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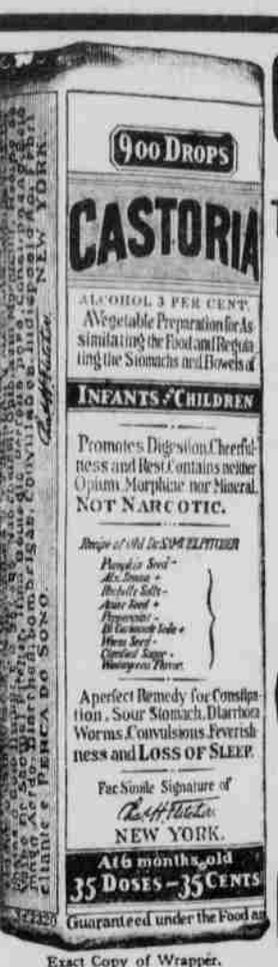

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Laughter keeps the heart and face young, and enhances physical beauty.

Laughter is nature's device for exercising the internal organs and giving us pleasure at the same time.

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It expands the chest, and forces the poisoned air from the least used lung cells.

Perfect health, which may be destroyed by a piece of bad news, by grief or anxiety, is often restored by a good, hearty laugh.

A jolly physician is often better than all his pills.—Success.

MUCH THE SAME.

"As near as I can figure it out," said the mere man, "heaven must be a place where it is always summer."

"Yes," rejoined the sweet young thing, "and doubtless the proportion of men to women there will be about the same as it is at the summer resorts."—Chicago News.

Do You Open Your Mouth

Like a young bird and gulp down whatever food or medicine may be offered you? Or, do you want to know something of the composition and character of that which you take into your stomach whether as food or medicine?

Most intelligent and sensible people now-a-days insist on knowing what they employ whether as food or as medicine. Dr. Pierce believes they have a perfect right to insist upon such knowledge. So he publishes, broadcast and on each bottle-wrapper, what his medicines are made of and verifies it under oath. This he feels he can well afford to do because the more the ingredients of which his medicines are made are studied and understood the more will their superior curative virtues be appreciated.

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SOME DAY.

Perhaps—some day—through all the striving and the hurried rush.
Through all the cares and all the things that spoil—
Perhaps some day we'll get the rhyme aright,
Metre and poise and all, perfected dream;
Perhaps, with upward-looking faces toward the light,
We'll find the primal and the final Gleam.

The good we do? this little, but again, 'tis much.
For see—the hindering circumstance
Earth-clogs the fine machinery of heaven's design,
And men work slowly toward their clearer sight,
And good grows, not as doth the beacon light,
From hill to hill—till all the night's ablaze:

But slowly . . . . gathering might,
Deep, far, far out of common sight—
—As doth in crevised rock,
With faintest silver tricklings,
Unheard and caverned murmurs,
Gather its crystal and its strength,
The mountain, spring-bed stream.

You do not know—nor I—
We only scheme and try.
Strive on—love well our earth,
Hold right on high—
Battle and fall,
And rise to battle on.

—Archie L. Phelps.

THE FOOL'S PRAYER.

"The royal feast was done; the King
Sought some new sport to banish care,
And to his jester cried: 'Sir Fool,
Kneel now, and make for us a prayer!'

"The jester doffed his cap and bells,
And stood the mocking court before;
They could not see the bitter smile
Behind the painted grin he wore.

"He bowed his head, and bent his knee
Upon the monarch's silken stool;
His pleading voice arose: 'O Lord!
Be merciful to me, a fool!'"

"No pity, Lord, could change the heart
From red with wrong to white as wool;
The rod must heal the sin; but, Lord,
Be merciful to me, a fool!

"'Tis not by guilt the onward sweep
Of truth and right, O Lord! we stay;
'Tis by our follies that so long
We hold the earth from heaven away.

"These clumsy feet, still in the mire,
Go crushing blossoms without end;
These hard, well-meaning hands we thrust
Among the heart-strings of a friend.

"The ill-timed truth we might have kept—
Who knows how sharp it pierced and stung!
The word we had not sense to say—
Who knows how grandly it had rung!

"Our faults no tenderness should ask,
The chastening stripes must cleanse them all;
But for our blunders—oh! in shame
Before the eyes of Heaven we fall.

"Earth bears no balsam for mistakes;
Men crown the knave and scourge the tool
That did his will; but Thou, O Lord!
'Be merciful to me, a fool!'

"The room was hushed; in silence rose
The King, and sought his gardens cool,
And walked apart, and murmured low,
'Be merciful to me, a fool!'"

Edward Rowland Sill.

MUSIC.

Sir George A. Macfaren, late professor of music in the University of Cambridge, England, gave the following definition of music: "Music is the art which employs sound as a medium of artistic expression for what is not in the province of literature, of sculpture, of painting, of acting or of architecture, embodying the inward feelings of which all other arts can but exhibit the effect."

If you are always in a stew, you will soon be in the soup.

It isn't so difficult to strengthen a weak Stomach if one goes at it correctly. And this is true of the Heart and Kidneys. The old fashioned way of dosing the stomach or stimulating the heart or Kidney is surely wrong. Dr. Shoop first pointed out this error. "Go the weak or ailing nerves of these organs," said he. Each inside organ has its controlling or "inside nerve." When these nerves fail then those organs must surely falter. This vital truth is leading druggists everywhere to dispense and recommend Dr. Shoop's Restorative. A few days test will surely tell.

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A HOME DAY.

The Sabbath Should Be a Day of Love and Never a Day of Labor.

God intended that there should be one day each week as an especial day for the culture of home ties. A day when the father would be home from work, and the children home from school, and the mother have less household care, when all could put on their best clothes, sing their sweetest songs, and enjoy a day of love. The Sabbath should never be made a day of labor in the home. The work of each home should be so arranged that it can be done almost entirely in six days and evenly as possible in each day. "Six days shalt thou labor and do all thy work."

The baking and cooking can be done on Saturday, and Sunday can be made almost entirely a day of rest by warming over the food prepared before. We fear many good housewives make a serious mistake in giving too much time to Sunday cooking. Others are perhaps equally in error by overworking on Saturday so that they cannot properly rest or enjoy the Sabbath day. Parents and children ought to be more to each other on that day than on any other. A day of uplift and delight it ought to be made in every home.

THE "DREAM" MONTH.

October is called the dream month of the year. The promise of seed time and harvest has been fulfilled, the fruits of field, garden and forest gathered and garnered and the husbandman feels that nature has repaid him for the long, hard months of toil that lie behind. Then come the still days, the golden sunshine, the hazy, smoke-tinged atmosphere, the balmy airs scented with the pungent fragrance of ripened fruits and foliage. Falling leaves strew the pathways and choke the streams, while tree and shrub and vine are clothed with brilliancy of coloring no painter's brush can rival. The gorgeousness and glory of the sunrises and sunsets are wonderful, and neither brush, pen nor word can imprison their subtleties of tint and shade. Woods parties are now at their best and the patter of the rippened nuts, the purple of the wild grapes and the late fruits that invite the frost for ripening, all invite the family to outings, the pleasures of which no other season of the year can rival.—The Commoner.

PAID HIGH FOR HIS EXPERIENCE.

The papers are telling about one "Rev." John White, of Eastern North Carolina, a thrifty farmer, who dreamed that the Lord wanted him to go to Egypt as a missionary. In spite of the entreaty of his friends against it, he sold his farm and took his family to Egypt, expecting a special revelation from the Lord to teach him the language of the natives and provide for his daily bread. After nine months in the far country he has written to his friends for money to begin life over again. He learned some sense, but the price was high.—Charity and Children.

ONE OF BILL NYE'S

Referring to a real estate transaction made by one Peter Minuit, way back in the year 1626, Bill Nye, in his History of the United States, declared:

New York was afterward sold for $24; the whole island. When I think of this I go into my family gallery, which I also use as a swear room, and tell those ancestors what I think of them. Where were they when New York sold for $24?"

The humor of this strikes deeply when one stops to consider what has been the outcome of this original investment. Peter Minuit, with trinkets and a few bottles of rum, so delighted the native Indians that they gladly turned over to him the whole of Manhattan Island, now the heart of Greater New York.—National Magazine.

The only person who really believes that a girl has all the suitors she thinks she has is her mother.

A woman can take as much pride n her good figure as if she had it.

ODDITIES IN THE NEWS.

Quaint and Curious Items From Everywhere.

The doctors and hospitals are picking up a good business around the football fields.

By a formal resolution the First Methodist Church at Colorado Springs, Col., has declared that women must not wear hats in that church during services.

Mrs. Bonnie Manlock, aged 17 years, a bride of a few months, killed herself at Shreveport, La., because her husband, a Methodist, would not go with her to a Baptist Church.

Rev. L. Cramp, pastor of a church in Raymond, Ill., never travels without his cat, now aged 15 years, which follows him like a dog.

William C. Piper, who died the other day at Carlisle, Pa., aged 84 years, made $100,000 selling papers.

Frank Duburow, of Oxford, Pa., has trained foxhounds to chase golf balls and locate them.

Forty minutes after she had obtained a position as stenographer with a grocery firm in St. Louis Miss Louise Kelleher gave up the job to get married.

A case of ginger ale buried at the Highlands, N. J., during the Civil War was dug up and the stuff was said to be in good condition.

At Wilmington, Del., Harry Fehl, 4 years old, fell out of a third story window and struck a cellar door so hard that he was bounced up on his feet. He walked into the house, but a physician thinks he is hurt internally.

Tickling, tight coughs, can be easily and quickly loosened with a prescription druggists are dispensing everywhere as Dr Shoop's Cough Remedy. And it is so very different than common cough medicines. No opium, no Chloroform, absolutely nothing harsh or narcotic. The tender leaves of a harmless, lung healing mountainous shrub, gives the curative properties to Dr Shoop's Cough Remedy. Those leaves have the power to calm the most distressing cough and to soothe and heal the most sensitive bronchial membranes. Mothers should, for safety's sake alone, always demand Dr. Shoop's. It can with perfect freedom be given to even the youngest babe. Test it yourself and see.

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The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidneys poisoned blood will attack the vital organs or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away call by call.

Bladder troubles most always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root**, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

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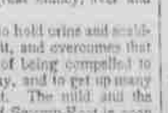

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