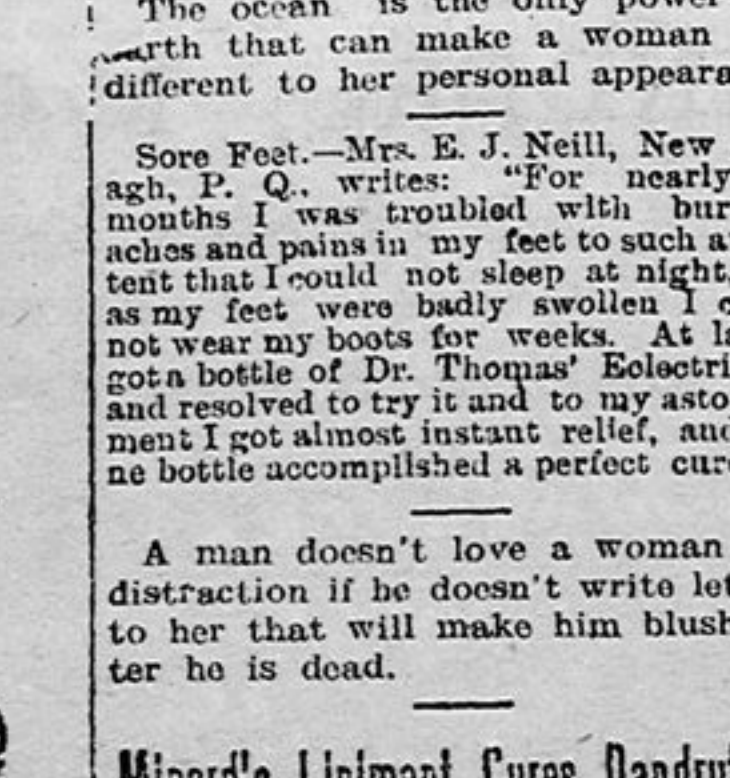
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