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the Theory of "Retarding Vital Contion"-Franklin and the Flies-Work the Heart Does-Recent Experiment In the Partial Vegetarian System.

Among the various fantastic theories for prolonging life one of the most popular at the end of the eighteenth century was what was called "retarding vital consumption." Maupertuis fancied that a complete suspension of vital activity, a sort of Rip Van Winkle sleep, might be produced so as to check self consump tion. Bodies in this state could be laid away and then resuscitated after a lapse of two or three centuries. Benjamin Franklin even, while living in France, seems to have had faith in this. One day he received some bottles of wine from Virginia. In one of them-only one-were a few dead flies, which the great philosopher resolved to utilize in an experiment. The month was July, and these imported flies, which had been on a spree in Virginia, had fallen into the native wine and had been in this state shipped to France, where they were exposed to the heat of the French sun. Three hours passed, and the winged Ask your dealer first, and take nothing that has not above trade mark, if you desire perfect satisfaction. All others are imitations absolutely.

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THE CELLULOID COMPANY, 437-25 Breadway, REW YORE. Virginians came to life after an apparent death of many weeks. At first a sort of convulsive movement seized them. They began then to use their legs, walked around awhile, and seeming to be aware that they were in France immediately concluded to make their toilet by rubbing their eyes with their fore feet, using their hind legs to smooth out their wings. They then flew away to associate with Paris flies. Franklin wrote of the incident:

"Since by such a complete suspension of all internal as well as external consumption it is possible to produce a pause of life and at the same time to preserve the vital principle, might not such a process be employed in regard to man? I can imagine no greater pleasure than to cause myself to be immersed, can imagine no greater pleasure along with a few good friends, in wine and to be again called back to life at the end of 50 or more years by the genial solar rays of my native country, only that I may see what improvement the state has made and what changes time has brought with it."

It was once thought that people died from lack of what physicians called "the vital principle." It is a phrase that has a fine, vague, mysterious sound, but it really means little or nothing. Or, in other words, it is now conceded that death comes from disintegration, very gradual often, it is true, in all the bodily organs, brought about by the all important blood being blocked up by accretions which close the channels lead ing from the heart. Most magnificent and most wonderful muscle as the human heart is, it may get clogged in such a way by the earthy salts in the blood as to be unable to perform its regular functions. Then the life fluid can not be kept in proper circulation. Allowing 69 or 70 pulsations of the heart —the usual average—every minute, one person has 100,000 heart beats in the space of one day. This means, of course, that the heart and arteries are contracted with such power as to keep 50 or 60 pounds of blood in healthy movement. Really it is a wonder that one does not wear out long before he usually does. And it forces a new kind of admiration from the thinking man when he ees for the first time a human being who has lasted 100 or 115 years, and whose heart is still going on after all this enoromus expenditure of force. The eyes, ears and stomach all have a rest, but the heart keeps on through waking hours as well as through sleep. Pauses between the beats are all the vacation it gets, which seems to be really no rest at

peace and quiet. Much has been written and talked bout vegetarianism in relation to health and its effect on long life. It is not claimed, however, by its strict advo-cates that any of the great number of people who have lived to be 100 years and over were vegetarians. In fact, most of these centenarians seem to have lived just like common folk who die at 40 or 50. If they had only taken care of themselves and kept their blood in good condition, there is no telling but 200 years may have been scored as easily as 100. Natural advantages being so great, as shown by what they did do, a vague sadness overcomes the social philosopher when he thinks of what they might have ecomplished under more favorable con-Decorators ditions for the success of the experiment.

all. When one does not dream, even the

brain seems to sleep, or at least it gives

As to the admitted advantages of a partial vegetarian system of living, M. Francisque Sarcey, the famous French critic, has been trying it, and in a communication to one of the Parisian jour nals gives his experience. Since April, 1893, he has touched no meat. In August of the same year he reports that he is only "a moderate vegetarian"-that is, he only eschews meat and admits eggs, cheese, butter, milk and fish to his regimen. Contrary to the expectations of both himself and friends, he finds that he is in much more vigorous health and in better working condition under the influence of his new menu than before. At first he naturally felt hungry an hour or two after eating, but after a fortnight the flesh craving passed away, and now he not only eats at the same hours as before, but consumes much less food. The advantages of the system are lescribed by him as most remarkable. His mind is clearer, and he feels more disposed for work. He is no longer sleepy after meals, his brain is fresher. py after meals, his brain is fresher, his limbs more elastic, and, more astonishing still, he can stand more fatigue. Formerly be felt the need of stimulants, and now he has done away with such things. He does not smoke, and he is endeavoring to diminish his coffee supply. Altogether he is enthusiastic. At first it is rather like self denial, but one gets to like it in time.—Chicago

STUDYING HUMAN NATURE.

Being Carried on In Washin A new kind of scientilic work is being carried on in Washington, in which the testing of 25,000 school children mentally, morally and physically is the preliminary step. Dr. Arthur McDonald is conducting the work under the auspices of the United States bureau of educations and the states are stated in the states and the states are stated in the states and the states are stated in the state and the states are stated in the state are stated in the state are stated in the state are stated in the ucation, and the results when arranged and tabulated are expected to throw valuable light upon a number of mooted questions concerning the race.

For example, it is desired to know whether boys of the laboring class are less bright than the sons of the well to do. Are they as well nourished? In London not long ago investigation proved that the children of laboring people in that metropolis were better nourished-that is to say, weighed more at the same age—than those belonging to higher social strata, the latter being fed on too much candy and cake.

The work here being unfinished, conclusions cannot be stated. To begin with, the height and sitting height of each child were taken. Long bodied races, generally speaking, are inferior. It is desired to know if long bodied individuals are less clever or less strong than the short bodied of the same race. Are long bodied boys and girls apt to be stupid? Long headed children are usually tall. Tall people are most often long headed. Tall races are superior. The question naturally follows, Are long headed children superior mentally When it is said that a man has a long head, is there not significance in the re

Are tall children, then, superior? Nobody knows as yet. These are among the things which Dr. McDonald is trying to find out. In the classification the 8,000 negro children in Washington schools have been kept separate, so as to compare them with white children. How do they compare in respect to brightness, weight, physical measure-ments, etc.? The colored child surpasses the white child up to 5 years of age in mental development, then the white child goes ahead. Comparisons of girls with boys naturally follow. At the age of entering womanhood girls weigh more than boys. That age with city girls arrives a year earlier than with country girls. - Boston Transcript.

COLUMBUS TOOK A TUMBLE.

It Was the Last Day of the California Fair and He Was All Broke Up.

Truth crushed to earth will rise again, but there is no such hope for the statue of Columbus at the fair. It lay on the ground in the grand court recently shattered to a thousand pieces. Columbus came off his perch about 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and as he was large and portly he struck the ground with a dull thud. His right leg clung to the pedestal, the indications being that that limb had been pulled, the fracture being committed at the knee. Columbus wore no whiskers at the exhim nevertheless. It sought to lift the long locks that hung over his shoulders, and in this effort it toppled their big owner from his commanding elevation in the valley of the court. People who are affected by coincidences did not fail to comment on his passing way on the day that was practically the last of the fair. He had seen the glories of the that the fair was over and that he was to be taken away to some obscure and strange place broke him all up, they said. He had been ailing for several days. When it was evident by the inclination of his head that he was unbalanced, measures were taken to keep him from injuring himself, but he finally broke from the ropes that restrained him, and the fall of Casar was nothing in comparison to his. The statue was made of a sort of plaster and was part-ly hollow, being devoid of lungs and other internal organs.—San Francisco

Novel Ground For a Suit For Damages. Lawyers are ever ready with new methods of procedure and novel grounds for action, but there is an Englishman who has just made himself prominent in his profession as a deviser of a unique

basis for a suit for damages. He has entered suit against a news paper asking damages and an injunction on the ground that his practice has been injured by the newspaper withholding his name in cases where he has been successful and publishing it only in cases which he has lost. Eminent counsel have been retained on both sides, and the action will be bitterly contested -New York Herald.

Mixed the Babies.

Among the curiosities of typography a prominent place must be given to the recent achievement of a Chicago paper in the mixing up of headlines in a most startling manner. First there is an article with this caption:

THE CONDOR OF THE ANDES.

Albert Seaton Bery of Kentucky Bears That

Distinction.

In another column on the same page of the paper in question is this an-

TALLEST MAN IN CONGRESS. Far Above the Eagle and Reaches Height of Six Miles. -Buffalo Commercial.

What Senator Hill Said.

With the echo of his defense of President Cleveland still ringing in the ears of his colleagues, Senator Hill walked into the cloakroom and dropped into an easy chair to chat with Senator Smith.

Presently a page appeared, carrying a
note inclosed in a large square envelope addressed to Senator Hill.
"Ah!" said Mr. Smith, with a tone

of inquiry, "an invitation to dine with the president tonight?" Senator Hill looked up from the note

Senator Hill looked up from the note with a twinkle in his eye. "Not at this stage of the game," said he.—Washington Post.

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Ida Jamerson et al. by master to T. S. Silvis, wi el swi 32, 18, 1e, \$1,400.

The poet sings of a fountain whose waters bring back lost youth. But no one his over found it. Still there's a germ of teath In the dreamer's fable of fancy, for there exists

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den, on account of disease to which women alone are su ject. The well known "Pavorite Prescrip tion" prepared by Dr. Pierce may not be able to bring back youth when it has flown, but it will re at we lost health, and that will bring happiness and so the draught is as magical in its effect as the fountain of youth was fabled to be.

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Rev. Miss Chapin.

Rev. Augusta J. Chapin, D. D., has finally accepted a unanimous call to the Universalist church at Omaha. The sitnation has improved greatly during her pastorate. Miss Chapin lately sailed for England. She goes mainly for the ser voyage and will spend the few weeks of her stay abroad in the English lake district and the Scottish highlands, where undoubtedly she will find the rest and refreshment she needs. She expects to return on the Lucania on Sept. 1 and to present a paper on "Woman and the Church" at the Universalist semicentennial at Eaton, Pa., on Sept. 12.

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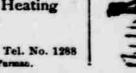
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