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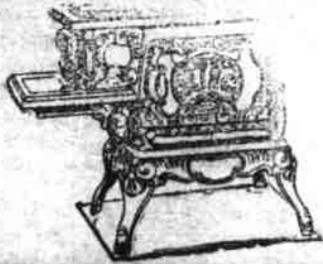
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SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT.

RUBBER CANNON BALLS.

A World's Fair Exhibit That Puzzled Louis Napoleon.

An instance of the obsession of the mind by one idea is seen in a ludicrous mistake made by Louis Napoleon in 1855 at a world's fair held in Paris while he was emperor. He had been trained to war, and he could not see a strange object without regarding it in relation to war. The head of the United States commission at the exhibition was Mansel B. Field, who tells in his "Memoirs of Many Men" how greatly disturbed the emperor was by an American invention. The commissioner was present at a reception held at the palace.

"The emperor approached me and remarked that he had that afternoon walked through our department of the exposition—this was just before it was open to the public—that he had seen many things there which interested him, but that nothing had so much pleased him as the exhibition of vulcanized India rubber. Among the articles he had noticed something which had puzzled him ever since. He very much regretted that I was not present at the time of his visit. 'Here I interrupted him to say that I very much regretted it myself and that if he had sent me an intimation of his purpose I should have been certain to attend.'

"Well," he answered, "in one corner I saw, stacked as one sees them in an artillery yard, a pile of vulcanized India rubber cannon balls. There was nobody there to answer the inquiries which I desired to make. Perhaps you can explain the matter to me."

"I had not even seen the balls in question and had to say so. 'I cannot imagine,' resumed his majesty, 'how any preparation of India rubber can be used for projectiles. It has often occurred to me that, in combination with other materials, it might be made useful for defensive purposes.'

"I was compelled to admit that it was equally mysterious to me how the inventor could have thought seriously of making cannon balls of it. After so unsatisfactory an interview the emperor probably did not think that it would be civil to leave me immediately, so he asked me if I took much interest in military matters. I answered that I did not any more than civilians usually do.

"I was at that time residing very near the Palace of Industry. The next morning I went over before breakfast for the purpose of getting information upon the subject which had so puzzled the emperor. I went directly to the India rubber exhibit, and, sure enough, I found the balls there just as they had been described to me. It was too early for me to expect to see the man in charge, but there was a person in his place. I asked what in the world he expected to do with India rubber cannon balls.

"They are not cannon balls," he answered; "they are footballs."

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Members of Charles W. Morse's family are with him at the Fort McPherson army hospital.

A DREADFUL WOUND

from a knife, gun, tin can, rusty nail, fire works, or of any other nature, demands prompt treatment with Bucklen's Arnica Salve to prevent blood poisoning or gangrene. Its the quickest, surest healer for all such wounds as also for Burns, Boils, Sores, Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Chapped Hands, Corns or Piles. 25c at all druggists.

Insects That Imitate Ostriches. The habit of the ostrich of burying its head and imagining that it has eluded discovery is copied after a fashion by certain insects, according to Dr. G. Rodman in his lectures on the subject of the sick insect, or bacillus rossi, which he has cultivated. These insects, which are so called because of their resemblance to dry sticks, have two fore legs which they fold completely over their eyes when disturbed and evidently think that in so doing they themselves are lost to view. The eggs of these insects, Dr. Rodman says, take something over six months to hatch. They are only one-tenth of an inch in their longest diameter, and by some miracle an insect which at hatching is three-quarters of an inch in length is packed into them. The sick insects destroy the weaklings of their number by eating their legs.—Westminster Gazette.

A CHARMING WOMAN.

is one who is lovely in face, form, mind and temper. But it is hard for a woman to be charming without health. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation and kidney poisons show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. But Electric Bitters always prove a godsend to women who want health, beauty and vigour. They regulate Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, purify the blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion and perfect health. Try them. 50c at all druggists.

A Paris paper quotes an alleged interview with President Taft.

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The reputation of this old, reliable medicine, for constipation, indigestion and liver trouble, is firmly established. It does not irritate other medicines. It is better than others, or it would not be the favorite liver purifier, with a larger sale than all others combined.

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Through Pullman to Washington leaves Raleigh 6:50 p.m., arrives Washington 8:53 a.m., Baltimore 10:02 a.m., Philadelphia 12:23 noon, New York 2:31 p.m. This car makes close connection at Washington for Pittsburg, Chicago and all points North and West and at Greensboro for Through Tourist Sleeper for California points and for all Florida points.

Through Parlor Car for Asheville leaves Goldsboro at 6:45 a.m., Raleigh 9:35 a.m., arrives Asheville 7:40 p.m., making close connection with the Carolina Special and arriving Cincinnati 10 a.m., following day after leaving Raleigh, with close connection for all points North and North-West.

Pullman for Winston-Salem leaves Raleigh 2:30 a.m., arrives Greensboro 6:30 a.m., making close connection at Greensboro for all points North, South, East and West. This car is handled on train No. 111 leaving Goldsboro at 10:45 p.m.

If you desire any information, please call. We are here to furnish information as well as to sell tickets.

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Fourteen cardinals were invested with the red hat at Rome.

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I have used Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for some time, and can testify that they have done me more good than any tablets I have ever used. My trouble was a heavy dull feeling after eating.—DAVID FLETCHER, N. Kempt, Nova Scotia. These tablets strengthen the stomach and improve the digestion. They act on the liver and bowels. They are far superior to pills but cost no more. Get a free sample at all dealers drug store and see what a splendid medicine it is.

Great Britain hinted at understanding with Russia on Shuster ultimatum to Persia.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Mitchell*

The end of the Oil Trust will come and the subsidiary companies will be run independently hereafter.

A Sticking Business. "Well, Mrs. Smith, and how's your husband?" "Oh, he's doing well, thank you, mum. He's got a job at the glue factory now."

"Ah, well, I hope he'll stick there!"—London Mail.

Hair Stealers. It was unsafe for English children to walk out alone in 1893, lest they should be robbed of their hair by wig-makers.

Contentment is natural wealth. Luxury is artificial poverty.—Socrates.

The quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger from pneumonia and other serious diseases. Mr. B. W. L. Hall, of Waverly, Va., says: "I firmly believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be absolutely the best preparation on the market for colds. I have recommended it to my friends and they all agree with me." For sale by all dealers.

Birth of Aeronautics.

It was on Aug. 1, 1787, that the Scotchman Black of Edinburgh filled a little bag with hydrogen gas and watched it rise to the ceiling of his room, and it was right then and there that the science of aeronautics was born. Cavendish had only a little while before proved that hydrogen gas was about eleven times lighter than common air, and it occurred to Black that, such being the case, a light bag inflated with it would ascend. The experiment in his room in Edinburgh showed that his surmise was correct. It was not long after Black made his demonstration that Montgolfier sent a silken balloon up into the heavens and watched it careering through space, and the following year, 1783, the Montgolfiers—Joseph and Stephen—made a successful ascent in the balloon. The same year Charles ascended in a hydrogen balloon to the height of 9,770 feet. Ballooning was a success, and in an amazingly short time it became popular in all lands.—New York American.

The members of the American Banking Association arrived safely at Panama.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Birettas were conferred upon the 3 new American cardinals in Rome a few days ago.

WITH THE COMING OF MIDDLE AGE.

There is a letting down in the physical forces often shown in annoying and painful kidney and bladder ailments and urinary irregularities. Foley Kidney Pills are a splendid regulating and strengthening medicine at such a time. Try them. For sale by all dealers.

Yeggmen blew up a dentist's safe under an "L." road in New York.

Self Educated. "But don't you think you could learn to love me?" he inquired of the beautiful heiress.

"Fa always said I was hard to learn," she replied tantalizingly.

"But I am not a book," he protested.

"Oh, I can read you all right," she answered.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Longevity. "Longevity? I should say longevity did run in the family," said Mrs. Spriggins. "Why, John was six foot two, Bill was six foot four, and George had more longevity than any man I ever see. He was six foot seven if he was a foot."—Exchange.

Chinese rebels at Wuchang asked for help.

When you have a cold get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will soon fix you up all right and will ward off any tendency toward pneumonia. This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. Sold by all dealers.

The physical disintegration of the American Tobacco Company has begun.

Sheared in Installments. Sheep are put to double use in the northern part of India, in the Himalayas. They are driven from market to market with the wool still growing, and in each village the owner shears as much wool as he can sell there and loads the sheared sheep with the grain he receives in exchange. After his flock has been sheared he turns it homeward, each animal carrying a bag of grain.

Baron Gustave De Rothchild died in Paris.

Dr. John W. Abercrombie says the South is neglectful of its opportunities.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE OF HOUSE AND LOT IN NEW BERN.

By virtue of power of sale contained in that certain mortgage deed executed and delivered to the undersigned by Miles Sprull and Eliza Sprull, his wife, which mortgage deed and note thereby secured is dated third day of March 1892, and recorded in book number 141, page 573, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Craven county, the undersigned will on the 18th day of December, 1911, at 12 o'clock m., at the court house door in Craven county, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described land: Two lots situated and lying in the City of New Bern, N. C. in the part known as Reizensteinville, being lots number 11 and 27 in the plan of the said Reizensteinville, located on the east side of Chapman street between Cedar and Elm streets, and being the same land conveyed to the said Miles Sprull by deed from Chas. Reizenstein.

JOHN S. GARRETT, Mortgagee.

November 18th, 1911.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having this day qualified as executor of Florence Williams, deceased, all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified to the undersigned or his attorney, on or before the 17th day of November 1911, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate settlement.

This 17th day of November 1911.

H. H. PENDER, Executor.

R. O'HARA, Attorney.

MORTGAGE SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a power contained in a mortgage deed executed to the undersigned by Patsy Collins and Mary Venters on the 6th day of April, 1909, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Craven county, in book 178, page 14, same deed being given to secure the payment of a promissory note, due and payable one year from date of said mortgage deed and default in payment of said note and interest on the same having been made, I will sell at the court house door in New Bern, N. C., at 12 o'clock m., on Monday the 11th day of December 1911, all the undivided interests of said Patsy Collins and said Mary Venters in and to that certain tract of land in No. 8 township, Craven county, N. C., adjoining the lands of Edward Richardson on the north side, on the west side Willis Lewis' tract, containing ten acres, where Mary Venters and John Venters formerly resided, now occupied by Alex Moore; also another tract of land containing 181 1/4 acres, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Jennie Harrison, Dr. J. B. Hughes, J. L. Ehm, Jas Lyons, Samuel Bowen and Daniel Harris. Terms of sale cash.

M. HAHN, Mortgagee.

Nov. 9 1911.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage deed, executed by George A. Brown and Mary E. Brown, his wife to R. O'Hara, bearing date of April 19th, 1911, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for said Craven county in book No. 184, folio 157.

The undersigned will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door of Craven county, on Saturday, December 9th, 1911 at the hour of 12 o'clock m., all the following described property, to-wit: All that certain lot or parcel of land lying and being situated in the city of New Bern, said state and county on the west side of Ash street and bearing the number one hundred forty-six, 146, according to a plan of the estate of Joshua Scott, dec'd., recorded in Equity Court, page 28 in the office of Clerk of Superior Court for said Craven county, bounded as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the lot formerly owned by Frederick Harrison, and running northwesterly fifty six, five feet, more or less to the southeast corner of lot No. one hundred 145, forty-five; thence westerly along the southern line of said lot No. 145 one hundred 119, ten feet, more or less to the eastern line of lot No. one hundred 156, fifty-six; thence southwesterly along the eastern line of lots Nos. 156 and 155 fifty six, feet more or less to the northern line of lot No. 147; thence easterly along the northern line of said lot No. 147 one hundred 119, ten feet more or less to the point of beginning on Ash street. It being the same land conveyed by R. O'Hara to said George A. Brown and Mary E. Brown by deed dated April 19, 1911, and recorded in the public records in the office of Register of Deeds for said Craven county in book No. 186-folio 276, to which reference is hereby made.

This 4th day of November 1911.

R. O'HARA, Mortgagee.

Too Big a Pill.

The man in bed had never been sick before. The doctor, wishing to ascertain his temperature, pointed the thermometer at him and commanded, "Open your mouth, Jim."

"Wait a minute, doc," objected the patient. "I don't believe I can swallow that."—Judge.

IB habits gather by unseason degrees, as brooks make rivers, rivers run to seas.—Dryden.

A loan of \$150,000,000 will probably be asked for the British Navy.

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NO. 31—Leaves Goldsboro, N. C., 6:48 a. m., through train with chair car to Asheville, connecting at East Durham, for Oxford, Henderson, Keyville and Richmond.

—at University for Chapel Hill at Greensboro for Charlotte and all points south, also to Danville, Lynchburg, Charlottesville, Washington, and all points north.

NO. 139—Leaves Goldsboro, 2:05 p. m., for Greensboro, handles through Pullman Raleigh, to Atlanta, connects at Greensboro for all points north, south and west.

NO. 111—Leaves Goldsboro 10:45 p. m. for Greensboro, handles pullman, Raleigh, to Greensboro, connects at Greensboro for Charlotte, Atlanta, New Orleans, Asheville, Knoxville, also for Danville, Lynchburg, Charlottesville, Washington, and all points north.

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