He Had Smoked One.

Wife—I noticed to-day that you have smoked only one cigar out of that box I gave you on your birthday nearly six months ago.

Hubby—Ah, do you think I can smoke them, dear? I want to keep them as mementoes of your affection.

Wife—I assure you I would feel just as well if you would smoke them.

Hubby—But I fear I wouldn't.—Binghampton Republican.

DR. T. HERMAN BREHMER, an eminent German authority, says: "Consumption is always due to deficient nutrition of the lungs, caused by bad blood." At the Brompton Hospital for consumptives, London, England, a statement has been published that 52 per cent. of the patients of that institution have unsuspected kidney disorder. This explains why the proprietors of Warner's Safe Cure claim that they have received many testimonials which they have not published, because of the incredulity with which they would be received were it claimed that Warner's Safe Cure cures consumption. But the fact is that if your kidneys be cured and put in a healthy condition they expel the uric acid and poisonous waste matter, and prevent the irritation of the delicate substances of the lungs, thereby removing the cause. When the effect is removed the symptom of kidney disease, which is called consumption, disappears, and with it the irritation, which caused it.

The Evolution of Ears.

At a recent meeting of the Western Microscopical club, of London, Prof. Stewart remarked that while we expect to find the ears upon the head in the larger animals, we look in vain for the same arrangement in the lower invertebrate creatures. Many of these, like the scallop, have no head, others, like crabs and lobsters, have their ears placed on their horns or antennæ, others, like the green grasshopper, have the ear on the fore leg; others, like the fresh water shrimp, have it on the tail. In fact, it would seem that in these lower forms of life, whose origin was long anterior to the evolution of man, nature was feeling her way and making experiments as to the future position of the sense organs.

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In the Wrong Office.

Peddler—"My dear sir, do you know how much time you lose dipping a pen into the ink? Ten dips a minute means 600 dips an hour or 6,000 dips in ten hours, and each dip consumes——"

Business Man—"Yes, I know: I have figured it all out."

Peddler—"And yet I find you writing in the old way."

Business Man—"Yes, I am using the fountain pen you sold me about a month ago—using it in the old way because it won't write in any other way."

Peddler—"Beg pardon; I'm in the wrong office. Good day."—New York Weekly.

A Lucky Haul.

Austin (Tex.) Ball, Feb. 28.

Learning a few days ago that lottery lightning had struck Marlin to the tune of $5,000, and that Messrs. J. E. Johnson and Matt. Walker were the lucky individuals, a Ball representative proceeded to ascertain the truthfulness of the matter. We met Mr. J. E. Johnson in town last Saturday. There was nothing unusual in his countenance or demeanor, and he did not hesitate to state the facts. Mr. Johnson is a young man engaged in the service of Mr. Walker on his ranches, for two years he has been investing a small sum in the Louisiana State Lottery, but the fickle goddess did not smile upon him until last month. On Saturday before the drawing Mr. Johnson and Mr. Walker put up $25 each and purchased 50 fractional tickets. The money was sent by Wells Fargo Express and reached its destination promptly before the drawing, in due time the tickets were received and on examination it was found that they held one-twentieth of ticket No. 64,100, which drew the second capital prize of $100,000. The ticket was placed in the Bank of Marlin for collection and was promptly cashed on presentation, Mr. Johnson receiving $2,500 and Mr. Walker $2,500. Mr. Johnson says he proposes to continue investing a small amount every month. Mr. Walker has been twice lucky, having drawn $2,000 in August last.

A medical aid society for self-supporting women has opened rooms in Philadelphia.

The further extension of the Tien Tsin railway in China has been prohibited.

The situation that has not its ideal was never yet occupied by man.—Carlyle.

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The Double Doors at Tipton.

Going into Tipton, Ind., by rail, I shared my seat with a man who exhibited a spirit of friendliness, and we soon engaged in conversation. Noticing that he was very nervous, I finally made bold to ask if he was skipping out with the funds of a bank or had lately chopped up his family, and he at once relieved his mind in a measure by replying:

"Bless you, boy, I am as harmless as a kitten! I own up to being nervous, and you could never guess the cause. I will tell you that I am on my way to Tipton to pull off a funeral.

"What do you mean?"

"I've been learning the undertaker business in Indianapolis. Served two years at it. Have helped the old man out on thirty or forty scrub funerals and three or four first-class affairs, but this will be my first job all alone. It's my starter. Rich old brewer died yesterday and his wife telegraphed for us to come down and pull off the business?"

"But why are you nervous?"

"There's half a dozen chances for a bad break. The parlor may be a small, tucked-up room, the minister may be late at the house, there may be a miscount as to the number of chairs and carriages. I'll be held for any plunder, you know. If the widow is rich, and I know she is she'll be watching me like a cat. She'll shed tears with one eye and watch out of the other. There'll be flowers to arrange, pall bearers to coach, the driver of the hearse to instruct, and a dozen other things to look out for. Ever in Tipton?"

"No."

"Wish you had been. Wish you knew the house. I'm dreadfully worried about the front door or doors."

"How?"

"Why, if there's only one door, I can't guarantee the job. Sure to be trouble before we get out. If there are double doors, I'm all right, and will show those Tipton undertakers, who'll be on hand to watch and criticise, something to be remembered forever. I'm in a sweat over those doors, and you'll excuse me for any lack of interest in the Samoan question or Harrison's policy."

"I hope there are double doors."

"Thanks. You exhibit the right spirit, and I can assure you that I appreciate your words. There ought to be a law that every house should have double front doors. If there was the undertaking business would become a work of art inside of five years."

Two weeks later I met him in Indianapolis, and as he gripped my hand, I asked him how he found things at Tipton.

"El-egant, beau-tiful!" he exclaimed. "Largest double doors in the State of Indiana, and I pulled off the job so satisfactorily that the widow sent me an extra $50 as a present."

A Century.

New York Herald: One hundred years is not much in the history of a nation. But three generations have passed away since King George concurred in our declaration of independence, and we are therefore at the very beginning of our career as a people.

As the direction which the bullet takes when first it leaves the gun, however, determines its course toward or away from the target, so the benign or evil influences—political, social, commercial —which control our country to-day are a kind of prophecy of our future.

If we may judge by the longevity of other governments we are still in the halcyon days of our national youth; are indulging in the visions, and perhaps the follies, which are incident to that period.

We have simply begun to make preparations for a work to be finished a thousand years hence. We have millions of acres waiting for the hardy courage which will ultimately subdue them. Our magnificent streams are growing impatient to turn the mill wheels of factories yet unbuilt. The western and southern hills and valley hold unmeasured treasures which our children's skill will force from their hiding places. Sixty millions of people are but a handful in comparison with the population which will crowd into these large areas of waste and wilderness when we shall have been silently laid to rest with our forefathers.

The statesman's dream of the future republic goes even further than this. To his mind our manifest destiny will not reach its glorious consummation till with our right hand we grasp the frozen north and with our left the torrid territory of Mexico and Central America.

How to Keep Lent.

The true forte of the emancipated mind is to self denial and self-sacrifice for others. The man who goes without what he wants and denies himself of needed comforts to meet his obligations and help the poor keeps the true Lent. The woman who turns her back on some great temptation and sacrifices her pride and time and cares for the sick and destitute is the true Lent keeper. Long faces are no longer in order. People have no liking for the pisty that makes one look as though he had the colic and talk as though there was a grave stone in his lungs. Sadness is no part of sanctity, and the Lenten season should be as cheerful as great hopes can render it, and filled wieh overflowing joy.

The Grain of Salt.

A lady finding a beggar-boy at her door gave him a meal of coffee, meat, and bread and butter, which he sat down in the area to eat. A moment afterward, however, he rapped beseechingly at the door again, and on its being opened remarked with his hand upon his heart, "If I had but a little salt I should be perfectly happy."

Of course he got the salt.

Human nature is always lacking something. Oftentimes it were better off without its wishes, yet it is universally conceded that no permanent enjoyment can be had without the savor of health, which keeps good cheer fresh and preserves and sweetens life for the future.

The great, ruddy farmer pines because he has not won fame or position. The famous man longs for the lusty health of the sturdy farmer.

The grain of salt is wanting.

How to secure and retain the savor of health in the midst of this rushing, nervous, overworked generation is a problem worthy of our closest attention. It cannot be done with stimulants, which but spur on the over-worked nerves to fresh efforts, only to leave them more jaded and shattered. Nor with narcotics, which temporarily soothe, but to create an unnatural appetite, the terrors of which a De Quincy has so graphically portrayed.

It may be asked, what is the cause of this extreme nervousness, lack of appetite, lung trouble, deficient heart action, failing eyesight, apoplectical tendency, etc. We reply, poisoned blood, caused by diseased kidneys, and the troubles indicated are after all, but symptoms of advanced Kidney Disease, which is but another name for Bright's Disease. Unless remedied there will be a complete breaking down of the great blood-purifying organs, the kidneys, and they will be excreted piecemeal, through the urine.

Now, in the spring of the year, owing to the extra work which has been put upon the Kidneys and Liver, through a meat diet during the winter months, these symptoms are more pronounced, and the danger to the patient correspondingly increased. It is therefore imperative that the poisoned blood be eradicated, and that the Kidneys be put in complete health, which can be speedily and effectually accomplished by the use of Warner's Safe Cure, a tried and proved specific in hundreds of thousands of cases.

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Time Rolls Its Ceaseless Course.

Invention has been succeeded by invention, tending to the benefit of mankind; till the very elements have become subservient to his will. Witness the winged lightning trained to become a fleet and trusty messenger, the placid water converted into a power, the like of which surpasses the understanding

The cunning, craft and ingenuity of man have achieved wonders for his amelioration, comfort and requirements.

Under this connection it may not be out of place to note of what service Dr. Radway has been to his fellow men in discovering and compounding, safe and reliable Medicines for the Relief of pain, and for the cure of disease.

Dr. Radway's Medicines so long and favorably known to the public, have never been more popular than at the present time. Their excellence extends all over the world. They are alike welcomed by the rich as by the poor. In all properly stored homes Radway's Ready Relief, Sarsaparillian Resolvent or Radway's Pills are sure to be found. Dr. Radway's Medicines can at all times be relied upon, each to perform its proper function.

Radway's Ready Relief is a sure antidote for pain, is quicker in its operation, and more powerful than any other preparation; while it is entirely free from the dangerous effects of many which numb the senses and clog the circulation.

Radway's Ready Relief is safe, reliable and effectual because of the stimulating action which it exerts over the nerves and vital powers of the body, adding tone to the one, and inciting to renewed and increased vigor the slumbering vitality of the physical structure, and through this healthful stimulation and increased action, the cause of the Pain is driven away, and a natural condition restored. It is thus that the Ready Relief is so admirably adapted for the cure of pain and without the risk of injury which is sure to result from the use of many of the so-called pain remedies of the day.

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"Oh, thank you!"

"Providing you can show me the deed for the cottage. Good-day."—New York Weekly.

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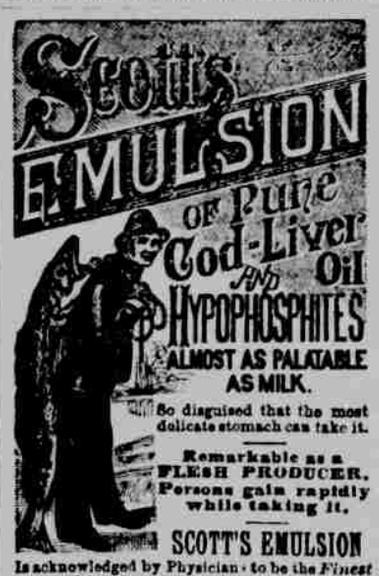

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