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SAYS TWO MONTHS CURED HIM. Patient No. 16765. Age 23. Single. Indulged in immored halts 4 years. De-posit in urine and drains at night. back, weak sexually. He writes:—"I received your letter of recent date and in reply I ample seed to say that after taking two months' treatment I would consider myself completely cured, as I have seen no signs of them coming

THE WORLD SEEMS DIFFERENT. Patient No. 15923. "I have not had a regular Emission I don't know when and am feeling fine. The world seems altogether different to me and I thank God for directing me to you. You have been an honest doctor with me."

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Case No. 16888. Symptoms when he started treatment:—Age 21, single, indulged in immoral habits several years. Varicose Veins on both sides—pimples on the face, etc. After two months treatment he writes as follows:—"Your welcome letter to hand and an very glad to say that I think myself curel. My Varicose Veins have completely disappeared for quite a while and it seems a cure. I work harder and feel less tired. I have no desire for that habit whatever and if I stay like this, which I have every reason to believe I will. Thanking you for your kind attention," etc.

GAINED 14 POUNDS IN ONE MONTH. Patient No. 13522. This patient (aged 58) had a chronic case of Nervous De-ility and Sexual Weakness and was run silvy and Sexual Weakness and was run down in vigor and vitality. After one month's treatment he reports as follows:—"I am feeling very well. I have gained 14 pounds in one month, so that I will have to congratulate you." Later report:—"I am beginning to feel more like a man. I feel my condition is getting better every week." His last report:—"Dear Doctors—As I feel this is the last month's treatment that I will have to get, I thought at one time I would never be cured but I put confidence in you from the start and you have cured me."

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Curious Pate That Overteek the Pa-ther of Greek Tragedy. Asschylus, the celebrated Greek dramatic writer, is universally referred to as the "father of Greek trage-dy." Born of a noble family at Eleu-sis, in Attica, 525 B. G., at the age of twenty-four he first presented himself at the festival of Bacchus as a competitor for the public prize and fifteen years afterward gained his first vic-tory. The pre-eminence which he thus acquired was successfully maintained till 468 B. C., when he was defeated in a similar contest by his younger

rival, Sophocles.

Aeschylus, mortified at the indignity
he thought this put upon him, quitted
Athens and went to the court of Hiero, king of Syracuse. Of the remaining period of his life but little is known, except that he continued to prosecute his favorite pursuit, and that his residence in Sicily was of some duration may be inferred from the fact that it was sufficient to affect the purity of his language.

The thirteenth and last victory of Aeschylus was gained in 458 B. C. On the manner of his death, which was singular, the ancient writers are unanimous. While sitting motioniess in the fields his bald head was mistaken for a stone by an eagle which happened to be flying over him with a tortoise in her bill. The bird dropped the tortoise to break the shell, and the

Aeschylus is said to have been the author of seventy tragedies, of which only seven are now extant.

THE PRICKLY PEAR.

This III Natured Fruit is Remarkably Tenecious of Life.

The prickly pear is said to be so us of life that a leaf or even a small portion of a leaf, if thrown on und, strikes out roots within a short time and becomes the parent of a fast growing plant.

Mischievous though the African prickly pear may be, it is not without its good qualities. Its juicy fruit, though rather deficient in flavor, is delightfully cool and refreshing in the dry heat of summer, and a kind of reacle is made from it. Great caution must be exercised in

peeling this curious fruit, the proper way being to impale the fruit on a fork or stick while one cuts it open and removes the skin. The individwho undertakes to pluck this treacherous fruit with unguarded fingers meets with an experience be does not soon forget. Concentrated essence of stinging nettle seems all at once to assail hands, lips and tongue, and the skin, wherever it comes in contact with the ill natured fruit, is covered with a group of minute bristly hairs, apparently growing from it and as and irritating to the last de-

In dry weather these spiteful little stings do not even wait for the newly arrived victim, but fly about, light as thistledown, ready to settle on any to give the prickly pear bush a wide

Mineral Microbes. Some interesting experiments have been made with ancient medals, vases and so forth of lead that are gradually disintegrating in the museum of Clu ny. After a certain number of years they fall into dust. The cause, it is thought, lies in the presence of minute quantities of saline matter with which the objects have become impregnated during their long burial in the soil or under water. These microscopic impurities play the part of bacteria and words, the lead is "sick" and unless the noxious matter can be removed will inevitably perish. Curiously enough, it is found that if traces of salt are imparted to a fresh mass of lead it is attacked and eventually falls to pieces like the objects in the museum at Cluny.

Sea Springs.
In the very bottest district in the world-the shores of the Persian gulfthere is no rain whatever, nor rivers, nor oases. Yet water is got-from the bottom of the sea. Six miles off the shallow coast there is a long line of bubbling springs of ice cold fresh Divers capture it in goatskin bags and retail it inland at very moddrought, which lasts from January to December, and in a temperature that hardly ever sinks below 90 degrees and often rises to over 110 the natives have

no worry about their water supply. Thoughtful of Mother.
Little Albert is a bright boy. In playing the other day he upset a beautiful imported flower holder, a gift to his mother from a friend who traveled

"There, see what you've done," his mother said, pointing to the fragments on the f... "Yes, mother, but don't take off your

slippers. You might cut your feet," warned the lad -Philadelphia Times.

Not Too Good. Uncle inquired of little debby if he had been a good boy. Bobby-No, I haven't. Uncle - Why, I hope you haven't been very bad. Bobby-Oh, no; just comfortable.

Blessings. Blessings may appear under the shape of pains, losses and disappointments, but let him have patience and he will see them in their proper figure -- Addison

You will never get on the sunny side by waiting for the world to turn round - Atlanta Constitution.

THE ASTOR WAY.

A Lessen in Finance That William & Taught His Beekkeeper.
The real estate dealer was reminiscing. "Some years ago," he said, "William B. Aster said one day to his head bookkeeper, I wish you to write out those 1,200 leases"—indicating the documents—incorporate to releasing documents—'preparatory to releasing the various properties for which they will be drawn and reduce each rental price 25 per cent for the ensuing year.'
The head bookkeeper, astonished, ventured to protest. There has been no laint, Mr. Astor,' he said, 'from any tenant as to the amount of rent charged. All are satisfied to pay pres-

ent prices.'
"This is a matter of future busi-

ness,' the financier replied, 'as well as present. Times are not especially good st now, and I do not think they will improve this year. I am not, however, making this reduction as a philanthropic movement. It will be a good business investment for me to retain all of my tenants, if possible. Indi-cations are that business conditions during the coming year will force many persons to move into cheaper houses and flats than they have been occupying for some time. I do not wish my tenants to move. I know them and am familiar with their ways. I am acquainted with their needs, demands and methods of paying their rents. If they should move I should have to try to replace them with new tenants, whose desirability I have not tested. Besides, I should have to spe large sums in repapering, painting and arranging these various properties to suit the new tenants. By reducing rents I shall have a delighted lot of tenants, who would not leave me if they could. Furthermore, I will make it impossible for them to find as good places elsewhere for the money. Naturally, having had their rents reduced, they will not ask for any repairs that can possibly be avoided, and I shall some money in that direction over previous years. Besides, I shall and shall be able to estimate my resources accordingly. If, on the contrary, I let many of my tenants move out the amount of my losses would be uncertain. You will find, if you com pare my rentals at the end of the year with those of similar properties own ed by other persons who make no reductions, that mine is a profitable plan When times improve we can release at advanced figures, and undoubtedly to

"The bookkeeper learned a lesson in finance, the leases were drawn accordingly, and Astor did not lose a tenant."-New York Press.

the same tenants.

"Sunday Folks." When Dr. John Cairns went from Scotland to Ireland for rest and travel in 1864 he was at once delighted by discovering from the guides who showed him about that most of the

landed gentry were "Sunday folks." "That's a fine castle," he would say, pointing to a big house set like a crown on some rocky bill

"Yis, sorr," said his guide. "'Tis Sir John O'Connor's," or, "'Tis Sir Rory O'More's." He always added. "He's a

At last Dr. Cairns grew curious

"What is a Sunday man?" he asked. 'Well, sorr, it do be a mon thot has so many writs out ag'in him for debt that he stays shut up tight in his house all the week and only comes out on Sundah, when the law protects him." Dr. Cairns' opinion of the landed gentry underwent a change.

Elephants Can't Jump. "There is one thing no one has ever seen an elephant do either in a circus a keeper in the Central park men-

"The fact is an elephant cannot Because of his great weight he cannot take all four feet off the ground at once. He can make a 100 yard dash at the rate of twenty miles an hour, which is going some, but if he was pursuing an enemy and came to a deep ditch eight, feet across he would have to stop short, because it is too wide for him to step it and he is unable to jump. will have a fit if a rabbit runs between bis feet. He has tremendous strength, but he doesn't know it."-New York

A Curious Illusion.
People declare that they have seen a field of grass gradually change color during a shower of rain, thousands of mushrooms springing up before their This is an optical illusion caused by the rain beating down the grass The mushrooms do not really spring up during a single shower of rain. They are there already, but hidden by the grass, and when the rain beats down the grass it exposes the hidden ionsbrooms.-London Mail.

No Use For Amsteurs. Ella—That young farmer tried to kiss me, saying that he had never kissed a girl before. Stella-What did you tell him? Ella-That I was no agricultural experiment station .- New

Quite Thoughtful. Dora-So you have decided to break off your engagement with him. Nora-Yes, but I don't think I shall do it un-til after my tothday, as it comes next week .- Club bellow.

A Wonder. Figg-As a talker Brown's wife is ertainly a wonder. Fogg-Right you are! Wonders never ease.-Boston Transcript.

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