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JAP SOLDIERS' LETTERS.

Secrecy is Preserved as to Movements of the Army.

A minor proof of Japanese efficiency may be seen in their methods of handling the correspondence of an army in the field. The authorities in Japan are not troubled by disgruntled privates writing home about ill-treatment and bad food, and uncomfortable beds, and thus stirring up M.P.'s to descend upon the Administration and the War Office. The Japanese soldier, so an American army officer reports, is allowed to send nothing home in the way of mail, but a card, containing no information save that he is well. He is not allowed to tell where he is. Instead of writing with pen or pencil, he affixes his name to the card with a stamp. The cards are then taken back to Japan in large packages, and put into the mail there, so that a card on reaching its destination contains no postmarks to inform the folks at home of the writer's whereabouts.

NEURALGIC PAINS.

ARE THE CRY OF THE NERVES FOR BETTER BLOOD.

Enrich the Blood and Neuralgia Will Disappear—It is Only Those Whose Blood is Poor and Watery That Suffer.

No part of the human system is more sensitive than the nerves. Many of the most excruciating pains that afflict mankind come from weak, shaky, shattered nerves, and these nerve pains there is suffering from some cause more intense than neuralgia, which generally attacks the nerves of the face and head, sometimes causing swift, darting, agonizing pains—at other times a dull, heavy aching feeling which makes life miserable. There is only one way to get rid of neuralgia and other nerve troubles, and that is through the blood. Poor, watery blood makes the nerves shaky and invite disease. Rich, red blood makes the nerves strong, and banishes all the nerve troubles. No medicine in the world can help the nerves unless it gives some good builder and nerve tonic, every dose helps to make rich, red blood, and ever drop of this new blood feeds and strengthens the nerves and banishes all nerve aches and pains. Among these who have tried this is Mr. John McErmont, Bond Head, Ont., who says: "A few years ago while working as a carpenter in Buffalo I got wet. I neglected to change my clothes and next morning I awoke with cramps and pains throughout my entire body. I was unable to go to work as called for a doctor. I followed his treatment, but it did not help me. As I was unable to work I returned to my home at Bond Head. Here I consulted a doctor who said I was suffering from neuralgia. He prescribed for me for some time, he also failed to help me. I had often read of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, so decided to try them. I had not used more than three boxes before I felt they were helping me. From that on I gained day by day, and after I had used some ten boxes I had fully recovered my old strength, and have since been able to work at my trade without any trouble. The pains and aches no longer torture me and I have gained weight. I think Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are invaluable medicine and shall always have a good word to say for them."

EMPEROR'S SAUSAGE MAKER.

Feeding the German Emperor is no light task. Despite all that is said about the Kaiser's Spartan habits, there are few monarchs who keep more elaborate tables. He has no less than four chefs—Schliedenstucker, a German; Harding, an Englishman; an Italian and a Frenchman—so that he can have his meals for the day served in the style of whatever nation he may happen to fancy. Each of these chefs has his staff of assistants; while, in addition, there is an individual who may safely be described as "sausage maker to the Kaiser."

REMARKABLE CHAPEL.

There is a Baptist chapel in Santa Rosa, California, holding 200 persons, which is built entirely of timber saved out of a single redwood tree. Timbers, weather-boarding, and inner lining are all of wood, there being no plaster, bricks, or mortar about it. The roofing, too, is made of shingles sawed from the same tree, and after it was all finished there were 60,000 shingles left. Ten days trial of Postum in winter tree to the above furnished employment for two years to two hard-working men, who reduced it to shingles.

THE MARVELS OF SCIENCE DID THEIR DUTY

YOUR THOUGHTS WEIGHED AND SENSES MEASURED.

An Instrument Has Been Invented for Measuring the Sense of Touch.

Amongst the wonders of modern science must surely be included certain instruments and machines lately invented, by means of which senses and thoughts can be measured and weighed, and hitherto mysterious secrets connected with the human brain revealed. In fact, so remarkable have been the results of experiments with these machines that doctors and scientists of both the European and American Continents have united in declaring them to be the most important discoveries of the age. Perhaps the most interesting of these instruments is one by which the speed and duration of thought can be determined. The subject sits with his hand on an electric switch, connected with an electric clock, which measures the smallest fraction of a second. Immediately in front is an upright metal tube, inside of which runs a slender rod of steel, while directly opposite the eyes of the subject is an opening in the tube. As the rod slides down the interior of the tube a white disc appears at the orifice. The exact second this appears the subject is instructed to stop the clock just as soon as the white disc appears. This he does for thirty times. The length of time required for him to do this is noted, and an average struck. This average is called HIS PHYSIOLOGICAL TIME.

The subject is then told that the disc appearing may be a colored one. If so, he is to stop the clock. Should it be white, however, he is to pay no attention to it. The time required to stop the clock at the appearance of a colored disc is always longer, and when the physiological time is subtracted from the longer time the remainder is called the mental time—or, in other words, it represents the time of the object fixing itself on the eye, its passage along the optic nerve to the brain, and the action of the brain and impulse of the will directing, through the nerves, the finger to act.

In addition to measuring the speed and duration of thought, however, it is quite possible, with the aid of another wonderful scientific invention, to actually weigh the thoughts. This machine might be best described as a shallow coffin, exactly balanced on knife-blades so as to gently rock like a perfectly poised sea-saw. The subject is placed supine within the shallow tray, and after his body has come to an even balance is maintained. Graduated scales, spirit-levels, and indicators betray the slightest disturbance of the subject's equilibrium.

To have your thoughts weighed by this machine, you lie flat upon the shallow coffin with your hands at your sides. If you think of love, jealousy, or any other

THE HUMAN PASSIONS.

As you do so you will find your head falling, your feet rising, and your plane of your equilibrium so altered that, were it not for the stop-watch on the scale, you would find yourself turning a somersault. The opposite result follows when the operator asks you to think of rumming, jumping, or kicking. In this case your feet will sink and your head rise in proportion to the intensity of your thoughts.

This effect is brought about by the action of thought on the blood of the body. The machine is, in fact, a keyboard to the brain, enabling the operator to follow the course and speed of the nerve telegrams sent by the brain to the heart, and then to follow what have been described as the "hurry up" orders of the heart for a new supply of blood corpuscles in whatever part of the body they may be needed.

It is also quite possible with this unique instrument to compare mental processes. It may be made to show for instance, whether multiplying 789 by 56 brings more blood to the brain than multiplying the same number by 26; whether the brain which is working on a problem in trigonometry weighs more than one which is following the lines of

A PUZZLE IN GEOMETRY.

whether happy thoughts weigh more or less than unhappy ones, and perhaps, whether bad thoughts are heavier than those which are pure and virtuous. Almost as remarkable as either of the aforementioned instruments is one which has been invented for measuring the sense of touch. This instrument consists of little discs, each three millimetres in diameter, and three millimetres in length, threaded by wooden handles, which are stuck into holes round a block. The highest disc is taken out and touched on the skin, the subject having his eyes closed. If nothing is felt, the next heavier disc is used, and so on until the pressure is noticeable. The discs weigh from one to twenty milligrams and with their aid it has been proved that the sense of touch in an average person is conveyed by two milligrams to the forehead, temple, and back of the forehead; five for nose and chin, and fifteen for the inner surface of the fingers.—London Tit-Bits.

EGGS FROM IRELAND.

Ireland is now competing with Denmark in supplying English breakfast tables with eggs, largely because the co-operative poultry societies, of which there are 800, are showing how poultry keeping may be made profitable. The owner of only 25 hens may join a society by taking one share at five shillings. The cackling of Ireland's hens is likely to be more beneficial to the country than the fervid oratory of its politicians.

A SPIDER'S APPETITE.

The spider has a tremendous appetite, and his gormandizing defies all human competition. A scientist, who carefully noted a spider's consumption of food in twenty-four hours, concluded that if the spider were built proportionately to the human scale he would eat at breakfast, approximately, a small alligator, by 7 a.m. a lamb, by 9 a.m. a calf, by 11 a.m. a sheep, and would finish up with a large pie in which there were 120 birds.

Never argue with tiring if you would avoid that others feeling.

HOW DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS BANISH PAIN IN THE BACK.

Cured Mrs. Jas. Murphy and Everyone Else She Recommended Them to.

River Gagnon, Que., Nov. 7.—(Special)—No complaint is so common among women as Pain-in-the-Back. It is a safe estimate that fully half the women in Canada are afflicted with it. For that reason every doctor has a special remedy for it, and complete cure in a few days is guaranteed. And there is abundant evidence that Dodd's Kidney Pills is just such a cure. This district cured furnish a dozen cures, but one is enough for an example. The one is that of Mrs. Jas. Murphy. She says: "I suffered for thirty-eight months with a pain in my back. I took just one box of Dodd's Kidney Pills and I have never been troubled with the pain since. I also recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills to other people, and who complained as did and in every case the Pills did their duty and brought relief."

EVICTED BY A GHOST.

Liverpool Excited Over Manifestations in a Haunted House.

Not being able to support its terrestrial faith, a modest ghost, whose weird pranks have created a sensation in the neighborhood of Islington, Liverpool, England, has mysteriously vanished.

The "spook" evidently made its arrival a few days after four girls, three of whom are named Moran, left their mother's house and took up their residence at 99 Field street, off Carver street, Islington, about five weeks ago. The house is situated in the middle of a row of tall three-story dwellings, each of which is only one room deep except on the ground floor, where there is a back scullery. Winding stairs lead from one floor to another.

The maidly quartette left their habitation each morning at six o'clock to go to work in the neighborhood, returning to dinner and tea. Two days after taking the house they were greatly perplexed on returning home at mid-day to find a large mirror, which had been left on the floor in the bedroom, lying on the wall in one of the bedrooms. The girls, who were all in their teens, were looking-glass again hiding its face on the hearth.

Then other familiar objects in the house became possessed with evil spirits. When the door was opened some unseen influence closed it, sometimes slowly, sometimes with an elastic-like spring, frightening the girls terribly.

The ghost began to manifest itself in nocturnal visitations. Dreadful rumbblings kept the girls awake through the long dismal night. At such times shadows flitted over the ceilings, and the girls hid their white faces under the blankets.

Two of the girls were sitting reading just over a week ago when the apparition presented itself to one of them. The next door neighbor, a working man, declares that not a pedestrian was within a hundred yards of the house, but the girls sprang out of the doorway with alarmed faces, shrieking "The ghost!"

At last the terrorized quartette removed their goods and chattels at midnight, and went to live with a relative. Thousands of people went nightly to see the haunted house, and stones were hurled through the windows, but it was not even then believed that the ghost had been laid.

At last a wager was made by a man named Hugh Morgan that he could enter the place and tackle the hobgoblin. By this time the agents, Messrs. Skyes, of Brunswick road, had boarded up the front windows, but Morgan went behind and forced an entrance by smashing another pane. His investigations were not complete when a policeman appeared on the scene and arrested him. He is still in goal, and the police are as yet unsubdued, and many visitors go nightly to inspect the house.

Smother A Cough

Press your hand hard enough over your mouth and you can smother a cough, but you can't cure it that way. The outside is the wrong end to work on.

Scott's Emulsion

thoroughly cures coughs because it strikes at the root of the trouble. The throat and lungs need a regular system of education to cure an old cough.

The point of value about Scott's Emulsion and coughs is that while Scott's Emulsion does soothe the raw throat and lungs, it also nourishes and heals the inflamed parts.

It replaces inflamed tissue with healthy tissue—the only real cure for an old cough.

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MARRIED BY HER MOTHER.

A very odd wedding occurred recently at the residence of the Rev. Mary T. Whitney, in Boston, Mass. The groom was the Rev. Carl G. Horst, the pastor of the Second Unitarian Church of Athol, Mass.; the bride was Miss Emily Aitken, of Boston; and the officiating minister was the Rev. Martha C. Aitken, mother of the bride. Cases where a father marries his daughter are not infrequent, but this is, perhaps, the only instance on record where a mother has married her daughter.

The Governor's Wife a Prisoner.—Mrs. Z. A. Van Loven is the wife of the governor of the county jail, Suffern, Ont., and was a great sufferer from rheumatism. When the best doctors in the community and "specialists" failed to help her, she buried her scepticism of proprietary remedies and purchased a small quantity of Rheumatic Cure. 4 bottles cured her.—12.

Sign Painter—"I don't see any suitable vacant space on your walls. Where do you want the motto, 'Terms Strictly Cash, no advance'?" Barber Shop Proprietor—"On the ceiling, of course!"

The World is Full of Pains.—The aches and pains that afflict humanity are many and constant, arising from a multitude of indistinguishable causes, but in the main owing to man's negligence in taking care of his health. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil was the outcome of a university cry for some specific relief in taking care of his health. It has filled its mission to a remarkable degree.

Nature exercises a wonderful and mysterious influence over men. Certain plants are poison to some people and medicine to others. "Yes; and my husband is always troubled with rheumatism when the grass begins to grow tall in the garden!"

Manly Strength and Womanly Beauty depend on purity of the blood, and much of that purity depends on perfect kidney filtering. If these organs are diseased and will not perform their functions, man will seek in vain for strength and woman for beauty. South American Kidney Cure drives out all impurities through the body's "filters"—renews weak spots.—19.

Practical Aunt—"Do you think you are qualified to become the wife of a poor man?" The Confident Girl—"Oh, yes, it's all settled. We are to live in a cottage, and I know how to make cottage pudding already."

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

She—"They say that persons of opposite qualities make the happiest marriages." He—"That's why I am looking for a girl with money."

Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup is agreeable to the taste, and is a certain relief for irritation of the throat and causes hacking coughs. If used according to directions it will break the most persistent cough, and restore the passages to their normal healthy condition. There is no need to recommend it to those familiar with it, but to those who seek a sure remedy and are in doubt what to use, the advice is—try Bickle's Syrup.

"And," said the girl bravely, "if poverty comes, we will face it together." "Ah, dearest," he replied, "the mere sight of your face would scare the wolf away!" And he wondered why she has returned his ring.

C. C. RICHARDS & CO. I was very sick with Quinzy and thought I would strangle. I used MINARD'S LINIMENT and it cured me at once. I am never without it now.

Yours gratefully, MISS C. D. PRINCE, Nauwigewauk, Oct. 21st.

Piles

To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is certain and safe for curing all forms of piles, bleeding and protruding piles, hemorrhoids, and all other ailments of the rectum, we have prepared a small box of our ointment, which we will send you free of charge if you will send us a box of our ointment to Dr. Chase's Ointment Co., Toronto.

DIFFERENT KINDS OF DAYS.

Five kinds of day are recognized, and it has been said that the word "day" has no real meaning without an adjective defining what kind of a day is meant. There is a civil day, the astronomical day, the apparent solar day, the mean solar day, the sidereal day. The civil day begins at the midnight preceding mean noon, and consists of twenty-four hours counted after twelve o'clock; the astronomical day begins twelve hours after the civil day, or at the mean noon of the corresponding civil day. These hours are reckoned from 0 to 24. It will be seen, therefore, that while 10 hr. 12 min., January 1st astronomical time, is also 10 hr. 12 min. January 1st civil time, yet 22 hr. 12 min., January 1st astronomical time, is also 10 hr. 12 min. m., January 2nd civil time. There are many anomalies growing out of this use of the civil day, and there are many arguments in favor of the sidereal day. It is one of the reforms which undoubtedly will come some time.

A detective tells a story of an Irishman who, while walking with his friend, passed a jewellery store where there were a lot of precious stones in the window. "Would you not like to have your pick?" asked Pat. "Not me, but my shovel," said Mike.

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"Fortune Springs from Thrift" We all must spend, but the thrifty buyer gets the best value for her money and invests in Blue Ribbon Tea

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Maude—"She's the luckiest girl I know. She's got a lovely engagement ring." Mary—"Oh, other girls have lovely engagement rings." Maud—"Yes, but very few girls can show the ring off as she can. She's left-handed."

Minard's Liniment Cures Stammering. Deep-sea fish make their own light by phosphorescence, and have telescopic eyes.

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is better than other powders, as it is both soap and disinfectant.

Patience—"How do you know her love for him was strong?" Patience—"Because it broke him."

For Over Sixty Years Mrs. W. H. SHAW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used by millions of mothers for their children who teething, it soothes the child, softens the gums, allays pain, cures wind colic, regulates the stomach and bowels, and the best remedy for diarrhoea throughout the world. Be sure and ask for Mrs. W. H. SHAW'S SOOTHING SYRUP.

She—"Do you hear Matilda singing at her work?" He—"Yes; and I hope she'll do the work better than she does the singing."

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper. Daughter—"I have a scratching, burning, feeling on my cheek." Father—"Tell him to shave more frequently."

Useful at all times.—In winter or in summer, Farme's Vegetable Pills will cope with and overcome any irregularities of the digestive organs, which change of diet, change of residence, or variation of temperature may bring about. They should be always on hand, and once their beneficial action becomes known, no one will be without them. There is nothing more satisfying than their structure, and the most delicate can use them confidently.

Her Father—"Young man, what is your object in life?" Young Man—"To become your daughter's subject."

Speechless and Paralyzed.—"I was afflicted with a very serious case of paralysis of the tongue, and was often speechless and partially paralyzed. One dose of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart gave me relief, and before I finished one bottle I was able to go about. To-day I am a well woman."—12

"And weren't you glad when grandpa proposed, grandma?" "Why, of course, my dear." "I should think so. It would have been very awkward if he had married out of the family, wouldn't it?"

La grippe, pneumonia, and influenza often leave a nasty cough. It is a dangerous thing to neglect. Cure it with Shiloh's Consumption Cure The Lung Tonic

The cure that is guaranteed by your druggist. Prices: S. C. WELLS & CO. 329 25c, 50c, \$1. LeRoy, N.Y., Toronto, Can.

Office-Boy—"If you please, it's past dinner hour, and I'm awful hungry." Head Clerk—"W-h-a-t? Haven't you been lickin' postage-stamps and circulars all the morning, and now—why, I declare I never saw such an appetite in my life."

Women Who Are Weak

And Suffer the Derangements Peculiar to Their Sex Find That DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD

Cure: Such Pills Permanently by Strengthening the Nerves and Muscles.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food stands high in women's favor because it is especially successful in overcoming its peculiar to their sex. MRS. SYMONS, 42 St. Clair St., Belleville, Ont., writes: "Some weeks ago I began a course of treatment with Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and have found it a very satisfactory medicine. I was formerly troubled with nervous exhaustion and a weak, fluttering heart. Whenever my heart bothered me I would have spells of weakness and dizziness, which were very distressing. By means of this treatment my nerves have become strong and healthy, and the action of my heart seems to be regular. I can recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food as an excellent medicine." Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto. The portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous receipt book author, are in every box.