

VICTOR HUGO'S KINDNESS.

Sarah Bernhardt Witnessed It and Hugged Him In Appreciation.

One day when the rehearsal was over an hour earlier than usual I was waiting, my forehead pressed against the window pane, for the arrival of Mme. Guérard, who was coming to fetch me. I was gazing idly at the opposite footpath, which is bounded by the Luxembourg railings. Victor Hugo had just crossed the road and was about to walk on. An old woman attracted his attention. She had just put a heavy bundle of linen on the ground and was wiping her forehead, on which were great beads of perspiration.

In spite of the cold, her toothless mouth was half open, as she was panting, and her eyes had an expression of distressing anxiety as she looked at the wide road she had to cross, with carriages and omnibuses passing each other. Victor Hugo approached her, and after a short conversation he drew a piece of money from his pocket, handed it to her, then, taking off his hat, he confided it to her and, with a quick movement and a laughing face, lifted the bundle to his shoulder and crossed the road, followed by the bewildered woman. I rushed downstairs to embrace him for it, but by the time I had reached the passage, jostled against De Ghilly, who wanted to stop me, and descended the staircase Victor Hugo had disappeared. I could see only the woman's back, but it seemed to me that she hobbled along now more briskly.

The next day I told the poet that I had witnessed his delicate good deed. "Oh," said Paul Maurice, his eyes wet with emotion, "every day that dawn is a day of kindness for him." I embraced Victor Hugo, and we went to the rehearsal.—From Sarah Bernhardt's Recollections.

Protection Spectacles.

Spectacles to aid imperfect sight have, it appears, been in use for more than 600 years, but spectacles merely as a "protection" to the eyes are of much more ancient date. Snow spectacles are worn by the Eskimos, who could not tell you who invented them, and in all Arctic countries not only men and women wear spectacles, but also animals. Farmers who are careful about their cattle will provide both cows and horses with spectacles to protect the eyes from the glare of the glittering snow. The spectacles worn by Laps and Eskimos are not made of glass, but of very thin bone or whalebone, through which it is possible to see clearly enough for purposes of travel or sport.

Music.

Music as defined by the authorities is the art which employs sound as a medium of artistic expression for what is not in the province of literature, of sculpture, of painting, of acting or of architecture. It has been said, again, that music is the embodiment of the inward feelings of which all other arts can but exhibit the effect. In other words, music is an attempt at the expression of the highest aspirations and the deepest fears of the human soul. After we have spoken and written all that is possible and chiseled our finest forms and painted our most beautiful pictures there remains a feeling that is not satisfied, and music is the effort to satisfy that feeling.

"Where can I get some of Holloway's Corn Cure? I was entirely cured of my corns by this remedy and I wish some more of it for my friends." So writes Mr. J. W. Brown, Chicago.

SUFFERED FROM VIOLENT CATHARTICS

The Warning of Mr. Geo. C. Fox Is One That Should Be Heeded by All.

Few men on the road are better known than genial George Fox, whose friends throughout the West are legion. In the following letter he expresses gratitude for signal services rendered by Dr. Hamilton's Pills. He goes on to say: "Until I used Dr. Hamilton's Pills and experienced their wonderful mildness and curative power, I estimated the value of every pill by its activity. Talking about this to a well-known physician I met on the train the other day, he explained there are different kinds of drugs that act upon the bowels, the most active being known as drastic. Except in extreme cases where the life of the patient depends upon speedy evacuation of the bowels, pills should never be drastic. Purgatives cause catarrh of the bowels and inflammation; their dose must be increased, causing even more harm. With such a clear explanation I could see why Dr. Hamilton's Pills are curative and not irritating, why they are mild, yet most searching. "From my experience I recommend everyone that takes pills to give up the old-fashioned harsh, purging pill, and, instead, to use Dr. Hamilton's. They cure headache, biliousness, constipation, bad stomach, and keep the system in perfect condition." Refuse any substitute for Dr. Hamilton's Pills; sold for \$2.00 at dealers, or The Catarrhose Co., Kingston, Ont.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills Cure Constipation



At a cost of only two-thirds of a cent a day per Animal, Royal Purple Stock Specific makes each Animal worth 25 per cent. more.

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MR. ANDREW WEGRICH, of Wainsett, Ont., says: "This is to certify that I have tried your Royal Purple Stock Specific for two weeks, on one cow. On the 16th I weighed her milk as 17 pounds. I noticed a change after 5 or 6 days, as there was an extra weight of milk. On the 29th, I carefully weighed the milk, and she gave 22 pounds. I am giving an order for 5 boxes, as I consider it the best I have ever used."

"Stock Food" will not do this. Because "Stock Food" is nothing more or less than a mixture of the very things which you, yourself, grow on your own farm.

It is not more food your Animals need. They must have something to help their bodies get all the nourishment from the food they are getting. So that they will fatten, and stay fat, all the year 'round.

They need something to prevent disease, to cure disease, and to keep them in the best of health, all the time.

Not a Stock Food

Royal Purple is not a "Stock Food," nor a "medicine." It is a Conditioner.

It does not contain Grain, nor farm products. Nor does it contain "Dope," or any other injurious ingredient. Royal Purple does not merely temporarily bloat or inspire the Animal. It fattens and strengthens it, permanently.

No other Specific known adds flesh so quickly as Royal Purple. It makes 6-week-old Calves as large as ordinary-fed Calves are at 10 weeks.

Royal Purple makes naturally-thin Animals fat.



And it builds up the health and restores the former plumpness and vigor of run-down stock, in little or no time.

The very best time to use this Conditioner is NOW. It digests the hard food properly and prevents the animals getting indigestion or losing flesh.

50 per cent. Cheaper

One 50-cent Package of Royal Purple will last one Animal 70 days. This figure a little over two-thirds of a cent per day.

Most "Stock Foods" in 50-cent Packages last but 50 days, and are given three times a day.

But Royal Purple Specific is given only once a day, and lasts 50 per cent. longer. (A \$1.50 Pail, containing four times the amount of the 50-cent Package, lasts 280 days.)

So, you see, it is only necessary to give Royal Purple Specific once each day.

Just think of making each Animal worth 25 per cent. over its cost! What will that mean to you, Mr. Stock Owner!

It makes the Hens lay Eggs in Winter as well as in the Summer.

MRS. WM. BURNHAM, Sanford, Ont., says: "Dear Sirs,—This is to certify that I have used two boxes of your Poultry Specific for my hens. They laid so well while feeding it to them, I wondered if you would mind sending me word how or where I could get some this winter. I bought it from your agent last winter. I had 32 hens, and some days I got two dozen eggs a day in February and March, while feeding them the Specific."

Royal Purple Poultry Specific prevents Fowls losing flesh at moulting time, and permanently cures every poultry disease. It makes their plumage bright and keeps them always in prime condition.

It makes your Poultry worth more than they could ever be without it.

Yet one 50-cent Package will last 25 Hens 70 days. Or a \$1.50 Pail will do 25 Hens 280 days. This is four times more material at only three times the cost.

Royal Purple creates an appetite for food, and helps nature to digest and turn it into flesh and muscle.

As a Hog fattener, Royal Purple has no equal.

Never Off Feed Dan McEwen, the horseman, says: "I have used Royal Purple Stock Specific persistently in feeding 'The Eel,' 2,024, largest winner of any pacer on Grand Circuit in 1908 and 1909, and 'Henry Winters,' 2,104, brother of 'Allen Winters,' winner of \$36,000 in trotting stakes in 1908.

"These horses have never been off their feed since I started using Royal Purple Specific. I will always have it in my stables. Your Cough Powder works like magic."

For Poultry Royal Purple Poultry Specific is our other Specific. It is for Poultry—not for stock.

For his own family he was preparing at his death an illustrated history of Montreal in five volumes.

He was an ardent and indefatigable collector of engravings, and during his life-time must have gathered together hundreds of thousands. When he used these engravings, as he never failed to do, the effect was to embellish something already interesting from an historical and literary standpoint.

Moki Indian Breadmaking. Women of the Moki Indians in the deserts of New Mexico make bread in sheets no thicker than a sheet of paper. The corn of which the bread is made is ground between two heavy stones until it becomes very fine. Then it is mixed with water and a very thin batter prepared. The batter is spread on a hot stone over the fire, where it is allowed to bake a considerable time. When one side is baked the other is turned. Sheet after sheet is baked in this manner. No salt is used in the batter, and the bread has a sweetish taste. It is usually blue, taking the color of the corn from which it is made.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Forgetting Her Text. "I wanted to see Mrs. Green-Brown and tell her how much I enjoyed her lecture on 'Mind Your Own Business.'"

"You can't see her now. She's engaged with some very important correspondence. She is just finishing a letter to Mrs. Stevenson asking how it happened that a box of bottled beer was carried into her house last Monday afternoon, and then she's going to write to Mrs. Blinkersdorf and demand to know if it's true that she smokes a cigarette daily after dinner."

"Isn't she a perfect wonder?"

The Meat Part. A tourist called at an inn in Donegal and ordered a roll and butter and some tea. It was brought, and on cutting the roll he found a black beetle in the middle.

"Here!" he called to the waiter. "Take this and show it to the proprietor."

"I wouldn't be after showin' it to the proprietor if I were you, sor," said Pat.

"Why not?" inquired the tourist.

"Tribble mane man a proprietor is, sor. Shure, he'll be after chargin' ye for a mate tay!"—Answers.

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Centralia, Ont., Feb. 7, '10. The W. A. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Ont.

Gentlemen,—We have been using Royal Purple Poultry and Stock Specific for the last three weeks, and must say that results are remarkable. Am feeding the Stock Specific to two milking cows, and they have increased 30 per cent. in their milk. The Poultry results are even more marked than this. We have about 60 hens, laying eggs. When we commenced feeding, we were getting five and six eggs a day, and in the last five days the same flock of hens laid 150 eggs, almost an average of 31 each day, and those five days have been the coldest this winter.

You can see results plainly in two or three days after the use of "Royal Purple," and the poultry have the same hustle and appearance now as in the summer time. With cows and poultry, am using exactly the same food and care as before starting to feed "Royal Purple."

When farmers and stockmen get acquainted with Royal Purple, it will have a greater demand than all other tonics and stock foods on the market combined.

Yours truly, ANDREW HICKS.

Aug. 28, 1910. W. A. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Ont.

Gentlemen,—Last Fall we had in our stable a young mare belonging to Miss Clouston, of Montreal. We could not feed her any bran on account of causing violent scouring, consequently causing her to become weak and thin. We commenced using your Royal Purple Stock Specific, and the results were wonderful. After using it three weeks, we found we could feed the animal bran or any other soft feed without scouring her, and she actually took on in this time twenty-five pounds of flesh, we working her at the same time through the hunt. I can heartily recommend your Stock Specific.

TOM SMITH, Trainer for the Hon. Adam Beck.

We also manufacture: Royal Purple Lice Killer..... 25c. Royal Purple Gall Cure..... 25c. Royal Purple Sweat Liniment..... 50c. Royal Purple Cough Cure..... 50c.

Our Cough Cure will cure any ordinary cough in four days, and will break up and cure distemper in ten to twelve days. If your dealer cannot supply you with our Royal Purple Brands, we will supply you upon receipt of \$1.50 a pail, prepaid, for either poultry or stock, or if you want any Liniment, Gall Cure or Cough Powder, we will send it by mail, postpaid, upon receipt of price.

Royal Purple STOCK AND POULTRY SPECIFICS

Make This Test

Every ounce of Royal Purple Stock and Poultry Specific is guaranteed.

To prove that Royal Purple has no equal, we want you to make this test:

Feed Royal Purple to any one of your Animals for four weeks. And at the same time feed any other preparation to any other Animal in the same condition.

If Royal Purple does not prove to you, by actual results, that it is the best you ever used, we'll return your money.

And we'll ask no questions—make no excuses. You will be the judge—not us.

This is an honest test, isn't it? We ask you to make it because we know that Royal Purple is the best Conditioner on the market.

If you are not satisfied, after testing it, you don't lose anything, do you?

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quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. . . . 25 cents.

DON'T BURN LEAVES.

They Should Be Turned Over Into the Soil as Fertilizers.

Fools burn leaves, leaving for themselves a pinch of poor ash, but sending back into the air what was taken from it by the process of growth. These thousands of tons are not made out of the earth, but out of the air, and are intended to be turned over into soil. If you plant a tree in a tub of dirt and leave it there until it weighs a hundred pounds you will find by weighing the dirt that the tree was not made up of what was in the tub, but almost altogether of what it could get from the air—carbon and nitrogen for the most part, with hydrogen composing a good share of the liquid part of sap.

The elements of the soil that are not in the air are deep down under the surface of the soil or incorporated in the rocks. The most important are potash and phosphorus. You get some potash from ashes, weed waste, soapstuds, and there are a few soils that in their natural state are entirely deficient in this element. The timber soil of our corn belt contain about 2,000 pounds of phosphorus per acre. Raising crops that use up these elements steadily lessens the possibility of growing any crops at all. We have got to find them in the soil; if we use them up we have got to replace them.

Agriculture should be renamed aericulture, because we are really taking from the air the larger part of our annual crops. What we must know is how to do this most readily. Our fathers knew that they must use manure, and they knew that they must rotate crops. They knew also that living plants fed on decaying plants, this having first served as food for animals.

Alfred Sandham.

Toronto recently lost one of her most valuable literary workers in the person of Alfred Sandham.

Mr. Sandham's efforts were along historical lines. He dealt with the past, in press clippings, biographical sketch, and pictures. While he could write with grace and expression, he devoted most of his time to the art of

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