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Russell's little book of announcements. It is only a catalogue, of course, but its form is quite unusual. From the carefully selected cover of rough gray paper to the dignified red and black print, it is very satisfying.

On picking up "The God Yutzo" one is inclined to quote Kipling: "A rag, a bone"—but that is as far as one gets, for the resemblance, in a literal sense, ends here.

To any one who has attempted to find plays suitable for the school, the meagreness of available material is well known. Therefore a book of simple little dramas of the kind that are not only suitable for the school, but very little folk and boys and girls of older years has a place waiting it.

On Our Book Table. From E. W. Porter Company: "The God Yutzo of 763 B. C." by Lord Gilholley. Second edition. Frederick A. Stokes company.

Analysis of Its Contents Not Yet Completed. CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—The analysis of the contents of John B. Ketcham's stomach, upon which, practically, depends the operation or possibly arrest of Mabel Walker's fatal disease, received an unexpected set-back today.

SWALLOWS DEADLY GERMS.

Dr. Thomas Powell's Own Story of How for Ten Years He Has Taken the Bacilli of Virulent Diseases Into His System

WITHOUT ANY HARM RESULTING.

He Laughs at the Theory of Contagion, and Claims That Disease Germs Occasionally Do People Good.

HAS EXPERIMENTED FOR TEN YEARS.

And Now for the First Time Gives to the World the Story of His Defiance to the Death-Dealing Bacilli.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 18.—Men that obstructing matter which constitutes predisposition to disease, and cause it to be passed out by the blood.

DR. THOMAS POWELL,



Of Los Angeles, who, before committing ces of medical men, swallows deadly germs in the interest of science.

cases, for the specific purpose of shutting the time-honored theories regarding the transmission of contagious complaints from one person to another, incredible as it may seem, Dr. Powell has not only survived the desperate experiments that he has undertaken, but has never shown the slightest signs of any ill effects resulting from them.

Dr. Powell has decided that the time has come for giving to the world the result of his experiments, which he claims have been a complete and unqualified success.

"Before going into the details of my experiments, I want to preface my statements with the explanation that I do not declare the germs to be harmless in all cases."

"I am progressing toward a climax in my opposition to the greatest delusion of the world's history, and which will consist of its never acknowledged and conclusive demonstration over made in the establishment of a scientific proposition."

body, I made the experiments upon myself, then upon members of my own family, and lastly upon such patients as were within the range of safe experimentation. I inoculated myself with the most virulent typhoid bacilli obtainable, having first eradicated from my system any predisposing cause for the disease.

"I made the greatest trial of all. In the presence of twenty-five physicians I took first the bacilli of typhoid into the stomach, enclosed in gelatine capsules; and second the bacilli of diphtheria by both the vaccination method and subcutaneous inoculation.

"I am progressing toward a climax in my opposition to the greatest delusion of the world's history, which will consist of the most astounding and conclusive demonstration ever made in the establishment of a scientific proposition. So confident am I that the scientists of the world are at fault in their germ theories that I challenge any one to bring to me the bacilli of any disease known to the medical profession, and I promise to take into my

respiration, and it was unanimously declared that these inoculations produced no greater effect upon me than might have been expected from a like quantity of water.

STILL THEY COME!

Ever since we started our Great Overstocked Sacrifice Sale, Wednesday, Nov. 10th, our store has been literally thronged with shrewd shoppers, who have found that we have kept every promise made in our advertisements.

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system, in the presence of any jury of physicians that may be selected, germs that have been cultivated into deadly activity by the usual processes.

The physicians in whose presence Dr. Powell has made the experiments have been completely dumfounded by the ease and facility with which he has uprooted medical landmarks and smashed the chilled steel of scientific prejudice.

CHRISTMAS MAGAZINES.

Cosmopolitan for November contains among many other things of note a sensational story by E. F. Benson. "The Death of Demetrius" is a striking sketch of an expatriated Greek, who, even in the midst of his sordid passion for money making, is shaken by the country's decline.

The first edition of the Christmas number of McClure's Magazine will be a third of a million copies. It will have a new cover, and will contain pictures by F. S. Church, Charles Dana Gibson, Ernest W. Stead, and other of the best known artists.

The Christmas Ladies' Home Journal will have Christmas stories by Mary E. Wilkins, Dorothy Stuart, Hamlin Garland, Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney, Mrs. Mark Morrison and Lillian Bell.

GIGANTIC ENTERPRISE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The Herald says: Several of the leading directors of the Canadian Pacific railway, who are backed by unlimited English capital and have the promise of liberal grants from the Canadian government, have organized an extensive mining company, which promises to mine anything that was ever projected in this country.

It is now definitely known that President Van Horn, Lord Mount Stephen and other influential directors of that company, who are also interested in telegraph matters, will take a leading part in the new projects, and besides the English capital, it is reported that John W. Mackay and the Rothschilds are interested.

Advertisement for a book or publication, featuring a portrait of a man and the text: "I am progressing toward a climax in my opposition to the greatest delusion of the world's history, and which will consist of its never acknowledged and conclusive demonstration over made in the establishment of a scientific proposition." Signed: Thomas Powell M.D.