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## WHAT PURE WHISKEY IS

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drink before imbibing it. Better still,  
smell the drained glass. The least dis-  
agreeable or foul odor betrays poison  
in the whisky. Perfect distillation  
means the careful separation of the  
first and the end run from the still,  
the poisonous, impure, essential grain-  
oil, (phlegms, fainfs, fusel), from the  
middling product, good, potable spirit.  
Very likely the majority of cheap  
whiskies, either for economy or from  
ignorance, carry more or less of im-  
purities. Such defective liquors could  
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of 90 degrees, and withers and dies if  
the mercury runs up 10 or 15 degrees  
higher, finds it hard to realize a heat  
of 5,400 degrees. Yet, says the Brook-  
lyn Eagle, that is the heat developed  
in the combustion of thermit, a heat  
which welds together pieces of the  
most ponderous machinery, which  
makes it possible to mend iron cast-  
ings weighing tons, which heretofore  
had to be replaced at great expense of  
labor and time; which can unite iron  
rails so perfectly that the jolting can  
scarcely be seen or felt, and a rail can  
be made miles long, instead of 50 or  
a hundred feet at the outside.

This thermit is a compound discov-  
ered by Dr. Hans Goldschmidt, of  
Essen, Germany, who has been lec-  
turing in this country before chemi-  
cal and engineering associations on  
this chemical discovery of his that is  
so full of engineering possibilities; a  
discovery that, unlike so many scien-  
tific discoveries, is not merely inter-  
esting to the scientist, but commer-  
cially valuable in the industrial world.  
The thermit is a mixture of finely  
granulated or powdered aluminum  
with some metallic oxide, most fre-  
quently oxide of iron. This mixture  
looks not unlike gunpowder, or to  
a housewife would suggest mixed tea,  
the light granules being aluminum  
and the dark ones oxide of iron. In  
burning this mixture creates a tem-  
perature, as Dr. Goldschmidt ex-  
pressed it in a paper read at the an-  
nual meeting of the American Society  
of Mechanical Engineers, "about equal  
to that of the electric arc light."

## PATIENT'S LUCKY ESCAPE.

Victim of Blood-Poisoning Saved His  
Limb by Dodging the Surgeons  
---Strange But True.

"We certainly have some strange  
cases to deal with," said the hospital  
attendant, "and an odd one came to  
us recently. An awfully bright but  
eccentric chap was brought here for  
the treatment. He had contracted  
blood poisoning from some colored  
wearing apparel, and it was decided  
that amputation above the knee was  
the only thing that would save his  
life. Of course, we told him about it,  
and made all preparations for it. But  
the strange part was that when we  
got ready for the operation the patient  
was nowhere in sight. He had quietly  
moved out without saying anything to  
anyone. We were frightened, because  
we were afraid it meant the sacrifice  
of his life. But two days later he ap-  
peared again, saying that he had made  
up his mind that if that was his last  
chance for a two-legged bat, he was  
going to have a good one. And I guess  
he had had it, judging by his looks.  
But the most remarkable thing about  
it was that he was so much better  
that the doctors found that it was not  
necessary to operate. Yes, it is a  
strange case—but it is the truth."

## Commercial Camphor.

Practically all the camphor of com-  
merce comes from Japan and Formosa,  
which is a Japanese colony. As Japan  
needs it for making smokeless gunpow-  
der, the government has forbidden its  
export, so that Russia may not get any,  
and also in order that the Japanese pow-  
der mills may not run short. Japan's  
control of the camphor trade gives the  
mikado a sort of control over war  
among other nations.

## A BOY WANTED

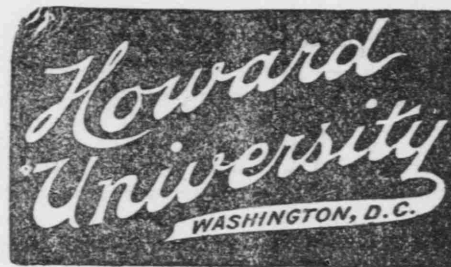


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