

THE SON OF HIS FATHER.

Inate Pedagogue Cleverly Reproved by His Sagacious Offspring.

A professor of mathematics in a leading New England college had been much annoyed by the students coming to class without their textbooks.

"That's no excuse," said the irate professor. "Hereafter your work and your books are to be here. Any man who fails to bring them will be marked zero. No excuse of any kind will be taken."

A New Being.

Shepard, Ill., Jan 8th (Special).—Mrs. Sarah E. Rowe, who is residing here, says she feels like "A New Being" although she is in her fifty-seventh year.

Commercialism.

"Do you think this government is safe?" "One of the best investments I know of," answered the sordid politician.

AWFUL ITCHING ON SCALP.

Hair Finally Had to Be Cut to Save Any—Scalp Now in Good Condition—Cured by Cuticura.

"I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment for a diseased scalp, dandruff and constant falling of hair. Finally I had to cut my hair to save any at all."

TROUBLE OVER A POTATO.

Spud Gathered In by Wrong Diner Puts Waitress in a Predicament.

"I had a queer experience in a restaurant the other day," said a Denver lawyer, according to the Post.

Usually when a man reaches the turn in the lane he finds that it turns in the wrong direction.—Chicago Daily News.

Life serves some of her children dessert for every course.

Taste for duty can be cultivated like any other.

INCIPIENT CONSUMPTION.

How Food Headed Off the Insidious Disease.

The happy wife of a good old-fashioned Mich. farmer says: "In the spring of 1902 I was taken sick—a general breaking down, as it were."

"The doctor said my condition was due to overwork and close confinement and that he very much feared that consumption would set in."

"Then I determined to quit all medicines, give up coffee and see what Grape-Nuts food would do for me."

"The effect was surprising! I began to gain flesh and strength forthwith, my nerves quieted down and grew normally steady and sound."

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in plgs.

Electricity by Direct Process to Revolutionize World

By THOMAS A. EDISON.



We are groping on the verge of another great epoch in the world's history. It would not surprise me any morning to wake up and learn that some one, or some group, of the 300,000 scientific men who are investigating all over the earth has seized the secret of electricity by direct process and begun another practical revolution of human affairs.

It can be done. It will be done. I expect to see it before I die.

The first great change in the production of electricity will abolish the carrying of coal for that purpose. Instead of digging gross material out of the earth, loading it on cars and carrying it, say 500 miles, there to put it under a boiler, burn it and so get power, we shall set up plants at the mouths of the mines, generate the power there and transmit it wherever it is needed by copper wires.

From a practical standpoint the most tremendous thing in the problem of electricity is the fact that we only get about 15 per cent. of the energy of the coal we burn. Eighty-five per cent. goes up the chimney.

Now if we could find a way to get the energy out of the coal by some direct process, without wasting 85 per cent. of it would so multiply and so cheapen electric power as to inaugurate a new epoch in the history of the world.

Some day the great discovery will be made, and when it is the steam engine will be driven out of use. It will then be possible to have airships. I expect to see airships flying before my death.

Such a discovery will make it possible to drive ships across the sea by electricity at the rate of 40 or 50 miles an hour—three days across the Atlantic, from shore to shore.

The direct process will give the world electricity at such a low cost that electric light can be used by everybody, and railways can be operated at a fraction of their present expense. The city of New York could be lit as brilliantly in the nighttime as in the daytime, without any additional cost.

The human race may well look forward with hope toward the day in which the discovery will be announced, for after that the world will be greatly transformed.

Browning Among the Prophets

By DR. JENKIN LLOYD JONES.

ever apparent to the sage and the saint, that the bard is ever closely allied to the prophet. Poetry is ever the vehicle of the highest revelation. The soul attuned to harmonies is in touch with the infinite.

The nobler the bard the more universal his message, and universality is the gift of poetry, the witness of God in the soul of man.

Robert Browning was a bard who, to use his own phrase, "believed in soul and was very sure of God." He was a seer who apprehended truth at first hand.

Robert Browning could and did write delightful ballads, ringing, singing, swinging things that ravish the ear with the lilt of delightful rhythm, the charm of echoing rhymes. In these directions other masters of English poetry may, perhaps, excel him.

He was the forerunner of the moralists who say that with every elaboration of the social fabric ethics grows more intricate; that even psychology, the science of soul, in its higher reaches becomes sociology, the science of society.



Immigration and Its Assimilation

By WM. LLOYD GARRISON.

freedom to evolve a greater race. From the proudest to the most abject and enslaved nationalities contributions have steadily flowed in a common stream, which is a marvel of breadth and force.

The blood of the Celt, the Hebrew, the Anglo-Saxon, the Gaul, the Slav, the negro, the Asiatic, the uttermost tribes of the earth, can be found mingled in American descendants—no mean product of a noble experiment.

The real question is not whether races will or will not assimilate. The world process never ceases. It is whether it shall proceed lawfully and under protection of society, or be left to lust and brutality.

Assimilation never yet came from the bludgeon, not excepting the bludgeon of benevolence. If we accept in practice the declaration, which as Christians we profess to believe, that God has made of one blood all the nations of the earth to dwell together, making our country embrace the world and our countrymen all mankind, no race problem will trouble us, nor anti-immigration cruelties be evoked.

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To women who suffer Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are worth their weight in gold. At special periods a woman needs medicine to regulate her blood supply or her life will be a round of pain and suffering.

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"My back and limbs would ache almost continually and there were days when I was absolutely helpless from sick headache. I tried one doctor after another but cannot say that they helped me at all."

"One day a physician who has now retired from practice met my husband on the street and inquired about my health. He advised my husband to get some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for me, said they were a good medicine, better for my trouble than he could put up."

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Have an Advantage.

The Russian students seem to have the advantage of the American students, all things considered. A revolution is substantially as distracting and brutal as football, and there isn't so strong a taint of professionalism about it.—Life.

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Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. Samuel, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

It is a bad idea to put friendship and love to the test. It is better to believe that they really exist.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Mrs. Austin's Buckwheat flour gives you the real genuine old buckwheat flavor. Ask for Mrs. Austin's Buckwheat flour.

When a woman wants to love a man she finds no difficulty in believing he has an attractive personality.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

AN ARTIST IN HIS LINE.

Merchant of the Pave Displays Gen-ius Worthy of a Higher Calling.

A man with shrewd gray eyes walked along the busy downtown street, carefully observing everything. Suddenly he paused, then rushed toward a rain-pipe attached to a building and rammed his cane into it.

"All daughters of Eve within hearing lifted their skirts and fled the place. Men and boys began to crowd around. People came from across the street. Carts and cabs halted."

"Say, mister, that stick isn't long enough!" shouted a newsboy. "Somebody go and get a terrier," suggested another.

"Evidently the owner of the shrewd gray eyes did not desire advice, but intended to deal with that rat according to his own fancy. He paid not the slightest attention to the remarks, but continued vigorously to ply his cane."

"The man removed something from between his teeth, and extended it toward the crowd. "Here you are, gentlemen!" he cried. "The cleverest invention yet made—Wilkinson's weird and wonderful patent whistle. Imitates everything from a rat to a rhinoceros! Embrace your opportunity, entertain your friends, make the children happy—only a few left, and those going like wildfire, at ten cents apiece!"

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Simple Process.

Sharpe—Want to borrow my pistol? What for? Simple—To blow out my brains.

N. W. Ayer & Son, Philadelphia.

"Keeping-Ever-Lastingly-At-It" advertising agents, have sent out their calendar for 1906 which as usual is a very handsome and useful office accessory. The edition is limited. While they last copies may be had by sending 25 cents to the firm named above.

How to cure Biliousness, Stomach Disorders, Chronic Constipation, Bladder, Liver and Kidney Irregularities, take Spanish Cross Tea for a month. 25c a package.

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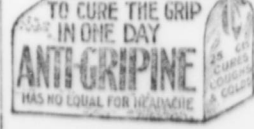
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