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The 7-jeweled Ingersoll

In nickel case, \$8.00; in gold-filled, \$11.50

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"POISONING" THE CHINESE

While trying to afford full protection to their own citizens, this country, Great Britain, and Japan are shipping tons of opium to China, and engaging, it is charged by the International Reform Bureau, in the "greatest poisoning case in the history of crime." For generations opium has been China's curse, but in a happy hour of realization she passed laws prohibiting the growth and use of the poppy within her borders, and set about to cure her "sleeping sickness." Conditions improved after the edict, but there are evidences today, we are informed by missionaries, travelers, and newspaper correspondents, that the situation is especially alarming; latest statistics, say writers on the subject, show that the deadly habit of drug-taking is once more on the increase. For this "international scandal," as it is described by one wrathful critic, Japan, Great Britain, and the United States are held responsible in the order named. Christian leaders protest that self-seeking traders undo much of the good accomplish by missionaries. That there is good reason for alarm is seen in customs records of this country, which, according to press reports, show that within the short period of five months enough morphin and opium were shipped from the one port of Seattle to give a dose to each of the 400,000,000 men, women, and children of China. This and other revelations have united the religious press to support the Jones-Miller bill (now pending in congress), to make unlawful the exportation of morphin, heorin, and other derivatives of opium. The bill, if passed, may lead other countries to do likewise, as it authorizes the secretary of state to request all foreign governments to communicate through the diplomatic

channels copies of the laws in their respective countries which prohibit the exportation of derivatives of opium. "Having recently seen the growing trade that enters China from our western nations, and having talked with leaders of the Christian faith," writes A. B. Parson to The Living Church (Episcopal), "I feel that this matter has a very close bearing on Chinese welfare. It is strange that after China herself with one blow did away with the growing of the poppy and the trade opium, it was left for the United States and Great Britain to revive this iniquitous traffic." Restriction of the traffic, says The Continent (Presbyterian), voicing a general opinion, "is of immed ate importance as a hindrance to the contemptible Japanese exploitation of China's increasing morphin habit, for much of the drug sold so lavishly by Japanese dealers in China is drawn from the United States or is bought in Britain and shipped by way of the United States. . . . Every business which, like the liquor business, makes its money by killing bodies and souls of men and women made in God's image is fated to be wiped out by the social justice of the American citizenship." Two, questions, says The Baptist, are involved in the stoppage of the traffic:

"The first is a business matter. Newspapers on the Pacific coast are stating that the preservation of our commerce with China is directly involved. There is also a moral question. The very life of China is threatened by this traffic, which has been forced upon her by Japan, the United States and Great Britain. While in America there are some 4,000,000 drug addicts, there are in China more than 60,000,000. . . .

"The United States, for its own sake, must get heartily and effectively into this antinarcotics campaign. Even more should it play fair with China. It will be to our everlasting disgrace if Christian nations either themselves promote, or allow other nations to foster, such a tremendous evil."

Testifying before the subcommittee of the House Ways and Means Committee, William F. McKibben, secretary of the China Club in Seattle, said, according to press report, that Japan is securing these drugs for distribution in China as American products, and that because of this "our American prestige in China is extremely jeopardized." He

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PHYSICIAN TELLS HOW IRON-CONTAINING VEGETABLES SUCH AS LENTILS, SPINACH, APPLES, ETC. WHEN REGULARLY TAKEN WITH ORGANIC IRON BUILD GREAT STRENGTH AND ENDURANCE

At their own doors—in the very gardens of those who are weak, nervous and ailing all the while is one of the most valuable tonics and strength-builders known to medical science, said Dr. James Sullivan, formerly physician of Bellevue Hospital (Outdoor Dept.) and the Westchester County Hospital, New York, when consulted recently. Dr. Sullivan further said:—"If your daily diet contains an abundant amount of iron you are giving your body the red blood food it craves. But if your blood lacks iron and is thin, pale and watery you cannot expect to be strong and well. On the contrary, your nerves become weakened and you become irritable, fussy and easily upset. In such cases, what you need is iron—organic iron to remove the cause of your trouble, and the moment organic iron is supplied it is often wonderful how quickly your multitude of symptoms will disappear and how strong and vigorous you will become." But be careful to distinguish between ordinary metallic iron which people usually take and true organic iron. Metallic iron

is iron just as it comes from the action of strong acids on iron filings, while organic iron is a true red blood food, like the iron in your blood itself and like the iron in spinach, lentils and apples. In fact if you will eat a pint or two of spinach, half a pint of lentils and three or four baked apples each day you will probably not need to take any other form of organic iron; but most people prefer to eat a smaller quantity of iron-containing vegetables and take organic iron, like Nuxated Iron, with them. It is like taking extract of beef instead of eating pounds of meat. To prove to yourself what Nuxated Iron can do for you, get your doctor to take a specimen of your blood and make a "blood count" of your red blood corpuscles; then take Nuxated Iron for a month and have a new "blood count" made and see how your red blood corpuscles have increased and how much stronger and better you feel; see how the color has come back to your cheeks, how steady and strong your nerves have become. At all drug-

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