

PSYCHASTHENIA.

A Physician Says This Is One of the Causes of Panics.

The panics that start in Wall street often begin in the morbid financial fears of overstrained brains—psychasthenia. Psychasthenia makes panics, writes Dr. Clarence Hughes in the Alienist and Neurologist.

"We once knew a mind overburdened, brain overstrained man suddenly conclude he was coming to want and would not be able to pay his taxes when his income was \$40,000 annually. He milked his own cow, he harnessed his own horse and cared for it (sold the others), dismissed all his servants and his wife's and had insomnia, but finally recovered completely. Others with less income or more fall through brain overtax into the same morbid way of feeling and thinking.

"One kind of insanoid is a man who under mental stress of any kind acts as though he were insane, but has not the disease of real insanity to excuse his actions.

"He hovers on the verge, but does not pass over into real mental aberration as he appears to be going. He does and says such odd, unreasonable and annoying things that his friends often wish he would pass into genuine insanity, so that he might be properly and lawfully restrained or that he might happily extinguish himself by suicide. Sometimes he does commit suicide or become really insane, and we then know where to place him."

A LITTLE BIT BEHIND.

The Old Man Was Not Very Well Posted on the News.

In the midst of the heated dissension on points connected with certain historical sensations which their teacher had sought to impress on them the two grandchildren appealed to their grandfather, who sat musing and puffing his pipe in the corner, for support.

"Grandpa," cried the eager brother, "who was it killed Caesar—Cassius or Brutus? I say Cassius."

"Waal," replied the grandfather, suddenly becoming grave and taking his pipe from his mouth, "it war one or t'other. Let me see. Yes, I guess 'twar th' man you said."

"And sis says it was Marie Antoinette who got put to death in France," again cried the youth, triumphantly glancing toward his sister, "but I say it was Mary, queen of Scots."

"Now, you may be right there, too," ventured the involuntary vindicator after fidgeting in his chair. "Come t' think of it, 'twar Mary, queen of Scots, that war electrocuted in France."

At this the young girl's eyes flashed. "Grandpa," declared she, stepping before him and eying him sternly, "you don't seem to know anything about it."

The old man's head went up as if shocked. "Th' truth is, children," he then admitted as he passed his free hand over his head helplessly, "your grandfather ain't read th' newspapers very careful this week. I'm a leetle mite behind."—Bohemian Magazine.

An Unwelcome Gratuity.

An American merchant bitterly opposed to the custom of "tipping" public servants for each inconsequential service was astonished to find the practice in Europe more general than in America. While in London he had occasion to employ a cab and upon being driven to the desired destination drew forth a handful of change, counted out the exact fare and tendered it to the driver.

"Beg pardon, sir!" exclaimed the caddy in a tone of injury. "'Ow long 'ave ye been saving up for this 'oliday?'"

Suppressing his annoyance at the driver's effrontery, the tourist sought a restaurant and upon receiving the dinner check again tendered the exact amount of his bill. The waiter bowed, assisted his guest into his coat, then, selecting a bright new sixpence, offered it to his patron with:

"Beastly weather, sir! Ere's coach fare!"—Lippincott's Magazine.

The Rat.

The rat's sins are manifold. The damage which he does in a year to crops, cargoes, stores, granaries, poultry and game, dairies and outhouses, foundations, walls and drainage cannot be calculated exactly, but it must be enormous. He is ubiquitous. He swarms in fields, hedges, coverts, farmyards, cellars, sewers, docks and ships. He is clever in getting out of difficulties, extremely courageous, able to exist on almost any kind of food and horribly prolific.—London Spectator.

The Retort Direct.

"See here," cried the artist, who had come to complain about the materials he had bought, "I can't imagine anything worse than your paints."

"That's strange," replied the dealer. "Don't you ever use your imagination on your painting?"—Exchange.

Hopeless.

"We wish, madam, to enlist your aid in influencing your husband for the public good. He holds the key to a very interesting situation and—" "I don't see how I can be of any assistance to you. John never could find a kernole."—Houston Post.

FOUND SHE WAS DUMB.

The Street Masher's Discomfiture Was Then Complete.

She had arrived in the city quite recently from the country and had still much to learn. For instance, when she was told that she could not go for a walk alone after dark, as she had been accustomed to do in the primitive security of her birthplace, she smiled the superior smile of one who knows and is wont to follow her own wishes.

So she started out one evening with the intention of "dropping in" to see a friend, for an hour's chat before bedtime. Brightly and blithely she skipped along, her head in the air. She made a pretty picture, and it was scarcely astonishing that she attracted the attention of other pedestrians also out for enjoyment. One of these, a young man, thought it a pity that such unanimity of thought should not form a "trust combination." He approached her.

She affected not to see him at first and hastened her steps. But he kept pace and finally tried to converse at the same time.

Then she remembered the advice she had disdained. Watching her opportunity, she increased her walk to a run and sought refuge in a large building the lights of which loomed ahead like a beacon of safety to a shipwrecked mariner. Without pausing to look where she was going, she rushed up a flight of steps that led to it and placed her hand on the bell. Before she could ring it she was startled by an exclamation from her pursuer, who stood in the street below staring at the building with bulging eyes.

"That's one on me!" he said. And he walked away as if he would like to leave the earth unseen.

Raising her eyes, she saw this inscription over the door:

"Home For the Deaf and Dumb!"—New York Post.

Common Prudence.

A teacher in a downtown school has for her pupils the children of Russian parents. The other day she was explaining a sum in subtraction which the little ones found difficult to understand.

"Now," said she to exemplify the proposition, "suppose I had \$10 and went into a store to spend it. Say I bought a hat for \$5. Then I spent \$2 for gloves and \$1.50 for some other things. How much did I have left?"

For a moment there was dead silence. Then a boy's hand went up.

"Well, Isaac, how much did I have left?"

"Vy didn't you count your change?" said Isaac in a disgusted tone.—Woman's Home Companion.

On the Links.



Mr. Timot (teaching a friend golf)—Before I go any further let me impress upon you, old man, that hevery think is in the way you stand!

Piling It On.

A convict in a western prison had been extremely refractory, and different means were tried without success to break his spirit. One morning the superintendent said to the warden:

"That scoundrel No. 213 is behaving worse than ever. Put him on bread and water."

"But he is already on fast diet," replied the warden.

"Then keep it up and give him a cookbook to read."—New York Times.

Queer.

"Funny thing about a man's tongue," said Joakley.

"Go ahead," said Markley; "let's have it."

"When it's thick the excuses he makes to his wife are too thin."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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ANOTHER LEMON FOR ANNA

Paris, June 13.—It is learned that a marriage contract has been signed between Anna Gould and de Sagan. Each party retains control of his or her property. The contract is a formality under the French law, but it is customary for the wedding to follow within two weeks. It is considered probable the ceremony will take place in Germany.

W. R. Ward, of Dyersburg, Tenn., writes: "This is to certify that I have used Foley's Orino Laxative for chronic constipation, and it has proven without a doubt to be a thorough practical remedy for this trouble, and it is with pleasure I offer my conscientious reference." Sold by all druggists.

BADLY STUNG BY BEES

Dover, Ky., June 13.—Mrs. A. D. Willett, lies at her home, five miles south of here, in a critical condition, as the result of bee stings. This morning a hive of bees swarmed and she endeavored to get them to settle. The bees settled on her head and stung her until she fell unconscious. With his hands her husband brushed the bees from her body, being himself severely stung.

DO NOT NEGLECT THE CHILDREN

At this season of the year the first unnatural looseness of a child's bowels should have immediate attention. The best thing that can be given is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy followed by castor oil as directed with each bottle of the remedy. For sale by all druggists.

LA GUAYRA'S BAD PLIGHT

Willemstadt, June 12.—With new cases of bubonic plague being reported daily, the port closed, business at a standstill, and the means of combating the spread of the disease wholly inadequate, La Guayra is facing the most serious situation in her history. Unless the wealthy men of the town make a heroic sacrifice in further contributions to the plague fund, or the government makes an appropriation, the town doubtless will be ravaged by the disease. New cases of the plague are appearing at Caracas, and it is thought that this phase of the situation may lead the government to come to the rescue of La Guayra. An appeal has been made to the various steamship lines trading with Venezuelan ports to help in the desperate situation.

HE GOT WHAT HE NEEDED

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Mrs. S. L. Bowen, of Wayne, W. Va., writes: "I was a sufferer from kidney disease, so that at times I could not get out of bed, and when I did I could not walk straight. I took Foley's Kidney Remedy. One dollar bottle and part of the second cured me entirely." Foley's Kidney Remedy works wonders where others are a total failure. Sold by all druggists.

Executor's Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given to all creditors, legatees, distributees and all other persons having claims or demands against the estate of Williamina Owen, deceased, to present the same to the undersigned executor within two years. Thos. J. Owen, As Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Williamina Owen. Ocala, Fla., April 11th, 1908.

HILL'S EXPENSES

WON'T E HEAVY

New Ambassador to Germany Won't Cut Much of a Dash in that Country

Berlin, June 13.—Dr. Hill, Tower's successor, arrived yesterday and took up his quarters in three small rooms on the top floor of the Hotel Albin. The German newspapers, commenting on the fact, say that Hill will not be able to maintain the embassy according to German standards. Hill, unruffled, declares: "My business is not to make a show, but to develop and maintain the friendliest relations between my country and Germany."

GAMBLERS WILL FIGHT THE LAW

New York, June 13.—Determined to fight the anti-gambling laws, the Jockey Club will seek to have a bookmaker arrested and taken before a magistrate. The club will then go before a justice of the supreme court and ask an injunction preventing action under the law until the constitutionality be determined.

"We expect," said a prominent racing man, "that will nullify the law until the close of the present racing season. We will fight the law through the highest courts in the land."

The authorities say they will stop the betting at once and see that the law is fully enforced from the present on.

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Singing, led by Sunday school choir. Prayer, Rev. D. M. Baxter, D. D. Singing, Sunday school and choir. Recitation, Eloise A. C. Hagler. Duet, Mae Baxter and Gertrude Graden. Select reading, Miss Carrie Parker. Solo, Hattie Lumpkin. Essay, Ethel Swicy. Solo, Miss M. D. Quarterman. Paper, Mr. S. L. Johnson. The program will be interspersed with other selections by the Sunday school.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that W. J. Teuton, purchaser of tax certificate No. 265, dated the 4th day of June, A. D. 1906, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Marion county, Florida, to-wit: Ne 1/4 of ne 1/4 and w 1/2 of ne 1/4 and n 1/2 of nw 1/4 undivided half interest sec 27 tp 14 south r 23 east—200 acres. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of S. H. Nash. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 16th day of July A. D. 1908.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 13th day of June, A. D. 1908. S. T. Sistrunk, Clerk Circuit Court Marion Co. Fla. By H. B. Foy, Jr., D. C.