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DOCTORS say "Consumption can be cured." Nature alone won't do it. It needs help. Doctors say "Scott's Emulsion is the best help."

GOOD ADVICE TO WIVES.

Max O'Rell Gives Some Points as to Government of Husbands. Max O'Rell, in his book, "Her Royal Highness, Woman," gives this advice to wives: "To rule your husband, my dear lady, do exactly as you please, but always pretend that you do as he pleases."

MERE OPINION.

It must be difficult for a man with a large stomach to retain confidence in himself. The man who isn't being fooled by anybody else generally puts in a good deal of time deceiving himself.

How the young married women do hate the girl who can get the guest of the evening in a corner and keep him interested. Most of us would be down-hearted if we knew what the woman who tells us she is so glad we came says after we have left.

Nun Proves to Be a Man. A nun belonging to the Orthodox convent of the Town of Oral, Russia, who was arrested on the charge of theft, has been discovered to be a man. He had lived for three years as a "sister" in the convent.

Shafter Visits Old Home. Gen. W. R. Shafter has been visiting his old home at Galesburg, Mich., where still stands the log house where he was born. The family burying place is near by and the general visit it, too.

College President Retires. With this collegiate term, Dr. A. J. Battle will retire from the presidency of the Anniston, Ala., female college, concluding nearly forty-one years' experience as the head of various Southern institutions.

Heat in Incandescent Lamps. Incandescent electric lamps give out much more heat than is commonly supposed. Only six per cent of the energy of the current is turned into light the remaining 94 per cent being given off in heat.

Sam Jones Getting Rich. Rev. Sam P. Jones, the sensational Georgia preacher, is doing well financially. He is about to erect a \$25,000 business block in Cartersville, and has made other investments of his surplus income that promise to make him independently rich.

Longevity in Families. Longevity seems to run in families, and sometimes appears to be almost hereditary. Thus Mrs. Keithe of Gloucestershire died in 1772, aged 133. She left three daughters, the eldest aged 111, the second 110 and the youngest 109.

New England's Oldest Lawyer. Albert W. Paine of Bangor, Me., has practiced law continuously for sixty-seven years, having been admitted to the Penobscot county bar on May 23, 1825. He is the oldest lawyer in point of continuous service in New England.

Praises American Scenery. Paul Lindau declares in a recent magazine article that the deepest impression he had ever received on his travels in the new or the old world was given by the Grand Canyon of the Colorado river, in Arizona.

Japanese Had a Grievance. A new reading has been given to the term "free wheel" in Japan. According to the Kobe Chronicle, a young gentleman was brought up at the Ku Saibansho the other day charged with stealing a bicycle.

What the Teachers Are Doing. For eighty years, at least, it has been considered in this country the duty of the state to educate the children. In return for performing that duty the educated people have made the state the greatest compact nation in the world.

Doubtful Compliment. A Texan named A. W. Houston is among the candidates for congressional nomination in the lone star state. Mr. Houston has a very dark complexion—darker than the average mulatto.

Remedy Was Simple. An amusing story is told of a lady who had bought some new gas-burners with mantles. For a week or two the light was satisfactory; then it grew dim and dimmer until finally she sent for the gasfitter.

It's the Same Discount. "As to discounts," said the Chicago drummer as the subject was under discussion, "I believe in 'em and have got proofs of their veracity. It was only a week ago that I dreamed of finding a dollar, and next day I picked up 60 cents from the sidewalk."

A Diamond Fancier. George L. Snow of Salt Lake City, who has been making trouble for "Bat" Masterson and other gamblers, is a big man and he runs much to diamonds. Attached to his watch chain he carries a huge charm with the letter "S" in sparkling gems.

Woman as Doctor's Detective. One of women's latest professions is that of a female resident of Los Angeles, Cal., who acts as a detective for a medical society. She visits doctors suspected of practicing without licenses and gets them to prescribe for any number of purported ills. Then the doctors are called into court.

HAD MIXED THE GENDERS.

Frenchman Apologizes for Silght Mistake in His Grammar. At the annual dinner of the Yale divinity school President Hadley told this story as his contribution: "A Frenchman called on the mayor of Chicago, and as the visitor started to go he felt he must apologize for taking so much of the mayor's time."

Retired Poet Sorely Tried by Prosaic Companion. A retired poet, who is prospecting in the Rockies, writes to a friend his impressions of the scenery. "Whenever I can," he says, "I slip out on some lone peak and drink in a thirsty soulful of sunrises and sunsets, pine-song, star-dream, and all the myriad enchantments of virgin nature."

Sensitiveness of Incubators. "An egg in the process of hatching is remarkably sensitive to vibration," says an expert in the breeding of fowls. The rumble of a train or the passage of a wagon along the street will spoil a whole incubator full of eggs if the faintest vibratory wave reaches the apparatus.

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A Grave Digger's Job.

"Few men are so poorly paid as grave diggers," grumbled an old, gray-whiskered man, as he heaved his spade against a tombstone and lighted his pipe. "We get, you see, so much a grave, and in the best of times we have to work ten and eleven hours a day to get along, while in poor times we pretty nearly starve. Times are especially poor just now. It's been such fine, bracing weather for the last month that hardly anybody has died. My partner and me have sat around three days at a stretch just hoping somebody would drop off, so that a grave would have to be dug. There ought to be a law passed to pay grave diggers a salary, instead of by the job. Then they wouldn't go around with murder in their hearts, the way they're doing now that nobody seems to die."—Philadelphia Record.

Long Sitting of Parliament.

The longest recorded sitting of the British house of commons was in 1881. On Monday, January 31, 1881, the house, having met at 3:45, continued sitting until Wednesday at 9:30—a continuous sitting of upward of forty-one and a half hours. The next longest sitting occurred in 1877. On Tuesday, July 31, 1877, the house, having met at 3:45, continued sitting until Wednesday afternoon at 6:15, a period of twenty-six and a half hours.

The Birthplace of Burns.

Some extensive changes are being made in the Burns cottage, at Alloway, Scotland, where the poet was born; but assurance is given that the external appearance will not be injured, and in a way the place will be made more like what it was in Burns' day, for an outbuilding erected between 1865 and 1819 is to be removed. There is now an entire electric tramway running past the cottage door, and a road is being built between "auld haunted kirrk" and the monument.

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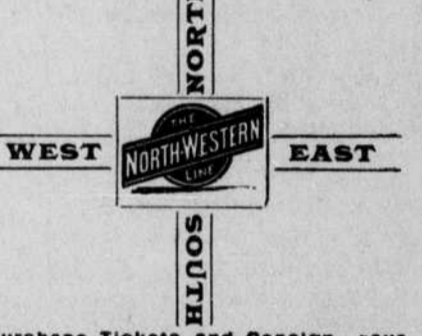
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