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Historic City of India.

Delhi is the most historic city in all India. It may not be the oldest, although it lays claim to a respectable middle age, dating from 1000 B. C. At that time the master of Delhi called himself emperor of all the world, and emperors, at least of India, have ruled there almost ever since. Old Delhi, without the walls, is a city of picturesque ruins; Imperial Delhi, the modern city, was created by Shah Jehan, a contemporary of Queen Elizabeth. From the date of the first Mohammedan incursion, A. D. 715, perpetual warfare raged round Delhi until at length she yielded to the irresistible power of the Moguls. The city was alternately Mohammedan and Hindoo during a great many years and finally, in 1803, was made British by General Lake. Delhi has the finest and largest mosque in India. It took 5,000 men six years to build it. The noble tomb of the Emperor Humayun marks the change of creed which followed the Moslem invasion, while the observatory of Jai Singh and the deserted hall of the seven columns recall the short triumph of Brahmanism.

Why He Didn't Vote.

An Alabamian tells this story of his negro coachman, who invariably voted: On one particular election day he returned home in the afternoon with a contentment that looked as if it had been taking some familiarities with a buzzard.

"What's the matter, Zack?" I asked, with some solicitude.

"It's this way, boss: I went up there to the votin' place, and there was the county undertaker, sah, a-sittin' with a big book open 'foah him, and he sez to me right sharp-like, 'What's your name?' 'Zack Taylor,' I sez, humble. 'Let's see,' says the undertaker. And he turned over the leaves of the book. All of a sudden he stopped turnin' and begin to run his finger down the page, 'mutterin' to himself, 'Taylor, Taylor, Taylor, Taylor—Zack.' And putty soon he bollerered out: 'Heah it is. You black scoundrel, I dun buried you ten year ago! What you mean by tryin' to vote?' Just then a passel of white men tuk and threw me out, and den I dun come home 'foah dey could bury me again!"

She Strove to Please.
The waiter girl at our table was imbued with a sincere desire to give satisfaction. She did her best to get from the kitchen precisely what each boarder asked for, and she succeeded very well indeed.

The other evening at dinner she said interrogatively to each man in turn, "Chicken or tomato soup?" and our made answer, "Tomato," and the second said "Tomato soup, please," and the third added, "I'll take tomato."

Whereupon the intelligent maiden delivered the several orders into the kitchen in this wise, "One tomato soup, one tomato soup and one tomato soup."

Thus each guest received precisely what he had asked for and was happy until the next order was taken.

But that is another course—Judge.

She Followed Instructions.
A lady once employed a girl to assist her in her housework. One day the mistress wanted to make a pudding, and, having bought some plums, she explained to the girl how to stone them. She picked up a plum and took out the stone; then, thinking the girl knew how to do them, she put the plum in her mouth and left the kitchen. The servant came into the drawing room half an hour later and said, "Please, mum, I've finished." The hostess departed for the kitchen and beheld a plate full of stones only. "Where are the plums, Jane?" she asked. "I've eaten 'em, mum, as you showed me!" was the maid's reply.

A Questionable Pedigree.
Three little school children were seriously discussing the social conditions and positions of their respective parents and their ancestry, each one evidently determined to go one better than the other.

"Mother says I am descended from Mary, queen of Scots," triumphantly asserted little Eva.

"So am I then," retorted Cousin Willie.

"Don't be silly, Willie," interpolated the third. "Why, you're a boy!"

Valuable Prediction.
"Doctor, do you remember three months ago that you predicted positively that I would be a dead man in six weeks?"

"Why, yes, I—"

"Well, I've got a friend in the next room who is despondent about himself. Just tell him there is no hope for him, will you?"

Astronomy Before Christ.
About 500 B. C. Anaxagoras of Ionia was born. When he "grew up in wisdom" he was the first to teach the course and cause of both solar and lunar eclipses and to give his followers rules whereby they could distinguish planets from fixed stars. He was punished for declaring that the sun was not a god.

A Bee Line.
The directness of the bee's flight is proverbial. The shortest distance between any two given points is called a bee line. Many observers think that the immense eyes with which the insect is furnished greatly assist, if they do not entirely account for, the arrowy straightness of its passage through the air.

A Striking Similarity.
Bachley—Why is a woman like time?
Benedict—Because she never fails to get her man in the end.
Bachley—No; because she reveals all things.—Exchange.

I Can do all My Own Work

"I feel it my duty to tell you what your medicines did for me," writes Mrs. Blanche Marshall, of Whiting, Jackson Co., Kansas, Box 139. "I was severely afflicted with kidney trouble and female weakness. In less than three months the trouble became so bad I could hardly walk around the house. I suffered almost everything. Seeing your advertisement in our paper concluded to write Dr. Pierce. After receiving your kind advice I immediately began taking your medicine. After taking two bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' alternately with two of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and using one box of 'Lotion Tablets' I am entirely cured. I can do all my own work without any trouble. I take great pleasure in recommending Doctor Pierce's medicines to all suffering women."



ATTACKED SOCIALISTS.

KAISER DISPLAYS BITTERNESS IN HIS SPEECH.

Advices a Deputation of Working Men to Have Nothing More to Do With Socialists.

Breslau, Prussia, Dec. 6.—Emperor William, addressing a deputation of workmen, made a bitter anti-Socialist speech, declaring that it was a lie to say that workmen had to rely on the Socialist party for a betterment of their position. The Socialists, he added, had terrorized and trodden the workmen under foot, and as men of honor, they must have no more to do with them.

TELEGRAPH EREMITIES.
Queen's University trustees ratified the appointment of Rev. Dr. Gordon as Principal.

Edward Walker, a London milkman, was arrested on a charge of personating in the referendum vote.

The Cuban House of Representatives will probably reject the proposed treaty with the United States.

The Dominion Iron & Steel Co. has won its suit against the Government for payment of bounties on pig iron.

Illinois has ordered a quarantine against cattle from the infected New England States and the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

The directors and members of The Toronto Globe staff said farewell to Mr. J. S. Wilson yesterday, and presented him with a cabinet of sterling silver.

Nerve Disorders of Women

Accompanied by Neuralgia, Irritability, Sleeplessness and Depressed Spirits.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

The feminine organism requires an enormous quantity of blood not only to sustain the network of nerves which are found in the womanly system, but also to make good the periodical loss which so weakens the body.

Consequently it happens that just as soon as the blood gets weak and watery or is deficient in quantity the nervous system suffers, and in woman the effects are most severely felt in the form of irregularities and weaknesses of the feminine system.

At the beginning of womanhood, at child birth, during the nursing periods and at the change of life, calls are made for an extra supply of blood, and as a result nervous disorders are exceedingly common at these times, and the health and happiness of the remainder of life may depend on the care of the system.

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Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

WHY THEY MARRIED.

Reasons of the Chronic Cranks For Entering into Wedlock.

Postal cards having been sent out to married men with the inquiry "Why did you marry?" a large number of responses came to hand, from which the following are selected:

"That's what I have been trying for eleven years to find out—X."

"Married to get even with her mother, but never have—W."

"Because Sarah told me that five other young men had proposed to her—C."

"The father thought eight years' courtin' was almost long enough—B."

"Please don't stir me up—J."

"Because I did not have the experience I have now—G."

"That's the same question my friends ask me—C. H."

"I wanted a companion of the opposite sex. P. S.—She is still opposite—A."

"Because it is just my luck—P. J."

"I relearned the company. We now have it all the time—Karl."

"Have exhausted all the figures in the arithmetic to figure out an answer to your question. Between multiplication and division in the family and distraction in addition, the answer is hard to arrive at—Old Man."

"I married to get the best wife in the world—Simon."

"Because I asked her if she'd have me. She said she would. She's got me—Blivins"—Detroit Free Press.

The Cause of Geyers.
Bunsen has explained the periodical eruption of geyers in such a satisfactory manner that doubt is no longer possible. A cavern filled with water lies deep in the earth under the geyser, and the water in this cavern is heated by the earth's internal heat far above 212 degrees, since there is a heavy hydrostatic pressure upon it arising from the weight of water in the passage or natural standpipe that leads from the subterranean chamber to the surface of the earth.

After a time the temperature of the water below rises, so that steam is given off in spite of the pressure, and the column in the exit tube is gradually forced upward. The release of pressure and the disturbance of the water then cause the contents of the subterranean chamber to flash into steam and expel the contents of the exit tube violently.

These eruptions may also be provoked by throwing stones or clods of turf into the basin of the geyser. The water in the cavern below is disturbed by this means.

A Love Potion.
One of the leading sources of income to the old herbalist was the compounding of love powders for despondent swains and heartick maidens. If a powder would not bring the desired relief, various juices of roots and herbs were mingled in a potion and sold as the love phial. Here is an old recipe: "Mistioe berries (not exceeding nine in number) are steeped in an equal mixture of wine, bee, vinegar and honey."

"This taken on an empty stomach before going to bed will cause dreams of your future destiny (provided you retire before 12 o'clock) either on Christmas eve or on the first and third of a new moon." Perhaps as a lingering remnant of this absurdity there is a current notion in some parts of the world today that a whole mince pie eaten at midnight will cause the reappearance of long departed friends, not to mention the family physician and the more interested members of the household.

A Memorable Ride.
The most memorable ride in English history was that of Sir Arthur Owen, which placed the Hanoverian dynasty on the throne of Great Britain. The act of settlement by which in 1701 parliament elected the house of Hanover to the British throne was passed by only one vote, and this casting vote was given by Sir Arthur Owen, the member of parliament for Pembroke-shire. He arrived at Westminster, dusty and travel worn, only just in time to record his vote, having ridden with furious haste from Wales for the purpose on relays of horses kept at all the posting houses along the route. To that ride Britain owes its Georgian era; hence its Queen Victoria and her descendants.

"Tomato."
What is the earliest instance of the occurrence of the word tomato in any European language? The first I have in my notebook is the reference to "Americanum tumatum," made by Guiliandus in his "De Papyro," a commentary on parts of Pliny, 1572, page 90. Later (page 91) he says, "De-nique tumatule ex Themistitan, rectorio fere pomum aureum, et pomum amaris nuncupant," showing that both the Aztec name tomato and the popular "love apple" were already in use. "Themistitan," I may add, is probably a misprint for Themistitan—i. e., Tenochtitlan, synonym for Mexico.

Cast Out Cant.
Honor to the strong man in these ages who has shaken himself loose of shams and is something. For in the way of being worthy the first condition surely is that one be. Let cant cease at all risks and at all costs. Till cant ceases nothing else can begin.

Nervous Remedies.
"They claim that peritonitis is a cure for appendicitis."

"I suppose that's on the same principle that behending is a sure cure for squinting."

Wit is brushwood, judgment is timber. The first makes the brightest flames, but the other gives the most lasting heat.

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By letters patent the Company is authorized to manufacture and sell, Binder Twine, Rope and Cord and other articles of Twine and Cordage. Capacity of plant—3 tons (6000 lbs.) per day.

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The "Farmer's World" in its issue of December 4th 1900, says: The "Farmers' Binder Twine Co." of Brantford, has declared a dividend of 90 per cent on the present season's business. Since its organization it has paid five 10 per cent, one 50 per cent, one 100 per cent, and the present 90 per cent dividends, an average of 37 1-2 per cent per year.

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