

WHY YOU SHOULD USE



# DEFIANCE TEA

You can't make good tea from poor tea leaves. If you want delicious flavor, fragrance and health-giving qualities, you must buy good tea and then prepare it correctly.

Defiance Tea is the best tea to use, because it is judiciously selected by our own experts from the best tea grown.

It is put up by us in air-tight, parchment-lined packages in the most cleanly manner.

For these reasons Defiance Tea is high-grade, absolutely pure, full strength, and hence greater in refreshing and nerve-soothing qualities. It goes further than most tea, and is therefore more economical.

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Our valuable free offer, printed opposite, is another important "why." Ask your grocer.

LETTS-SPENCER GROCER COMPANY, - ST. JOSEPH, MISSOURI

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of 31 pieces, with your initial in gold, will be given to all users of Defiance Tea and Coffee who take advantage of our liberal offer before Oct. 1st, 1906. Everybody can get a set of these dishes. It is not a competition. No guesswork. Full particulars in each package.

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"This India ink," said the clever Chinese art student, "has no more right to be called Indian than your American redskins have to that name, for India ink all comes from China, and India never produced a stick of it."

"Anhui, my own province, is the one where India ink is made. The best of the ink is kept at home for the use of the royal scribes and the official literati. It is only the lower grade that is exported. This lower grade sells at wholesale in Anhui for \$1,500 a ton.

"The very best grade of India ink, the kind rich with gold, is worth \$75,000 a ton.

"The constituents of India ink are colza oil, pork fat, lampblack, glue, musk, gold leaf and the oil of a poisonous tree, the heng, which grows only in the Yangtse valley.

"After the admixture of the oils the lampblack, the fat and the glue, the resultant paste is beaten for many hours with steel hammers upon wooden anvils, and during that long beating certain quantities of musk and of gold leaf are added, the musk to give the ink perfume, the gold to give it luster.

"Afterward the ink is dried for three weeks in molds. The stocks are then decorated, the most artistic scribes gilding them with very beautiful Chinese characters.

"There is no ink worthy to be mentioned in the same breath with ours, an ink redolent of musk and bright with gold."—Exchange.

### THE RESTLESS MORO.

He is Never Happy Unless on a Marauding Expedition.

The Moro is brave to fearlessness, a born pirate and essentially a first class fighting man. He is never happy unless on a marauding expedition and stealing from his neighbors, friends and foes alike. The chief who is the most successful thief is the most respected and the most powerful among chiefs.

The Moro trades with his neighbors on market days in the various coins of the realm and foreign moneys. At

other times he is a free ocean rover, extending his trading voyages as far north as the islands of Negros and Panay, south to the Celebes and Borneo and westerly to the Palawan. He is the most successful of smugglers, and a little act of piracy when chance offers goes without mention. The Moro is the most perfect of aquatic beings, the most skillful small boat sailor or large "prau" navigator extant. He can no more drown than can a fish. There is no record of a drowned Moro. He can dive to the bottom of the sea at depths of from twenty-five to a hundred feet for the valuable mother-of-pearl shell, and his life is largely lived at sea from infancy. Along the coast many of the Moro villages are built over the water.—Colonel Owen J. Sweet, U. S. A., in Harper's Weekly.

### Importance of Hobbies.

For the well being and stable balance of every mind it is normally necessary that every man should have some pursuit which shall be unconnected with his business, which he must pursue with absolute seriousness. The hobby may be a game, it may be a collection of some sort (even stamps) or it may be some artistic achievement, and whether a man scarcely attains mediocrity even in it matters not at all, provided he pursues it with the fixed idea that nothing else in the world matters.—London Queen.

### Tree Snakes of Borneo.

The flying frogs of the Malays appear to be mythical, but the tree snakes of Borneo are credited with taking flying leaps from the boughs of trees to the ground. It is found that scales on the lower part of the body may be drawn inward so that the whole lower surface becomes concave. The resistance to the air is thus greatly increased and experiments indicate that the snakes do not fall in writhing coils, but are let down gently in a direct line by the parachute-like action of their peculiar bodies.

### The Cravat.

The cravat was once the name of a great military nation, the Croats, or Cravates, of the Balkans. It was their fashion to wrap large shawls or pieces of cloth around their necks and shoulders. About the middle of the reign of

Louis XIV, he uniformed several regiments in the Croat fashion, with huge shawls about their necks. The fashion took, and the shawl diminished in size to the slight strip of cloth we still have with us.

### Hearsay Evidence.

"See here, Jokely, I'm surprised to find you writing such bitter, cynical things about married life."

"Well—er—Benedict, you see, the fact is—er—"

"Oh, don't apologize. It isn't that. What surprises me is how, not being married, you know all these things."—Boston Transcript.

### Friends.

"If a man is friendless it is his own fault."

"That's right. Why, there are fine fellows standing on every corner who would gladly borrow money from him."—Pittsburg Post.

### Social Dictionary.

"Society" is now a combination of men and women who overdress themselves at the expense of their tradesmen that they may overeat themselves at the expense of their friends.—Life.

It is wise to save the first dollar that one makes in business, but wiser to save the last.

### Not His.

"I don't see why Peckham should make a poor mouth all the time. He commands a good salary every week of his life."

"He may command it, but his wife demands it every week."—Philadelphia Ledger.

### Wool Goes Up in Smoke.

Buffalo, Wyo., July 17.—The wool warehouse at Clearmont, containing about 350,000 pounds of wool, burned. The fire is thought to have originated from sparks from an engine. Loss, estimated at \$80,000.

### Fighting at Four Points.

San Salvador, July 17.—Guatemala is fighting Salvador and Honduras at four points on Guatemalan and Honduran territory. Both sides fight bravely, with uncertain results.

# The Chief

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# Inter Ocean

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