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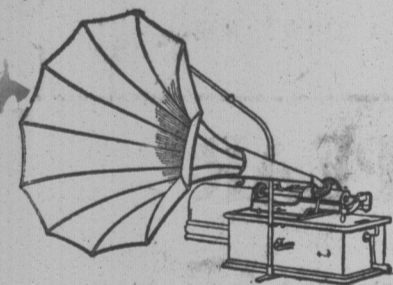
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REV. W. J. STEWART FORMER ST. GEORGE MINISTER AS- TOUNDS DOCTORS OF BOSTON

Mental Healing in Case of In- jured Girl

Boston, Mass., Aug. 24.—Co-operating in one of the most remarkable scientific experiments that has ever been tried in Boston, Rev. Dr. W. J. Stewart, who for ten years was pastor of the North End church at St. John, and until three months ago pastor of the Baptist church at Whitman, Mass., which pulpit he left to devote his attention to mental healing and Dr. William B. Hildren, a Boston physician and surgeon, believe they have succeeded in restoring to Mrs. Mary Zief of Chelsea the use of her limbs, which have been paralyzed since the great Chelsea fire.

For some weeks Rev. Dr. Stewart has been preparing Mrs. Zief for the experiment by a carefully thought out system of mental suggestion. When the minister was satisfied that Mrs. Zief's mind and body were in the condition to make quickly effective the mechanical surgical methods he proposed to adopt as the climax of the treatment, and services of Dr. Hildren were sought. Mrs. Zief was sent to sleep by the use of chloroform, but before this she was given a strong series of suggestions as to what would occur while she was unconscious. She was told that when she opened her eyes the use of her limbs would be restored to her and as the suggestions had been methodically given each day for a considerable time Mrs. Zief firmly believed she would wake up with her limbs restored that is just what occurred.

Mental suggestion was the prime factor in the experiment, and the case cured has been pronounced as hopeless by several of the most distinguished surgeons of the United States. It is asserted that yesterday's experiment constitutes the greatest step yet taken toward absolute bloodless surgery. Rev. Mr. Stewart is a native of Second Falls, and several members of the family are living there now. He was at one time pastor of the Baptist church in St. George, and was greatly esteemed by people of all denominations. He married Miss Hanson of St. George, and they have one son, Dr. Vernon C. Stewart, now practicing in Boston, where he had, among others, as a patient, the late District Attorney, John B. Moran.

(Boston Journal)

Many persons yesterday called at the home of Mrs. Mary Zief at 12 Ash street Chelsea, to investigate for themselves the scientific experiment performed upon Mrs. Zief, whereby she has recovered the use of her limbs, which have been helpless since the Chelsea fire. The details of the experiment which Rev. Dr. W. J. Stewart, a Baptist clergyman and Dr. Wm. B. Hildren, a Boston physician and surgeon, performed were given exclusively in Tuesday's Journal.

When seen by a Journal representative yesterday Mrs. Zief said that though she was not able to walk, she hoped to do so within a few days. She was able to sit up with little assistance, however, a feat not before accomplished since her misfortune in April, 1908, until the experiment in mental suggestion was tried. The family is Jewish and Mrs. Zief talks English imperfectly her little daughter acted as interpreter, Mrs. Zief said:

"Many of the people who called have smiled knowingly as though there was no truth in the cure just because I am still confined to my bed. But there is no doubt that I am much better, and even if I am never able to walk, what has been accomplished is a godsend to me. Moreover, it is still possible I shall walk, but at present I am obeying the instructions of my doctors."

THE FISHERMEN'S PICNIC A SUCCESS

AN IMMENSE CROWD PRESENT. A GOOD PROGRAM OF SPORTS. THE PRIZE WINNERS

The good people of progressive Back Bay yield to none in their efforts to entertain visitors, and on Wednesday August 25th, the occasion of the Charlotte County Weirrowers and Weirfishermen's picnic, they omitted nothing to provide a delightful time for every one present.

Excursions began to arrive early from St. Stephen, St. Andrews, St. George and the Islands. The Canada's Frontiers Band and St. George's Cornet Band played particularly pleasing programs that delighted the good natured crowd.

Refreshments were provided in abundance. Dinner and supper were served by the churches of L'Etete and Back Bay and several private "stands" were in operation, all doing a thriving business. In the program of sports, the base ball game furnished the most excitement. The contestants were the Diamonds of Back Bay and Crescents of Lords Cove. Friends of both teams rooted loyally, and the excitement ran high at times. The game was conducted in a good humored way, and in spite of a few errors, the playing of both teams was highly creditable. The Crescents won by a score of 10 to 6. The winners were very modest over their victory, and the losers accepted defeat in a sportsmanlike manner. Back Bay has the nucleus of winning combination, and with more practice and knowledge of some fine points of the game, they will make some of the leading teams here.

The water sports attracted much attention, and some close contests were witnessed.

The 4 h. p. motor race won by Hugh Harris.

The 3 h. p. race won by Willford Kinney. 2nd prize to Melvin Cook.

The 5 and 6 h. p. won by Harlow Kinney. 2nd prize to Roland Lee.

Free-for-all won by Hugh Harris.

The Blarney Stone

Among the old castles of Ireland none is more famous than Blarney, in County Cork. It is in the walls of this building that the Blarney stone is set, a stone that has given to English speech a name for what is otherwise sometimes known as "fluffy." The castle itself dates from the year 1446. It stands in a region which abounds in legend, tradition, and old-time belief in fairies. The author of "Shamrock Land," Mr. P. F. Jones, visited the castle and its neighborhood a short time ago, and writes entertainingly on the subject.

Blarney Castle obtained its present fame from a famous stone, still in the walls, round which clusters much of romance and superstition. Tradition says that after Cormac MacCarthy had built the castle he visited one day to give an old woman from drowning, who, to show her gratitude, offered Cormac a golden tongue which should have the power of fluent persuasiveness—a tongue that could influence men and women, friends and foes as he willed. To get this power however, Cormac must climb to the keep of the castle, let himself down in some difficult way, and kiss a certain stone in the walls situated about five feet below the gallery running round the top. It is said that he followed the old woman's directions with great minuteness, kissed the stone, and at once obtained all the persuasive eloquence which had been promised him. Soon the story was told throughout Ireland, it went also to other countries, and made

The four card boat race was won by Orben Harris, John Leavitt, Seymour Leavitt and Eben Leavitt. 2nd prize to Judson Kinney, James Leavitt, Garfield Cook, John McGee.

Dingy race, 1st prize, John Leavitt and Orben Harris. 2nd prize James Leavitt and Arthur Leavitt.

The one man dingy race was won by Seymour Leavitt, with Orben Harris second.

Harlow Kinney won the swimming race.

The 100 yds dash for boys was won by Vernon McNichol. 220 yds race won by Chester Catherine, with Eben Leavitt second.

The one mile race was won by Vernon McNichol.

Hop-step and jump won by Russell Hooper.

Potato race captured by Ernest Leavitt. Hurdle race by Owen Hinds.

A large dancing pavilion held a merry crowd all evening, who tripped the light fantastic to the music of Prof. Mooney's orchestra.

The prizes which were valuable and useful, were awarded the winners at the close of the sports. President Rydes and W. F. Todd, M. P., addressed the large crowd and were listened to with closest attention. They warmly congratulated the people on the splendid success of the picnic and were very glad to be able to meet the friends from so many sections of the country.

The crowd was very orderly, no disturbance occurring to mar the festivities of the day.

The active committees are to be congratulated on the splendid way in which the details of the affair were carried out.

The fishermen's picnic of 1909 will be remembered as a day of genuine pleasure and enjoyment.

Now the pilgrim to this shrine of eloquence must get down on his knees, or lie flat down on the stones, bend his body at the waist and thrust his head and shoulders down about three feet through a square opening in the stones opposite the cornice, and in this position turn his neck and kiss the stone from the under side. An attendant with good muscles must be at hand to hold the heels of the one who attempts to kiss the stone, else by the law of gravitation he will topple over and go through the hole to the ground, a hundred and twenty feet below.

Miss Martha A. C. Osborne, daughter of the late James E. Osborne, and William L. Barker, Manager of the Grand Manau branch of the Bank of New Brunswick, were united in marriage at St. Stephen's Church, Milltown, N. B., Wednesday. The Nuptial Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Doyle, assisted by Rev. Father McLaughlin. The bridesmaid was her sister, Miss Veronica Osborne, and the groom was supported by Mr. Frank L. Graham of Liverpool, N. S.

A DAY OF ENJOYMENT AT LAKE UTOPIA

Interesting Aquatic Events In Which the Young Students Excel

Saturday August 28th, was "Aquatic Day" at camp Utopia, a day that has been awaited with expectancy, to be enjoyed with all the vim of youthful enthusiasm. Lake Utopia, nestling beneath the shadows of its lofty mountains, in its quiet repose, offered inducements to the participants to enter into the different sports with all the vim and excitement that is the proud asset of youth and health. The arduous, yet pleasing task of arrangement, and carrying out of the various points of the affair, fell chiefly on the shoulders of Dr. Sexton, and the task was well performed. As the hour for the opening events approached the invited guests began to arrive, and all seemed imbued with the spirit of the occasion. Universal jubilation, cheerful salutations and joyful laughter were sights and sounds that will long be remembered. The bronzed, pleasant faced and active young men came out and the sports were on. We give the result of the different events:—

50 yds. swimming race, won by George C. Smith Jr., 2nd, E. Loenthal, 3rd, J. Hirsch, time 32-5.

Tilting contest won by G. G. Smith and E. Loenthal.

200 yds. canoe race two men, won by E. Loenthal and G. G. Smith.

100 yds. swimming race won by—R. E. Le Montagne, 2nd, A. Desghoid 3rd, P. Perkins.

Tilting contest—Seniors—won by A. Berghold, C. Kuffel.

Special canoe race won by R. Back, E. Rosenkrautz, 2nd, C. Kuffer, 3rd, J. Firo.

Special Tilting contest won by Max V. Uebee, Paul Tracy Brine.

The exhibition of fancy diving was an interesting feature and was loudly applauded. Dancing in the evening in the mess hall concluded a day of thorough enjoyment. The guests who attended are loud in their praise of the entertainment and attention paid them by the young students. The party will "break camp" on the 31st, and return to their different schools, and some are already planning to come back next year to the shores of noble Utopia.

Alcohol and Health

"The records of my clinic reveal nothing complimentary to alcohol—62.9of all these cases admitted own their disorders directly or indirectly to the beverage use of alcohol. Clinical and laboratory experiments to ascertain the effects of alcohol upon the brain and nervous system during the past twenty years and furnish positive proof of its harmfulness. In these experiments, covering the widest possible range of mental operations, 25 to 80 cubic centimetres of alcohol were used—to be more exact, in more than half of the subjects less than thirty cubic centimetres ethyl alcohol (less than one ounce) were used per day. The results show conclusively that alcohol sets first by lessening capability of the higher brain centers, the centers which have to do with perception, comprehension, retention and elaboration, then upon the lower brain centers, those that take charge of habitual work. All mental operations become shallow, the emotions are less restrained and muscular power is diminished. Repeated doses of alcohol for so brief a period as ten days, serve to establish a habit of reduced working ability. The evidences in laboratory are conclusive. The use of alcohol under all circumstances, even in small quantities, is harmful to health."—Prof. Emil Kraepelin of the University of Munich.