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The cures for the poison ivy plague are as all embracing as the prevalence of the trouble it causes. They range from treatment of the affliction after it appears on the skin to eradication of the plant. On this latter point, those sensitive to the plant feel strongly and point out that, since the victims are merely people and not pigs or narcissus bulbs, it will be long before we can hope for legislation that makes harboring poison ivy a misdemeanor.

If one is warned beforehand that he will be near ivy, the iron treatment does away with the danger. A five per cent. solution of ferric chloride in fifty per cent. alcohol, dabbled over the face and hands and allowed to dry on, is a complete success when it is used before exposure and almost completely successful if used directly after exposure. A strong solution of ferrous sulphate in water may be used the same way and is said to retain its chemical properties longer than the first solution.

If iron salts are not available, a good scrubbing with hot (if possible) water and strong yellow soap as soon after exposure as possible will usually mechanically remove all the poison, which penetrates the skin rather slowly. Another preventive is to wash as soon after exposure as possible with a solvent of the resinous tar, such as rubbing alcohol. Some people get good results by allowing a solution of baking soda to dry on the face, either before or just after exposure. After itching starts, it is too late for preventive measures to do much good.

In severe cases, great relief is given by bathing the inflamed surface with the iron solution and then spraying or painting the surface with melted, not hot, paraffin. Lay over this a thin sheet of sterile cotton, and then another layer of paraffin which is to extend on to the uninjured skin an inch to make a tight seal so that no air can get in and no discharge ooze out.

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London Exhibits Nine-Inch Hyacinth.

What is said to be the largest hyacinth in the world, "Myosotis," was the cynosure of all eyes at the show of the Royal Horticultural Society in Vincent Square, London, Eng. The bloom, a mass of Cambridge blue bells, was nine inches tall.

The hyacinth was sometimes known to the English trade as "the chimney-sweep's brush." He continued: "The development of hyacinths in England has been wonderful during recent years. Blooms measuring eight inches in height are quite common now. It is not generally known that the hyacinth, centuries ago, was a tiny wild flower. As you see, we have now hyacinths in practically every color. Perhaps brilliant orange and scarlet are the only two colors we have not yet perfected in these blooms, although we have them in shaded orange and corise. 'King Menelik,' a deep indigo blue, is among the hyacinths being shown this year and this is about the nearest we have got to a black hyacinth."

Hyacinths are still used largely for window-boxes—a method of decoration popular in the British Isles. In addition to hyacinths, which formed a greater part of the show, there were some beautiful exhibits of cyclamen, daffodils, narcissi, and orchids.

Sir William Lawrence exhibited a rare plant known as Halmonthus natalensis. This plant, which possesses an orange-colored flower, is a native of South Africa.

"Three" for Real Company.

"How many make the ideal company for a real walk, not a stroll? One, of course. But next to that—well after it, but next—three is the number. Whether it be the question of pace, distance, country, conversation, refreshment on the way (or merely by the way), three will settle the difficulties, meet the case, more readily than two," writes "E. J. F. H." in the Birmingham Post.

"One says that anybody can keep up five miles an hour for four hours; that it is twenty miles to Trotbury by road, and we can lunch there and train back in time for tea. Two says: 'You try how long you'll keep up that five miles,' and, anyhow, he believes in making a day of it. 'We'll take sandwiches, start early, and go round by Much Moreigh, and find we've covered a good thirty without noticing it.'

"But Three says he has no false pride, and fifteen miles is his limit; leave it to him, and he'll see that you get all the walking, all the scenery, and all the feeding (since you lay so much stress on it) you want. Flattered by the admission of their own muscular superiority, One and Two are pleased to let him call the tune, and the result is a most successful day-long ramble over a nicely-varied country, including a quaint village (lunch), some charming restful, tobaccable view-points, and a fine old inn of the coaching days (dinner); and so back home at a convenient hour after a walk of fourteen and three-quarter miles exactly.

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Cure for Auto Accidents.

Education is the only cure for the ever-increasing number of automobile accidents, writes Walter P. Chrysler in The Outlook.

"The more I study this whole problem," he writes, "the more convinced I am that a major part of the problem is an educational one. That this is recognized is to be found in the fact that in many of our large cities police officers are going into the schools to give blackboard talks to children about crossing streets at crossings, the necessity for observing traffic lights, the dangers of playing in crowded streets, the folly of 'Hooking-on-behind' motor cars and trucks and busses and what not. Having police officers in uniform go into classrooms has its effect.

"This practice of having the police go into the schools should be encouraged. Many cities would do well to adopt the plan. But the work of the police must be supplemented by the instruction of the parents in the home."

Mr. Chrysler also believes that the motorist needs education. He writes: "The motorist loses nothing who gives to the pedestrian the right of way. It is the courteous thing to do. And then one should remember that a pedestrian cannot exchange bumps with a motor car. I have no patience with the motorist who compels the pedestrian to run to escape injury. To be sure, there are all kinds of motorists. Just as there are all kinds of pedestrians, but the decent thing to do is to permit the pedestrian to walk to the curb or across the street in safety and without hurry."

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THE TEETH AND THEIR CARE

Progress Made in the Prevention of Dental Disease.

Marked progress has been made during recent years in working out a programme for the prevention of dental disease. Outstanding research workers have spent their time and energy in an effort to ascertain the real causes of decay and pyorrhea and to find out how the public can successfully combat or correct these conditions. Such investigation is absolutely essential because so many people are not only suffering from tooth ache and the loss of valuable teeth but a number of systematic diseases are the result of bad mouth conditions.

It has been discovered that dental diseases are largely due to modern habits of living and that people in highly civilized countries have more tooth decay than those less highly favored. It is always difficult to persuade the public to live in accordance with natural laws and consequently, some extra protection must be provided. The research departments of the Dental Faculties of the Universities and other investigators are convinced of the necessity for and the value of this study and the large number engaged in the work gives promise of many worth-while developments.

Knowledge of dry kind is of little value unless applied and a programme for the prevention of dental diseases will not be of much service to humanity unless brought to them. The logical person to educate the people in regard to mouth conditions is the dentist, but how can he bring the advantages of modern dentistry to the public unless he is himself informed.

The chief agency used by the dentists for the purpose of keeping abreast of the times is the dental convention. These meetings held once a year in the province enable the members of the dental profession to secure through essay and clinic the very latest in both knowledge and methods. The Dental Convention to be held in Toronto during this month promises to be of unusual importance because it will be the Diamond Jubilee of the Ontario Dental Association and will be a joint convention with the Canadian Dental Association. Outstanding dentists and physicians from all parts of America will be present to give essays and clinics and the meetings will be so instructive and inspiring that the vast majority of the dentists of the Province will be in attendance.

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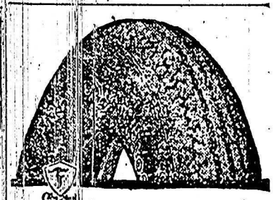

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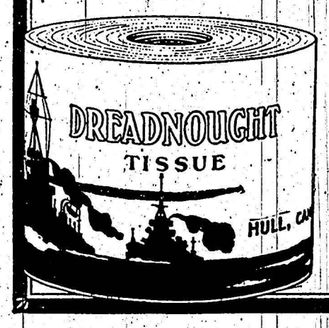

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G. W. Rockwell, 42 Philip Street, Halifax, a member of the Halifax County Radio Association, was the fortunate enthusiast. Engaged in a contest for "DX" reception, Mr. Rockwell remained up until the "wee sma' hours" one night recently and tuned in on CNRV broadcasting a dance orchestra when they were playing "In a Little Spanish Town." It was at 2.20 a.m. o'clock, Atlantic Standard Time, that this occurred, but that was hardly the heel of evening in Vancouver, where Pacific Time reigns and they called 10.20 p.m. on the log of the previous evening.

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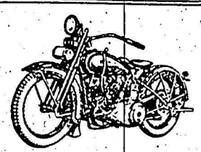

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