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Will Prima cure a leper's spots,
Or turn the red man blue?

Oh, no, my child; but I'll tell you
What Prima'll surely do;
'Twill kill the ivy poison,
And make chilblains look blue.

Then come, let's buy a bottle
To give to Sister Sue,
For it will cure her trouble,
And make her look like new.

BRIGHTWOOD NEWS.

At the regular meeting of the Brightwood Citizens' Association, held a week ago last night, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year: Louis P. Shoemaker, president (third consecutive term); Wilton J. Lambert, first vice-president; Edward T. Bates, second vice-president; Claude F. King, third vice-president; A. G. Osborn, fourth vice-president; John G. Keene, secretary; Cuvier Green, assistant secretary; N. E. Robinson, treasurer.

President Shoemaker read his annual report and Mr. Lambert offered a resolution favoring the establishment of manufacturing enterprises in the District.

Mr. Robinson, of the railroad committee, submitted a report looking to the running of through cars as far as G street or to the Center Market, and favoring the running of "trippers" to the loop.

QUIK RESULTS.

N. Studer's seasonable announcement on 8th page appeared for the first time in our issue of Saturday, Nov. 3, 1900, and the responses were so prompt that on Tuesday, Nov. 6, he wrote the editor as follows:

Anacostia, D. C., Nov. 6, 1900.
Dear Sir:—Come over to-morrow. People want already more information in regard to varieties of stock, hence I will have to alter the ad.

Yours,
N. STUDER.

On Wednesday he ordered a much larger display ad., which will appear next week. Any square business man, who has something to offer that suburban people want, can use these columns to his financial advantage.

...THE LETTER...

Mr. W. A. Hahn,
Prop. Hahn's Reliable Dye House,
705 Ninth street, N. W.
Dear Sir:—We find you have been advertising in our columns constantly since July, 1899, when this paper was established.

You are the only business man who was with us then and still remains with us and since you have been advertising in our columns continuously for a period of more than ten years we naturally have a curiosity to know how well you are satisfied with the publicity we have given you.

Respectfully yours,
THE SUBURBAN CITIZEN.

THE REPLY.

Editor Suburban Citizen.
Dear Sir:—In answer to your request I will say I am very well satisfied with results from my ad. in your paper. The fact of my ad. being in your paper for over ten years speaks for itself.

Respectfully,
W. A. HAHN,
705 Ninth street N. W.

An Idea for Boys.

Boys who suffer from visits of minks to their poultry yards should raise these animals instead of chickens. Mr. E. N. Cheney of Lake Mills, Wis., has been doing this for several months, and selling hides to furriers at an average of \$3 apiece. This mink farm, which is probably the first of the kind, is thirty-two feet wide. There is a roomy shed with little boxes for the minks, and a 10 by 12 open yard for the animals to run and play in. The "farm" is surrounded by a fence so built that the minks cannot jump over it. They like to come out in the evening, and it is then that they are fed on meat and game. During the summer a large trough of water was kept in the yard, and it was great fun to watch the minks swim, frolic and catch frogs in the water.

THE WORLD'S IRON.

Our Race With Great Britain For Leadership.

"Four hundred years ago the entire world produced and found use for sixty thousand tons of iron annually; to-day it produces and uses forty million tons every year, a growth so marvelous as to surpass belief were it not verified by figures which cannot be disputed. Four hundred years ago the United States were not in existence; in 1585 iron ore was discovered in what is now North Carolina and the first attempt to manufacture it was made in Virginia in 1619. In 1643-45 a blast furnace was built at Lynn, Mass., and three years later a forge was erected. Interference by legislation of the British Parliament stopped the work for a time, but it was resumed later, and in 1740 one thousand tons of iron were produced. In 1790 the United States gave to the world 30,000 tons of iron, and was exceeded among iron producing countries by Great Britain, France and Germany; then it went forward at great leaps until 1870, when, with an output of 1,970,000 tons, it had passed France and stood second to Great Britain, the leader of the iron world for four hundred years. For about twenty-five years the two great nations stood in this relation, the United States gaining a little one year to lose it another, but in 1890, after a Titanic race of over one hundred years, we forged to the front and led the leader of the world of nations with the production of 9,202,703 tons, an increase over the British output of 1,308,480 tons. We held the lead for three years, but in 1894 we lost it to gain it again in 1895, to lose it in 1896; but in 1897 we led again, and again in 1898, and in 1899, with our output of 13,620,703 tons, exceeding that of Great Britain by 4,315,304 tons, we have put our great competitor out of the race. This excess over Great Britain's product is greater than our entire annual output of but fourteen years ago. Verily, for the youngest of the great nations we have done exceedingly well, and we shall hold the position we have reached because our youth gives us the advantage of illimitable fields of fuel and ore which are as yet practically untouched and easy of access, while those of the old countries in competition have been worked almost to the limit. Under such conditions, it is safe to predict that the United States will not only lead the world in iron production, but in time will supply all the nations of the earth with their iron. That this country has so rapidly reached first place and already produces nearly thirty-five per cent. of the world's product is earnest of what is to do when its full energies and resources are brought into active operation."—W. J. Lampton, in Ainslee's.

Glacial Drifts in America.

The absence of glacial phenomena in Northern Alaska, the occurrence of glacial drift from the south at the mouth of the Mackenzie River, of drift from the West on the west side of Hudson Bay, and from the east on the east side, the non-glaciation of a long belt to the east of the Canadian Rockies, these and other facts of similar order have led Canadian geologists to a recognition of at least three distinct centres of dispersion of the ice of glacial time. They are named the Cordilleran, the Keewatin and the Labradorian glaciers, the names indicating the regions from which the ice flowed in all directions.

Not only were these three great glaciers distinct from one another geographically, but, according to Tyrrell, they were not strictly synchronous. This energetic explorer and writer cites evidence to show that the more westerly or Cordilleran glacier had almost disappeared before the Keewatin glacier had attained its maximum of development, and that the latter was in turn on its decline at the time of the maximum extension of the Labradorian glacier.

It cannot yet, however, be claimed that the succession of these great glaciers in time is sufficiently well established to merit unqualified acceptance, and it will require an extended and severely critical study of these great ice sheets to properly test Tyndall's hypothesis.—International Monthly.

Britain Ruled by Aliens.

What strikes one very forcibly in thinking over the subject is the curious anomaly to be found in the fact that a people so intensely national and so contemptuously anti-foreign as the English should be governed by a line of sovereigns who are quite un-English. The royal family of Great Britain is, indeed, entirely German in blood, in appearance and in personal tastes. It is understood that during the late Queen's lifetime German was the language used by her in her private intercourse with her immediate household, and the present King has all the guttural enunciation of the true Hano-verian. And why not? His ancestors on both sides and for many generations were thoroughly German. George II. spoke English very badly; George I. could not speak or understand it at all. In order to find anything like British blood in Edward VII.'s pedigree one must go back several centuries to the House of Stuart—which was Scotch—or, still further, to the House of Tudor—which was Welsh—or to the House of Plantagenet—which was Norman-French. It is a curious instance of the irony of history that the English people, of all others, should be ruled by foreigners.—From Here and There, by H. T. P., in the Bookman.

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