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## GORGAS TO FIGHT SERVIAN TYPHUS.



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Surgeon General Gorgas of the United States army, who cleaned up Pana ma canal zone, asked to join Rockefeller foundation to save stricken Servia.

## GOT THE TRAIN STOPPED.

Two Attempts Were Dismal Failures, but the Third Won.

When the late Robert Bonner purchased Maud S. he sent her to Charter Oak park to be trained. One day a friend of Mr. Bonner left New York to visit him at the park, but found that the train did not stop at that station. The conductor was polite, but said that he could not go against or-

At New Haven a halt was made and Mr. Bonner's friend tried to bribe the engineer with a ten dollar bill, bu in vain. He was then told that Charle: P. Clark, the president of the road. was on the train, and he went to him and politely requested that the stop be made.

"Why don't you see the conductor?" asked Mr. Clark.

"I have, but he will not disobey or-"Why not then go forward and bribe

the engineer?"

"I tried bribery at New Haven, but it would not work."

The absence of evasion was the best answer.-Indianapolis News. policy. Mr. Clark not only gave orders to have the train stopped at Charter Oak, but promised some day to see Maud S. He had witnessed the attempt at bribery, and the frank confession of the offense seemed to please him.

## BIG NAVAL GUNS.

Death at Times Comes From Merely Serving Them In Battle.

Modern naval engagements demonstrate that the gunners sometimes die after the battle, even when they have not been wounded or injured in any way. Death is caused by disturbance of the circulation due to the strain placed upon the nervous system by the excitement and the tremendous vibrations of modern guns.

Curiously enough, this collapse is quite as likely to affect the most robust members of the gun crew as the ones with poorer physiques and bears no relation to the individual's courage. It is due to a lack of sufficient reserve power of the heart, which is dependent and defend it .- Webster. upon the quality of the heart muscles, and there is no known means of estimating this inherent quality exactly.

It is possible, of course, to determine ! the force and strength of the heart in an individual, but only some test, such as that of actual battle, will determine the quality of the heart muscles.

Thus the veteran gunner who has proved his heart quality in actual battle has become a peculiarly valuable factor in modern naval warfare.-Los

They Like Fat Girls In Tunis. A Tunisian girl has no chance of marriage unless she tips the scale at 200 pounds, and to that end she commences to fatten when she is fifteen years old. She takes medicine and eats a great deal of sweet stuff and leads a sedentary life to hasten the process. Up to fifteen she is very handsome, but at twenty what an im mense, unwieldy mass of fat she becomes! She waddles, or, rather, undulates, along the street. Her costume is very picturesque, especially if she be of the richer class. She is clothed in fine silks of resplendent hues of a bright red, yellow or green and wears a sort of conical shaped headdress, from which depends a loose white drapery. Turkish trousers and dainty slippers, the heels of which barely reach the middle of the feet, complete the costume.

Takes a Sip of Tacks. While she attempted to take a drink from what she thought was a glass of water while in the dark at her home in Point township, Northumberland county, Pa., Miss Alice Rhoades, eighteer years old, swallowed several hundred tacks and pins. She was taken to the Mary M. Packer hospital. Sunbury.

Spanish Surnames.

In addition to three or four Christian names the Spanish child bears the com bined family names of his father and mother. When the surnames are dou bled or connected by the y, meaning "and," the first is the more important one and the only one that may be tak en alone, for it is in the father's name while the last is in the name of the mother. In Spain they know no "sen ior" and "junior." Father and son may bear the same Christian name. but each takes his own mother's name as a distinction, the father being, for instance. Pedro Diaz y Castillo and the son Pedro Diaz y Blanco.

#### Cause Found at Last.

The teacher was having an interesting half hour with the children, asking them questions, any one having the privilege to answer. It was a great time to show off. The teacher asked about various things, and one question was about locusts. Several hands were raised, and finally one boy was selected to speak. "A locust is a bug that gives people tuberculocusts," was his

"How did you like my turning off the gas at 10 while you and that young fool were in the parlor last night?" asked her father.

"Did you?" she responded innocently, and father knew the true meaning of the word failure. - Philadelphia Ledger.

A Hard Task.

"Miss May certainly has the male contingent at her feet. But she is rather a capricious belle, isn't she?" "Yes; a bell who is going to be very hard to ring."-Baltimore American.

Try a Big Ad. "I lay wide awake last night thinking of my business."

"Bad plan, old chap. Better keep wide awake daytimes."-Boston Tran

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Real Joy of Farm Owning.

I am not a gentleman farmer, with a great estate over which I rice care in awhile and leave all the real work to my underlings. I cannot think there would be great fun in this. No; I like to take hold with my Portuguese man and plant and spray and trim and prune. To be sure, he does more than his share of the rough work, and much of the year I must be cultivating other kinds of fields than those that grow cabbages and turnips, but the fun of farming comes from being a real farmer while you are one, getting close to the soil, becoming intimate with every living thing, whether it be a plant or animal; loving your tomato vines and raspberry bushes, taking a real pride in your eggplants and your brussels sprouts, whether you get a prize for them at the county fair or not.-Rev. Dr. Francis E. Clark in Countryside Magazine and Suburban Life.

A Recipe For Ghosts. It is generally understood that "seeing ghosts" is the result of indigestion The following notes may be useful to amateurs anxious to investigate psy-

Lobster salad eaten after midnight one ordinary ghost with chains. Two Welsh rabbits and a mince pie.

chological phenomena:

one mysterious gray lady emitting

Cold roast pork, mixed pickles and strong tea taken immediately before retiring, a genuine family specter carrying his head under his arm.

A portion of cake, result of daughter's first lesson at cookery school, a troup of fearsome blood stained hobgoblins with blue lights shining out of empty eye sockets.-New York Jour



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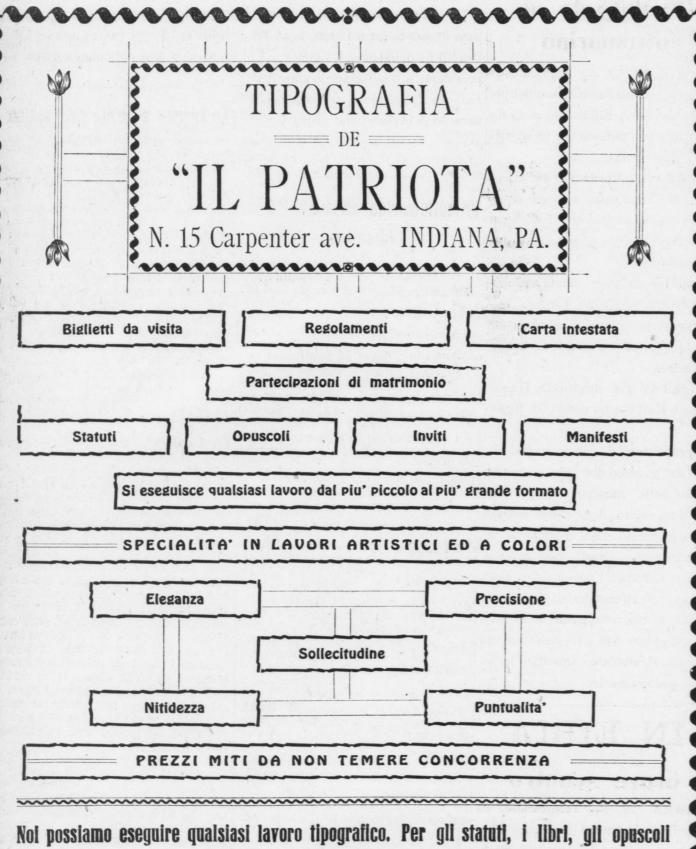
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