

ANCIENT REMEDIES.

Assessing Compounds Used in England Not Many Centuries Ago.

Various portions of the anatomy of various animals powdered did former generations have to swallow. Even brick oil was utilized as a specific, bricks being pulverized when red hot and soaked in oil, while vipers dried in powder and soaked in warm sherry were much in favor. Tar water long retained the popularity which Bishop Berkeley's advocacy had obtained for it. Red coral was used for children, not in its modern form of a rattle for rubbing their gums with, but as an inward powdered preparation.

Horrible utterly was the idea of the human brain made into a bolas and given, as in Charles II's case, but the notion of the dead hand of an executed criminal being a remedy for wens existed as recent as 1832, when a man was hanged for the murder, under diabolically cold-blooded circumstances, of his wife, at Brighton, and after the drop fell a woman was helped up on the scaffold for this purpose.

Knotgrass and saffron were especially considered to have great beneficial effects, which explains the allusion in 'The Caxtons' so frequently made to a moral saffron bag. Acacia, parsley and the wild fig that grows by the river-side were great favorites. Fenel, red roses, pine tops ground, hart-worth and Cretan carrots were frequently prescribed.

Insects play a leading part in the old list of drugs. But here it may be remarked, as an analogy between old and new theories, that some years back the discovery was stated by a Paris physician of cockroaches as producing a tincture for kidney disease. After all, the modern times can show some notions akin to the past ones.

A favorite liniment or embrocation was made of vipers' fat in combination with vitriol. This is disagreeable enough in idea, but what was at the same time a specific in the doctors' ideas for dropsy and jaundice is simply horrifying. Thus it runs: 'Live insects from hogs (!), water and brandy, mixed.'

Bones powdered were recommended in kidney cases, ants similarly treated in brain cases, and woodlice in dropsy and nervous disorders.

Another formula was made from the claws of crabs and oyster-shells pounded, which was said to be a sovereign remedy for dyspepsia.

Fried mice for whooping-cough form a very popular treatment, and in some districts are so still.—Chicago News.

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HOW CELLULOSE IS MADE.

Description of the Process Carried Out in a French Factory.

While every body has heard of, or seen or used celluloid, only a few know what it is composed of or how it is made. The following is a description of the process carried out in a factory near Paris for the production of celluloid: A roll of paper is slowly unwound, and at the same time is saturated with a mixture of five parts of sulphuric acid and two parts of nitric acid, which falls upon the paper in a fine spray. This changes the cellulose of the paper into pyroxyline (gun cotton). The excess of the acid having been evolved by pressure, the paper is washed with plenty of water until all traces of acid have been removed; it is then reduced to a pulp, and passes on to the bleaching trough. Most of the water having been got rid of by means of a strainer, the pulp is mixed with from twenty to forty per cent. of its weight of camphor, and the mixture thoroughly triturated under mill stones. The necessary coloring having been added in the form of powder, a second mixing and grinding follows. The finely divided pulp is then spread out in thin layers on slabs, and from twenty to twenty-five of these layers are placed in an hydraulic press separated from one another by some sheets of thick blotting paper and are subject to a pressure of one hundred and fifty atmospheres until all traces of moisture have been got rid of. The matter is then passed between rollers heated to between one hundred and forty and one hundred and fifty degrees Fahrenheit, whence it issues in the form of elastic sheets. Celluloid is made to imitate amber, ebony, ivory, etc., and besides its employment in dentistry is used to make mouffettes for pipes and cigars, handles for table knives and umbrellas, combs, shirt fronts and collars, and a number of fancy articles.—Christian at Work.

There are 364 saw-mills in Arkansas.

THE LIMEKILN CLUB.

Brother Gardner Tells About the So-Called Society of the Age.

I was two minutes after the triangle sounded before the smoke in Paradise Hall would permit the members to see each other. When it had at last thinned out Brother Gardner said:

'Nicodemus Pembroke Scott, a local member of this lodge, has crossed into Canada and will not reappear among us. For de las three months I have bin expectin' some sich climax, an' dis mawnin', when a messenger informed me dat he had disappeared, arter fallin' in an attempt to shoot his self wid an ole hoss pistol, I war n't a bit surprisid. He leaves a wife an' two chill'en an' about fifty creditors.

'What sent him off? De same reasons dat an' daily workin' to bring about anoder panic—de same reasons dat explain de hundrod ob bizness failures—de same reasons dat am cripplin' de efforts of thousands of hard-workin' men to secure homes of der own—family extravagance. No, you can't call it extravagance; foolery am a better name for it. Up to a year ago Brudder Scott was jobbin' aroun' an' makin' a dollar a day. Den he got a situation by which he aimed for teen dollars per week. He was poof' off in de house an' had debts hangin' ober him, but heah was a chance to get eben. How was it improved? In less dan one month his wife was rigged out wid a two-ty-lollar dress, twelve-shillin' kids, a five-dollar hat and an opera fan. He had no peace ob min' unless he obeyed her. In six weeks she became too high-toned to wash an' iron for oder folkses. In two months she wanted a better house, wid a red parlor carpet an' cane-seat chairs a'l aroun' de room. In three months she had to have a black silk dress, gold bracelets, a tony bunnet, kid shoes an' gold fillin' in her to-.

'Dat foolery has reaped its harvest. De husband found dat he was runnin' behind, his home was bein' neglected, his wife was bein' gossiped about, an' in despair he has picked up his feet an' alid out. It was de natural result. I tell you, my frens, de tomfoolery of de women of dis gentry am strainin' on de chain line till de cord can't stan' much mo', an' it am high time dat somebody sots his foot down. De man who aims twenty-five dollars per week has somehow got de ideah into his head dat de world expects him to dress his wife as if he sired a banker's profits. Wives of men who can't keep up wid der house rent am canterin' up an' down wid sealskin saques an' six-dollar shoes. Wives of men who have to dodge de butcher an' grocer an' tailor am now selectin' fall carpets an' orderin' thirty-dollar lambrequins. Wives of men who couldn't raise fifty dollars at de bank to save der necks am rushin' to balls an' parties an' havin' der expensive dresses described fur de benefit of de public.'

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was cured in ten minutes. The children had no idea it would ever come back, but the same night the squel came to the window and tapped upon the pane. I was admitted, and the next morning wh-k-d away again. It has bin two nests, using whichever it chooses in the night I may except when it rains. Then it always asks for admission to the ho. se.

A Series of Revivals in Effings in Franklin County, Ark., has been held by a Baptist preacher that has taken to rowling in the neighborhood after dark. What put an end to the good work was the finding of a man's shoe near one of the brute's haunts and a piece of a shirt hanging in the fork of a neighboring tree.

A horse at Reading, Pa., stepped upon a little dog that was barking at it in the street, but immediately bending down his head, began licking the little sufferer, and uttered sounds of genuine sorrow.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue and authority of a general execution issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Bates county, Missouri, returnable at the November term, 1887, of said court, to me directed in favor of the people of the State of Illinois ex rel, M. C. Hurt and Richard Hurt and against James McGhee, I have levied and seized upon all the right, title, interest and claim, of the said defendant, James McGhee of, in and to the following described real estate, situated in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit:

The east half of the northeast quarter and the north-east quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty-six in township forty-one of range thirty, I will on Monday, November 21st., 1887, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day at the east front door of the court house in the city of Butler, Bates county Missouri, sell the same or so much thereof as may be required, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said execution and costs. G. G. GLAZEBROOK, Sheriff of Bates county.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue and authority of a general execution issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Bates county, Missouri, returnable at the November term, 1887, of said court to me directed in favor of B. P. Bailey and against James P. Harper and Polly A. DeJarnett, I have levied and seized upon all the right, title, interest and claim of the said defendants, James P. Harper and Polly A. DeJarnett, or, in and to the following described real estate, situated in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of section twenty-three, township forty-two or range thirty, I will on Monday, November 21st., 1887, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day at the east front door of the court house in the city of Butler, Bates county, Missouri, sell the same or so much thereof as may be required, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said execution and costs. G. G. GLAZEBROOK, Sheriff of Bates County.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Bates county, Missouri, returnable at the November term, 1887, of said court, to me directed in favor of the State of Missouri ex rel, Oscar Reeder, Collector, and against John Millering, I have levied and seized upon all the right, title, interest and claim of the said defendant, John Millering, of, in and to the following described real estate, situated in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-three, township thirty-eight, range twenty-nine, I will on Saturday, November 19th., 1887, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day at the east front door of the court house in the city of Butler, Bates county, Missouri, sell the same or so much thereof as may be required, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said execution and costs. G. G. GLAZEBROOK, Sheriff of Bates County.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Wm. Jones, deceased, that I Lucretia Jones, administratrix of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the November term, 1887, of the Bates county probate court, in Bates county, state of Missouri to be held at Butler, Missouri. LUCRETIA JONES, Administratrix. No. 46.

Administrators' Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of William H. Huffman deceased, have been granted to the undersigned by the Bates county Probate Court, in Bates county, Missouri, bearing date the 13th day of Oct. 1887. If persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me to file the same within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if said claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of the publication of this notice they will be forever barred. MARGIE J. HUFFMAN, J. A. HUFFMAN, Administrators.

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