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On Wife's Tombstone.
 Here lies our wife, Samantha Proctor, who ketch'd a cold and wouldn't doctor. She could not stay, she had to go—Praise God from whom all blessings flow. —Judge.

In Madagascar there is a natural fortress with precipitous walls 1,000 feet high. The only means of access is a subterranean passage.

MEAT EATERS, BEWARE.
 Prof. Metchnikoff Warns Against Indulgence in Fleshy Food.

Paris.—Dyspeptic, gouty and rheumatic men and sufferers from diabetes are scientifically warned by Prof. Metchnikoff that the present popular idea on the danger of eating much flesh is well founded. He reports that the human intestine encloses "putrefying" microbes of at least three classes. One of them, discovered by an American savant, produces violent toxins. The second, of Belgian origin, is as poisonous, but its toxins act less energetically than that of the American-discovered microbes. This is the case with the third microbe, which was discovered by an English bacteriologist.

Hot Food Injures Teeth.
 There is no doubt that most people ruin their teeth and digestive system by taking food at the high temperature. One cannot get into a hot bath if it is over 112 degrees; 105 degrees is dangerous, and even 100 degrees is warm. But from experiments made it appears that we eat meat at 115 degrees temperature, beans at 132 degrees, potatoes at 150 degrees. The average temperature of tea is 135 degrees, and it may be sipped, but cannot be swallowed in large quantities, if it exceeds 142 degrees.

Snake Bite Remedy.
 In view of the large number of deaths caused annually in Burma by snake bites it has been decided to distribute as widely as possible through the province the lancets designed by Sir Lauder Brunton for the treatment of snake bite with permanganate of potash, the efficacy of which, if the treatment is at once applied, is now established.

General Lee's Spyglasses.
 Edward R. Dellinger of Washington county, has a spyglass that one belonged to General Robert E. Lee, General Lee lost it while crossing the Potomac at Williamsport with his troops. It was found shortly afterward, with some other things, in a box floating down the river. It is in first-class condition, and Mr. Dellinger prizes it highly.—Baltimore Sun.

PUZZLE SOLVED
 Coffee at Bottom of Trouble.

It takes some people a long time to find out that coffee is hurting them. But when once the fact is clear, most people try to keep away from the thing which is followed by ever increasing detriment to the heart, stomach and nerves.

"Until two years ago I was a heavy coffee drinker," writes an ill. stockman, "and had been all my life. I am now 56 years old.

"About three years ago I began to have nervous spells and could not sleep nights, was bothered by indigestion, bloating and gas on stomach affected my heart.

"I spent lots of money doctoring—one doctor told me I had chronic catarrh of the stomach; another that I had heart disease and was liable to die at any time. They all died me until I was nearly starved, but I seemed to get worse instead of better.

"Having heard of the good Postum, had done for nervous people I discarded coffee altogether and began to use Postum regularly. I soon got better and now, after nearly two years, I can truthfully say I am sound and well.

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SCIENCE

About 1,200,000 gallons of blood are pumped through the adult human heart each year.

A quadrangle screen, which opens or closes as a door to which it is attached at the top is opened or closed, invented by a Kansan, is said to prevent flies and other insects from entering a house.

Experiments are being made in Europe with a microphone for the discovery of the presence of shoals of fish. The instrument is sunk into the water, and the constant tapping of the fish against it as they pass warns the fishermen.

Those who think that invention is approaching its limits would do well to consider the fact stated by M. Abraham, an authority on this subject, that the best telephone does not transmit to the ear more than one-one-thousandth of the energy that it receives from the line.

A poison having the peculiarity of being fatal only to the rat tribe has been discovered in the English sea-anemone or squill. Testing its efficiency, a German investigator ground some sea-anemones with potatoes, and fried the mixture with fat to crisp cakes. This food surprised him by killing forty-three rats in his stable the first night. Remaining rodents were shy on following nights, but after three months a second trial destroyed thirty-two, and no signs of survivors have since been seen.

A French scientist, M. Bertin, in dealing with the subject of coast erosion, mentions that the island of Jersey once formed part of the Continent of Europe. He has also brought to light the interesting fact that there still exists an ancient charter by which a certain abbey was compelled to furnish the necessary plank for communicating with the island from the mainland at low water. The extent to which the sea has encroached on the land is evident from the fact that the journey from the mainland of France to the island by steamboat now takes an hour.

According to a Grimby (Eng.) paper, an important series of secret experiments is being made on behalf of the Government by two local trawlers, the Algona and the Andes, which for several days have been in the English Channel testing the efficacy of their trawl net in bringing up dummy submarine mines. The trawl sweeps the bottom of the sea, and is of immense holding capacity, while the network is eminently suited for breaking explosives. Stray mines broken from their moorings would also be caught by the same means. The skippers not only know every inch of the North Sea, but they can manoeuvre trawlers to sweep the bed of the sea at any given spot in remarkably quick time.

THE ELEVATED HANDSHAKE.
 How It Originated as a Fashion—Empress Josephine's Lace Handkerchiefs.

It appears that some of the present day fashions owe their origin to physical defects. The elevated handshake is one of these, and a Paris contemporary throws an interesting light upon its origin. It appears that a Prince, a leader of society in the French capital, had a carbuncle or some such inconvenient and painful growth on his shoulder. Whenever a friend gave him a handshake the operation as far as the Prince was concerned was most painful. To prevent this he raised his hand horizontally to his shoulder, and, if we may use the expression, had "the whip hand."

This new method of hand shake was the astonishment and admiration of certain persons always on the lookout for the latest in society, who thought that the Prince had inaugurated a new fashion which one sees daily in operation in the Strand.

The daily lace handkerchief which ladies use owes its origin also to the defects of nature. The unhappy Empress Josephine introduced the fashion. She suffered from bad teeth, and living in the time when American dentistry was unknown, she cast about her for some means to hide the defect. The cambric handkerchief with rich lace was the outcome. If the Empress wished to laugh or had to open her mouth widely the handkerchief was requisitioned.

Again, yellow lace has its origin in sadness, according to tradition. A lady of distinction had lost her husband by shipwreck or some other cause. She was impressed with the idea that he would return and vowed to continue wearing until he was restored to her the lace which adorned her dress when she said farewell. Like Josephine's handkerchief, her intimates thought her soiled lace was an innovation in fashion and adopted means to copy it.—London Globe.

Deteriorated Drama.

Since the decay of the stock company system the art of the actor and the taste of the public have alike deteriorated. Stage and auditorium have reacted on one another. The "halls" are swollen to huge dimensions; and musical comedy so effectually rules the theatrical roost that the Sacred Lamp moves like a will-o'-the-wisp from Temple Bar to Piccadilly.—Britannia.

THE HOUSEKEEPER

Soap Economy.
 Bits of soap should never be flung away, but placed in a glass or china jar until a number have been accumulated. They should then be dissolved in boiling water into soap jelly, which may be used for various purposes. That made from the par reserved for toilet soaps may be used for the bath, and that from kitchen and laundry soaps may be used for laundry purposes. Care should be taken to see that every bit of soap added to the jar is clean. It is by no means an uncommon thing to see soap looking anything but attractively clean.—New York Times.

For the Silver Drawer.
 It is difficult to keep the silver-drawer in order, unless it boasts of compartments. This is seldom the case, but the deficiency can be easily supplied. Have one or more flat boxes made, which will fit into the drawer where the silver is kept. Partition each box off very carefully, making the division just the size to hold the knives, forks, spoons, and what not. Line the whole with felt. It is well to have thumb holes made in the boxes at either side, so they may be easily lifted out of the drawer. The saving in scratches to the silver, to say nothing of the saving in time in seeing that everything in the silver line is in its place, more than compensates for the cost of the boxes.—Indianapolis News.

Home-made Mousetrap.
 The mousetrap—the one which garotes without killing as well as that which keeps the small predator imprisoned in fear and trembling—is a barbarism which may be favorably supplanted by the following simple quick and sure death device.

Take a stone crock at least a foot high. Fill it with water and tie it up across the opening, preserve jar fashion, with the pig's bladder or parchment, in which when tightly stretched you cut with a sharp knife a cross cut. Stand this crock near shelf, curtain jars or something which will provide a foothold opportunity for the mouse. Sprinkle near the cross cut bits of cheese or bacon. The mouse will scent the goodies, will climb up on the crock after them and will slip through the cut in the parchment and drown in the water in the crock. The stiff points of the parchment will immediately spring back in position and be ready for more victims.—New York Herald.

Carrot Candelsticks on Table.
 Carrots will have another place than in the soup if the odd whim of a young woman prominent in the Lenox summer colony becomes popular. This young woman is enthusiastic over the carrot as a table decoration, which may be explained in part by the fact that Lenox this season has gone to extremes in cultivating flowers and vegetables. It has been the rule in the Berkshire resort for the hostess to inform her guests that the flowers and vegetables are of "my own growing," and that means that personal attention has been paid to the business and decorative corners of the garden. The weirdly imaginative young woman in question has diverted the carrot from its true mission in the world to stand abuse as a candelstick. It may seem hard to credit this, yet there is the testimony of twenty guests for it. Carrots were scraped and pared to match, and small candles of the same reddish hue topped them off. A choice cutlery was set in contrast with the carrot candelsticks. The head, neatly scooped out and bound with ribbons, was used as a receptacle for small fruits.—New York Press.

Recipes.
 Banana Split.—Take ripe bananas cut lengthwise and lay on small platter. Put ice cream on top, add a few chopped walnuts, 2 or 3 preserved cherries, and raspberry or strawberry jelly. Serve.

Raspberry Sherbet.—One pint of water, 1 pint of sugar; boil 10 minutes, add when cool 1 pint raspberry juice, and the juice from 1 lemon, add whites of 2 well beaten eggs and freeze until firm.

Blueberry cake.—One cup sugar, 3 eggs, 1-2 cup butter, 1 cup milk, 4 cups flour, 1-2 teaspoonfuls cream tartar, 1 teaspoonful soda, 1 pint floured blueberries added last. This makes 2 good cakes.

Gingerbread.—One cup of molasses, light; 1 teaspoonful of soda, 1 teaspoonful of ginger, 1 tablespoonful of shortening, 1-2 teaspoonful salt, 1-2 cup boiling water, 2 cups flour. Mix in order given and bake in a moderate oven 30 minutes.

Fruit Punch.—One pint currant jelly, turn 1 pint of hot water on it. Cut up 1 dozen lemons, 1-2 dozen oranges and 1-2 dozen bananas. Cover with 3 cups of sugar, then add 1 pint jar of raspberries, pineapple and strawberries, add the jelly water, then add 3 quarts of water. If too sweet add more lemons. To give a good color put in a little orangeade.

Strawberry Vinegar.—This makes a delicious cool drink for summer combined with cracked ice in a glass of water. Allow 2 tablespoons to a glass. Small, inferior berries may be used. Over four quarts of berries pour three quarts of white vinegar. Cover and let stand for three days, then strain. Add 1 pint of loaf sugar to each quart of vinegar. Let it come to a boil, skim, bottle and cork tightly.

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KEPT GETTING WORSE.
 Five Years of Awful Kidney Disease, Nat Anderson, Greenwood, S. C., says: "Kidney trouble began about five years ago with dull backache, which got so severe in time that I could not get around. The kidney secretions became badly disordered and at times there was almost a complete stop of the flow. I was examined again and again and treated to no avail and kept getting worse. I have to praise Doan's Kidney Pills for my final relief and cure. Since using them I have gained in strength and flesh and have no sign of kidney trouble."



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Luggage Vans for Ladies' Hats.
 A correspondent of a Belgian Journal suggests that traveling nowadays might be considerably simplified if a number of luggage vans on each railway were reserved for the exclusive transport of ladies' hats.—London Daily Mail.

FIFTEEN YEARS OF SUFFERING.
 Burning, Painful Sores on Legs—Tortured Day and Night—Tried Many Remedies to No Avail—Used Cuticura; Is Well Again.
 "After an attack of rheumatism, running sores broke out on my husband's legs, from below the knees to the ankles. There are no words to tell all the discomfort and great suffering he had to endure night and day. He used every kind of remedy and three physicians treated him, one after the other, without any good results whatever. One day I ordered some Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent. He began to use them and in three weeks all the sores were dried up. The burning fire stopped, and the pains became bearable. After three months he was quite well. I can prove this testimonial at any time. Mrs. V. V. Albert, Upper Frenchville, Me., July 21, 1907."

A large painting, representing the seven Bishops who were committed to the Tower of London in 1688, has been presented to the Archbishop of Canterbury for Lambeth Palace.

Club Starts Movement for More Cultured Talk in This Country.
 A movement for the teaching of better English in the public schools was begun by the Chicago English club here, following charges by various educators that the enunciation of Americans and particularly those of the middle west, was slovenly and ungrammatical. Miss J. A. Wilcox in enumerating instances, asserted she had overheard a teacher say, "I ain't particular how my pupils say a thing. What 'em after is facts."
 "When Edwin Arnold visited this country," said Miss Wilcox, "he took a certain society lady out to dinner. She called attention to the elegant room they were in and described as 'elegant' a pickle that had been served her."
 "If we paid a little more attention to teaching English in our schools we would not hear young ladies speak of Rebecca in Scott's 'Ivanhoe' as 'perfectly grand,' or of Rowena as 'awfully sweet,' and of 'Front de Boeuf' as 'fierec.'"

Colored Gloves.
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Woman to the Rescue.
 The story that a town in South Dakota was saved from a prairie fire by a woman's ingenuity and energy in sacrificing her skirt is good enough to be true, and has an historic precedent. When Commodore Decatur was blockaded at the mouth of a Connecticut river, the Thames, during the war of 1812-14, the rumor was circulated on shore that he lacked flannel for the manufacture of cartridges for his cannon. Thereupon a patriotic resident of the town of Groton, "Mother" Bailey, gained access to Decatur's ship, interviewed the commodore and certified the report. Her next act was a fine exhibition of dexterity as well as a surprise to all who witnessed it. She took off her flannel petticoat, tossed it on the deck and cried: "There! Use that!"—New York Tribune.

New Occupation for Women.
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