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Nervous headaches occur in hysterical or neurotic individuals and those suffering from overwork or worry. In this class might also be mentioned headaches due to eye strain.

The error of vision may be so slight that the patient is not conscious of the impairment of her sight, but the constant effort to counteract it is sapping her nervous energy. When frequent headaches occur it is important to have the vision carefully tested by a competent eye specialist. No further search for a cause may be necessary.

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Good Examples of "Bulls." At an inquest a doctor once stated that "two of the deceased's injuries were fatal, but fortunately the others were not." An Irish paper goes one better and describes how a "dead man was run down by a tram and killed. He was injured in a similar way some years ago."

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COULDN'T GET BEST OF HIM

How One of the Old-Time Yankee Peddlers Made a Trade in a Southern Town.

The genuine Yankee peddler passed out of existence with the creation of the "motion store," but he was a most interesting character, astonishingly "sharp," and frequently amusing. One such appeared in a general store in a southern town on one occasion, deposited his pack on the floor, and remarked to the merchant:

"I guess I couldn't drive a trade with you, colonel?"

"I reckon you calculate just about right!" was the decided reply of the merchant, who had "had dealings" with Yankee peddlers on previous occasions. "Get out!"

"O, well, don't get riled up—no harm done. Now, just look at this dozen genuine razor straps, easy worth three dollars—let you have 'em for two dollars, colonel."

"I wouldn't touch any of your trash—you get out!" the merchant declared.

"Well, now, colonel, I always like to do some business in a place. Tell you what—I'll bet you five dollars that if you make me an offer for them straps, we'll make a trade."

"I'll go you," said the merchant, "and," he added, when the stakes had been put up, "I'll give you a quarter for the straps."

"They're yours, colonel!" said the Yankee, pocketing the wager.

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Should Be Binding Oath.

For a devout and frugal oath, the following, administered to the officials of Slam, is not likely to be outdone: "May the blood flow from the veins, may crocodiles devour me, may I be condemned to carry water to the flames of hell in vessels without bottoms. After death may I enter into the body of a slave. May I suffer the harshest treatment during all times in years as numerous as the sands of the sea. May I be reborn deaf, dumb and blind and afflicted with dire maladies. May I also be thrown into Norak—the lower regions—and tortured by Prea Yam, if I break the oath."

CAPTURES THE LADY'S WATCH

Auburn-Haired Young Man Didn't Mean to Do It, but It Caught on a Button.

He was such a straight, manly fellow—with a military bearing and a soldierly tread. He had auburn hair, and he blushed easily, and, above all, he was keenly alive to the rights of his fellow-beings and anxious to do the right thing by them. But he and his friend were hurrying from the local to catch the subway express, and they would have caught it, but—"He's got my watch!" a woman screamed.

The manly fellow strode on, conscious of virtue. "Hold on, hold on!" said the auburn-haired man's friend, clutching his arm, "you're carrying off a lady's watch," and he untwisted the watch and chain, which had wound itself around his coat button.

The woman was still angry when she overtook them, and scarcely convinced that the blushing man was not old at the game, but she got away in time to board the express.

The auburn-haired man and his friend missed it.

For better, ringworm, eczema, running sores and all skin diseases Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve is guaranteed to give satisfaction or you get your money back. 25c. everywhere.

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Bird That Is Bee's Enemy.

Bees have enemies of various kinds like the rest of creation. Every one knows that many birds are insectivorous, but all insects do not form the food of any one species. The bird which has formed a taste for bees is the blue tit, and if a pair of these discover a suitable nesting place in the neighborhood of an apiary it is surprising how many bees will be carried off to satisfy them and their young. Generally their work is most extensively indulged in, for queens and drones, being largest and slowest on the wing, form a desirable and an easy prey.—Agricultural Economist.

A valuable dressing for flesh wounds, burns, scalds, old sores, rash, chafed skin, is Ballard's Snow Liniment. It is both healing and antiseptic. Price, 25c., 50c. and \$1 per bottle. Sold by X-Ray Pharmacy.

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A noodle machine is a complete little manufacturing plant in itself, and will turn out in a short time noodle, enough to supply the town. It can be operated by hand or by mechanical power. It requires only about one eighth of a horsepower to run the larger-sized machine. The machine can be adjusted in a second so as to cut the noodles different sizes, from the width of a thread up to half an inch. Although a small machine, it is mighty in the work it performs. It may be placed where customers can see it, and the noodles "cut to order."

Contrary to general supposition noodles are also used for dishes other than soup. Noodle soup in itself, however, is a dish relished by nearly everybody regardless of nationality. The noodles must, of course, first be boiled by the housewife, after which they may be served in various ways.

The Germans often serve noodles with German prunes. Noodles may also be served with salt and butter. They may be served with chili. The Italians take the cooked noodles, add seasoned tomatoes and bake for half an hour. Noodles make an excellent dessert by pouring melted butter over them and adding chopped nuts or fruit.—Baker's Weekly.

To have a fine, healthy complexion the liver must be active, the bowels regular and the blood pure. All this is brought about by using Herbine. It thoroughly cleans the liver, stomach and bowels, puts the body in fine condition and restores that clear, pink and white complexion so much desired by ladies. Price, 50c. Sold by X-Ray Pharmacy.

VALUE OF A STRONG MEMORY

Some Who Possess It Are Not Otherwise Above the Ordinary—Children Learn Readily.

While a strong memory is a great convenience, it is not necessarily an advantage.

Cardinal Mezzofanti, whose memory for words was so retentive that he never forgot one after hearing it once, and which enabled him to acquire more than a hundred languages, was in most respects a very ordinary person. Pliny relates that Mithridates, king of Pontus, had so excellent a memory that he was able to speak fluently 22 languages native to the provinces of his vast empire. Yet he was a cruel barbarian.

A well-known peripatetic elocutionist and reciter still living declares that he can repeat, without further preparation, about 3,000 selections in prose and poetry. He probably tells the truth, since he has been training his mind in this particular direction for many years.

On the other hand, such men as Sir Walter Scott, Macaulay, and Gladstone were not only possessors of excellent memories, they were also men of good judgment.

Among human beings children have the most remarkable memories. Under favorable circumstances they will learn three and even four languages, so as to be able to express their thoughts with equal ease in any one of them by the time they are six or seven years of age.

And they accomplish this remarkable feat without any aid from the mnemonic devices to which adults are compelled to resort when they undertake a similar task. They learn words and phrases unconsciously, and rarely forget them as long as they live. On the other hand, grown-ups rarely acquire accurate pronunciation of a foreign language, although they may be able to use it with entire correctness. It is a common belief that the memory is more tenacious in early life than in later years. That seems to depend almost entirely on the individual.

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Succession Sale.

State of Louisiana—Parish of Ascension—Twenty-Seventh Judicial District Court.

Succession of "Ernie Knott No. 673
BY VIRTUE OF and in obedience to an order of sale, issued by the above named court in the above entitled and numbered cause, and as directed, I have taken into my possession and will sell at public auction to the last and highest bidder, according to law, at the principal front door of the courthouse of the parish of Ascension, in the town of Donaldsonville, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

IMMOVABLES.
A certain lot of ground lying and being situated in the parish of Ascension, Louisiana, in the rear of the right of way of the Texas & Pacific Railway Co., in Donaldsonville, Louisiana, on the east side of said railway as lot No. 23, measuring forty feet front on St. Elizabeth street, by one hundred and two feet in depth, and lot being bounded on one side by lot No. 20, on the other side by lot No. 22, and in the rear by lot No. 24; together with all the buildings and improvements thereon and thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining; being the same property acquired by Corinne Knott from Margaret Johnson, widow of Reuben Johnson, by act of exchange before Edmund Almarin, notary public, on November 23, 1909, and is recorded in book of Conveyances No. 28, folio 444.

MOVABLES.
In front room of residence: One Victoria bed, dresser, one washstand, one wardrobe, one lamp, one clock, two center tables, two moss mattresses, one washstand set, one set of quilts, one rug, one rug, one rug, one rug, one rug, one wearing apparel, one gold-handled umbrella, one rattan rocker, two cushions, one album, one trunk, three chairs.

In second room of residence: One iron bed, mattress and bar, two center tables, five pictures, one table, one rug, one rug, one rug, one rug, one rug, one table cover, matting on floor, one rug, four iron chairs, two chairs.

In kitchen of residence: One kitchen stove and sink, one lamp, one table, one half-dozen sets of knives, forks, table spoons and tea-spoons, and one butter knife, all silver.

Terms—Cash in United States currency.
E. C. HANSON,
Sheriff, Parish of Ascension,
Donaldsonville, La., Mar. 4, 1911.

Sheriff's Sale.

State of Louisiana—Parish of Ascension—Twenty-Seventh Judicial District Court.

Ficard & Geismar, Ltd., Vs. No. 1926 Victoria Johnson et als.

BY VIRTUE OF and in obedience to an order of seizure and sale, issued by the above named court in the above entitled and numbered cause, and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession, and will sell at public auction to the last and highest bidder, according to law, at the principal front door of the courthouse of the parish of Ascension, in the town of Donaldsonville, on

SATURDAY, MAY 6, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

First. A certain tract of land situated in the parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana, containing and being all the land lying north of the slough or bayou and that land lying north of a land lying north of a line running east and starting from a point the farthest south on said slough or bayou, containing thirteen (13) acres more or less, bounded on the north by lands of Smith Stephens and others, on the south by lands of L. Ficard, the east by lands of Mary Stephens, and on the west by lands of Arthur Burnett.

Second. A certain tract of land situated in the parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana, containing twenty-seven (27) acres and bounded as follows: On the north by lands of Henry Bernard and Francois Johnson and others, on the south by lands of R. W. Allison, on the west by lands of Arthur Burnett, and on the east by lands of Elton Robertson, now Francis & Geismar.

Third. A certain tract of land situated in the parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana, containing twenty (20) acres and bounded as follows: On the north by lands of Ficard & Geismar, Ltd., on the south by lands of Joseph S. Amant or public road, on the east by lands of R. W. Allison, and on the west by lands of R. W. Allison.

Making a total of sixty (60) acres herein said and conveyed in tracts first, second and third, together with all of the buildings and improvements thereon and thereunto belonging, and being a fractional part of the east half of the northwestern quarter of section thirty-one, in township nine south, range three east, southeastern district east of the Mississippi river.

Terms—Cash in United States currency.
E. C. HANSON,
Sheriff, Parish of Ascension,
Donaldsonville, La., April 11, 1911.

Partition Sale.

State of Louisiana—Parish of Ascension—Twenty-Seventh Judicial District Court.

Bourque vs Bourque

BY VIRTUE OF and in obedience to a writ of sale issued by the above named court in the above entitled cause, and to me directed, I have sold at public auction to the last and highest bidder, according to law, at the principal front door of the courthouse of the parish of Ascension, in the town of Donaldsonville, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 1911, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land situated in the parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana and being the northern portion of the southeast quarter of section sixteen, township nine south, range three east, northern portion of a w. l. sec 16 to a sec 16 containing thirty-five acres more or less, St. Helena meridian, sec 1 of Mississippi river. Said land being a portion of the same property acquired by the late Genevieve Longpre, Sr., from R. Prosper Landry on the first day of August, 1885, by act before J. E. Fernandez, deputy clerk of court, and executed notary, and recorded in the office of the clerk of court of the parish of Ascension, in Book of Conveyances No. 28, folio 22.

Terms—Cash in United States currency.
E. C. HANSON,
Sheriff, Parish of Ascension,
Donaldsonville, La., March 18, 1911.

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