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## THE EYE OF AN ARTIST.

A Case Where It Was More Reliable Than a Sailor's Optic.

Mr. N. Chevalier, the well known artist who accompanied the late Duke of Edinburgh on many of his travels, was once going from Dunedin to Lyttelton, New Zealand, by steamer. Anxious to catch the earliest glimpse of the coast he went on deck at dawn and was alarmed to see that the vessel was heading straight on to the land. Calling the officer's attention to the fact, he was told that it was only a fog bank. The artist maintained his point, but the second officer looked and confirmed his mate.

The artist then said: "Well, gentlemen, I will back my artist's eye against your sailor's eye, and I say that what you mistake for a fog bank is a low range of hills, and there is a range of mountains appearing above them."

But he was only laughed at, until the captain coming on deck found in the growing light that the artist was right and the seamen wrong. The vessel was out of its course, and there was only just time to avert disaster. The helmsman was dismissed in disgrace and the course given to the new steersman, but the vessel's head still pointed landward—the compass was all wrong.

The cause was discovered later. A commercial traveler had brought a box of magnets on board and deposited them in a stern cabin, causing what might have been a fatal deflection of the compass.

To return to the question of interpretation, the artist was dealing with the appearances which his eye was trained to see and his mind to interpret. A speck on the horizon might have remained a mere speck to him long after the sailors had interpreted the speck into a vessel of definite rig. There can be little doubt that the trained eye is accompanied by a sort of mental seeing, an instinct outrunning optics.

## THE CHICKEN YARD.

No henhouse that is frequently dusted with lime will be infested with lice. Lime purifies the quarters and dries them. It is cheap and should be used plentifully.

Always have the nests so low that the hens can step in rather than be obliged to jump down.

If the fowls get too fat, oats as a single food are one of the best grains that can be given to lessen fat.

Mating birds to breed to a feather is a high art, to be acquired only by long practice, aided by close study.

A flat perch is best because of being the most comfortable to the feet and the best support to the breast.

There are three breeds of fowls that are pre-eminently valuable as egg producers. These are the Minorcas, Leghorns and Black Spaniards.

A medium sized active male is twice as valuable as one that is large and extra heavy. If large size and weight are desired, select large hens, but the male should be active and vigorous.

When a fowl has canker and the mouth and throat are sore and ulcerated, wrap a soft rag around a lead pencil, dampen it slightly, dip in chlorate of potash and swab out the mouth clean and inject a drop of turpentine.

What Comes After Suicide? On the whole, it is something of a pity that some of these fellows who cut their throats, blow out their brains or swallow poisons in order to rid themselves of their troubles cannot come back, so they might tell others who are troubled whether relief lies in that direction or not. It is more than probable that what they then could tell would deter others from reckless men and women from following in their footsteps, and for that, if for no other reason, their return would be welcome.

As Hamlet implied, it is better to bear the ills we know than to fly to those we know not of, and there isn't much doubt that the suicides are not long in finding that out.

**The Peach Legend.** Almost all fruits and flowers have their legend. One about the peach comes from Japan and tells how a poor, foolish old couple were searching for food by the roadside. The woman found a peach, which she would not eat of, though starving, till she could share it with her husband. He cut it exactly in half, when an infant leaped forth. It was one of the gods, who had, he said, accidentally fallen out of the peach orchard of heaven while playing. He told them to plant the stone of the peach, and it brought them happiness, friends and wealth.

**How a Plant Protects Itself.** One little plant of South Africa protects itself by assuming a curious likeness to a white lichen that covers the rocks. The plant has sharp pointed green leaves. These are placed close together, with their points upward, and on the tip of each leaf is a little "white, scaly sheath." The resemblance of the smooth surface these present to the lichen growing on the rocks, beside which it is always found, is so great that it is not till you tread on it that you discover the deception.

**Her Savings.** "I'm so glad you told me to keep accounts, Henry," she said, "I have just been going over them, and I find that I have saved \$200 in the last three months."

"Good!" he exclaimed. "Where's the money?"

"Oh, I haven't got the money," she answered, "but the accounts show that I have saved it just the same."—Chicago Post.

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Skin diseases in many cases may need the "inward" application to remove the taint from the blood.

But many a once handsome countenance is "scarred for life" for lack of using such a healing agent as Dr. Agnew's Ointment. Only needs a few applications of this magic healer to any skin disease to clear away all signs of outward disorder and leave the affected part as smooth and soft as an infant's cheek.

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Seek not to screen yourself from the troubles that afflict human life, but in a measure merge yourself in the common lot, and thus seek to fulfill some of the primary conditions of your duty towards your neighbor.

## A True Nerve tonic

acts not so much upon the nerves themselves, as upon the digestive functions, and the abundant formation of rich, red blood. The nerves cannot be fed on medicine. They can be fed and strengthened by digested and assimilated food. Ferrous oxide, a powerful action arises from its power over the digestive and assimilative functions of the body. You take it, the blood grows richer, redder. You feel strength and vigor, digestion ceases to be noticed, for it has become good. Work is easier, for you have the strength to do it. In a short time you have health. Use Ferrous oxide. Sold by McCall & Co.

When you make a mistake, do not look at it for long. Take the reason of the thing into your mind, and then look forward. Mistakes are lessons of wisdom. The past cannot be changed, but the future is in your power.

What a splendid type of tireless activity is the sun as the peacock describes it issuing like "a bridegroom from the chamber and rejoicing like a strong man to run a race." Every man ought to rise in the morning refreshed by slumber and renewed by rest, eager for the struggle of the day. But how rarely this is so. Most people are still unrefreshed, still dreading the strain of the day's labors. The cause of this is deficient vitality and behind this lies a deficiency of pure, rich blood, and an inadequate nourishment of the body. There is nothing that will give man strength and energy, as will Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

It does this by increasing the quantity and quality of the blood supply. This nourishes the nerves, feeds the brain, builds up enfeebled organs and gives that sense of strength and vigor which makes the struggle of life a joy. The "good feeling" which follows the use of "Golden Medical Discovery" is not due to stimulation as it contains no alcohol, whiskey or other intoxicant. It does not brace the body, but builds it up into a condition of sound health.

Gushing Maid—If we lose, will it then be England's cup? Cynical Salt—Well, if Sir Thomas Lipton wins, it will probably be a tea cup.

It's difficult to convince the unlucky man that there is no such thing as luck.

MAKE a note of it, when you are leaving home to buy "The D. & L." Menthol Plaster. It is guaranteed to cure the worst case of headache, headache, sore throat, or loss of appetite, or anything else. Avoid everything said to be just as good. Get the genuine made by Davis & Lawrence Co., Ltd.

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Dear Sirs.—This is to certify that I have been troubled with a lame back for fifteen years.

I have used three bottles of your MINARD'S LINIMENT and am completely cured.

It gives me great pleasure to recommend it, and you are at liberty to use this in any way to further the use of your valuable medicine.

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Poets and heroes yield themselves to the mystic spell of brooding memories.

**DIMINISHED VITALITY.** Some people talk very flippantly about diminished vitality. They don't stop to think that it is the principle of life—that it is that little understood something on which every function of their bodies depends.

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Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

## THE CANADIAN SOO PROSPERS

First of a Series of Interesting Articles from the Pen of Thos. Scullard.

Initial Impressions of the Busy Young Industrial Centre.

This is the first of a series of very interesting articles prepared by Thos. Scullard on Sault Ste. Marie, that busy town at the farthest limits of the north shore of Lake Superior. Mr. Scullard recently took a trip to Sault Ste. Marie in the interests of The Planet, and his descriptions are well worthy of perusal.

In 1894 Sault Ste. Marie was a small struggling town of 1,800 or 2,000 discouraged and debt-burdened people, to-day it is a prosperous busy place of 8,000 and increasing in population and importance by leaps and bounds.

It is the centre of vast steel and paper pulp industries and chemical works and the headquarters of the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Ry.

What is the cause of the extraordinary transformation? How was it brought about? To endeavor to answer these questions and solve the mystery was the object of a party of nine who recently visited the place.

On landing at the International Hotel dock at the Canadian town of Sault Ste. Marie one is struck by the singular appearance of the place. On the right lies the old town the "Soo," an old-fashioned Canadian village, narrow streets, low wooden houses, homely architecture, on the left somewhat removed but near enough to form a striking part of the synoptic view, rise lofty structures of massive sandstone masonry and imposing appearance, characterized by modern and classic lines.

These buildings, which at once attract the eye, are the office buildings and workshops owned and operated by the Lake Superior Power Company and associated companies formed by a number of wealthy American capitalists and popularly known as the Clergue Syndicate, from the name of the energetic manager Mr. F. H. Clergue. It is the institution of these large industries there which accounts for the present prosperity of the Sault. But why, it may be asked, were these great industries located in this particular place? To the uninitiated this is a puzzle, but to those who know what cheap power means in this age of electricity and competitive warfare the reason is plain.

The key to the situation or perhaps I should say the physical key lies in the fact that the level of the waters of Lake Superior is 18 1/2 feet higher than that of Lake Huron. Emerson, the dreamy impractical transcendentalist, in one of his lectures counsels his hearers to hitch their wagons to a star. Mr. F. H. Clergue, his eminently practical captain of industry, follows his countryman's advice so far as to harness up the elemental force of gravitation and it looks as though as long as he has Lake Superior at his back and access to the mines and forests of Algoma and the Hudson Bay territory he will be secure in his position as a leader in the industrial world.

It seems strange that these great natural powers were allowed to run to waste so long, but the fact is it required a man of exceptional ability, great organizing and executive powers, splendid courage, and in command of ample money to turn them to productive commercial use. The man and the occasion met when Mr. F. H. Clergue visited the Sault in 1894.

By the time \$140,000 had been sunk in developing the nominal 5,000 horse power, which nobody wanted; every body was losing heart, taxes were rising, property values falling, people leaving town. Generally it looked as though the sheriff might as well wind up the whole thing. Mr. Hamilton, ex-Mayor, tells an interesting story of his experiences during this trying time. Just at its worst, when things were at their worst, Mr. Clergue, who was on a trip through Canada looking up water powers, was induced to pay the Sault a visit.

Seeing at once the wonderful possibilities of the place for manufacturing purposes, closed a bargain to take over the power already developed, and the sum of prosperity had been carried to Sault Ste. Marie. It is pleasant to be able to say here that while the old Power Company would have gladly sold out to Mr. Clergue at 50 cents on the dollar he drove no hard bargain, but paid the company dollar for dollar on their investment.

## HEART DISEASE

Some Facts Regarding the Rapid Increase of Heart Trouble.

Heart troubles, at least among the Americans, are certainly increasing, and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs, of poor digestion.

Real organic disease is incurable, but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by the same great nerves, the Sympathetic and Vagus nerves.

In another way, also, the heart is affected by the form of poor digestion which causes gas and fermentation from half digested food. There is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action, hence arises palpitation and short breath.

Poor digestion also poisons the blood making it thin and watery, which irritates and weakens the heart.

The most sensible treatment for heart trouble is to improve the digestion and to insure the prompt assimilation of food.

This can be done by the regular use after meals, of some safe, pleasant and effective digestive preparation, like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which may be found at most drug stores, and which contain, valuable, harmless digestive elements, in a pleasant convenient form.

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