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Instrument of Torture in Common Use in Manchuria—Its Weaver Has to Sleep in a Sitting Posture.

Wearing the cangue is a favorite Manchurian punishment. The cangue is a wooden collar fitting close around the neck, the weight of which is usually from fifty to sixty pounds. On the cangue is inscribed



WEARING THE CANGUE IN MANCHURIA.

In large letters the offense and the duration of punishment.

As the wearer of the cangue is incapable of using his hands, he has to be fed, and as the cangue prevents his hands from lying down, what sleep he gets must be obtained in a sitting posture.

The Japanese War God.

Before hostilities broke out a picturesque feature of the preparation for war was the veneration of Hayachima, the Japanese war god, an ancestor of the Mikado. He has a temple at Kamakura, one of the ancient capitals of Japan, near Yokohama, but he is supposed to be present in spirit in the great Shinto temple on Kudan hill, Tokio. Here twice a year the troops stationed at Tokio come to pay their respects to comrades who have fallen in battle. Company by company they march up and solemnly present arms before the temple, honoring their dead. Before departing for the front also the troops went to salute the god, leaving votive offerings to insure their safe return. The soldiers hang straw sandals up about the temple. This, they think, will make them fleet-footed.

The worship of Hayachima is encouraged by the Government. It makes the soldiers more warlike and increases their love for the Mikado, Hayachima's descendant. War songs are compiled by the military authorities and are taught in the schools. Little children march miles in the blazing sun carrying the Japanese flag. The spirit of the old Samurai, the retainers of the shogun, who never drew his sword without just cause and never sheathed it without honor, is not allowed to die.

New Mayor of Montreal.

The new Mayor of Montreal, Mr. Laporte, who has just been elected by over 12,000 majority, is a good illustration of what industry and character can do. Mr. Laporte is the son of poor parents who lived in a small village near Montreal. He learned no English at school. But making up his mind that a knowledge of both languages was necessary to business success, he used



By means of the hydroscope, an ingenious instrument, the human eye can view the ocean depths and clearly distinguish objects a mile below the surface.

Fatal Joy.

We are told by Livy that when Hannibal had vanquished the Romans in the battle of Cannae two women, seeing their sons whom they had supposed dead return in good health, died immediately from excessive joy.

SICK AT YOUR STOMACH.

Perhaps feeling as if the bottom had dropped out of your life. It's Nerviline you want. Nothing restores quiet and order to the stomach so quickly. All squeamishness and nausea goes away the minute you take Nerviline and an extra dose or two is always sufficient to set you up in first class shape. Nerviline is an old and tested remedy for stomach and bowel troubles and always can be relied on. Sold in large 25c. bottles.

Tying Shoe Laces.

To make sure that the laces of your shoes will not come untied make an ordinary bow and before drawing it tight turn the right hand loop from you through the center. Then pull hard on the loops. Untie by pulling the ends.

The Hair.

To keep the hair from becoming thin and splitting at the ends clip it every two weeks. Shampoo it once a month with castile soap, avoiding the use of borax and ammonia.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Some people are too weak to turn over a new leaf.

RESULT ALL THAT COULD BE ASKED

Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Strain Caused by Heavy Lifting

William Sharam Tells of His Precarious Condition, and His Happy Release From It.

Murray Harbor South, P. E. I., Mar. 28. (Special).—William Sharam, who keeps a general store here, is one of many hundreds in Prince Edward Island who have been rescued from chronic sickness, and made sound and well by Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Sharam, who is always glad to say a word for the remedy that did so much for him, relates his experience as follows:—

"I strained my back with heavy lifting, and the result was urinary and kidney trouble that left me in a very weak state, and at times I got so weak that I almost fainted, and could scarcely hold up."

"After trying several other medicines without relief, I concluded that it was a Kidney Disease I had, and would find the cure in a Kidney remedy, and decided to try Dodd's Kidney Pills."

"The result was all that could be asked. I used ten boxes all told, and can now enjoy sweet sleep without being disturbed as heretofore, and my old troubles were banished."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all Kidney ills from Backache to Bright's Disease.

Dimensions of the Coliseum.

The largest single structure in the world for audience and spectacular purposes is the Coliseum at Rome. It is in the form of an ellipse. Its long diameter is 615 feet; its short, 510; the height of the outer wall, 164. The arena is 281 feet long by 176 broad. The tiers of seats accommodate 100,000 spectators.

PILLS AND PILES.

A prolific cause of Piles is the use of cathartics and pills of a drastic, violent nature.

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There are other causes, but no matter what the cause or what the kind of Piles, Dr. Leonard's Hem-Roid can be relied upon to cure—to stay cured.

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A guarantee goes with each package containing a month's treatment. It can be obtained for \$1.00 at drug-gists.

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How Gluck Composed.

Of Gluck it is said that when he felt himself in a humor to compose he had his pianoforte carried into a beautiful meadow, where, with a bottle of champagne on either side of him, he was able to do justice to his muse.

NINETY-EIGHT PER CENT.

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High aims form high characters and great objects bring out great minds.

FLAG OF LONDON TOWN.

Something About the Victoria Tower Over Which it Floats—View of the Great City From Above.

It would hardly occur to the King, perhaps, when he entered the Houses of Parliament by the Victoria Tower, that this tower, so conspicuous among the glories of the capital, has a place of its own among the wonders of the world.

From its dizzy height floats an emblem of British power, which, whether London believed it or not, would hide a two-story house from view. The great flag which floated there on Tuesday, hauled to its great height by machinery, looks like an ordinary piece of bunting from Westminster Bridge, but it took 400 yards of bunting to make it; it stretches, when the breeze opens its folds, to a length of sixty yards and a breadth of forty-five feet, and it is kept in its place by a flag-staff which has certainly no rival in England, and probably none in the world. This mast, rising from its base to a height of 110 feet, firmly fixed on its foundations with a diameter of 3 feet, is made of many sheets of iron, bolted together with hundreds of bolts, and it would weigh, if we could put it in the scales, not less than sixteen tons!

They who would reach the height from which London looks like some dim city of the mist must wind round and round the longest spiral staircase in the world. At the low iron door which brings you to its foot the staircase appears to be one unending iron thread, reaching up into darkness, and it is not until the visitor has gazed at it awhile that there breaks at the top, 350 feet above him, a blue light no bigger than a man's hand.

If the distant ray of light, losing itself in utter darkness a little way down the tower, does not unnerve him, the climber winds round the spiral staircase a dozen times, and finds himself, almost tired, on the first floor. He is in a room over 50 feet square, and in this grand apartment he will pause to reflect upon the splendours of the Victoria Tower.

The tower has a weight of 80,000 tons, and it helps us to realize its grandeur and strength if we reflect that its building was in progress for all but twenty years. The Londoner who went abroad for a year in the forties or the fifties came home to find that the new tower had risen not quite eight yards in his absence, and so, at the rate of 23 feet a year, the Victoria Tower grew, from 1842 until it was completed.

It has within it over 140 separate rooms, each one fireproof, each containing the precious State papers which tell the story of England and its Kings. Divided into eleven floors, all save two with sixteen rooms, the tower is a miracle of construction. How little the Londoners, who gaze at this splendid pile, imagine that at the top of it, on the 11th floor, works a powerful steam engine. It is its work to haul up through the well of the spiral staircase, the bundles of State papers, delivering them on the floor where they may be required, and it is a wonderful sight to see this huge narrow passage throbb, as it were, with busy life. It is a wonderful sight, indeed, when the engine is not at work. The spiral staircase, stretching from the ground to the top, apparently without a single support, and looking like one long thin line of iron-work which the least over-balancing would bring clattering down, is one of the engineering marvels of our day. In reality it is held in its place by wrought-iron rods hanging from each floor through which it passes, but the rods are not readily visible to the eye, and it needs a more than ordinary nerve to scale this fragile staircase to the greatest height in London.

Yet this suspended Jacob's ladder has its own magnificent reward for those who climb it to the top. If one has enthusiasm to spare for architecture, the Victoria Tower has enough of the architect's genius to engage him for much longer than he will be able to stay. But it is the view of London from the top which will appeal to him who is neither architect, artist, nor antiquarian. The great city lies deep below like a toy world—"like a diminished and smoky model of itself," wrote a climber nearly half a hundred years ago.

Even half-way up the tower London seems a dwarf city as you walk around the arcade above the first tier of windows, an arcade with massive pillars and enormous arches, and as wide as some of the streets you dimly see below. But the roof is the treasure of the tower. Built as lightly as could be, consistent with its safety from the wind, it weighs, nevertheless, 400 tons. "The little parapet, looking like a speck of stone from Parliament Square, is 16 feet high. The lions and crowns are taller than a man, and the gilt tops to the four turrets are iron crowns, 5 feet across and a ton each in weight. The gilt railing at the top is 6 feet high; the four lions which guard the corners are 20 feet high. From these corners rise four arched buttresses of cast iron, forming the centre into a crown 30 feet above the roof, and through this again passes the flagstaff, from the top of which floats 400 yards of bunting made into the biggest Union Jack in England.

No man, except in mid-air, has ever seen London from the height at which this great flag flies.

Increasing English Divorces.

Some people are noting with uneasiness the number of divorces granted in our courts. In London this growth has been very rapid. In the first term of court the number of cases down for trial have increased from 177 in 1902 to 383 this year; in the second, from 216 in 1901 to 285 in 1903; in the third, from 210 in 1901 to 262 in 1903, and in the fourth, from 232 in 1901 to 351 in 1903. About 50 per cent. of the actions are brought by injured husbands.—Answers.



—The man who leads a sedentary life frequently believes he is the victim of some serious malady.
—Do not alarm yourself. So many things that seem like "serious trouble" are only some form of indigestion.
—If you are anxious about your health—make sure at first that the trouble is not indigestion or constipation. It must be something else if

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