

ST. VITUS DANCE

A Trouble That Usually Attacks Young Children

St. Vitus dance is the name generally given to a disease described by medical men as chorea. This trouble usually attacks young children, though older people may be afflicted with it. The most common symptoms are a twitching of the face and limbs. As the disease progresses the twitching takes the form of spasms, in which the jerking motion may be confined to the face or all the limbs may be affected. Frequently the patient is unable to hold anything in the hands or walk steadily. In severe cases the speech is often affected. The disease is due to debility of the nerves and relief comes through an enriched blood supply. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been most successful in reaching this trouble through their specific action on the blood, which it enriches and purifies. The following instance proves the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in this trouble. Mrs. Thomas Bowen, Bath, Ont., says:—"Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been in use in my family for years and always with good results. I believe they saved the life of my only son. At ten years of age he grew very nervous and the trouble developed into St. Vitus dance. His legs and arms would jerk and twitch, then his speech was affected, and his condition was pitiable. Just then there came to me a little book telling of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I decided to give them to him. By the time two boxes were used there was an improvement in his condition and by the time six boxes more were taken all traces of the trouble had disappeared, and he was well and strong. I have also given the pills to my growing girls, and I know of no better strengthening medicine. I may add that the same applies to grown-ups as well."

You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

South America Busy Building Highway Web

Thousands of Miles of New Roads Costing Millions Are Under Way and Planned

New York—Ambitious highway programs, involving the construction of thousands of miles of major arteries and the expenditure of millions of dollars, are under way in Latin America, according to a survey just completed by R. Whittlesey, vice-president in charge of the foreign department of the Central Union Trust Company of New York.

Mexico, according to the survey, has completed plans for 6630 miles of highways and more than 13,000 miles of feeder roads. Its expenditures for road construction will be 10,000,000 pesos (\$5,000,000) in 1929.

Cuba, in 1930, will complete its \$76,000,000 highway, which will connect all of the major cities on the island. This road, 706 miles long, is one of the major features of a 20-year public-works program for which \$320,000,000 will be raised by taxation.

Peru plans the expenditure of \$1,200,000 annually during 1928, 1929, and 1930 for 5300 miles of highway.

Argentina is reported spending 15,000,000 pesos (about \$6,375,000) a year on road building. It has about 15,500 miles of road which have been built without a general nationalized plan.

Brazil this year opened the 341-mile highway between Rio de Janeiro and Sao Paulo as the first link in a group of roads to connect the capital with the northern territories of the Republic.

Chile has more than 200 miles of major roads under construction, and a bill recently introduced in Congress calls for the further expenditure of 90,000,000 pesos (about \$10,800,000).

Colombia, the survey estimates, will expend \$35,000,000 on highways this year. Panama is expected to spend several millions to improve a road to the Costa Rican border, while Salvador is credited with completing "one of the most complete highway systems in the world," bringing the nation in close contact with Guatemala.

Talkative Lady: Do you know, professor, I think you are positively wonderful. Has anything ever puzzled you? Professor (bored): Yes, madam, one thing has. Talkative Lady: And what is that? Oh, do tell me. Professor: If exercise reduces flesh how is it that so many women have double chins?

Minard's Liniment for Chapped Hands.



LATEST FUR FASHION

This captivating sport coat is of brown kangaroo, with the beret to match, the newest winter fur fashion creation by William Solomon.

Big Navy Propaganda

Saint John Telegraph-Journal (Ind.): Is the building program of the United States Navy to be competitive or is it to be based solely on the needs of the Republic to protect its seaborne trade? From Great Britain one has definite assurance that naval construction unrestricted by the Washington treaty will be in accordance with Great Britain's needs to protect British commerce, and will not compete with the United States. The United States has a perfect right to build as many cruisers as she desires, and Great Britain does not intend to let that affect her own judgment of her needs. So let the United States go ahead and build whatever she can convince her people is necessary, but her big navy people should not confuse the issue by attempting to convey the idea that there is an agreement between the nation to limit any but capital ships, and that the U.S. has a ratio behind on a non-existent ratio.

The Radio Controversy

Philadelphia Ledger: (Canada, dissatisfied with the allotment of only six radio channels under the "gentlemen's agreement" is reported to have refused to discuss the allocation of short waves unless it is assured 50 per cent. of the available channels.) Had it not been for the broadcasting controversy, Canada might have been content with from 20 to 25 per cent. of the short waves. Perhaps this change of attitude is a warning that something must be done, and done quickly, about revising the "gentlemen's agreement." It is obvious that a loss of Canadian co-operation would greatly complicate the task of controlling the radio situation in this country.

A Period Building

Stranger: "Is that your new public school over there?"
Citizen: "Yes, that is our chamber of comas."—Life.

Punjab Sample Train Starts On Six-Month Trip

Exhibits Display Objects of Art and Utility Produced in India Similar to Our Ontario Train

Bombay—The Punjab sample train, which was a great success last year, has again been equipped and will undertake another journey of six months, visiting 87 stations in different parts of the Punjab. Besides a cinema car, two bogie carriages are being run under the auspices of the Industries Department, two under that of the Agricultural Department, and another under the Veterinary Department of the Punjab Government. Each will exhibit samples of work done by the various institutions under Government.

The Industries Department's cars contain the latest hand-worked fly-shuttle looms which are eminently suitable for the cottage industry purposes, to replace the primitive loom. Hosiery, dyeing, calico-printing and leather working machinery and appliances will be operated in the car and a boy will show how basket and cane-work can be a remunerative occupation to supplement the incomes of the labor classes.

Among other exhibits will be lacquered and inlaid objects, elegant furniture, beautiful vases and ornaments of brass and ivory. These are arranged side by side with cases containing articles of greater utilitarian value, such as dispatch boxes, sports paraphernalia, carpets, scientific apparatus and household necessities. Then there are textile goods, such as tapestries, damask, silk suitings, etc., some produced by the Government industrial schools for women and girls and others in factories or in the home of weavers. The agricultural cars are a complete museum of up-to-date equipment.

A band of musicians accompanies the train. These will entertain the villages with vocal and instrumental music, the subject of their song being the uplift of the rural community.

THOUSANDS OF MOTHERS USE BABY'S OWN TABLETS

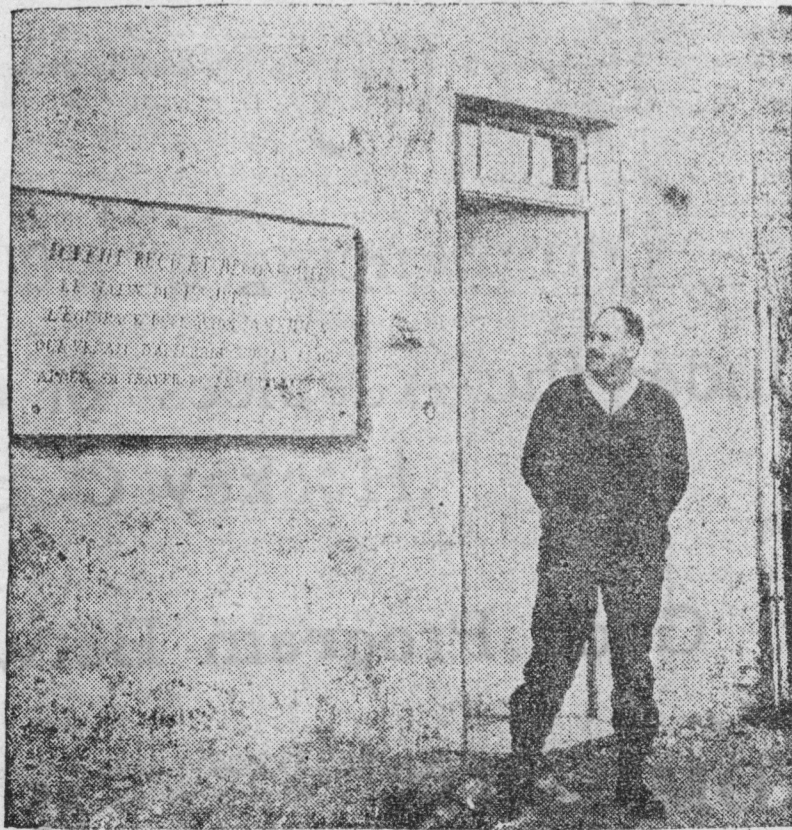
Baby's Own Tablets Are the Ideal Remedy for Babies and Young Children

Canadian mothers are noted for the care they give their little ones—the health of the baby is most jealously guarded and the mother is always on the lookout for a remedy which is efficient and at the same time absolutely safe. Thousands of mothers have found such a remedy in Baby's Own Tablets and many of them use nothing else for the ailments of their little ones. Among them is Mrs. Howard King, of Truro, N.S., who says:—"I can strongly recommend Baby's Own Tablets to mothers of young children as I know of nothing to equal them for little ones."

Baby's Own Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Most automobiles are paid for as they are used, but not so rapidly.

A Remembrance Tablet



The tablet depicted above has been erected at Ver-Sur-Mere, France, to recall the hero's deed after conquering the Atlantic.

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Baldwin Sends Guarded Reply to Navy Note

No Definite Opinion Given Since the U.S. State Department Was Not Consulted

London—Stanley Baldwin, Prime Minister of England, told Fred A. Britten of Illinois, chairman of the Naval Affairs Committee of the United States House of Representatives, that the latter's proposal for a conference on naval affairs by legislative committees was "interesting," but that he could not express a definite opinion on it, because the United States Government had not been consulted.

This came out in the House of Commons, when Mr. Baldwin read the reply. It stressed the fact, too, that when he spoke on Nov. 12 of the lack of personal intercourse between Government men on the two sides of the Atlantic, he was referring to executives and not to legislators.

Text of Reply

Anglo-American relations were also the subject of remarks by Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the Home Secretary, in a speech at the Constitutional Club. He predicted the "tendency in some quarters to dig up the roots of our friendship, to see how the plant was growing." He followed this up with a hope that talk about comparative naval strengths would die down, and be replaced by the old friendship between the two nations.

Mr. Baldwin's message said: "I have learned with great interest of members of the British Parliament for a friendly discussion on the question of the limitation of naval armament."

"I cordially reciprocate the spirit which inspired your suggestion, and I share your earnest desire for a complete understanding between our two countries."

"In my speech of November 12, I was speaking not of legislatures, but of the executives of governments, and it was the absence of facility for personal intercourse between ministers which I regretted."

Message Sent Direct

"Except to remove the possibility of misunderstanding, I feel it would not be consistent with the courtesy which I owe to the United States Government to express any further opinion on the proposal on which, as I understand it, they have not been consulted."

"I can, therefore, only repeat my appreciation of your friendly sentiments."

Mr. Baldwin, answering an inquiry from Commander Kenworthy, Labor member for Hull, said that he sent his reply direct to Mr. Britten.

British Firm Aids Workers Who Lose Jobs

£2 a Week Paid Toward Wages of Employees Displaced by Machinery

London—"A North British manufacturing concern, having to reduce staff through the introduction of labor-saving machinery, is prepared to pay £2 per week toward the wages of each displaced worker employed by reputable firms for one year at not less than 55s. per week. This is a splendid opportunity for a new concern to secure labor during early developments."

This advertisement appearing in some of the big provincial dailies has caused a considerable amount of interest in business and industrial concerns.

The firm in question was identified at once by many students of economics, but as the advertisement was a "keyed" one it was impossible to verify the supposition.

It is now established that the manufacturing director of a big confectionary concern and also as chairman of an industrial welfare research committee. Seebohm Rowntree, author of "How the Laborer Lives," etc., is proposing to put into practice his teaching that, while labor-saving machinery in the long run creates productive labor, yet in the creative period those benefiting by the reduction of wage costs are morally bound to find subsistence for the temporarily displaced laborer.

Presuming that the new machines dispose of the work of 50 men, they will have no managerial control, will be over £5000 a year.

The most cautious man of our acquaintance is thinking of taking a little ocean voyage if he can find a ship that hasn't been government-inspected.

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