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Easily Read Attention.

Perhaps nothing has been explored to a greater extent than the King cold cure, and because there is no doubt but that it is more generally necessary, we have gone into the matter above the usual range to see the most and valuable testimony, for champions want have to believe or whether it is simply seeks for the sake of a good thing is not strange, but the result is the same. The reader need attention and they need it, more frequently than they get it. If the need arises to wet the throat then something has should be used. But use something.

High freight rates are not nearly as heavy a tax on the shippers of stock and other farm produce as bad roads are.

Tar on Roads Disinfects.

Medical authorities have announced that in addition to its dust laying qualities a tar preparation is highly beneficial to the community using it on its roads, owing to its disinfectant properties. According to the health authorities of Battersea, England, infantile mortality has largely decreased in that populous district since its streets were surfaced with tar macadam.

First Normal School.

The first normal school was founded in Rheims, France, in 1685. There was no beating of big drums or blowing of bunting on that day, and yet it would be difficult to say what contemporary event can compare with it in value to humanity. One of the good old pastors of Rheims found out by questioning the teachers in his parish that they were teaching, according to no rule—in other words, were not teaching at all—and he forthwith began taking the steps which were to lead to the founding of a school which would teach the teachers how to teach the children. He little dreamed of the wide reaching results of his action.—New York American.

Earnings of Writers.

There are at least fifty writers in England who are making £1,000 a year each by their books. In this number it is possible that there are a dozen who make incomes of £2,000 to £5,000 a year. Marion Crawford is said to have received £2,000 down for each of his novels, and he often turned out three a year. Sir Walter Scott made £200,000 during his writing career. Alphonse Daudet received £40,000 for a single novel. Lew Wallace got in royalties on "Ben-Hur" and "The Prince of India" almost £80,000. For any of his stories Rudyard Kipling is reputed to charge 2 shillings a word. "Les Miserables" brought Victor Hugo close on £10,000.—T. P.'s London Magazine.

The Inns of Chancery.

Most of the old inns of Chancery are no more. Clement's inn, where Falstaff and Shallow "heard the chimes at midnight;" New inn, of which Sir Thomas More was a member; Lyon's inn, where Cobe once taught the students; Furnival's inn, where Charles Dickens lived; Thavies inn, which was one of the earliest of all the legal settlements in London; Barnard's inn, where Lord Chief Justice Holt was among the "principals"—all these historic places have "in the change and chance of time" disappeared from view. Staple inn remains in its ancient state by the good will of the insurance company that purchased it some twenty years ago.—London Law Journal.

Agincourt.

Agincourt, from which Henry V. made his triumphal entry into London, is our English way of spelling Azincourt, just as Blenheim is a similar corruption of Blindheim. In about two and a half hours Henry's little army slew 10,000 Frenchmen, nearly twice as many as England lost outright in battle during the Boer war, lasting over two and a half years, and yet we talk complacently of our "modern arms of precision!" A monument at Agincourt marks the cemetery of the slain. Few battlefields have changed their appearance so little. The field may be reached within a railway hour from Boulogne, but few tourists go to the scene of England's most wonderful feat of arms.—London Chronicle.

When Cervantes Nodded.

In "Don Quixote" Sancho continues to ride on his ass after having lamented the animal's death.

American Influence in Canada.

Wherever the American goes in force and in proportion to his sympathetic reception he leaves as a side issue the indelible impression of his vivid personality. In such wise he is changing the sedate old maritime provinces so very rapidly that you can hardly find any difference between them and Maine or Massachusetts. This is in obedience to a natural law which must bring about such results. His manners, his speech, his coinage, his means of communication, whether by land or sea, are entirely reciprocal with Canada, but as he is mighty and Canada is feeble numerically the greater, as usual, includes the less.—P. T. Bullen in London Mail.

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Because he was too soft hearted to ask his poverty stricken landlady to buy new rugs for his room the altruistic young man bought several small rugs and spread them over the floor. Immediately after the next sweeping day she presented a bill for the week's expenditures, items: Room rent, breakfasts, laundry and beating rugs, 25 cents.

"Hello," said the altruistic young man, "what does this mean?"

"Just what it says," she returned. "If folks must cover their floor with extra rugs they'll have to pay for beating 'em, that's all. I can't afford to do it for nothing."

And from that moment altruism lost a disciple.—Exchange.

When Water Was Avoided.

Until comparatively recent times there was a medical prejudice against drinking water. Sir William Vaughan in his "Natural and Artificial Directions For Health" declared that water "ought seldom to be drunk." Another doctor admitted that it might be healthful for children, but not for men—"except some odd, abstemious one among a thousand perchance, degenerate and of a doggish nature, for dogs of nature do abhor wine." Indeed, the recommendation of water as a beverage was supposed to be the sign of the quack. Even Wesley in his "Primitive Physic" wrote of it with caution: "Drink only water if it agrees with your stomach; if not, good, clear small beer."

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PERSONAL MENTION

Gathered Here and There by a Daily News Man.

Mr. Jordan Wilkinson of Belhaven, is in the city today on business.

Mr. D. M. Windley of Belhaven is in the city today.

Mr. P. S. Worthy is in the city on business.

Rev. Robert V. Hope returned yesterday morning from Belhaven where he preached Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. B. H. Thompson of Aurora was here this morning on business.

Mr. Robert Ballard of Greensboro, N. C., who has been the guest of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Ashburn, on West Second street, left for his home this morning via the Atlantic Coast Line.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCotter of Vandemere, arrived in the city this morning on the Washington and Vandemere train.

Messrs. C. D. Jones, W. H. West and S. A. Jones of South Creek are Washington visitors today.

Mr. N. D. Young and family expect to leave tomorrow on an extended visit to friends and relatives in Winston-Salem.

Mr. John T. Bell went to Wharton this morning on business.

Gossip and Scandal.

Many people confuse gossip with scandal, but the two things are quite different. The scandalmonger is usually detested, while the gossip is often universally popular. In fact, the popularity which it brings in its train is one of the strongest incentives to gossip. A really accomplished gossip is a social acquisition. Thousands of people who do not gossip themselves like to listen to it. It saves them the trouble of talking. The gossip is generally good natured. The scandalmonger seldom is. After all, what is more interesting than human nature? That is the stock in trade of the gossip, as it is of the novelist and dramatist.—London Gentlewoman.

Between Two Fires.

"The fade of sovereigns with their royal etiquette were frequently carried to such lengths," says H. T. Dyer in "Royalty In All Ages," "as to make martyrs of them. What can be more ludicrous than the following: The palace was on fire. A soldier who knew the king's sister was in her apartment and must inevitably have been consumed in a few minutes by the flames rushed in at the risk of his life and brought her out. But Spanish etiquette was woefully broken, and the loyal soldier was brought to trial and condemned to death. The Spanish princess, however, in consideration of the circumstance, condescended to pardon the soldier and saved his life."

Flying Predictions.

In 1273 Friar Bacon predicted that flying would "shortly" become a general practice, and Bishop Wilkins in 1652 said, "It will yet be as usual to hear a man call for his wings when he is going on a journey as it is now to hear him call for his boots."

An Eye to His Epitaph.

Edmond de Goncourt, the French novelist, admitted that he worked with an eye to his epitaph, and he wanted the epitaph to endure for a long time. He records in his journal that "the thought that the world may perish, may not last forever, is one which occasionally fills my mind with gloom. I should be defrauded by the destruction of this planet, for I have written only in the hope of eternal fame. A reputation lasting 10,000, 20,000, even 100,000 years, would be a poor return for the pains I have taken, the privations I have suffered. Under these conditions it would have been better to lounge aimlessly through life dreaming and smoking my time away."—Chicago News.

Life Insurance.

Primarily life insurance is a co-operative plan to meet the default involved in the premature death of productive lives. A nonproductive life is not properly insurable. A life stamped with immorality is not insurable. A life somewhat impaired through defective family history or by individual weakness or disease, if that life at the same time is a productive life, is insurable at a price. All of which brings us back to the same conclusion—i. e., life insurance is a great social plan which merges the individual into the mass and puts behind the frailty of man standing alone the immeasurable strength of men standing together.—Darwin P. Kingsley in Leslie's.

Just Dissolved.

"So you broke your engagement with Miss Spenslve?"

"No, I didn't break it."

"Oh, she broke it."

"No, she didnt break it."

"But it is broken?"

"Yes, she told me what her clothing cost, and I told her what my income was; then our engagement sagged in the middle and gently dissolved."—Houston Post.

Entitled to Them.

After the new arrival had registered the hotel clerk looked down the page and read "Jeremiah Great Chap, XXXX, Sixestixville."

"What do all those X's mean after your name?" queried the officer.

"That means a lot," explained the new arrival. "I'm ex-school director, ex-township trustee, ex-county commissioner and ex-mayor, see?"—Exchange.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Home Building & Loan Association will be held at the Banking House of the Savings & Trust Co., on Thursday, January 26, 1911 at 4:30 o'clock p. m.

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ADVERTISE IN THE NEWS

What's in a Name?

The late Sir [illegible] of Siam had for a full name Phra Bat Somdets Para Paramatha Maha Chulalongkorn Phra Chula Chom Klo Chaw Yu Hua, and this does not include his titles. A wag in Bombay saw it in the paper when the ruler was visiting that city and was being received by the British officials and passed it over to a young Irish subaltern with the challenge that he pronounce it. The young fellow looked at it a moment and then handed it back. He said he was not long enough winded, but he was sure he could play it on the garrison club piano if the instrument were a couple of octaves longer. The king's uncle, however, who was also a prince high priest, had for one name alone the following collection of [illegible]: Pawanratanawariyalongkaun. Any one who can get through it and not fall one of the gates has lived a long time where he can look out of the window and see the gilded peak of a temple shimmering in the equatorial sun.—Christian Herald.

Starve a Cold.

Nature, as a rule, takes the appetite away when one is coming down with a cold or other infectious disease, and nature is wise. Don't coax Mary to eat when she has a cold. Don't allow the neighbors to tempt Johnny with calf's foot jelly or other delicacies. When suffering from a cold the digestive organs are in no condition to care for food. The digestive juices are altered or entirely absent. One or two days' comparative fast will often assist in averting a severe siege of cold. A more convenient and enjoyable form of fasting would be to subsist for one or two days upon fruit or fruit juices perhaps, with the addition of a little toast. An exclusive fruit diet has all the practical advantages of complete fasting, while it satisfies the appetite and supplies sugar from which the liver can manufacture glycogen to sustain the white blood corpuscles in their continuous warfare against microbes.—William S. Sadler in Designer.

Giving Him Carte Blanche.

A few years ago John Kendrick Bangs, the humorist, told a number of his Broadway literary confreres that he felt particularly elated over an order he had just received from Henry W. Savage, the theatrical producer, for the libretto of a musical comedy. The play was produced a few months later. During the long period of rehearsals so much of Bangs' material was eliminated and so much other material inserted in its stead that when the curtain went up on the first night not more than half a dozen of the original lines remained.

About a week later a friend, meeting Bangs, asked him if he was writing any more plays for Savage.

"Yes," replied Bangs. "Only an hour ago I sent him 500 blank sheets of paper and told him to go as far as he liked."—Irvin Cobb in New York Tribune.

Anthony Trollope's First Earnings.

A literary man recalls Anthony Trollope's little gloat over the first fruits of his pen. "I send you a copy of 'The Warden,'" he wrote to Lord Houghton in 1866, "which Mr. Longman assures me is the last of the first edition. There were, I think, only 750 printed, and they have been over ten years in hand. But I regard the book with affection, as I made £9 2s. 6d. by the first year's sales, having previously written and published for ten years without any such golden result. Since then I have improved even upon that." Trollope, of course, "improved upon that" in no uncertain fashion.—Westminster Gazette.

It Was Real.

"My, this must have been exciting!" says Mrs. Bilmers, who is reading the paper. "A twenty foot boa constrictor escaped from the zoo yesterday and was captured after it had climbed halfway up a telegraph pole."

"And I swore off when I saw it as I went downtown!" growled Mr. Bilmers disgustedly.

"What are you muttering?" she asked.

"Nothing. I just said it must have been a ticklish job."—Chicago Post.

As Good as Lost.

"You're sure you can spare this fiver, are you, Shadbolt?"

"Dingoss, if I had not been perfectly sure that I can get along without it I never would have lent it to you."—Chicago Tribune.

Skeptical.

Teacher—Now, Johnny, what is the shape of the earth? Small Johnny—I dunno. Teacher—Why, I told you yesterday it was round. Small Johnny—Yes, I know, but I don't believe everything I hear.—Chicago News.

Not So Brave.

"He was certainly brave to crawl under the bed and engage in a life and death struggle with that burglar."

"When he crawled under the bed he thought the burglar was in the basement."—Houston Post.

For Good of the Community.

"Have you ever done anything for the good of the community?" asked the solid citizen of the weary wayfarer.

"Yes," replied the weary wayfarer. "I've just done a month."

Sensible Man.

Crawford—Do you really like to please your wife? Crabshaw—I can't say that I do, but I've found out it's the best plan.—Smart Set.

There are some who bear a grudge even to those that do them good.—Pilpay.

A Mean Trick.

"That's the meanest man I ever ran across," said the book agent.

"What has he done?"

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