Afraid of Ghosts

Many people are afraid of ghosts. Few people are afraid of germs. Yet the ghost is a fancy and the germ is a fact. If the germ could be magnified to a size equal to its terrors it would appear more terrible than any fire-breathing dragon. Germs can't be avoided. They are in the air we breathe, the water we drink.

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Hick's CAPUDINE is the best remedy—relieves the aching and feverishness—cures the Cold and restores normal conditions. It's liquid—effects immediately. 10c., 25c. and 50c., at drug stores.

Self-Possession.

Not long ago a young couple entered a railway carriage at Sheffield and were immediately put down as a bridal pair. But they were remarkably self-possessed, and behaved with such sangfroid that the other passengers began to doubt if their first surmise was correct after all.

As the train moved out, however, the young man rose to remove his overcoat, and a shower of rice fell out, while the passengers smiled broadly

But even that did not affect the youth, who also smiled, and turning to his partner, remarked audibly:

"By Jove May! I've stolen the bridegroom's overcoat!"—Tatler.

Great Powers Those.

Henderson—How would you like to witness a conflict between the powers?

Henpeck—Witnessed one the other day.

Henderson—The other day? Between the powers?

Henpeck—My wife and the cook had some words.

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Spread Whole Box of It on Crackers —Not the Least Injury Resulted —Thus Proven Pure and Sweet.

A New York friend of Cuticura writes: "My three year old son and heir, after being put to bed on a trip across the Atlantic, investigated the stateroom and located a box of graham crackers and a box of Cuticura Ointment. When a search was made for the box, it was found empty and the kid admitted that he had eaten the contents of the entire box spread on the crackers. It cured him of a bad cold and I don't know what else."

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Politeness.

Lieutenant Shackelton, in a happy and manly speech which he made in reply to the feast of his health by Mr. Heinemann at the dinner given by that gentleman at the Savoy Hotel, told an interesting story of politeness in the untrodden regions of the Antarctic.

His party, he said, were always extremely good-humored and polite, and one professor in particular attained a degree of politeness unusual under such trying circumstances. "'Are you busy, Mawson?' he called out one night to another member of the party who was in the tent.

"'I am,' said Mawson.

"'Very busy?' said the professor.

"'Yes. Very busy.'

"'If you are not too busy, Mawson, I am down a crevasse.'

"The professor was found hanging down a crevasse by his four fingers a position which he could not have occupied for any length of time."—London Daily Chronicle.

One of the two observatories on the summit of Mont Blanc has been given up because of the violence of the storms.

Constipation causes and seriously aggravates many diseases. It is thoroughly cured by Dr. Pierce's Pellets. Tiny sugar-coated granules.

Because the enormous rats of Uganda are so voracious missionaries are using books bound in tin.

For HEADACHE—Hick's CAPUDINE

Whether from Colds, Heat, Stomach or Nervous Troubles, Capudine will relieve you. It's liquid—pleasant to take—acts immediately. Try it. 10c., 25c. and 50c. at drug stores.

A rapid decrease in the use of rye flour for bread in recent years is noted in Germany.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle

Familiarity Breeds, Etc.

A novelist who lives near Indianapolis once engaged an individual who claimed to be a gardener. That his claim was without basis of fact was soon made evident to the employer, for the man proved well-nigh useless—so useless in fact, that it became necessary to discharge him

The man took the dismissal with such jaunty indifference that the novelist was somewhat nettled. "You seem rather pleased than otherwise," said he to the man.

"Oh, I ain't worryin'," was the prompt response.

"Indeed! Perhaps you won't do so well as you think. May I venture to inquire what you have in view?"

"Well," answered the gardener, "if the worst comes to the worst, I may take up writin' books. Sence I've been here I've found out it don't take sech an awfully bright man as I used to think it did."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Petroleum has been discovered in Ibitinga, Sao Paulo, Brazil, and a company is being formed to develop the industry.

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Novel Gift For Education.

In these days of large gifts for philanthropic purposes it takes something of startling novelty or prodigious size to attract even passing notice. The Congregational Educational Society is the recipient of a favor that is entitled to attention. An entire town in Southern Missouri has been made over to the organization upon the condition that it shall establish and maintain there an academy for the industrial training of young men for forestry and mining work. The town has some 350 dwellings, stores, municipal buildings, a bank and all the features of a live village. The donor is the Missouri Lumber and Mining Company, which, having exhausted the timber resources of the vicinity, has no further use for the town. Industrial education has leaped into popular favor in recent years. Few dispute its value to the state. The Missouri concern that gives the town of Grandin for the establisment of an academy shows practical interest in a practical subject.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

NEW STRENGTH FOR WOMEN'S BAD BACKS.

Women who suffer with backache, bearing down pain, dizziness and that constant dull, tired feeling, will find comfort in the advice of Mrs. James T. Wright, of 519 Goldsborough St., Easton, Md., who says: "My back was in a very bad way, and when not painful was so weak it felt as if broken. A friend urged me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, which I did, and they helped me from the start. It made me feel like a new woman, and soon I was doing my work the same as ever."

Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

ANYHOW, WE HAVE THE POLAR STAR

—Cartoon by G. Williams, in the Indianapolis News.

NORTHCLIFFE TELLS WHY HE FEARS WAR

German Preparations of To-day Like Those Which Preceded the Confict With France---Britain Not Aroused Yet---Warnings of Leaders Fail Fully to Awaken the People.

Chicago.—In an interview published here Lord Northcliffe, managing owner of a London newspaper, declares there is great danger of war between Germany and Great Britain.

"The Americans are so busy," said Lord Northcliffe, "with the affairs of their own gigantic continent that they have not the time to devote to the study of European politics, which are more kaleidoscopic in their changes than are those of the United States.

"There is an impression in this country that some hostility exists between the people of Great Britain and of united Germany. I know the Germans intimately. From childhood I have traveled extensively throughout most of the German States. I have many German family connections, and I venture to say that outside the usual body of Anglophobes one meets in every country there is little hostility to the British on the part of the Germans.

"And, on the other hand, there is in England no dislike of Germany. Au contraire, our statesmen are adapting German legislation to our needs, and if imitation be the sincerest form of flattery the Germans must be well pleased with our proposed reproduction of their workingmen's insurance, their labor bureau, and a great many other legislative improvements that, it appears to me, would be just as vital to the United States as they seem to be to Great Britain.

"Why, then, if so happy a state of affairs exists between the two nations, should there be any section of people in England to suggest the possibility of war? Turn back to 1869. Was there any friction between France and Prussia? There was no hostility on either side. But any reader of Bussche's Bismarck or standard authority on the great German Empire builder will acknowledge there was immense preparation on the part of Germany—a preparation that was kept secret as far as possible, and which also, as far as possible, is being kept secret by Germany today.

"As to that which is transpiring in the German shipbuilding yards, we more or less know that by 1912 Germany, in ships of the super-Dreadnought class, will be the equal of England.

"If we were in your position, able to grow our own food on our own acres, it would matter little to us if we had merely an ornamental navy. But how few Americans realize that our food is brought to us from Australia, Canada, much of it from the city of Chicago, and your Western wheat fields, from the Argentine Republic—nearly all of it from over the sea.

"We have the official figures of the German naval program up to 1912; which are serious enough, but we know that these figures are just as inaccurate as were the figures made public by Germany prior to the Franco-Prussian war of 1871.

"America is a nation of optimists—England a nation of pessimists.

"America should produce great artists, great musicians, great statesmen—you have the material.

"Theodore Roosevelt is one of the few men of this or any age great enough to say what he thinks. Europe has no one like him.

"John D. Rockefeller could make no better use of his vast wealth than the founding of your wonderful university. You should appreciate your rich men—men like J. Pierpont Morgan—for the wise use of their millions.

"You really are a marvelous people," he exclaimed, "marvelous for your conservatism. You talk about the income tax as though it was something new and daring. Why, we had our discussion of the income tax in the time of Queen Elizabeth.

"The American press is a great educational force. It exerts untold power for the uplifting of the public. It is the function of a paper to educate."

FRENCH JURY JUSTIFIES KILLING SUFFERING WIFE

In Agony From Asthma, She Had Begged Her Husband to Prove His Love by Ending Her Life--Judge, Jury and Spectators in Tears at the Recital.

Paris.—"A man whose wife is dying of an agonizing disease is justified in killing her to put an end to her suffering if she implores him to do so."

So a jury, perhaps rather emotional, decided in the Court of Assizes here, and acquitted Edmond Baudin, who, at her prayer, shot and killed his wife on January 31 last.

Mme. Baudin had been afflicted with asthma for years. It gripped her throat, it was a weight on her lungs, it stopped her breath. She begged her husband to aid her by killing her quickly to rid her of the affection that was slowly throttling her.

Baudin, a mechanic, thirty-nine years old, a rough and plain spoken man, sought to justify his act with words as straightforward as they were made dramatic.

Tears streamed from his eyes while he testified. The jurors also wept, and the women in the courtroom were semi-hysterical.

The presiding judge, who disapproved of the jury's verdict, remarked:

"For the moment the bandage on the eyes of justice was a handkerchief."

"My wife, whom I loved dearly, had suffered fearfully from asthma," Baudin testified. "She could not sleep. If she laid her head on the pillow she would cry: 'I am choking! In the name of the good God, end my misery! Let me die!'

"On the night she—she died she was suffering intensely," Baudin went on between sobs. "The medicine she was taking was nearly exhausted.

"'I will go and get you some more medicine,' I said.

"'No,' she said, 'buy no more medicine. You know we are poor. I am gone. Medicine will do me no good. I suffer! Oh, how I suffer!

"'But pay no more for medicine. I have cost you too much money already.

"'If you love me, put me out of my misery. Prove your love and let me leave you. Kill me! If you were a determined man you would not see me suffer as I do.'

"I was maddened by the sight of her agony," Baudin ended. "I seized a revolver with which I intended to defend our home; I shot her in the head; she died instantly.

"I determined then to kill myself, but I thought of my sister, the only other being who depends on me. I went to see my sister. She wept, but told me I should surrender myself to the police, which I did at once."

When Baudin finished his testimony, given with unaffected emotion, all in the court were in tears.

Following him, Dr. Dupre, a distinguished alienist, testified that Baudin is perfectly sane. But, said Dupre, he was incited to his fatal act by the stronger will of his wife. Pity for her, directed by her will, led him to shoot her.

As Baudin left the courtroom a free man the crowd applauded him.

The question whether it is morally justifiable to end the suffering of those who are bound to die of a mortal disease has been discussed in this country. Of course it was decided that such an act, whether inspired by love or pity, is murder.

John Davidson's Body Taken Out Ten Miles From the Cornish Coast.

London.—The recently recovered body of the poet John Davidson was buried at sea ten miles off the Cornish village of Mousehole.

The body was conveyed from shore in a ship's lifeboat.

John Davidson, a poet whose work though highly esteemed by a few cultivated persons failed of general appreciation and so of a paying market, disappeared from his home on March 23, and a document that he left indicated that he intended suicide.

Prominent People.

Colonel George Harvey's collarbone was broken in an automobile accident at Manahawkin, N. J.

Y. Uchida, Japanese Ambassador to Austria, is to succeed Baron Takahira at Washington, D. C.

Prince and Princess Kuni of Japan were the guests of Dr. Takamine at Merriwold Park, Sullivan County, New York.

Dr. Norman Hansen, a prominent Danish physician, says that Dr. Cook told him that Commander Peary took forcible possession of his (Dr. Cook's) house and supplies at Annotok.

Submarines Reach Depth of 200 Feet.

Quincy, Mass.—With one exception, the fleet of six submarine boats constructed by the Electric Boat Company for the Government have completed all tests and will be turned over to the naval officials in the Charlestown Navy Yard. As a class the submarines broke all records for submergence, reaching a depth of 200 feet. The Snapper, at Provincetown, was in the course of her twenty-four-hour test, this being the only performance lacking in the fleet figures.

The Field of Sports.

Mr. C. Vanderbilt's sloop Aurora won the last race of the season in the sixty-five-foot class of sloops, under the auspices of the Larchmont Yacht Club.

At Wheaton Charles Evans, Jr., defeated Robert Gardner, the new amateur golf champion, in the play-off of the tie for the low qualifying score honors.

There is a movement in the Marine Corps in Washington for a broader development in athletics than has hitherto characterized the life of the marine corps.

COMMERCIAL

Weekly Review of Trade and Market Reports.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

"While there are a few bad or uncertain spots in the business situation, they are not sufficient to change the generally cheerful and, in some respects, brilliant outlook. The movement in iron and steel is so tremendous, reaching at some points to practically full capacity and resulting in instances of premiums paid for prompt delivery that the only doubt cast upon it by anybody is that the pace may be too fast. The reports from the principal cities and especially the eloquent statistics of rapidly expanding building operations, confirm these figures. The foreign trade is unsatisfactory in view of the decreased exports and increased imports, but it should not be overlooked that the former is the result in part of the more rapid advance in prices here than abroad, while the big imports testify to the increased spending capacity of our people."

Bradstreet's says:

"Trade continues of favorable proportions, demands for staple lines being noteworthy features, though there is a tone of conservatism in many reports. Shipments are heavy and in many instances buyers are requesting prompt deliveries. Business on spring accounts is also of good volume. Retail trade is getting into better shape at many centers. Commodity prices, both for raw materials and edibles, are generally very firm.

"Business failures in the United States for the week ending with September 23 were 171, against 198 last week, 267 in the like week of 1908, 166 in 1907, 165 in 1906 and 185 in 1905."

Wholesale Markets.

New York—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red, 110½c., nominal, elevator; No. 2 red, nominal, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 1.08⅝, nominal, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, 1.12⅞, nominal, f. o. b afloat.

Corn—Spot quiet; No. 2, 78c. asked and 79c. delivery; No. 2, 65½, f. o. b. afloat winter shipments.

Oats—Spot steady; mixed, 41½@42c.; natural, 42@45; clipped, 43@45.

Butter—Steady; receipts, 8,034 pkgs.; process, 24@27c.; Western factory, 22½@24; imitation creamery, 24½@25½.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 2,500 boxes.

Eggs—Weaker; Western extra firsts, 26@27c.; firsts, 24½@25½; seconds, 20@22.

Philadelphia — Wheat — Steady; contract grade, September, 105@106c.

Corn—Dull. ½c. lower; No. 2 yellow for local trade, 76½@77c.

Oats—Quiet, but firm; No. 2 white natural 44½@45c.

Butter—Firm; prints 1c. higher; extra Western creamery, 32c.; do., nearby prints, 34.

Eggs—Firm; good demand. Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts, free cases, 27c. at mark; do., current receipts, in returnable cases, 25 at mark; Western firsts, free cases, 27 at mark; do., current receipts, free cases, 23@26 at mark.

Live Poultry—Steady; fowls, 15½@16½c.; old roosters, 11½@12; spring chickens, 16@17; ducks, old, 13@14; do., spring, 14@15.

Baltimore—Wheat—The market for Western opened easier; spot, 108½c.; October, 107½; December, 107½. Spot was in some demand, and the price hardened as the day progressed, but the other positions were easy. At the midday call spot was 108¾c. and October, 107¼@107½. Sales—two cars No. 2 red, track, Canton, 110c.; 2 cars No. 2 red, track, Canton, 109¾; car steamer No 2 red, spot, 1.01.

Settling prices were: No. 2 red Western, 111½c.; contract spot, 108¾; No. 3 red, 1.05; steamer No 2 red, 1.01; steamer No. 2 red Western, 1.02½.

Corn—Western opened easier; year, 64@64¼c.; January, 63½@63¾.

Hay—We quote per ton: No. 1 timothy, large bales, $18; do., small bales, $18; No. 2 timothy, as to location, $16.50@17; No. 3 timothy, $14.50@15.50; choice clover mixed, $16.50; No. 1 clover mixed, $16@16.50; No. 2 clover mixed, $14@15; No. 1 clover, $15.50@16; No. 2 clover, $14@15.

Oats—Stock in elevators, 704,400 bushels; shipments from elevators, 9,784 bushels. The quotations for new oats on spot were: White, No. 2, as to weight, 43½@44c.; do., No. 3, 42@43c.; do., No. 4, 39½@40c.; do., mixed, No. 2, 42@42½c.; do., No. 3, 40½@41c.

Butter—Creamery separator, per pound, 31@32c.; imitation, per pound, 23@24c.; prints, half-pound, 32@33c.; do., pound, per pound, 32@33c.; blocks, two-pound, per pound, 31@32c.; dairy prints, Maryland, Pennsylvania and Virginia, per pound, 18@20c.; Virginia and West Virginia, store packed, per pound, 21c.; Ohio, store packed, per pound, 21c.; nearby rolls, per pound, 21c.; West Virginia rolls, per pound, 21c.; Ohio rolls, per pound, 21c.

Eggs — Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, per dozen, 27c.; Eastern Shore, Maryland and Virginia, per dozen, 27c.; Western firsts, per dozen, 27c.; West Virginia, per dozen, 27c.; North Carolina, per dozen, 26c.

Cheese—We quote, jobbing lots, per lb., 17¼@17½c.

Live Stock.

Chicago—Cattle — Market steady. Steers, $5.60@8.50; cows, $3.50@5.25; heifers, $3.50@6; bulls, $3@4.85; calves, $3@9; stockers and feeders, $3.75@5.50.

Hogs — Market 5@10c. higher. Choice heavy, $8.40@8.52½; butchers', $8.35@8.50; light mixed, $7.50@8.10; choice light, $8.10@8.35; packing, $7.75@8.25; pigs, $5@6.75; bulk of sales, $8.10@8.30.

Sheep—Market steady. Sheep, $4@5; lambs, $6@7.25; yearlings $5@5.40.

Kansas City, Mo. — Cattle — Market steady to weak. Choice exports and dressed beef steers, $6.50@8.25; fair to good, $4.75@6.25; Western steers, $3.80@7; stockers and feeders, $3@5.30; Southern steers, $3.25@4.75; Southern cows, $2.25@3.75; native cows, $2.25@4.40; native heifers, $3@5.50; bulls, $2.50@3.75; calves, $3.50@7.50.

Hogs—Market steady to 10c. higher. Top, $8.35; bulk of sales, $7.70@8.25; heavy, $8.15@8.35; packers and butchers', $7.95@8.25; light, $7.50@8.12½; pigs, $5@7.50.

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Pure white lead—the Dutch Boy Painter kind—mixed with pure linseed oil (tinted as desired) gives a winter coat to a building that is an armor against the severest attacks of the winter rain, sleet, winds and snow.

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The Pipe And The Man.

A New York man, whose wife asked him how many pipes he smoked a day, tried to work up the answer in detail, but, after a struggle, abandoned the attempt at exactness and answered "Hundreds." At this the lady gave a sniff and left the room

The question, as it was put, probably had such an emphasis that a particular man was clearly indicated. Anyway, it is certain that all men do not smoke the same number of pipes, and so a hint is given of the reason in the actions of the particular wife. Apparently she is not reconciled to the habit of smoking, and is inclined to try the efficacy of nag—that is, of remonstrance. But she is dealing with a selfish wretch who can outlast her in a contest of not looking (or speaking) pleasant.

The partnership, however, does not always work out this way. It presents, in fact, a great variety of possibilities. Some women do not nag—that is, remonstrate—some remonstrate occasionally, and some remonstrate all the time. Some smokers smoke once after each meal, some double the allowance, and some smoke all the time, except when they are rudely interrupted by the necessity for eating and sleeping. —Columbia State.

The development of hydro-electric energy, of which great examples are to be seen in Sao Paulo, Rio de Janeiro, and Bahia, is likely to be one of the greatest lines of industrial development in Brazil in the near future.

CHILDREN SHOWED IT

Effect of Their Warm Drink in the Morning.

"A year ago I was a wreck from coffee drinking and was on the point of giving up my position in the school room because of nervousness.

"I was telling a friend about it and she said, 'We drink nothing at meal time but Postum, and it is such a comfort to have something we can enjoy drinking with the children.'

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"Yes."

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