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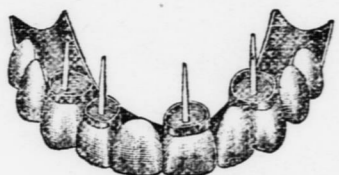
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Only part of the boat came up again at the end of the line, and it was taken on board when the whale had been killed. That piece of wood was so hard that it would not burn in a gas jet. The weight of water had compressed it.—London Standard.

GASTROSTOMY ON A MONKEY.

The Commercial of Saturday told how the celebrated boxing monkey that belongs to Dan Quinn swallowed a watch and was taken to the hospital. Dr. Wilson tried to avoid an operation, but on Sunday he saw that the operation known to surgery as gastrostomy would have to be performed in order to save the monkey's life and recover the watch. A number of prominent physicians and surgeons were present.

Dr. Davidson, of Columbus, Ohio, was called upon to administer the ether. When placed on the table the monkey seemed to realize what was about to take place. It shed tears as it shook hands with persons it recognized; it was in every respect like a human being. It willingly took the ether. Dr. Wilson applied the knife. The watch was found in the stomach and was removed. It was very bright, having been highly polished by the gastric juices and was none the worse for the strange trip it had taken. The monkey was sewed up by Dr. Wilson in approval style and will recover.

After coming out of the sleep produced by the ether the monkey smiled and shook hands with and bowed to Drs. Wilson and Davidson.—Buffalo Commercial.

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I send you under separate cover 300 copies of this letter. Send a copy to every teacher and school committee man.

Very truly yours,  
J. Y. JOYNER,  
Supt. of Public Instruction.

Davidson College.

The program of the 65th Commencement of Davidson College presents an attractive list of orators. Senator Money, of Mississippi, delivers the annual Oration at 10:30 a. m., Tuesday, May 27th. On the Sunday preceding Dr. R. P. Kerr, of Richmond, delivers the Baccalaureate, and Dr. Egbert W. Smith, of Greensboro, N. C., preaches the annual sermon before the Young Men's Christian Association. Monday evening the two Literary Societies hold their reunion with two distinguished South Carolinians as orators. Hon. W. F. Stevenson, of Cheraw, and Pres. B. F. Wilson, of Spartanburg. On Tuesday Senator Money's address in the morning is followed by the Alumni Meeting and Banquet at 5 p. m., and the Oration Contest between the Literary Societies in the evening.

Wednesday, May 28th, is Commencement Day. The orations by representatives of the graduating class, delivery of diplomas, etc., in the forenoon are followed by a Concert and Reception to visitors in the evening.

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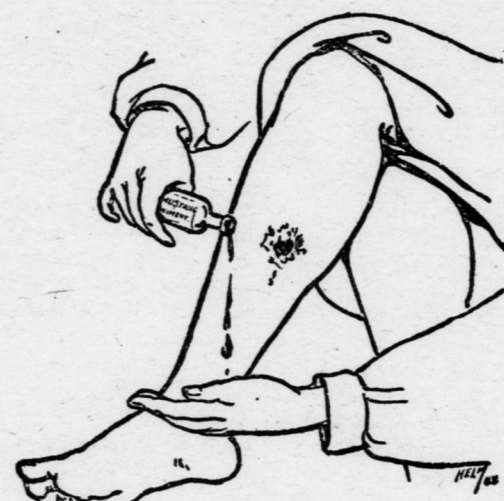
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The tests were made in the presence of W. Gordon Minchin, of London, surveyor of the British Lloyd's Register. Experts throughout the country and in Europe were waiting for the test. It had been expected that the big chains would have to be secured from a British producer. The big chain is what is known a cable chain of 33 1/2 stud-link—Pittsboro, Pa., dispatch, 18th.

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