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Disease is a great and treacherous ocean. Man ever stands upon its shore and gazes out over its calm surface without a thought of danger. It licks his feet—it advances and recedes almost playfully—but all the same it will crack his bones and eat him, and wipe the crimson foam from its jaws as if nothing had happend, as it has been doing ever since the world began.

A man who carelessly saunters along the shore of the insatiate sea of disease, will some day encounter a great storm in the form of some fatal malady and will be engulfed. Because a man does not have to go to bed when he suffers from a trivial indigestion, because he does not have to give up work when he gets nervous and cannot sleep at night, because he can still force down an unsatisfactory meal when he is suffering from loss of appetite, because by strong effort he can add a column of figures with aching head—is no reason that these disorders are trifling or to be neglected. They are the warnings of serious sickness. A man who promptly heeds them, and resorts to the right remedy, will speedily recover his usual health. The man who neglects them will find that he is in the grip of consumption, some nervous disorder, or some other dread malady, due to improper or insufficient nutrition. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best of all medicines for men and women who suffer in this way. It restores the lost appetite, facilitates the flow of digestive juices, invigorates the liver, purifies and enriches the blood and tones and builds up the nerves. It cures 98 per cent. of all chronic, bronchial, throat and lung affections, and is an unfailing remedy for nervous prostration. Medicine dealers sell it.

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TRACING A LOST STUD.

Luck of a Jeweler Who Dropped a Two Carat Diamond In the Street.

Some odd stories of the recovery of lost diamonds are told by an old Union square jeweler. One of them is his own experience.

"One day last June," he says, "I happened to recollect that I was going to a reception. Before leaving the store I wrapped my two karat diamond stud in a piece of tissue paper and slipped it into my vest pocket. After dinner, while dressing in my room, I went to my pocket to get the stud. It was not there. I put my hand in my fob pocket, thinking it was surely there; then in the other vest pocket, then in the inside pocket, and then in my four trousers pockets, but it was in none of them.

"'I left that on my desk,' I thought. 'I will find it there in the morning. I will put on a plain gold stud tonight.'

"The next morning the stud was not to be found at the store. I thought of every step I had taken on the way home, and then called our porter.

"'George,' said I, 'just before I went home last night I slipped a diamond stud, wrapped in tissue paper, into my pocket, and, starting out of the store, went across Broadway, through Union square at Fifteenth street, going to the left of the fountain, and then up the center path to Seventeenth street and Fourth avenue; I went down the right hand side of Seventeenth street to Second avenue and then home. On my walk home I have a distinct recollection of putting my hand into my pocket for my penknife or something else. I must have pulled out the stud and dropped it. Now I want you to follow that path and look carefully every step of the way, and I don't want you to come back until you have found the stud.'

"He started out and in less than half an hour returned with the stud. He had found it, still wrapped in the paper, in the gutter, a few steps this side of Second avenue, and he went home happy that night with a $20 goldpiece in his pocket."—New York Sun.

ANCIENT TIMEPIECES.

Various Methods of Measuring Time Prior to the Invention of Clocks.

We need do no more than allude to the habit after the reformation, and especially in Scotland, of preachers measuring their discourses by the hourglass in the pulpit. These marked an hour exactly. Those first made in Charlemagne's day ran for 12 hours. Alfred the Great hit upon a method of measuring time, which shows that there was no Saxon one, though very probably some of the monasteries (then the only homes of knowledge) were acquainted with water clocks and hourglasses, if not by practical knowledge at any rate by hearsay.

However, the kingdom in general followed Alfred's plan, which, though ingenious, necessarily lacked anything like the accuracy of the other inventions. Yet the king's idea was hailed as a wonderful effort of genius, which, for such an era by comparison with the general ignorance, it was. As every schoolboy (in this case literally) knows, Alfred marked time by rushlights. A long existence, by the way, has the rushlight enjoyed, seeing that middle aged people still remember its use in the nursery at night and the reflection of the circular holes in the tall metal shades on the ceiling.

Alfred, says an ancient authority, "that he might properly know how the hours passed, made use of burning tapers which were marked with lines and fixed in lanthorns, an expedient invented by himself." So, by the way, were in 892 the lanterns of scraped horn which still some old fashioned rustics prefer to glass. But tapers, however, were then very expensive. The king might himself use these, but probably the rushlight was used by people in general.—London Standard.

Lincoln's Gift to a Fire Brigade.

The Sons and Daughters of Illinois held a meeting in Boston at which Vice President Henry Haynie told this story of Lincoln:

"The fire hose company of Springfield was very proud of its well equipped fire apparatus, and, desiring to procure some extra supplies, subscription papers were sent around. The small boys, myself among the number, were given a share in the work. I went up to some dusty rooms over a grocery and entered the law office of Lincoln. He asked me numberless questions, and I had to tell him all I knew of this fire brigade and its members. Then he said: 'Well, I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll go home to supper—Mrs. Lincoln is generally good natured after supper—and then I'll tell her I've been thinking of giving $50 to the brigade, and she'll say, "Abe, will you never have any sense? Twenty dollars is quite enough." So tomorrow, my boy, you come around and get your $20.'"—Chicago Times-Herald.

Cabs In Berlin.

When an American enters a cab in Berlin for the first time, he is said to be absorbed for half an hour in studying the impressive notice hung up there in for the benefit of passengers. It reads, literally translated, thus: "No passage money has the passage guest to pay, if to him not on the mounting of the cab the valid passage tickets, on height of the for a simple passage to be paid passage money, by the coachman down reached become are."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Discovered by a Woman.

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The Way It Struck Her.

He referred in the casual way that is characteristic of members of his profession to an operation at his hospital that day in which a man's rib had been removed. "And why did they do it," said the sweet girl. "Are there not enough women in the world as it is?"—New York Sun.

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Samuel Pitcher M. D.

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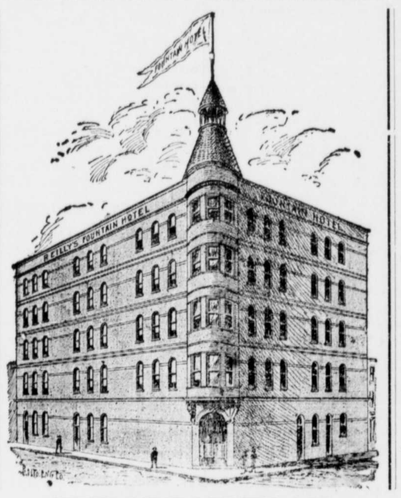

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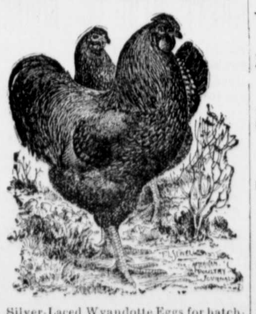

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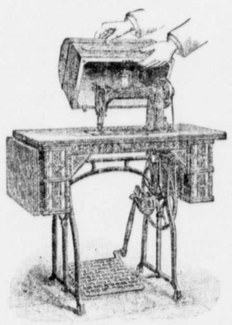

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