## Many Persons Have Catarrh of Kidneys, Or Catarrh of Bladder and Don't Know It. UNIQUE POSITION OF FRANCE'S

President Newhof and War Correspondent Richards Were Promptly Cured by Pe-ru-na.

Mr. C. B. Newhof, 10 Delamare street, Albany, N. Y., President Montefiore Club, writes:

Albany, Y., President Montehote Sownites:

"Since my advanced age I find that I have been Prequently troubled with urinary allments. The bladder seemed irritated, and my physician said that it was catarrh caused by a protracted cold which would be difficult to overcome on account of my advanced years. I took Peruna, hardly daring to believe that I would be helped, but I found to my relief that I soon began to mend. The irritation gradually subsided and the urinary difficulties passed away. I have enjoyed excellent health now for the past seven months. I enjoy my meals, sleep soundly, and am as well as I was twenty years ago. I give all praise to Peruna."—C. B. Newhof.

#### Suffered From Catarrh of Kidneys, Threatened With Nervous Collapse, Cured by Pe-ru-na.

Mr. F. B. Richards, 609 E Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., War Correspondent, writes: "Exactly six years ago I was ordered to Cuba as staff correspondent of the New York Sun. I was in charge of a Sun Dispatch boat through the Spanish-American War. The effect of the tropical climate and the nervous strain showed plainly on my return to the States. Lassitude, depression to the verge of melancholia, and incessant kidney trouble made me practically an invalid. This undesirable condition continued, despite the best of treatment.

treatment.

"Finally a brother newspaper man, who like myself had served in the war, induced me to give a faithful trial to Perma. I did so. In a short time the lassitude left me, my kidneys resumed a healthy condition, and a complete cure was effected. I cannot too strongly recommend Perma to those suffering with kidney trouble. To day I am able to work as hard as at any time in my life, and the examiner for a leading insurance company pronounced. a leading insurance company pronounced me an 'A' risk."

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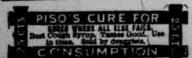




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PUBLIC EXECUTIONER.

Government Functionary With High Sounding Title-Sinister Office Often Descends From Father to Son-Louis Deibler's Wife Daughter of an Executioner.

One of the best known Parisians of modern times has just passed away; yet there were not 50 men in all France who were willing to know

He was peculiarly popular, in a contemptuous way, among the lower classes, says Pearson's Magazine; yet no one workingman in ten thousand would shake his hand.

He had a unique position, alone of his kind. Though neither statesman, man of law, administrator or soldier, he was a government functionary with the most high sounding of titles; yet this title was unknown to the great mass of Frenchmen, who called him by another name-which was not his.

They called him "Monsieur de Paris." His real title was executeur des hautes ocuvres (he who executes high deeds). His name was Louis Antoine Stanislaus Deibier, and his profession was the cutting off of heads.

He was the sole public executioner of France and Corsica. His father had been public executioner before him. And his son succeeds him in the sinister office.

The father of Louis Deibler was public executioner at Rennes and in the five departments of Brittany. The stain was already in the family, and so was familiarity with the vocation. What could the young man have done in life? Should be make himself a lawyer, a painter, or go into buslreally of any benefit to me. I have not had a trace of kidney trouble nor a cold him. He was the son of the guillotine, in my system." and there was not a girl in France that would have married him!

PRES. C. B. NEWHOF,

Suffered From Catarrh of Bladder.

Pe-ru-na Contains No Narcotics.

Germany has 242,000 postal employes

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A new banking system which enables

persons to make deposits of twenty-five

cents and upward, interest being al-

lowed when the amount lodged reaches

\$5, was adopted by the National Bank

The Original Mrs. Grundy.

A writer tells of the origin of Mrs

Grundy, and says that "What will

Mrs. Grundy say?" occurs in Mor-

ton's comedy, "Speed the Plow," writ-

ten in 1789. One of the characters,

Farmer Ashfield, growing weary of

constant references to Mrs. Grundy,

a character in the play, by his good

wife, suddenly turns upon her with:

"Be quiet, will ye. Always ding-

donging Dame Grundy into my ears.

'What will Mrs. Grundy say?' 'What

will Mrs. Grundy think?" The

phrase tickled the public ear at the

time, and is still in fashion.-Scottish

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In France it is not as with us, where these dread responsibilities are diluted by division among a thousand sheriffs, each occupying for a few years only an office that is highly honorable, and in which the "execution of high deeds," if it comes at all, is the rarest of accidents and leaves no personal association in the public

It has always been different in France. Under the old regime of kings, as far back as the 13th century, we find individuals whose life work the United States 239,000 and Great t was to "whip, brand, hang, behead, Britain 184,000. None of the other break on the wheel and burn" in the States in the postal union possesses name of the law. The title was that 100,000 postal employes. France has of "executor of high justice," a pro-81,000; Austria, 59,000; Russia, 57,962, fession that demands long apprenticeship, because, according to an ancient ordinance, the bourreau (execution-LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENRY make oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENRY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one sundake pol er) must "know how to do his office by means of fire, by the sword, the whip, the wheel, by drawing and quartering, by the fork, by dragging, pointing and pricking, by ear cutting, LARS for each and every case of cATARRII that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRII CTRE. FRANK J. CHEKEY.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

In 1720 the bourreau of Paris had a fixed salary of 16,000 livres, equivalent today to \$16,000, for himself and his aids. The guillotine was not yet invented, though the practice of torturing had almost died out and the chief work of Monsieur de Paris was the merciful cutting off of heads by means of the axe and block. In those days it was always "Monsieur de Paris," of Ireland recently. The bank has sev-Monsieur de Rennes," and so onstrange title strangely shared by bishops. Thus the great Bossuet was known to the court of Louis XIV as

'Monsieur de Meaux." It was natural that the ill famed though highly paid office should run in families. A single family—the famous Sansons-occupied it through generations, from the year 1688 down to 1847, from the old days of torture to the merciful invention of the guil lotine, through the merciful red waves of the Revolution, the Empire, and the Restoration of kings down to the very eve of the Second Republic. Generation after generation the Sanson fam ily kept its memoirs; and their publication a few years ago, in eight large volumes, though scarcely more than a publisher's venture, with few important contributions to history make strange reading.

Louis Antoine Stanislaus Deibler, who was born in the year 1823, had discovered early in life that his father was not like other men-he was "Monsieur de Rennes." A few years ago, in a moment of mournful reminiscence, he pictured to a friend his young wife's solicitude when his own

little son began to ask questions. "Papa is traveling," the child would prattle. The boy grew. Then one day he said "Papa is traveling!" in a tone she had never heard from him

And she knew that he knew! I have said that there was not a girl in all France who would have married Louis Deibler. There was one in Algiers, however, who received his suit gladly-a charming young lady, well educated, virtuous, looking and possessed of a handsome

marriage portion. What made this tender paragon receive the ostracized youth so kindly? She was in the same position as himself. There was probably not a young man of decent family in all France or Algiers who would have asked for her hand. She was the daughter of M. Raseneuf, the public executioner of Al-

Louis Deibler came and saw and was accepted. Indeed, he was doubly accepted, for he at once entered into the office of assistant executioner to M. Raseneuf. This was in 1858, and in where my wife had a job, sir.—Puck.

1863 his own father died, still executioner at Rennes. He himself continued to live in the family of his father in-law and to assist him in his work until the law of 1871 came to suppress the separate posts of executioner in the provincest Louis Deibler was called to Paris and, in the quality of assistant of the first class, he was attached to M. Roch, the "Monsieur de Paris" of the day. M. Roch died in 1879, and M. Diebler succeeded him and "exercised" during all of 20 long

Louis Deibler had barely entered on his functions as executioner for Paris and all France when he was called to Agen to guillotine Laprade, a youth of 20 years, who had assassinated his father, mother and grandmother. The execution was duly carried out on May 19, 1879; but the new executioner met with such resistance from the young villain that he was obliged to bang his head against the side of the guillotine until he was practically insen-His second victim was the cele-

brated Prunier, condemned in September of the same year for the assassination of an old woman with aggravating circumstances. Prunier was 23 years old and showed extreme courage in his last moment, smoking a cigarette as he walked jauntily to the guillotine. Another execution of his first year as "Monsieur de Paris" made a great talk. It was that of the policeman Prevost, who had a magnificent record for honesty and brav ery, but was found to have robbed a jeweller and cut his body into 78 pieces. To the astonishment of his chiefs, he confessed to the previous assassination of a young girl. He walked to the guillotine with firmness, saying that he had not enough blood to wash away his crimes.

But Louis Deibler's experience of his sad mission in life was not to be limited even to the victims themselves. After Prevost it was Menesclou, in April, 1880; this one's mother went suddenly crazy in the crowd the mo ment the knife fell.

Henceforth the list becomes too numerous to mention, except, perhaps, for a few of the more celebrated. Tropmann, who had murdered an entire family; Marchandou, the valet assassin; Pranzini, the professional killer of women; Prado and Anastay; Eyraud, the accomplice of Gabrielle Bompard, who, after her recent pardon, was kept out of the United States; Vachler, the slayer of shepherd boys and girls; Sellier, the ghoul; and a series of anarchists like Ravachol, Henry, Vaillant and Caserino, the assassin of President Carnot.

#### QUAINT AND CURIOUS.

An old labor law in England in force in 1783 contained the following six clauses: Any tailor who joined a union was to be sent to jail for two months. Tailors must work from six o'clock in the morning until eight at Wages were not to be higher than forty-eight cents a day. Each tailor was to be allowed three cents for breakfast. Any tailor who refused to work was to be imprisoned for not more than two months. If any employer paid higher wages he was to be fined \$25, and the workmen who took the increase were to be sent to jail for two months.

An amusing story is told of some of the richest men in the country who were attending a recent directors' meeting at New York. Around the table were J. P. Morgan, James Stillman, William Rockefeller, J. J. Hill and Senator Depew. A messenger et tered with a package for the senator on which \$1.40 was due, and after go ing through his pockets the wonderful Chauncey acknowledged he did not have enough money to pay the bill and asked financial aid. All subscribed as much as they had with them, but these multi-millionaires were good for only a little over \$1 among them. A messenger boy had to advance the rest.

In 1859 some distance southeast of Lake Nyassa, in Central Africa, Livingston discovered Lake Shirwa, a body of water about thirty miles long and fifteen miles wide, which has now entirely disappeared with the exception of a few ponds in its bed. Lake Nyami, discovered by Livingston at the same time has also disappeared. The cause of the change appears to be a gradual drying up of bodies of water in Central Africa. As marking the results of a single half century the changes named (with no doubt other equally important, but not recorded) show a rapidity of mutation in those inland waters not equalled elsewhere in the contemporary geographer's sur-

Discipline is severe in the German army, and the treatment of privates is ometimes unjustifiable. At Dessau a sergeant who had been drinking to excess insulted two young women who were escorted by a couple of men in the ranks. The privates protested to the minor officer, who drew his sword and attacked them, in his drunkenness wounding one of the girls. In the affray which followed the sergeant was disarmed and felled to the floor. All three were put on trial. The sergeant was sentenced to prison for five months, while the unfortunate privates were condemned to five years behind the bar at hard labor, were dismissed from the service and were deprived of their civil rights. Service as a private in an army so regulated cannot be a cause of pride in time of peace.

Deprived of His Means of Support. Beggar-Kind sir, could you help a victim of the trusts? I am starving! Citizen-How are the trusts respon-

Beggar-They shut down the factory

Purposely Lost His Leg.

A remarkable case has been brought to the attention of the manager of the Texas & Pacific Railroad by a letter which he has received from W. L. Maring, of Marceline, who lost a leg by being run over by a train while employed on that road as a brake-

He was paid \$3,000 by the company in settlement of the injury. Maring's letter reads: "Four years ago I worked for the Texas & Pacific, and at that time I was a bad man, reckless, careless, and had no respect for God or man. While under the influence of liquor I purposely lost my leg. But recently God has saved me, and my hope of heaven is sure. I want to make this confession, as the Good Book requires us to do. I have spent this money that I have received from you and am willing to submit to anything that you should think just."-Kansas City Journal.

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JamsgrePiso'sCurs forConsqmpttonsave1 ny life three years ago. — Mas. Thomas Ros-nus, Maple St., Norwich, N.Y., Feb. 17, 190)

The imperial post in Germany uses 12,551 railway trains daily.

#### A Bible in Marble.

Great as has been the amount of labor expended on the various Bible of the world the palm for execution must be given to the Kutho-daw, which is a Buddhist monument near Mandalay in Burmah. It consists of about 700 temples each containing a slab of white marble, on which the whole of the Buddhist Bibles, containing more than 8,000,000 syllables, has been engraved. The Burmese alphabet is used, but the language is Pall. This wonderful Bible is absolutely unique. The Kutho-daw was erected in 1857 by Mindon-min, the last King but one of Burmah. The vast col-lection of temples together form a square, with a dominating temple in the center. Each of the marble in the center. Each of the marble slabs on which the sacred text is inscribed is surmounted by an ornamental canopy in pagoda form.

CUTICURA GROWS HAIR

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A. W. Taft, of Independence, Va., writing under date of Sept. 15, 1904, says: "I have had falling hair and dandruff for twelve years and could get nothing to help me. Finally I bought one box of Cuticura Oint-ment and one cake of Cuticura Soap, and they cleared my scalp of the dandruff and stopped the hair falling. Now my hair is growing as well as ever. I highly prize Cuticura Soap as a toilet soap. (Signed) A. W. Taft, Independence Va."

## The Tsar's Dependence.

The Czar Nicholas II. is physically weak; his nerves are shattered, his will feeble. He is amiable where iron-handedness is essential. dependent when a strong individuality is required. He is constantly in subjection first to one influence and then to another. He is more than usually amendable to women's control, and the fair sex has on more than one occasion exercised powerful if not calamitous, influence upon his life.-Everybody's Magazine.

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ever soil is found. Then the farmer talks about Salzer's Teosinte, which produces 100 stocks from one kernel of seed, 11 ft. high, in 100 days, rich in nutrition and greedily eaten by cattle, hogs, etc., and is good for 80 tons of green food per acre.

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