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BEST TEA ON MOUNTAIN TOP

Long Cultivated by Priests of Buddhist Temple In the Western Part of the Country.

The best tea in all China, and, therefore, in all the world, grows on top of a small mountain in Western Szechuan, called Ming Shan, and is cultivated by the priests of the Buddhist temple on its summit, according to the Youth's Companion. Tradition says that a Chinese pilgrim brought the seeds from India centuries ago. There are only a few pounds in each crop, and these have always gone as tribute to Peking for the use of the imperial household. Who will get the precious tea now? Will it be reserved for the family of the president of the republic, or will it be scattered among those who are willing to pay a big price for

such a luxury? There is a saying in China, that to make a perfect cup of tea you must take leaves from Ming Shan, and water from the Yangtze. No one supposed the actual turbid river water to be meant, but no one could explain the proverb until De Rosthorn, who wrote an interesting treatise on Chinese tea

solved the problem, or thought he did. De Rosthorn was once crossing the Yangtze near its mouth, at Chen-Kiang, when he saw some men in a boat, dipping water into buckets. He inquired why they did that, and was told that at the bottom of the bay there was a spring, remembered since the time when the present river-bed was dry land, and that this spring water was highly esteemed in cookery. Here, then, he concluded, he found that special water of the Yangtze which, with Ming Shan leaves, made the best cup of tea in the world.

TO QUALIFY AS "BEST MAN"

Man Who Has Risen From the Ranks to High Position Describes Requisites One Must Possess.

What constitutes the "best man" in any line of commercial activity? was a question put to the New York agent of a steel corporation who came up from a puddler in his company's plant. The requisites to make such a man, in his opinion, are:

"Amenable to discipline and able to take criticism in good form.

"Able to apply fairness and consideration to those who through force of circumstances are placed under him. "Must not hesitate to criticise when criticism is needed, and for the sole

benefit of his company. "Performs such work as comes to him with the best at his command. Does not pay too serious attention to the clock and is willing to work a

few minutes overtime without protest. "Takes the assignment of new and difficult work to him with good grace. "Always ready to profit by his associations with his fellow workers."

Keeping House Plants Healthy.

No one who has not seen a really well care for and healthy collection of house plants can imagine the charm and beauty they can lend to the room in which they live. Unhealthy plants are depressing, and unless one is willing to give the window garden a reasonable amount of care it is better to him to be a colonel he will get there dispense with it altogether The house plants will cheerfully repay any intelligent attention, though they resent meddling. The real gardener the one who has the true love of flowers at heart, knows when to leave well enough alone. Do not disturb the roots gazes pathetically down the stream at all during the winter unless they are attacked by insects, for most plants are resting and cannot then put out new shoots. This is particularly true of such plants as palms, rubber plants and ferns, which had best be shifted and fed with fertilizers only in the summer. Soft wooded plants, like geraniums, are not easily injured by transplanting; but even so if they need extra feeding on account of large growth, it is much better given in liquid form.

Loyalty.

For those who are not merely loyal, but also enlightened, loyalty, never losing the definiteness and concreteness of its devotion to some near and directly fascinating cause, sees itself to be in actual spiritual unity with the common cause of all the loyal, whoever they are. The great cause for all the loyal is in reality the cause of the spread and the furtherance of the cause of the universal loyalty of all mankind; a cause which nobody can serve except by choosing his own nearer and more immediate appreciated cause—the private cause which is directly his own-his family, his community, his friendship, his call ing, and the calling of those who serve with him. Yet such personal service-your special life cause, your task, your vocation—is your way of furthering the ends of universal humanity. -Josiah Royce, "Loyalty and Insight.

To Remove Paper.

An excellent way to remove paper from the wall when about to repaper a room, says Modern Priscilla, is to make a rather thin paste of flour and water and go over the paper with a large brush or cloth, wetting every part. After allowing this to stand for a little while the paper may be taken off in great strips without spreading a particle of dirt or dust.

AIDS VICTIMS OF INSANITY

French Physician Has Found Administration of Oxygen of Much Value, If Not an Absolute Cure.

A new and extraordinary use for oxygen has been found by Dr. Toulouse, chief physician of the Villejuif insane asylum. He finds it a most valuable aid in the treatment of mad-

Doctor Toulouse makes certain that the oxygen in the steel cylinders in which he receives it is pure and free from nitrogen; then he fills small glass flasks with it. A rubber bulb enables him to regulate the pressure in the flasks, and a rubber tube connects these with a fine hypodermic needle. Through this 250 cubic centimeters of oxygen are injected under

A physician who has watched the operation and its effects upon patients, reporting his observations for La Nature, says the results are remarkable among patients in a condition of acute mental confusion, who are always greatly improved and often cured entirely by a few injections. The excited and victims of insomnia become calm and lucid.

In cases of acute mania, dementia, epileptic fits and certain cases of melancholia good results have been obtained. The oxygen treatment is now being tried upon other forms of in-

HARD LINES FOR BUSY MAN

One Unfortunate Circumstance He Could Stand, but the Other Was Almost Too Much.

He was a very busy man, and she was a very pretty girl. She insisted upon having a love letter every day. She got it.

"You write the loveliest letters. dear!" she said. "And when you are so very, very busy all the time, I think it is splendid of you to think of

"I don't forget you," he replied. 'My secretary has instructions to write you a letter for me to sign every morning. He is a most efficient and capable young man." "And you don't know how greatly I

appreciate the flowers and candy you send me every week."

"I'm glad you get them. I told my secretary to make a memo to send you some every Saturday."

"How sympathetic! And it is so thoughtful of you to think of the plays I like best and the books I prefer." "It's a pleasure to know you are pleased. My secretary gets the tickets and picks out the books. He is a very capable fellow."

Two months later the very busy man said:

"Dodgast him! I don't mind so much his eloping with my fiancee, but how in thunder can I break in another secretary?"-Judge

Time Wasted in Mourning. Every day I see a certain fellow sitting on the bank of the stream and mourning for the water that has passed. He fails to realize that he can never grind his grist that way. He started out to be a colonel, but corporal was as far as he got, so he quit. He fails to realize that there would be a whole lot more satisfaction and money in being a good corporal than in crying on the banks of a stream because he couldn't be a colonel. If the good Lord intended some day—but not by sitting in the corner and crying. The colonels are made of the fellows who were the best corporals, and no one should keep that fact in mind more than the corporals. But the mourner sits and sits and at the water disappearing around the bend. You know and I know, but he doesn't. It never returns.-Kansas City Star.

First Aid.

David was capitalist and consequently also philanthropist. To him one day came Simple Simon and begged the loan of a dollar for three weeks. Simon got the dollar on condition of paying back two dollars at the end of the period agreed on. He was hurrying away well content with his bargain when David came to the door and called after him: "Just a minute, Simon," said he; "I've been thinking that you are a poor working man, and that it will be hard for you to scrape together two dollars in three weeks. Now I want to make things easy for you. Suppose you pay me right now one dollar of what you owe me. Then when the loan falls due you'll have only one dollar to pay." Simple Simon gratefully accepted the suggestion, and David repocketed the dollar.—New York Evening Post.

Scribes and Paraphrases Defined. Taken from the examination paper of one of my scholars, writes "Teach-

er" to the Glasgow News: "The scribes and Paraphrases were cheats and hipocrytes now a days

they are called lawyers." The perpetrator of the above, a boy of ten, makes up for his want of book-learning in a superabundance of mother-wit. An example of his qualification in this respect occurred only

a few Sundays ago. He had brought me the verbal mes sage that one of the class was down with pneumonia, and he had prohounced the last word with a "p."

took the trouble to correct him. "Oh, I kent fine, 'twis 'neumonia,' he said, unperturbed: "I jist say'd 'pneumonia' so as these yins"—and he indicated the rest of the class-"wid unnerstaun' us."

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The Immortals.

Mrs. Partingtons and Mrs. Malaprops are still with us in the flesh. Recently a woman at the opera in Chicago complained that her seat was too far back. She said she could hear the music all right, but the performers on the stage "looked like mignonettes.

Proof of Insanity.

A Pittsburgh boarder is beaten up by his landlady, armed with a flatiron, because he demanded prunes for breakfast. Well, how would one expect a woman to deal with an insane man?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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There is a saying that "a man's first reproach to motherhood to see a puny, pining baby grow to be a puling, peevish boy. It is a reproach because proper preparation and care will give the mother the health without which she cannot have a healthy child. The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as a preparative for the baby's coming gives the mother abundant health. The birth hour is practically painless, and the mother rejoices in a hearty child. This is the testimony of many women who never raised a child until they used "Favorite Prescription.'

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Coins of Small Value.

Doubtless the smallest coin in the world circulates in the Malay peninsula, simply a thin wafer made from the resinous juice of a tree, and has current value of about 1-10,000th of a cent. In the southern parts of Russia the peasants use a coin of such small value that a quarter of a million of them are worth no more than \$1.25. The old Japanese mouseng was worth 1-112th of an American cent. In Portugal the reis is the lowest standard of value, but no 1-reis pieces are coined. A 3-reis piece is equivalent to 6-100ths of a cent.

Quite Simple. "A savings bank," said the child, in answer to the teacher, "is a place where you can deposit money today and draw it out tomorrow by giving a week's notice."

A young man, having broken an appointment with Doctor Franklin, came to him the following day and made a very handsome apology for his absence. He was proceeding when the doctor stopped him with: "My good boy, say no more; you have said too much already; for the man who is so good at making an excuse is seldom good at anything else."-Life.

Too Good an Excuser.

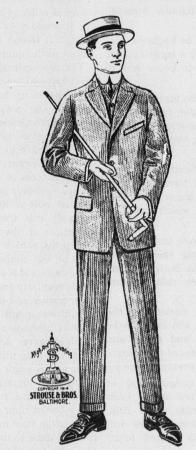
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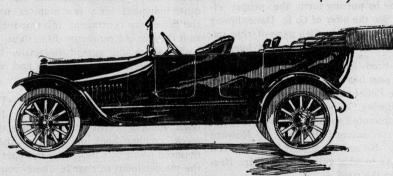
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