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### THE BODY AND THE MIND.

**Why the Former Should Be Cultivated For the Sake of the Latter.**

The important subject of physical culture is not considered as it ought to be by the majority of men and women, and there is almost absolute ignorance of the makeup of the body on the part of even intelligent people, with little desire for such knowledge, although health, beauty and success depend largely on the treatment given to the body. Mental acquirements are blindly worshipped, while the essential question of health receives little thought, and hence it is almost impossible to find men in the ordinary walks of active life, at middle age, who do not complain of impaired health and want of vital force.

Without a sound body one cannot have a sound mind, and unless proper attention is given to the culture of the body good health cannot be expected. Plato is said to have called a certain man lame because he exercised the mind while the body was allowed to suffer. This is done to an alarming extent nowadays. Brain workers, as a rule, exercise no part of the body except the head, and consequently suffer from indigestion, palpitation of the heart, insomnia and other ills, which if neglected generally prove fatal. Brilliant and successful men are constantly obliged to give up work through the growing malady of nervous prostration. The number of those who succumb to it has increased to an alarming extent of late years and that of suicides hardly less. Few will question that this is owing to overworking the brain and the neglect of body culture.

Vitality becomes impaired and strength consumed by mental demands, which are nowadays raised to a perilous height, and it is only by careful attention to physical development and by judicious bodily exercise that the brainworker can counteract the mental strain. Women rarely consider the importance of physical culture, yet they need physical training almost more than men do. Thousands of our young women are unfit to become wives or mothers, who might be strong and beautiful if they gave a short time daily to physical development.—Lippincott's Magazine.

**How Jack Gets Whisky.**

One of the most arduous tasks devolving upon the officers of a warship is that of preventing the men from smuggling intoxicants aboard the ship.

A company of half a dozen men on one of the warships here during the naval review had a young parrot for a pet housed in a gorgeous big cage. The bird was the successor of several that had occupied the same cage during a stay at a tropical port. The owners seemed to be unfortunate with their pets, which lived only a short time. The one they brought here, which had stood the voyage well, died soon after the ship arrived in port. The men took the cage ashore and got some other kind of bird. That also soon died, and so did four or five others in succession within a few weeks.

Finally the officers noticed the great mortality of pet birds, as they had also noticed the great frequency with which the joint owners of these pets got mysteriously drunk aboard ship. A suspicion dawned upon them, and they seized the birdcage. They found it had a false bottom, with a capacity for several quarts of whisky, and also that the food tins and even the thick bars were hollow. The men had killed their cheap pet when other schemes for obtaining liquor were not available, and taking the cage ashore for another came back with a new bird and half a gallon or so of whisky.—New York Sun.

**The Shackles Worn by John Brown.**

James N. Atwood of this town has in his possession the shackles worn by John Brown when he was captured. Soon after the execution of John Brown, in 1859, Rev. Hezekiah Atwood, originally of Livermore, Me., was in Charleston, Va., and while there visited the jail where Brown was incarcerated awaiting execution. He was shown the leg irons which were placed upon Brown at the time of his capture and worn constantly by him until his execution. He tried to purchase the shackles, but was told that it would be impossible. Asking the old negro what would happen if the irons should disappear and another pair be substituted, he replied that "the number would be good," evidently with no idea of their historical value. Mr. Atwood after much difficulty procured another pair at an expense of \$5 and was soon in possession of the coveted shackles. At one time during the lifetime of Mr. Atwood they were used in lectures by Henry Ward Beecher.—Livermore Falls (Me.) Letter.

**Gas Escaped.**

Ministers sometimes play good jokes upon themselves. Rev. Thomas K. Beecher tells the following:

"Some years ago a young man named Plympton came to Elmira to take charge of a paper. I was in the habit of publishing my church notices in the paper, and one Saturday night the gas gave out and promised to stay out for a day or two. So I ran over to Plympton and said: 'Just say, "Services as usual, excepting the gas."'

"'Shall I print it in just that way?' asked Plympton.

"'Certainly,' I said, and left him. He did publish it that way, and next day narrowly escaped being tarred and feathered at the hands of a committee of my deacons, who thought he was ridiculing me."—Ram's Horn.

**Tommy's Bad Break.**

"We are going to have pie for dinner," said Tommy Uptown to the minister.

"Indeed!" laughed the clergyman, amused at the little boy's alertness, "and what kind of pie is it?"

"It's a new kind. Ma was talking this morning about pa bringing you home to dinner so often, and pa said he didn't care what she thought, and ma said she would make him eat humble pie before the day was over, so I suppose we are going to have it for dinner."

Telephone—Tommy's Times.

### COUNTRY BUILDING.

**Transfers.**

Dec. 27.—Sarah Shaw to Eliza Shaw and lot 7, block 9, Original Town of Cordova, \$500.

Cordova Cemetery, association to Sarah and Eliza Shaw, lot 1, block 14, Cordova cemetery, \$5.

Martha Schlegel to Ida C. Schlegel, lot 2, Buford's Second add., Rock Island, \$1.

Samuel A. Lynde et al., to Harriet Martin, part lots 3, block 5, Wood's Second add., Moline, and lot 3, block 22, Old Town of Moline, \$1.

**Probate.**

Dec. 28.—Estate of Grace W. Keator. Letters of administration issued to Ben C. Keator. Bond filed and approved. W. R. Moore, Robert K. Swan and Rufus A. Smith appointed appraisers.

Estate of Joseph Kinnan. Bond of Mary J. Matthews filed and approved and letters of administration issued to her.

Estate of John Vanderveer. Widow's relinquishment and selection filed and approved, and order turning over property selected to widow.

Estate of John A. Boyer. Order authorizing executors to release on margin of record mortgage from Peter Mark to deceased, paid during life time of deceased.

Estate of Howard Wells. Claims allowed.

**Queer Salutations.**

The Abyssinians drop on their knees and kiss the earth when they meet. In saluting a woman the Mandinkas take her hand, put it to their nose and smell it twice. The Egyptians stretch out one hand, then lay it on their breast and bow the head. Among the less civilized tribes of the old world, say, the Kalmucks and in Polynesia, the custom of rubbing noses is pretty general. Perhaps the most extraordinary form of salutation is to be found in Tibet, where the natives put out their tongues, gnash their teeth and scratch their ears.—Lauder and Volkerkunde.

**Her Scheme Failed.**

The latest instance of crime bringing its own punishment comes, in the authority of Dr. Leonard Guthrie, from Italy. An Italian woman had a husband, and the husband had a drooper. But the drooper did not work quickly enough. The woman put a tumbler into her husband's wine to poison him. But the poison which the tumbler contained has an active principle—phrynia—which much resembles digitalis, which is the best possible remedy for droopy pending on heart disease. So, instead of killing her husband, she restored him to health.—San Francisco Argonaut.

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Edward Sheppard, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of electric bitters and seven boxes of Buckley's Arnica salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Spearer, Catawba, Ohio, had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Buckley's Arnica salve cured him entirely. Sold by Hartz & Ulmeyer's drug store.

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