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He Stopped the Coughing.

One Sunday morning a clergyman was greatly annoyed by the unusual amount of coughing among his congregation. He had not a strong voice and could only be distinctly heard when the people were still and attentive. As the coughing went on, and even grew worse, he suddenly stopped right in the middle of the sermon. All eyes were instantly turned to the pulpit, every cough was hushed and there was perfect silence.

"My friends," said the minister, with a smile, "it seems you stop when I stop."

This gentle rebuke had the desired effect. The people found that their coughing could be kept down when they liked to a great extent, and the minister proceeded with his sermon under far more favorable conditions.

Ether and Matter.

The densest matter is more or less porous. Gold will absorb mercury as a lump of sugar will absorb water, showing there must be interstices or interatomic spaces in it, but the ether shows no such property. If a drop of water could be magnified sufficiently one would ultimately see the different atoms of hydrogen and oxygen that constitute the molecules of water. If a small volume of ether could be thus magnified the indications are that the ultimate part would look like the first, which is the same as saying that it is not made up of discrete particles, but fills space completely. This is expressed by saying that the ether is a continuous medium and is hence incomparable with matter.

An Odd Bird's Nest.

The oddest of all birds' nests is the one built by the tomtobane, a South African songster. It is built of cotton and always upon the tree producing the material. In constructing the domicile the female works inside and the male outside, where he builds a sentinel box for his own special use. He sits in the box and keeps watch or sings nearly all the time, and when danger comes in the form of a hawk or a snake he warns the family, but never enters the main nest.

Come Out of Your Shell.

Do you allow yourself to become absentminded, wrapped up in a brown study? Look about you. Speak to those that you have been in the habit of ignoring. Make friends with every one. Strive to touch life everywhere you can. You will accomplish your tasks better by so doing than by going forward blindly absorbed in meditation or engrossed by internal musings.

Then He Got Mad.

Husband (impatiently)—If the fool killer would strike this town he would find plenty of work to do. Wife—Is there such a person, dear? Husband—Of course there is. Wife (with anxiety)—Well, I do hope, John, that you will be very careful.

Returned Thoughts.

"Do thoughts that came to you in the long ago ever return?" asked the originator of silly questions.

"Not unless I inclose stamps," answered the literary party.—Chicago News.

Advantages of Travel.

All travel has its advantage. If the passenger visits better countries he may learn to improve his own, and if fortune carries him to worse he may learn to enjoy his own.—Johnson.

Free will is not the liberty to do whatever one likes, but the power of doing whatever one sees ought to be done, even in the face of otherwise overwhelming impulse. There lies freedom indeed.

Now is the time to get two papers for almost the price of one—THE TRIBUNE and Weekly Inter Ocean, \$1.05

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate filings have been made in the county clerk's office since last Thursday evening:

D. B. Wenger to R. W. Devoe wd to lots 2 and 3, blk 21, 1st McCook \$ 400 00

Carrie Mosher to R. Wolfe wd to lot 1, blk 26, Indianola 50 00

Margaret Evans to J. L. Lee wd to pt lots 10 and 11, 32-3-29 500 00

R. W. Devoe to C. L. Wickwire wd to lot 3, blk 21, McCook 210 00

United States to T. D. White pat to sw qr 15-4-27

United States to Y. Moses pat to e hf nw qr and lots 1 and 2, 7-1-27

W. H. Carahan to F. S. Wilcox deed to se qr 22 and sw qr 24-2-30 350 00

H. L. Pohlman to J. Weskup wd to s hf 18-2-27 4,000 00

E. E. Thompson to C. C. Burt wd to w hf ne qr 7-1-27 700 00

County Treasurer to J. Wentz td to lot 5, blk 8, West McCook

L. S. Foutch to E. Timmons wd to ne qr 17-2-28 1,400 00

Lincoln Land Co. to A. E. Pennington wd to lot 4, blk 15, Lebanon 75 00

United States to C. H. Angels pat to ne qr 11-2-29

United States to H. Gale pat to w hf se qr se qr 23 and sw qr 24-2-30

Lincoln Land Co. to A. F. Wheeler wd to lot 2, 3 and 4, blk 3, Bartley Cent add 90 00

A. F. Wheeler to J. E. Jones lots 3 and 4, blk 5, Central add to Bartley 75 00

E. E. Smith to O. Webber wd to lots 1 to 12, C. Esther park 400 00

United States to E. E. Hayes pat to nw qr 34-4-30

United States to C. H. Applegate pat to sw qr 18-1-30

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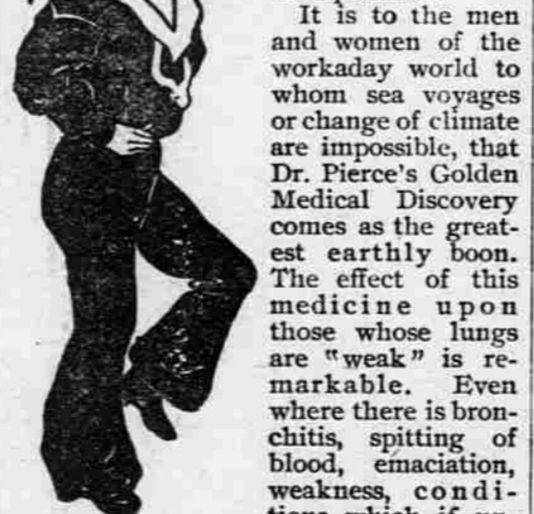
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Lincoln, Neb. Public land sale. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by section 2455 U. S. Rev. Stat., as amended by the act of Congress approved February 28, 1895, we will proceed to offer at public sale on the 27th day of December, next at two o'clock p. m. at this office the following tract of land, to-wit: NE 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 5, Township 1, north, Range 29 W 6th P. M. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are advised to file their claims in this office on or before the day above designated for the commencement of said sale, otherwise their rights will be forfeited. Dated October 30, 1902.

W. A. GREEN, Register.
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Jolly Jack Tar.

"Jolly" is the word generally associated with the jack tar. He is the picture of health, and the health bubbles over in mirth and merriment. When people are sick, especially when sickness attacks the lungs the doctor often advises a sea voyage. But in the large majority of cases the sea voyage is impossible.

It is to the men and women of the workaday world to whom sea voyages or change of climate are impossible, that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery comes as the greatest earthly boon. The effect of this medicine upon those whose lungs are "weak" is remarkable. Even where there is bronchitis, spitting of blood, emaciation, weakness, conditions which if unchecked or unskillfully treated lead to consumption, "Golden Medical Discovery" in ninety-eight cases out of a hundred works a perfect and permanent cure. It strengthens the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, so that the body in all its parts is not merely fed but nourished. And it is by nourishment that Nature builds up the body to resist or throw off disease.



"I had a terrible cough something over a year ago and could find nothing to stop it, or even to do me a particle of good," writes J. M. Farr, Esq., of Cameron, Screven Co., Ga. "I chanced to see an advertisement of yours, and forthwith bought a bottle of your invaluable Golden Medical Discovery." Before I had taken half a bottle I was entirely well."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure constipation.

Gossip About Stage People



JULIA MARLOWE.

MUCH interest is taken in Miss Julia Marlowe's work this season in the interpretation of the role of Katharine in "The Taming of the Shrew." The actress herself is far from a vixenish woman, and just because the part is so difficult for a person of her natural sweetness and winsomeness to take she enters into its portrayal with the more enthusiasm.

Miss Marlowe has succeeded very well in keeping a youthful appearance, partly because of her devotion to diversions out of doors. She has a home in the Catskills where ordinarily she spends much of the time between the theatrical seasons, and on the tennis court or the golf links, walking or automobile, she recruits her energies for the stress and strain of her winter's work before the footlights. Although publicity is an essential to her professional success, Miss Marlowe does not like it when off the stage. She once attended a performance in a New York theater where, despite her request for a seat far back among the orchestra chairs, the management assigned her to a box. At the conclusion of the second act an usher handed her a note which read:

My Dear Miss Marlowe—Will you please sit a little farther forward in the box, as I am anxious to get a good look at you? I have seen you many times on the stage, but never before as yourself. Your admirer.

The writer was a woman and presumably of the genus matinee girl.

E. H. Sothern, who is a co-star with Julia Marlowe in Shakespearean drama, was discouraged by his father, the late E. A. Sothern, from entering upon a stage career. His father desired that he should study art and become a painter. But the boy's taste did not run in that direction, and he was ill at ease while attending his art school in London. His first experience on the stage was in 1879.

He was then nineteen years of age. His father was playing in a piece called "Sam," and the younger Sothern was assigned the part of a cabinman, whose only performance was to enter, bow and say: "Half a crown, your honor. I think you won't object." When it is remembered that the elder Sothern had used every effort to dissuade his boy from acting and had even been stern with him, it may be imagined that the debutant was in no pleasant frame of mind as he entered. Approaching his father, he took off his hat, but was stricken with stage fright and could not open his lips. The father glared at his son.

"Well," said the elder Sothern fiercely, "why don't you say something?"

The words were spoken sotto voce, but young Sothern, who by this time was quite incapable of thinking clearly about anything at all, was persuaded that the audience had heard every word his father had said, and he rushed off the stage broken hearted.

Of course this pleased the elder Sothern, who insisted now that Edward would never make an actor. But the boy was plucky and stuck to it. The next night he repeated his line without a break. He spent one year in his father's company and the next year played with John McCullough. He has since played with many of the foremost actors of the time.

Enrico Caruso, the famous tenor of the Metropolitan Opera company, is back in this country after a summer spent in studying French opera and in completing his home in Florence, the Villa Caruso. It is said that Caruso brought back to America with him upward of 1,000 waistcoats rivaling the rainbow in variety of colors and in brilliancy of hues. One in blue worked silk is studded with silver dollars, embroidered, and another in green worked silk is studded with green eyed lizards in silk of changeable colors.



ENRICO CARUSO.

As a boy Signor Caruso was not used to expensive clothing. His mother was a vender of herbs, it is said.

He was born at Naples thirty-two years ago and received no musical training until the accidental discovery was made that he possessed a remarkable voice. He appeared first in Italian cities, where he made a name for himself, and then followed triumphs in Paris, London, Russia and South America. He came to the United States for the first time two years ago. Shortly after his debut here Director Conried of the Metropolitan Opera company learned that Signor Caruso had been unfortunate enough to get an attack of tonsillitis.

"Alas, alas!" wept the tenor. "I went to the top of a tall building—oh, a very tall building. Your buildings are so magnificent! The wind, he blow hard, but I went up. I wanted to see high."

"Yes," was the response of the exasperated manager, "you wanted to see high, but I wanted you to high C."

A Thackeray Story.

Mrs. Bayard Taylor tells an interesting story of Thackeray in her memoirs "On Two Continents." The Taylors met Thackeray in London soon after their marriage. Mrs. Taylor writes that she found "confirmed in his person the characteristics which I had guessed at from his works—a warm heart under the mask of scathing satire. On the occasion of a small dinner which he gave us he said to my husband, after the gentlemen had rejoined the ladies in the drawing room: 'By the bye, I must give you a wedding present. What shall it be?' Then going to an etagere he took down a silver inkstand and gave it to his friend, in spite of the evident displeasure of his youngest daughter, usually so amiable, who exclaimed with all the naïveté of her fifteen years, 'Oh, not that one, papa!' But papa gave no heed and a few days later sent us the gift with the inscription engraved on it, 'W. M. Thackeray to Bayard Taylor, Oct. 27, 1857.'"

Freak Statue.

One of the most interesting freak statues in England is to the memory of Sir R. Holmes. It is to be seen in the church at Yarmouth, Isle of Wight. The funny thing about it is that it was not originally intended to represent that naval celebrity. It was sculptured for and represents Louis XIV. of France and was being conveyed to that country when the vessel containing it and also the sculptor was captured by an English ship commanded by Sir R. Holmes. The body was finished, the head being left for completion on its arrival in France. On learning who it was for, the English commander compelled the sculptor to finish it by chiseling his (Holmes') head on the king's body. Sir R. Holmes was afterward made governor of the Isle of Wight and held this office from 1697 till 1692, and after his death the statue was erected to his memory.

Snow Banners.

In the Sierra Nevada mountains, when conditions are favorable for the display, there occurs a beautiful and startling phenomenon of nature. At times when the wind drives up the mountain sides in a certain direction and with sufficient velocity there stream out upon the air snow banners from a hundred mountain peaks. They are formed by the circling wind acting upon the light snow and are thick and dark at the top of the mountain, like a flagstaff, then they float away broadly for a mile in length in waves of iridescent light. This magnificent display is rarely seen by other eyes than those of the savages, but sometimes it has been the good fortune of a naturalist to witness it when among the wild beauties of the mountain fastnesses.

Ancient Theatrical Programme.

Theater programmes were known even in ancient times, though they were then of a very peculiar construction. In Greece and Rome they consisted of small tablets, which were handed out to the audience at the entrance. Those occupying the best seats obtained programmes beautifully worked in ivory, while those occupying the cheaper seats were given tablets in bronze.

The bronze tablets were distinguished by a dove worked in the metal, and the term "picconerolo," used in Italy today as designating the lower priced seats in the theaters, dates from this antique custom.

Another Phase.

No person can say with absolute authority just where the line between decision of character and undesirable obstinacy should be drawn, but many persons attempt to do it.

"I like my wife's prompt decisions as to what she'd better do," said the husband of Mrs. Orlando Jones, "and I admire the firmness with which she settles all disputed matters for the children, but the surprising obstinacy which she displays concerning my affairs is a constant surprise to me. It seems so out of character."

Margaret of Austria.

Bearded women have been very numerous. The most noted of the number was the famous Margaret of Austria, appointed by Charles V. to be governor of the Netherlands. She had a long, stiff black beard and, conceiving the idea that it added to the majesty of her appearance, was very careful of it and so combed and trained it as to make it seem much greater than it was.

His Inexperience.

Judge—Have you anything to say, prisoner at the bar, before sentence is passed upon you?

Prisoner—I hope that your honor will take into consideration the youth and inexperience—

Judge (interrupting)—Wha-a-t! You have been convicted seventeen times!

Prisoner—Oh, no, your honor; I was alluding to my counsel.

A Semibelligerent Friend.

"I am so glad I have met you, as I have two favors to ask of you."

"What are they?"

"I want you to lend me \$10 and not to say a word about it to any one."

"Two favors at once, man! That's too much of a good thing. One of them—yes, I won't breathe a word of this to a living soul."

One of the Fallacies.

Clerk—As I am about to get married, I came to ask if you would not give me an increase of salary. Employer—My dear sir, that is not necessary. You know a young man always saves money by marrying.

The Definition of the Defeated. She—And so you think I'm a coquette? Why, I don't believe you know what a coquette is. He (bitterly)—A coquette is a woman who syndicates her affections.—Life.

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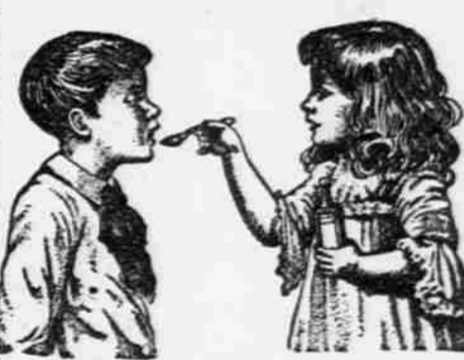
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