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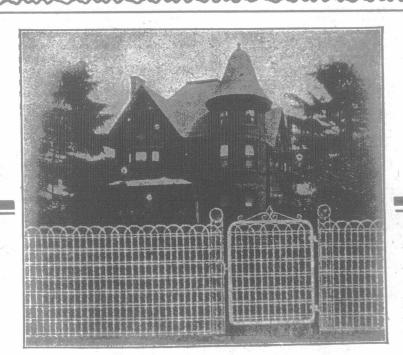
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morning! Perhaps wiser ones recognize that exercise is needed; but the exercise makes them hungrier than usual, as of course it should: and when they eat, to make up what is lost in exercise, they eat too much, and actually gain.

BRINGING UP COAL FROM THE CELLAR.

Most bodies groan and grunt over burning up their own fat, after so carefully storing it away. They prefer to use the sugar they can get fresh, and fresh from their food at every meal. If the coal is stored away in the cellar, and wood is delivered at the kitchen door every day, most people, I suppose, would prefer to use the daily deliveries, right to hand, of quick-burning fuel, rather than go to the cellar, open the bin doors, and lug the slow - burning coal up-stairs to the kitchen stove. At all events, this is the way the body feels about it.

THE PROPER WAY.

To reduce fat, exercise muscular exercise—is needed, not necessarily very hard exercise, but exercise, in excess of that justified by the food taken. Very little exercise will do if very little food is taken; very much is needed if the food taken is excessive; but little or much, the exercise must keep "one jump ahead" of the food.

WAYS AND MEANS.

Suppose you are determined to cut your fat down and are willing to take real pains about it. Weigh yourself stripped, or in a definite set of clothes, with empty pockets, on a reliable scale.

Then weigh the food in your ordinary meals, bread, meat, vegetables, etc., separately, and so get a real idea of how much you eat per day. (Many people may find it easier to count so many slices of bread, so many helps of butter, so many chops, so many potatoes, etc., but this is not so accurate, although, perhaps, accurate enough.) Figure the average calories you have been taking (See table January 15th, 1914.)

Then make up your mind which you will do; eat just the same amount, but exercise more and more until your weight comes down: or (b) exercise just the same, but cut your food down; or (c) both increase exercise and reduce diet. Then, whichever you choose to do, do it! Not spasmodically, or a day at a time, or when you feel like it, but right straight along for three months.

HELPS TO THE WAYWARD.

Remember that your stomach may be so used to bulky meals that you really feel uncomfortably empty on small ones: you may placate your stomach, and "balance up" in bulk, by eating coarse, branny foods, and foods very high in water; guard against taking concentrated nd fats and starches: look over the list of foods already given (January 15, 1914), and pick things like oatmeal and macaroni, that have low fuel value, but good bulk. (It takes about six pounds of cooked oatmeal to equal about one pound of good candy in fuel. Notice string beans, green; ten pounds about equal one pound of sugar, but notice, too, that one pound of navy beans dry are equal to a pound and a half of beefsteak, very nearly.) Remember, in using this table, that you are aiming to cut down the fuel you give your body in your meals, so that your body will be forced to burn up its own fuel, your fat. But don't go at it so hard that you collapse in a week, and have to stay in bed a month to recover. Be content to take off a pound or two a week, not fifty pounds a day!

A pound of fat represents 4,200 calories, and to burn this up in a week you must average 600 calories a day less food than you are taking now if your exercise remains the same, cr you must increase your output of energy by the equivalent of 600 calories if your food remains the same; in other words, if your average diet before you begin reducing is 3,000 calories a day, you must cut it to 2,400, keeping up your ordinary exercise; or you must much increase the exercise you ordinarily take. Violent exercise suddenly entered upon by people who have been living rather sedentary lives, may easily result in a great deal of trouble, and it is much better to both cut the diet somewhat and increase the exercise somewhat, working gradually to the point where you begin to get a definite reduction in weight. It must be remembered that

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