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WHEN JEWELS WERE EATEN.

Powdered Precious Stones Taken as

Medicine.

Lady's Pictorial inclines to believe

that there may have been some foun-

dation for the faith once placed in

He points out that "every gem is

the focus of a light ray, and it is

butes of jewels are quite along the

line of later scientific ideas. The

amethyst and the sapphire, prisms of the soothing violet and blue rays,

have ever been considered calming in

their influence, while the ruby, the

bloodstone, etc., have always been

said to exercise the rousing stimu-

chrysalite acts on the magnetic needle and this presupposes the radia-

tion of living force from jewels, so

strongly insisted upon in ancient and

mediaeval writings. Precious stones applied externally or internally form-

ed an accepted part of the medical

pharmacopaeia in ancient and medi-

An ancient and costly jewel com-

pound was "the five precious frag-

ments," consisting of powdered ru-

and hyacinths. A famous French

confection of 1712 was composed of

jacinth, coral, sapphire, topaz, pearl

and emerald mixed with gold and

"This confection," says Pomet, the

ing a pot thereof." It was supposed

Precious stones were prepared

medicinally by (1) powdering (i.e.,

grinding); (2) calcination (by fire or

corrosion); (3) purification; (4) liqua-

tion; (5) distillation or volatilization

(i.e., dissolved in spirits of wine and

Powder of emeralds in doses of 30

ing and was good for digestion; it

dote to madness, and taken in time

Powder of rubies was usually taken

strengthen the vitals and restore lost

tion. Sapphires are highly electric;

sapphire, some "prepare a sap-

phire . . with cordial water:

other cordial." Powder of sapphire

healed boils and sores and was also

good for the eyes. Pearls were given

in consumption, cured quartan, ague,

strengthened the nerves. "Salt of

pearl" was much thought of by Par-

aceisns; pearls were sometimes taken

in doses of six grains in water, "or

Poison was the terror of the Mid-

dle Ages; it is natural therefore to

find many remedies among gems-

the jacinth, the sapphire, the dia-

mond, the comelian, the ruby, the

agate, the toadstone, the bezoar stone

were all used as antidotes to poison. The Lee Penny was a famous stone

of healing, set in a coin brought back

from the Crusades by one of the

Lockarts of Lee; it was especially

used in cattle diseases. The coin

attached to a chain, was dipped in a

bucket of water-"three dips and a

swirl," as the country people ex-

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"it kills my white and pink nymphs!"

here Cormon objected. He declared that it should not stay in the same room with his pictures. "Its juxtapo-"Stones of healing, as they used to sition to my lions and bears and tigers," said he, "makes them look like

Tattegrain was the next artist to protest. "Don't place it near my becomes of the martial spirit of my canvases, and what is the use of exhibiting starving garrisons with a big pumpkin alongside?" noteworthy that the traditional attri-

So the pumpkin was shifted about till it had passed through fifteen rooms, and not a member of the society would tolerate its presence. Finally the picture hanger placed the ly called "Salle d'Honneur," but poprors." Naturally Vollon became the "Gems are highly electric. The hanger.-Harper's Weekly.

> They Spend Practically the Whole of Their Lives In Beds.

> Just like confirmed invalids, oysters spend their lives in beds. The principal parts of an oyster are salt water

bies, topazes, emeralds, sapphires

shut, but when they have been in so ciety too long they begin to gape. They are fond of playing games, one where you meet few persons not havof their favorites being ring-arounda-rosy. In this game they join shells in a circle on a plate. They live in the ocean in summer and during the win ter months frequent the principal hotels and restaurants, where they have cially prepared for them. They are distilled; (6) sirupization (solution | rarely met with at huskings or church

mixed with citron, barberries, sugar | fairs. An oyster is a conchologist by nature, a bivalve by profession and an appetizer because be cannot help him self. There are girl oysters as well as men oysters; but, so far as is known. one is not superior to the other:

> rare as the days .- Thomas L. Masson in Judge's Library.

> and sell me to the apothecaries."

Not So Green.

spelling bees?"

pressed it—and the water was given the city boarder. to the cattle. In the reign of Charles Now our favorite catchword is ice." I. the Laird of Lee lent the penny to "Why, that only has three letters. the inhabitants of Newcastle, where

ha, ha!"-Chicago News.

It's Nature. "I noticed in the store we visited today everybody was crowded around

"Why not?"

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#### **VOLLON'S PUMPKIN.** A Painting That Drove Parisian Artists Into Hysterics.

It is a part of the duty of the official picture hanger of the Societe des Artistes Francais to distribute the canvases which are offered for the Paris Salon throughout the rooms of the Palais des Beaux Arts. The jurors are then summoned to examine these and commend or condemn as they see fit. The artists are at liberty to appeal to the jurors, and an influential artist can make trouble for the picture hanger. In this connection a story is told of Vollon, the painter of still

Some years ago Vollon had painted what he deemed his masterpiece, a luxurious pumpkin, orange in color and heroic in size, such as one sees at an agricultural show. The jurors did not approve the official picture hanger's choice of a place for it. A second choice also was found for it and con-

By this time the pumpkin had become the principal topic of conversation in all the studios of Paris, and the leading artists began to look in at the Salon to make sure that their exhibits were not being injured by an unfortunate contrast. One-Bouguereaunearly fainted with horror on seeing he pumpkin not far from his pictures. "Take that thing away!" he shouted;

So the pumpkin was removed. But

work!" he exclaimed angrily. "What

pumpkin in the entrance hall, officialularly dubbed the "Chamber of Hormortal enemy of the unhappy picture

### OYSTERS ARE LAZY.

and a handsome stomach.

Every oyster has a mother-of-pearl lined overcoat with the moss on the outside. But a Waldorf-Astoria oys-

ter gathers no moss. Oysters, as a rule, keep their mouths reserved seats on cakes of ice spe-

Oysters vary in size according to their circumstances and their bringing up. Some are harder to swallow than others. There is no particular rule about this. But if at first you don't succeed, try, try again.

In June the oysters ought to be as

#### beaten to a Mummy.

Until pretty late in the eighteenth century mummies entered into a great variety of drugs, balms and other medicaments. As the genuine mummy was then expensive, recipes were given by many ancient writers for converting human flesh into mummy. Usually only certain portions of the body were used, and these were beaten, dried, macerated and spiced out of all likeness to their natural condition, hence "beaten to a mummy." Numerous allusions are made to the practice in ancient literature, and in an old play, "Bird In a Cage," are the directions, "Make mummy of my flesh

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"Never had the pleasure," responded "Waal, by heck, yeou've missed a lot.

Why should the word ice be so popu-"Because it is easy to slip on. Ha,

the perfumery counter." "That's not surprising."

"Oughtn't perfume naturally to be scenter of attraction?"-Baltimore American.

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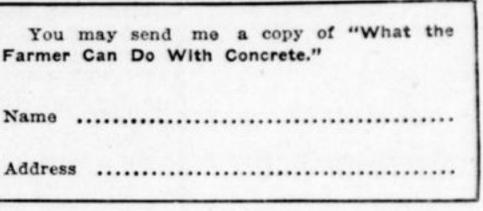
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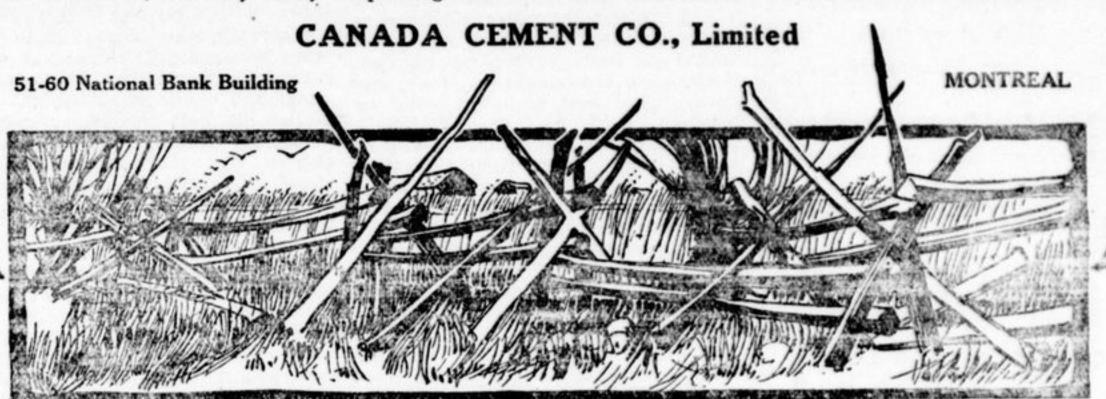
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