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THE HEART IN OLD AGE.

A Misconception That Causes Humanity Needless Anxiety.

A story told by Dr. G. W. Balfour in his book on "The Senile Heart" well deserves the double purpose of marking the practical process which scientific medicine has achieved within the past 50 years and of administering a much needed word of comfort and encouragement to those numerous workers who, as age approaches, begin to feel uncomfortable about the regions of the heart.

"Many years ago," said Dr. Balfour,
sagentleman of 77 consulted me as to severe fainting fits to which he was liable. A distinguished consultant, since dead, had told him that these attacks were due to fatty degeneration of the heart and that treatment would be of no avail. The heart's impulse was imperceptible, the sounds faint, but pure, the arteries firm, but neither hard nor tortuous. I told the patient that experience had taught me that hearts supposed to be fatty were often weak.

The result of treatment was a steady improvement in health and in force of heart beat, and the patient lived to be 90 and did not die of heart failure in the end, but from senile asthenia." To many people "fatty heart" is a perfect bugbear. But this is what Dr. Balfour has to say about the diagnosis of the disease: "It is absolutely impossible to diagnosticate fatty degeneration of the

heart. "We may sprmise its existence, but we can only be certain of its presence when we see it post mortem." If many middle aged and old men could but have this written deep upon the tablets their consciousness, what loads would be lifted from their minds. Yet doctors of small experience roll out a diagnosis of fatty heart with sonorous satisfaction, unheeding that to many a trembling father of a family it is like the cound of a deathknell. On the question of treatment Dr. Balfour is equally dedided. "We are often told," he says, "that there is danger in treating a fatty heart . \* \* Yet the result of treatment in the case recorded was a cure, proving that a heart supposed to be fatty was only weak and that a life supposed to be over only wanted the fillip of a few minims of digitalis to carry it on to almost the extreme of human longevity." So, true is it, even in scientific medicine, that a little experience and common sense outweigh many shiploads of mere abstract theorizing.—

samed from an Indian word meaning home of her brother died in this village on it.—Penn.

London Hospital.

The ead news of the death of Charles N. gloom over our entire community. Never brothers. was the hand of death fald upon one more highly esteemed and loved by all who knew him. Young, bright ambitious he commanded our admiration, while his kind. gentle nature combined with the other qualities that endear, awakened a tender love in the bearts of those with whom he came in close contact. No one but those who watched the patient sufferer day by day for the past two months knew what a struggle At an adjourned meeting held in the it was. Fighting back the cruel pain, rooms occupied by the Catholic Temperance hoping against hope that he would be Association, on Sunday last County Presiwould be mindful of His servant.

mass of Requiem was the pastor, Rev. An gelo Lugero, deacon, Rev. Edward Hanna. of Rochester; sub-deacon, Rev. Father Payne, of Stanley. The mass was impressively sung by the choir, assisted by Mr. M. J. O'Brien, of Syracuse, who rendered with much pathos. There is a Land mine eyes bath seen. Just before the casket was removed Miss Anna Burns sang with much devotional feeling. Nearer My God to Thee " The following gentlemen acted as pall hearers W. S. Craugh, Thomas Carmody, John Hyland, J. W. Dolan, of Syracuse, H. C Earles and Andrew Geoghegan. The floral offerings from sorrowing friends were many and beautiful. including a broken column and pillar from the C. M. B. A., a large cross from the Ellsworth Hose Company, a pillow of white roses inscribed "My Husband," a pillow of Marchal Nell roses from Miss Mollie Moerisey, wreath of white sweet peas Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Craugh, wreath of white roses from Kathleen and Chas. McAdams, palms from Miss Mary McNulty. star from Mrs. Schojan and pillow from Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lown, also cut flowers from Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McMahon. Mr and Mrs. Thomas Carmody, Mrs. Drake, Mrs. J. R. Clark, Miss B. Lynch, Miss r. Wood, Mrs. William McEnvoy, Mrs. M. McEnvoy, Mrs. C. Bridgman, Mrs. B. Conklin, Mrs. Belle Smith and Emily Kehoe. The decented was 29 years old. He was united in marriage in October, 1892. with Miss Agnes Morrisey, of Syracuse. Besides his wife he leaves to mourn his early departure, a father and mother, two sisters, Misses Mary and Anna, and four brothers, Messrs. Henry, Edward. Frank and Wil-

### RESOLUTIONS.

The following preamble and resolutions were adopted by the Branch 125 C. M. B

WHEREAS, death has again visited our branch and removed from our midst our Fin. Secy's Ledger...... McAdams, e it therefore

Resolved. That while we bow in humble submission to the will of our Divine Lord, All kinds of Society printing. Estimates | we can but sincerely regret the taking away of one who was a devoted husband, an effectionate and obedient son, a kind and loving brother, and we therefore tender our sincere sympathy to his afflicted family.

> Resolved. That by his decease this branch loses a beloved member who has by his kind and genial nature endeared himself to us all. Resolved. That in respect to his memory these resolutions be published in our village draped in mourning for 30 days.

IOHN HYLAND. F. M McNiff, P. I BARRY 1. H MEBHAN. E. DOMAHUE. Committee

Canandaigua.

Miss Maggie Moore of Rochester, is spending a week at his home in Canan-

Mrs. J. E. Thimble and daughter are visiting friends at Rochester. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tongate and daughters Matie and Mable, visited rela-

tives at Allen's Hill, Sunday. Misses Milly Geiten, and Mary Conel of of Rochester were the guests of Miss Nellie

Cotter over Sunday. Miss Fauny O'Brien of Elmira is visiting Miss Kittle Mack of Park street.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin of Gorham street are rejoicing over the birth of a son. Miss Julia Larkin has returned home from

Miss Ida Griffith of Elmira is spending her vacation with her mother on Pheonix

Spencerport.

Mr. P. J. Keegan of Rochester, was in own Thursday evening. Miss M. B. Meskill spent Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. M. Malone and Mrs. W. B. Maloney ere the guests of John Malone and family on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs Thomas Meskill are visiting their son Michael, of Newark. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard and daughter Mamie spent Sunday in Rochester with

Rev. Dr. Hanna of Rochester preached an elegant sermon in St. Mary's Church on

Miss Winnie Cunan, who has been the guest of friends in Avon, returned this week. Timothy Delehanty, who has been visitng his sister, Mrs. P. V. Carlin, of Denver, olorada, for a month, returned this week. Mrs. J. O'Connor is spending a few weeks vith her daughter, Mrs. H. Ganley, of

Mrs. S. Farnam of Rochester, is quest of Mrs. W. Curran this week.

The Geneseo base ball team were given reception on their return from Canada on Saturday evening last, having won the five games played. Fireworks were displayed rom both sides of Main street as they drove through, headed by the Mt Morris band. Mrs. J. Kinney of Rochester and Mrs. J. Kohler of Fredonia, visited their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Burns this week. Mrs. J. Geneser and two children and ister, Miss Elizabeth Jennings of Des Moines, Iowa, are visiting Mrs. J. S.

Miss Minnie Callahan, who has been sick The Chanango river, in New York, is for some time with consumption, at the selves, and perhaps that is the reason of

the 26th inst., aged 22 years. The faberal LARDES ARENA IN THE WORLD was held from St. Mary's Church on Monday at 9 o'clock and the remains were taken McAdams at St. Mary's Flospital, Roch to Avon for interment. Deceased leaves ester, last Tuesday evening, has cast a surviving a mother, sister and three to Avon for Interment. Deceased leaves Wild West exhibition was located at Chica-

About 1.500 persons attended the ball game between the Cornings and the Geneseos Tuesday, in which the home team was victorious by the score of 5 to 3. This makes sixteen games played and lost only

William Quirk is visiting his brother, Di John Quirk, of Montour Springs, N. Y.

spared to his dear ones, yet all the time dent Morgan of Dansville organized Gene-"sustanted and soothed by an unfairing see Division, No 4, A. O. H., and installed rust "that He who doeth all things well the following officers. President, William Houston; vice-president, Martin Burke, The remains were met here Wednesday treasurer, Patrick Burns, Jr : financial secafternoon at the depot by the Elisworth retary. Thomas O'Brien, Jr.; corresponding Hose Company and a delegation from secretary. John A. Burne, standing com-Branch 125 C. M. B. A., and escorted to mittees, M. Mansion, chairman, T Costello, the residence of Mr. McAdams on East | Gault, P. McGuire, Harry Leonard. Main street. The funeral services were About forth members joined the division, held last Friday morning at St. Michael's and the charter has been left open, until to church and largely attended, many friends morrow, Sunday when it is expected that from out of town being present. The the membership will reach sixty. President Ellsworth Hose and C. M. B. A. attended of Invision No. 3. Denoville, and several officers of the Mt. Morris Division were

Churchville.

Mr. Ritchentaylor, his wife and sister vere in town Sunday

Mr and Mrs James Cunningham visited riends here last week

Miss Agnes Tobin of Victor, was the guest of Miss Katie Hefferon last week Miss Katie I. Fanc returned to her home in Toronto last Sundy, horing pent two

weeks with her cous n Kac Welch Miss Winnie Golden and Nellie Kennelly are vi-lting in Syracuse, the guests of Mrs l' Holleran.

Mrs. Thomas Maxwell of Macedon, visited ber mother, Mrs. Dillon, last Sunday. Mrs. Ford, formerly of this place, called on friends last Sunday.

Margaret, infant daughter of Mr aid Mrs. Charles Mc Dona'd was baptized last A most enjoyable lawn social was held on

he spacious grounds at the home of Miss ning. A great many out of town guests day were present, and ail pronounced it the event of the season

Trumansburg. The annual lawn party of the St. James Church will be held August 15th. All are

cordially invited. Miss Minnie McAllister of Ithaca has been spending two weeks vacation with her Duffy, both highly esteemed young grand parents. Mr. and Mrs. George

AN ANCIENT BLOCKHOUSE. The Bouquet Redoubt the Only One In

Here in Pennsylvania we find what is not in existence in the east or south one of the original blockhouses built have disappeared. Forts Daquesne and the appointed time the church was Pitt are things of the past, but the redoubt of Colonel Bouquet stands today as it stood 180 years ago. To the Pittsburg chapter of the Danghters of the Revolution we are indebted for its restoration. It has been owned by them since 1888. Until that year the old redoubt of Bouquet, as it is called, was occupied as a tenant house, and within its walls was born Pittsburg's local historian, the late Neville B. Craige, Esq. Down on 'the point," on a narrow, papers, that a copy of them be sent to his dirty little street called Fort street, sur-tamily and that the branch charter be rounded by tumbledown buildings nearrounded by tumbledown buildings nearly as old as itself, is a little five sided friends. building of stone and brick erected by Colonel Bouquet in 1764 as a defense against the Indians. The lower story is of stone and the upper of brick. In both are perforations or loopholes, through which the defenders could fire with comparative safety from the enemy.

Why this redoubt was erected bas been a query to us, as but a short distance away stood Fort Pitt, a work of considerable magnitude and whose erection cost the colony of Virginia, or the English government, £60,000, but the redoubt was built, as a stone slab over the door with "he lagend, "1764 Coll Bouque, "test fire - Philadelphia Times.

Munich Street Lamps.

The method adopted in Munich for lighting street lamps from the outside without opening the lamp has proved quite satisfactory, the results, as envmerated, being to economize in flashlight gas, to enable the lamps to be lit in a storm, to shut off the main stopcock, to light Welsbach lamps without explosion, and to prevent the casting of shadows As described, the main pipe communi cates with a kindling pipe, which at one end comes to the outside of the lantern and at the other goes to the burner—this kindling pipe being bored with fine holes, which make a row of flying flames leading from the outside to the burner; the main pipe and its connections, with the stopocck, are divided so as to enable gas to be supplied to the kindling pipe and burner, and then to the burner alone. The lighting is done with the ordinary rod lamp, provided with an aperture at its end which reseives the lower end of the kindling tube. When the lamplighter's pole is slipped into position, wind has no effect on the kindling operation. - New York

A Broad Hint.

They were seated in the parlor con versing on the uncertainty of life. She—The future is a vast, unfathomable mystery to us. isu't it? He-Yes: all we know is that we

have to go some time. Voice From the Library-It would suit the convenience of this household if you'd make it a little somer than

that - Righmund Disputch Sergeant O'Keefe, who spent five years in the observatory on Pike's peak, says that the lowest temperature observed was 50 degrees below zero, the highest 62 degrees above.

Some men do as much begrudge others a good name as they want one them

After a triumphant tour of Europe during
After a triumphant tour of Europe during
Buffalo Bill and his great
Buffalo Bill and his great several season, Buffalo Bill and his great go and excited almost equal interest with the great World's Columbian Fair in 1893. Last year this wonderful exhibition was given before enormous audiences for several months at Ambrose Park, New York, and this year, in enlarged and improved form,

s being presented at various points outside of the metropolis; it is coming in this di rection, and our people will naturally be on the qui vive to avail themselves of this unusual opportunity for studying this grand object lessen of our Nation's history, in-CATHOLIC JOURNAL. luding, as it dues, many stirring scenes and reproductions of exciting episodes of the omantic period of pioneer life in the far West. To adequately represent that event ful period, requires an army of men and a vast gathering of horses and other animals. In connection with this feature of the Wild

West entertainment will be a Congress of the Rough Riders of the world, selected from among the the most celebrated of the universe of all races of men who ride, and also includes the grand international military tournament, introducing, among others, the American Cowboy, the roving Ranchero, the Bronco Buck Rider. United States Cavalry, the French Chasseur, the English-Irish Lancers, German Cuirassiers, the Hunga an Magyar B-douin Arab, the Russian Cossack South 4 merican Gaucho the Fartar of Asia the Mexican Roale, the Native American Redskin, and the Afro-American lockey All these will give exhibitions of their marveious skill and dexterity in the

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In the morning there will be a free cav alcade of detachments from each department of the exhibition in which also three splen did bands will participate, one of them being the exceptionally fine and famous moun ed owboy Rand This unique and remark Katherine Hefferon last Wednesday eve- day August 12th, at Rothester Driving

#### Honeoye Falls

On Thursday afternoon, July 25th. at St. Paul's Church, occurred the marriage of Miss Alice Dee to Peter people of this place. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M J. Cluny, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. James J. Dougherty, of Dansville. Miss Katie Dee, sister of the bride, was bridesmald, and William Cochran, of Lockport, was best man. The ushers were James Donnelly and before the Revolution and still in a per- William Nan. Miss Lillian Lawton fect state of preservation. All the others presided at the organ. Long before filled with friends of the contracting parties After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Dee, where a very bountiful repast was served. The presents were numerous and elegant. Mr and Mrs. Duffy left on an evening train for Buffalo. On their return they will make their home in Honeove Falls. The happy couple have the best wishes of a large circle of

THEATER CURTAINS

Costly Draperies That Are Used In Some of the London Theaters.

Few have any idea of the money spent by the managers of London theaters in procuring the curtain which hides the stage from public view, remarked a well known theatrical furnisher to a reporter. Take, for instance, the glorious curtain at Sir Henry Irving's theater, the Lyceum. That curtain, if it cost a penny, cost at least 1,000 guinens. I am told that 1,000 yards of beautiful blood red plush were used to make it complete, and for it Sir Henry Irving is indebted to the Baroness Burdett-Coutts, who some years ago generously made him a present of the curtain as a tribute to his artistic gen-

A very expensive curtain is that used at the Prince of Wales! theater, Coventry street, now occupied by Mr. Arthur Roberts. Its cost was about £600. It is made of boiler plate, is entirely fireproof and weighs no less than six tons. No fire can get from the stage to the auditorium or vice versa, as the top and bottom of the curtain respectively rest against and upon a solid wall of brickwork. I believe this, as well as other ioi curtains of the same kind, was the invention of Mr. C. J. Phipps, the theatrical architect.

St. Raphael

St. Florian

St. Wemcelaus

St. Genevieve

Mater Salutis

St. Pascal

121 St. Vincent Ferrier

125 S. Heart of Marv

Pope Leo XIII

Death of the Just

Death of the Sinner

Beneath the Cross

S. Heart of Jesus

The life of Jesus

The life of Mary

The seven holy words of Jesus

Infant Tesus (with cross and globe)

Infant St. John (with lamb)

Madonna of Caravaggio

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

St. Anthony the hermit

Perhaps the most beautiful theater curtain in London-where the finest 108 cortains in the world are to be seenare those at the Lyceum, to which I have referred, the Palace Theater of 114 Varieties, and the Savoy. The Palace curtain is a real work of art, and Mr. D'Oyly Carte must have lavished a small fortune upon its make. It is a 119 Our Lady of Mercy beautiful dream of gold and various other colored silks, and something like 600 square yards of silk were used in its 122 St. Rosa of Lima manufacture. I am told that the director 122 SS. Cosmas and Damien of the Paris Opera was almost thunderstruck when, during Mr. Carte's production of "Ivanhoe," he saw the curtain 126 for the first time.

The Savoy curtain must have cost £300 if a penny, its material being of the finest gold plush. Another expensive curtain was that bought by Mr. Charles Wyndham for the Criterion. It cost over £120, being made by Maple.

Most of the other London houses, and probably all the country theaters, content themselves with the old fashioned curtain of canvas, sometimes with a scene and sometimes with imitation curtains painted upon it. The cost of these varies of course, and may run from £20 to £200, according to the amount of

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