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### Sneeze Signs

In the ancient days of Greece and Rome, a sneeze was supposed to bear in its train far greater portents than a mere cold.

To sneeze whilst rising from the table, or bed was said to indicate ap-

proaching death. Yet to sneeze between midday and midnight under favourable planetary conditions was an augury of happiness.

Again, if the Greek or Roman turned to the right while sneezing, it was regarded as a happy omen.

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### Defender of London

#### DEATH OF SIR PERCY SCOTT.

Sir Percy Scott, Bart., the former chief of London's air defences, and one of the most versatile geniuses produced by the Navy, succumbed to a heart attack at his London residence, Sailor, gunner, inventor, and trenchant controversialist, he was the pride of his friends and the terror of his enemies—and he had plenty of both. He was born on July 10, 1853, and joined the naval training ship Britannia in 1866, where one of his youthful companions was the present Earl of Ypres. In 1874 Sir Percy served in the Ashanti War with distinction, and from that time onwards his name has been associated with gunnery, at which he became one of the greatest experts of our time. In 1898 he took command of the cruiser Scylla in the Mediterranean. It was not long before the Scylla became the most-talked-of ship in the Fleet. Gunnery was then at a low ebb, and the provision for training was but scanty. The average for the Navy was 31 per cent. of hits, and when, under Captain Scott, as he then was, the Scylla achieved 80 per cent. there were many who could hardly credit the news. Sir Percy Scott made a great name with the public by his activities during the South African War. It was in this war that he became famous as the man who landed 4.7 naval guns and took them to the front at Ladysmith on carriages of his own invention. At the first instance his offer to do this was refused by the military authorities, notwithstanding that the British retreat from Dundee had left the British base open to the formidable attack of Boer siege guns, and that his 4.7's had a range equal to anything the Boers could bring up. Then General White, seeing disaster ahead from these same enemy siege guns, wired for help. Admiralty experts decided that it was impossible to get the terrible guns up in time; but Scott undertook to have two 4.7's ready in 12 hours, and, in fact, he had four ready in the time. Captain Lambton arrived at Ladysmith with them in the nick of time, the Boer's "Long Tom" was silenced, and the town and its beleaguered force were undoubtedly saved by their means. In 1905, after becoming a Rear-Admiral, Sir Percy was appointed the first Inspector of Target Practice. When he held the command of the First and Second Cruiser Squadrons he received orders, while at gun practice in the Channel, from his Admiral, Lord Charles Beresford, to return to harbour in order that his vessels might be painted. Sir Percy's signal to a cruiser on the occasion was the cause of a terrible commotion in the Navy. The message read:—

Paintwork appears to be in more demand than gunnery. . . . . Come into harbour and paint your ship and look pretty. The message reached the ears of Lord Charles, with whom Sir Percy had more than one difference of opinion, and the incident was closed by the official censure of the offending officer. In 1908, on his appointment as Vice-Admiral, Sir Percy hauled down his flag and devoted himself to his invention of gun control. In 1913 he retired voluntarily and was created a baronet by the King. He rejoined the service on the outbreak of war in 1914, and was for a time in charge of the artillery defences of London against enemy aircraft. Since war he had been chiefly conspicuous as the critic of the big battleship, the day of which, according to him, has been terminated by the advent of the bombing aeroplane. "What is the use of a battleship?" was answered to the liking by the midshipman whose reply, recorded by Sir Percy, was "No damned use at all." Sir Percy Scott leaves a widow, who at the time of her marriage to him in 1914 was the widow of Colonel Arthur Pole Welman. The new baronet is Sir Douglas Winchester Scott, the deceased admiral's son by his first marriage. The King was represented at a funeral service for the late admiral, which was held at St. Margaret's Church, Westminster. His Majesty's representative was Admiral Sir Somerset Gough-Calthorpe. The principal mourners at the funeral service were Sir Douglas Scott, son; Miss Rosemary Scott, daughter; Mr. Malcolm Scott, the well-known comedian, brother; and Mrs. Coulson, aunt. The congregation included Admiral of the Fleet Sir Henry Jackson. By special desire of the late Sir Percy his remains were cremated, and the ashes were subsequently taken on board a cruiser 30 miles to sea and buried with full naval honours in the neighbourhood of the "Nab" Lightship. News of the World.

### Peculiar Facts

#### and Figures

In China the floors of ballrooms are divided into squares, each of which bears as a sign a bird, fish, or some other form of Nature. Dancers must keep to their own squares; if they fail to do this they are stamped with a coloured disc. The penalty for three failures is a request to leave the place.

The highest station on any standard gauge railway in the world is Tielio, west of the boundary line between Brazil and Peru. Its elevation is 15,665 feet. The journey from Callao to

Tielio, a distance of 196 miles, occupies 9 hours 38 minutes, during which time the train ascends to a height of three miles at an average rate of rise of 27 feet a minute. It is estimated that the cost of construction averaged about £12,500 a mile.

Two hundred and twenty-nine thousand yards of cloth are used annually to provide uniforms for the staff of London's Underground Railways. The companies have over twenty-three thousand men on the uniformed staff, and every year £107,000 is spent on uniforms.

The world's largest single-engine aeroplane is the Blackburn-Napier, "Cubaroo" torpedo plane, a fighting craft fitted with an engine having six cylinders and capable of developing 1,000 horsepower. The span of the wings is 88 feet, the length of the aeroplane is 54 feet, and its height is 20 feet. It carries a load of 3½ tons, and accommodates a crew of three.

A jelly-fish weighing one pound contains over fifteen ounces of water. The competition for an Irish Free State National Anthem which was recently promoted by the "Dublin Evening Mail," has now closed and the entries are being judged.

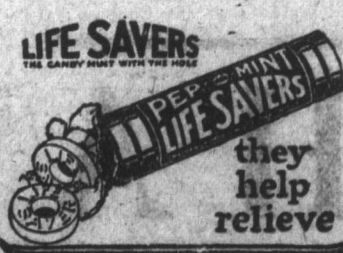
### Woman Doctor's Devotion

The mining village of Clay Cross, in Derbyshire, is talking of the devotion to duty of Dr. Mary Michael, a local "medico." When an accident happened in a local pit recently she was immediately summoned. A miner had been seriously injured by a fall of roof.

Dr. Michael did not wait for him to be brought to the surface, but descended the shaft and made her way for two miles underground until she came to the victim. By the light of a miner's lamp she did her work of healing. Not until her patient had been bandaged and taken to the surface would she leave the shaft. When she did, she was warmly cheered for her pluck.



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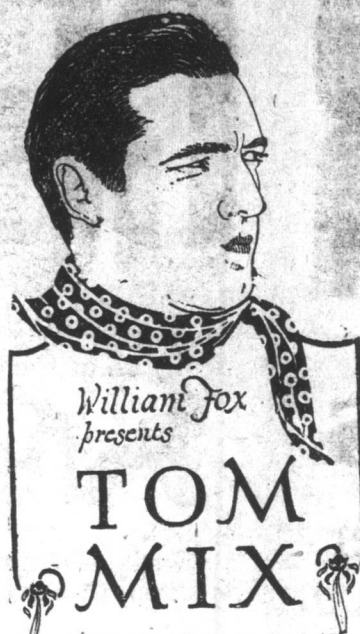
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### Herring Fishers and Wireless

The herring fishers have special reason to be grateful for the perfection of wireless telegraphy. A few years ago the comparatively few trawlers which had been equipped with wireless installations by the Admiralty during the war were regarded as curiosities.

To-day most of the large trawlers, and certainly all the fleets of trawlers, have at least one boat equipped with wireless. This enables them to keep in touch with ports and owners.

They can learn when fish is scarce and prices likely to justify a race back to port, or when a general glut has forced prices so that they might as well stay another night at sea. The wireless installations also enable them to keep in touch with the aeroplanes which have been used for "spotting" shoals of herring, so that the trawlers can move off at once to the most profitable fishing grounds.

There is another benefit, for in the slack hours, while trawls or nets are drifting, the men off duty can pick up concert programmes from distant centres.

### Woman a Bundle of Nerves

"Everything irritates me—I am a bundle of nerves, I ache all over and cannot sleep and am so dependent." This extract from a letter written from one woman to another describes the condition of many women who suffer from feminine ailments. Nothing will relieve this distressing condition so surely as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs. For fifty years it has been restoring sick and ailing women of the Dominion of Canada to health and strength.

### The Magnetic Spell

When ships pass on their way to and from Liverpool, and come to a particular spot in the Mersey, their compasses become agitated in a wholly improper way.

Some magnetic spell is laid on them, and the only explanation that has suggested itself is that the iron parts of some ship wrecked there have become magnetized by some shift in the wreck's position joined to the action of waves or currents.

There are a number of places in the world where something magnetic on the coast or on the sea bottom affects a ship's compasses. Magnetic Island, off Townsville, on the east coast of Australia, was so called because it appeared to upset the compass of Captain Cook's ship; and in the Gulf of St. Lawrence there are similar disturbances.

### Of Flora MacDonald's Household

HALIFAX, N.S., Nov. 10.—The first tombstone ever erected in St. Margaret's Bay is at Boutiller's Cove, in what is now St. Peter's church cemetery. It was to the memory of Jannet

MacDonald, who died in 1789. This lady belonged to the household of Flora MacDonald, of immortal fame. After Flora MacDonald had been released from London Tower she came to America with her husband, Col. MacDonald, and settled in the Southern States. At the time the American revolution her husband, though a strong Jacobite, sided with the British and was taken prisoner. Flora MacDonald returned to Scotland, but the other members of her household, including Jannet MacDonald, escaped from the revolutionary states to Nova Scotia, the family of Jannet settling in Glen Margaret near where she is buried. The sheets used by the pretender to the British throne while in hiding on an island in the Hebrides, were carefully preserved by Jannet MacDonald and when she died they were used as her shroud.

The more bracelets, the smarter. They may be worn at waist or elbow. The use of a single ornament on the hip is a fashion note of interest.

### Animals Like Plants

#### CREATURES THAT REFUSE TO DIE.

The hydra of antiquity, to whose extermination Hercules devoted no little labour and resource, was a many-headed monster, with the remarkable power of replacing at short notice any head which it had the misfortune to lose in combat.

The hydra of to-day, though it has shrunk to something like an eighth of an inch in total length, has the same capacity for regeneration shown by its mythical relative. A small fragment of hydra, provided that it contains all three layers of which the body is composed, can grow into a perfect new animal, while the specimen from which the piece came rapidly replaces the lost tissue.

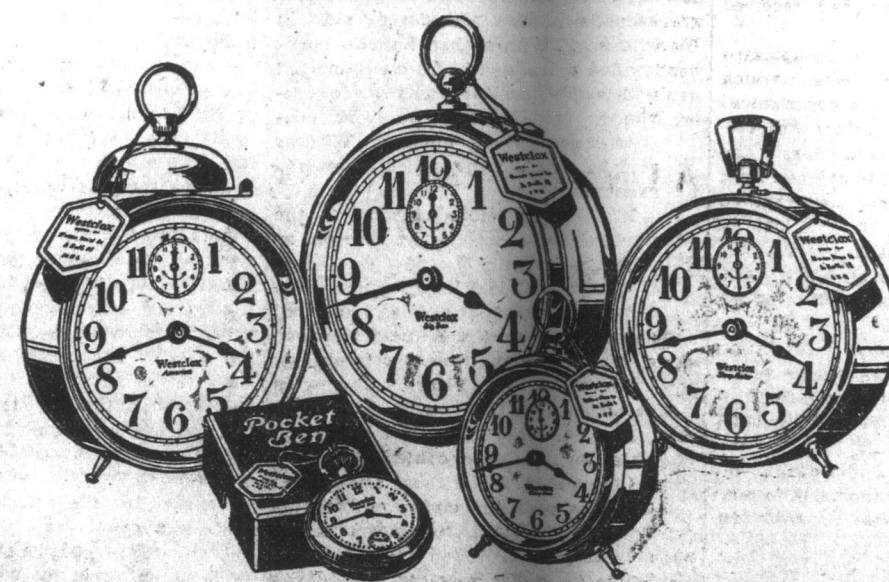
Wonders revealed by the Microscope. The hydra consists essentially of a hollow cylinder, attached by a basal disk to the water-weed on which it

lives, and fringed at its free end by a rosette of hollow tentacles surrounding the mouth, which is situated at the summit of a little dome. These tentacles first paralyze and then seize the prey—small waterfleas and the like—which they convey to the mouth.

As the whole body is active and very contractile, a considerable area of the surrounding water (in proportion of the size of the animal) is explored for food. Under the microscope the body is seen to consist of three layers of tissue—an inner, known as the "endoderm," which lines the alimentary canal, and an outer, known as the "ectoderm," consisting of muscle fibres and interstitial cells, which, being embryonic, can grow into buds or reproductive organs to replace lost parts as occasion may require—the two layers being separated by a structureless plate.

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### Municipal

#### WEEKLY MEETING

The weekly meeting was held yesterday at Cook presiding and Cr. tln. Outbridge Colly. Dowden were present.

A communication was received from the Secretary of the C.W.A. with proposed lighting of foot of Garrison Hill, the Council would be asked this meeting to forward estimate of the cost of the same.

Mr. Bert Hayward proposed the erection of a Put near his garage. Was His communication was read.

Mr. Harold Mitchell on communication from that in his opinion it not be imposed on traveller whose representative in the it is clearly defined. Travellers not doubt any shall put the Council, the fore can in the matter.

Mr. J. J. Smith proposed that the Council should stand. The Council elected and the light at the end of the street. Superintendent of Municipal Light in answer to Council lights out. Notice upon notification of attention.

In the matter of building, Water Street has been the subject of a petition from the Council and his Council Medical Officer of the Council that the on the occasion vacate the building followed by the Act and that this order with on the 15th.

The City Clerk as regards compensation involved in the land for widening which, he stated, costly under taking being in a position with the matter, referred.

The Medical Officer reported 1 new case Scarlet Fever and city during the past.

Complaint was made the Southside Road, ing's Bridge, as 1. The Engineer was immediate attention rangements for the

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