

HAD A SINGULAR STOMACH.

Queer Collection of Junk Found in a Young Man's Digestive Organ.

The organs of man are extremely sensitive and the smallest foreign body is often capable of seriously disturbing their functions.

The patient was a young man 22 years of age, pale, of slight intelligence, and epileptic, who had been under the care of Dr. Leroux of the St. Joseph hospital for nervous and intestinal trouble.

PUZZLED PUPILS.

Questions That Could Not be Answered by School Children.

Examinations are a bugbear to the brightest as well as to the school girl, and the answers which are given to simple questions show how completely the children lose their wits when they are submitted to these written tests.

The following bit of information was given about Julius Caesar: "As he (Julius Caesar) grew older he delivered more oratorical speeches."

"Henry VIII. then founded a church of his own and he was called the first of his name because he printed a book called the defender of the church."

"No far the Duke of Somerset had ruled all the kings of England," said one pupil, and another: "Oliver Cromwell was King of England. He destroyed parliament and ruled himself."

A question as to the Angles and the Saxons was answered by the following paragraph: "The Angles and the Saxons had a battle, and after the Angles had conquered the Saxons there was a same land."

"He sees a Negro messenger with just the crown of a hat on his head; he was riding on a horse and he was riding on a horse and he was riding on a horse."

On a physiology paper was found the following paragraph: "The object of respiration is to free the blood from unnecessary waste. It takes place through all the pores of the skin."

by the kidneys and by the liver.

Another physiology paper said: "The pelvis is a hollow basin containing the contents of the word canonize and the word hypothesis brought forth the definitions: 'Canonize means to appease; hypothesis is something that is consumed.'—N. Y. Tribune.

SOME SAYINGS OF HERBERT SPENCER.

Free institutions can be properly worked out only by men, each of whom is jealous of his own rights and also sympathetically jealous of the rights of others—who will neither himself aggress on his neighbors in small things or great nor tolerate aggression on them by others.

No one can be perfectly free till all are free; no one can be perfectly moral till all are moral; no one can be perfectly happy till all are happy.

A clever that was praiseworthy among the Spartans, and it is equally so among Christians, provided it be on sufficiently large scale.

The saying that beauty is but skin deep is a skin deep saying.

Command is a blight to the affections. Whatever of beauty—whatsoever of poetry—there is in the passion that unites the sexes withers up and dies in the cold atmosphere of authority.

Mental power cannot be got from ill-fed brains.

Despotism in the state is associated with despotism in the family.

Do not gain a boy's trust; convince him by your behavior that you have his happiness at heart; let him discover that you are the wiser of the two; let him experience the benefit of following your advice and the evils that arise from disregarding it, and fear not that you will readily enough guide him.

In our tender regard for the vested interests of the few, let us not forget the rights of the many.

We hear a great deal about "the vile body," and many are encouraged by the phrase to transgress the laws of health. But more quietly suppress those who treat disrespectfully one of her highest products, and leaves the world to be peopled by the descendants of those who are not so foolish.

It will become a matter of wonder that there should ever have existed those who thought it admirable to enjoy without working, at the expense of others who worked without enjoying.

WHAT DOCTORS MAKE.

Does the Remuneration Make it Pay to Study Medicine?

There are about 200,000 doctors in the United States, or about one for every 350 people. It has been estimated that the average yearly income of these men is \$750, or that the public in the country pays \$150,000,000 annually for medical attendance, omitting entirely the money spent for patent medicines which brings millions of dollars to manufacturers, or the amounts spent for doctor's prescriptions, or paid to quacks and commercial doctors.

What an Undertaker Says.

"The absence of that depressing atmosphere and general suggestion of the tomb is nowhere more noticeable than in the house of death itself. Formerly it was the undertaker's duty to repair to the house a few hours before the time set for the funeral and drape everything in the room where the body lay—mirrors, pictures, mantel, windows and the like—with black crepe. Daylight was almost wholly excluded, and the entire place wore such a dolorous appearance that a person of any imagination and susceptibility could not remain long in the house without having a touch of the blues."

"To-day almost no crepe is displayed at the better class of funerals. Even the old-time insignia of death at the door front is replaced in most cases with a wreath of flowers or ivy, which the interior of the house or church is made bright and attractive by the use of flowers, greens, etc. The immediate family of the dead may wear mourning at the funeral, but black or somber colors are no more in evidence than on other occasions."

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Rev. P. I. Frey, pastor of the Maple Street Baptist Church, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Marconi Postage Stamps. The Italian Post Office is about to issue a series of new postage stamps. One of these bears a portrait of Marconi, and the world is represented, a telegraph pole with its wires hanging useless being in the foreground.

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Strange Use of a Suicide's Skull. A rather gruesome Highland practice of treating epilepsy, says the Caledonian Medical Journal, is the drinking out of a suicide's skull. In a certain churchyard there is a suicide's skull lying perdu, the exact whereabouts being known only to one or two privileged individuals. It is invariably sent for when a case of epilepsy occurs.

Thibetan Mark of Appreciation. My first real Thibetan friend, writes Ekal Kawaguch, in the Century, occurred in Darjiling, in the century, also invited Dr. Kenryo Inouye, the Japanese "Bordenland" Philosopher and King Yu Wei, the Chinese reformer and scholar. Our Thibetan host expressed his respect for us and appreciation of our remarks by placing to his feet and extending his tongue to its full length.