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Hillsboro, Texas, Nov. 3. 1887.

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Lexington, Ky., February 21.—Miss Jessie Bryant, daughter of a wealthy farmer near this city, died suddenly this morning from taking Rough on Rats by mistake for quinine. She was in the city yesterday and not feeling well when she reached home, got what she supposed was quinine and took it. In a few minutes the mistake was discovered and a doctor called, but no relief could be had and she died in horrible agony. She was one of the belles of this county, and her death has produced a profound sensation.

IN A SHOT TOWER.

Interesting Facts About Shot and Those Who Make and Sell It.

A shower of leaden hail was falling, but it boded no danger to life or limb. When the leaden hail started to fall it was soft, but as it fell through the cool air it became hardened—so hard, in fact, that when a hemlock board intercepted the pattering drops a very marked impression was left on the surface. To get to the place where the hail started to fall it was necessary to climb a winding staircase one hundred and forty-five feet from the sidewalk of Center street in the shot tower, and a wearisome climb it is, with your heart knocking a vigorous protest against your ribs and the tower swaying in the wind. Although the visitor is persuaded that the tower is built upon a rock and that nothing less than an earthquake will topple it over, yet he wishes deep within himself that he was safe in Park row. He doesn't care so much about shot making as he thought he should.

When the visitor arrives at the platform where stands the big crucible containing a ton of melted lead he regains his confidence, for he finds two men there who act as though they were on the rock of Gibraltar. One of these alchemists is busy feeding a furnace and the other is dipping melted lead out of a huge iron bowl and pouring it into a copper collender. The melted lead oozes through the holes in the collender and forms on the outside in round globules. These drops of molten lead fall through the center of the tower to the bottom, where they are received into a tank of water. The shot are not made of pure lead. Arsenic is mixed with it in the proportion of forty-five pounds of arsenic to the ton of lead. This mixture is added in the proportion of one per cent. to the pure lead, and thus the shot alloy containing a very small percentage of arsenic is produced. The object of the addition of the arsenic is to render the hard, brittle qualities of the lead, which is contaminated by iron and antimony, softer and more ductile. The arsenic also has the effect of making the lead of the proper consistency for taking the globular form. By the time the shot has reached the water its contact with the air has rendered it sufficiently hard to prevent the impact with the water from injuring its spherical shape. The holes in the collender vary from 1-50 to 1-360 of an inch, but the shot are of larger diameter than the holes. Owing to the fact that the period of dropping is not exactly uniform, from six to seven sizes are produced from the same sieve. The workmen who ladle the melted lead into the collender are required to exercise constant vigilance, for if the lead in the collender becomes chilled the holes are stopped up, and it is not an easy job to clean the vessel. After the shot have reached the bottom of the well they are lifted out and thrown upon a drying table. After being dried they are put into a wire gauze cylinder, which revolves. As the shot are thrown into contact with each other as the cylinder revolves, whatever of roughness there may be upon them is worn off. The shot are then rolled down a series of inclined planes. There are open spaces between these planes. The perfectly round shot jump over these spaces, but the imperfect ones, owing to deficient momentum, fall into the open spaces and are remelted. The shot are then placed in the separators and sorted out, according to size, by a complicated process.

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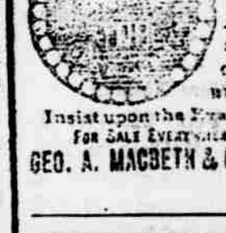

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Monday, March 5th., 1888,

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