

Correspondence



The Greatest Satisfaction.

Hope, Wis., Mar. 12, 1906.

I have only used one-third bottle Pastor Koenig's Nerve Tonic, and acknowledge with greatest satisfaction that even this small quantity has done much good. My nerves now are not irritable or susceptible, am again up and can sleep about all day on my feet. The Tonic has done more good than all the medicines the doctors gave me.

John Wolf, Pastor.

Mrs. Carrie Confer writes from Kalamazoo, Wash., Feb. 17, 1906: One bottle of Pastor Koenig's Nerve Tonic cured me entirely of nervousness, from which I had suffered for years, and for which I had tried all kinds of medicines without relief.

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HOME OF THE MOLE.

Some of the Peculiarities of This Odd Little Animal.

The home of the mole, if nothing else, would prove that it is not a dull creature most people imagine it to be.

Viewing it from the outside, this home would appear to be a hulk of firm and well trodden earth, but if it were possible for you to pay the mole a visit, you would be greatly surprised at what you would find under the mound of earth—a snug, leaf lined sleeping chamber in the very heart of the earth, two galleries, one near the top, another near the bottom, connected with each other and with the main highroad and the "run," which radiates from it in every direction, to passages of various lengths.

It would all be very bewildering to you, but to the little burrower it is all plain, easy, peaceful, where it begins and where it leads. And by chance it is surprised in its nest it can withdraw into the central chamber and reach the highroad at once. The mole is said to be a very thirsty animal, and if its home be not near a stream of water it digs a number of little pits or wells along its "run" to catch the rain or dew.

A mole's eyes are very small (larger ones would be useless underground), but when it requires to use them it can bring them forth very quickly from the mass of fur which protects them. The quick ear, the acute sense of smell and the delicate sense of touch seem to serve the animal in its dark journeys through the earth instead of sight, and it is by means of these senses that it secures its food and escapes its foes.

The most extraordinary thing about a mole is the way or hand with which it does. The two fore paws are very large, the rear paws are fitted with strong, flattened claws. The hands are turned outwards to enable the animal to plow the earth out of its way. After an enormous part of the process is far, and no matter how far and long the mole goes through which the animal burrows the fur remains perfectly clean and velvet. That is because it has no "hair," but is smooth in every direction. The short hair grows perpendicular from the skin and are capable of turning with every direction of the animal.

Food For Toy Dogs.

Most people overfeed toy dogs, and the result is a fat, unhealthy looking specimen, with a foul breath and rough, staring coat. Some food is supposed to be better than others in the growing of dogs. My experience has been that there is nothing so good for toy dogs as a judicious mixture of finely cut, boiled, mutton, beef or lamb, the latter being the best and an excellent addition to a nicely soaked bread crust. A little yeast has been squeezed out, too, vegetables, such as potatoes, carrots, spinach, beans, etc., and occasional rice, barley and oatmeal. To this should be added the soup in which the meat has been boiled, the mixture when finished being sufficiently firm to take out in a spoon without spilling. Once a day is sufficient for the average toy dog, but for this there is no cut and dried rule, an active dog of a nervous temperament needing more food than the ordinary specimen.—Outing.

How's This?

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.



By BALDWIN SEARS

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Helena sighed impatiently. "I'm sick of Europe. Let's go home, Aunt Caro line."

The elderly lady glanced up from her letter writing.

"Very well, dear," she said patient-
ly. "But couldn't we wait a few days longer?" Albert has written that Count Hugo is coming home in a week and "

Helena curled her lip. "And as I have managed to avoid meeting him for a month I am now to wait here. It is our own city until he arrives." No that is too much like sitting on the doorstep, thank you aunt, and besides I don't care to meet anybody prince or pauper. I'm tired of everything."

And with this rather vague statement the girl left the room at a trot.

Aunt Caroline looked at the bowl of red roses on the table and shook her head.

Ever since they had left Vienna a month ago the girl had been change creature. In the beginning it was interest which as expected to fury she has shown to various objects, but disappeared and she is. I learned from one place to another, gradually ignoring Count Hugo's efforts to feed her and quite unmoved by the splendid roses which awaited her at each new stopping place.

In fact the roses seemed to irritate her. She did not want to meet Count Hugo and she wished that either Cousin Albert who was an attaché at the legation in Berlin would do all the tricking. But even when they had telegraphed to Albert that they would sail from Bremen on the 15th the girl seemed dismasted.

Aunt Caroline would have thought that she was disappointed at not meeting Count Hugo had she not taken such pains to avoid him.

They got down to the pier half an hour later the steamer sailed and as they stood on deck looking over the rail Albert called suddenly to her. Count Hugo was here. I forgot to tell you that I was going over on the same steamer.

Before Helena could stop him her cousin had rushed down stairs and out upon the pier.

It was too late then of course to do anything but accept the inevitable but she had turned her back and was walking to Aunt Caroline when she heard Albert's step and his voice saying "Helena may I present Count Hugo?" gasped Helena as she turned. All her steady composure was gone and in its place had come a strange trembling and bewilderment. "You" she said.

The tall guardsman smiled happily as he stood before her, his cap in his hand. "Yes," he said. "And you at last. I thought that you meant never to let me thank you for that sweet gift I had only known," said Helena softly.

A Quint Custom.

A unique proceeding in connection with the destruction of the White Broad Meadow charity takes place annually during the first week in April at Bonn, Germany. By the will of Rich and Clay geese are slaughtered daily and was related to the inhabitants for the time being residing in the east portion of the town, the rest being every year laid out in broad and distributed to the breeders and consumers. The setting of the meadow is attended by a great concourse of people the bidding being regulated by the running of boys.

The auctioneer starts the boys to run a fixed distance, whereupon he requests bids for renting the property one year. If a bid is made during the time the boys are running, they are immediately started off again and again until no bid shall have been made during the time the boys are running, when the last bidder is declared the lessee. The public afterward adjourns to an inn, where a spread of spring onions, cheese and beer is supplied ad lib. to all who wish to partake, after which a committee for managing the charity for the following year is appointed.

What the Jury Found.

Some years ago the body of a well dressed man was found in a field on the outskirts of an English town.

He was noted down because he was different from most Germans, who were all the sort and bards. This man was rather slender and very dark and had an air of distinction. The guardman, too, had noticed the lovely face at the coach window, and he had dared once or twice to glance up at it as he walked to and fro.

He was evidently not going by that train, for as the guard blew his warning whistle and looked at him he smiled and shrugged his shoulders.

At that moment the door of the waiting room was flung open, and a stout peasant woman, staggering under a huge basket of vegetables and a baby, rushed out toward the train.

Just at the edge of the platform she stumbled and, catching at the baby with both hands, lost hold of the basket. In a moment cabbages, turnips, apples and smoked fish were everywhere.

The poor creature was too stunned to move at first. She looked from her scattered vegetables to the train. In a moment it would start. "Wait, wait," she cried, motioning to the guard. "I must go."

Suddenly Helena gasped. The tall guardman had rushed to the rescue. The girl scarcely breathed as she watched him, his long arms swooping down upon the fat red cabbages and shiny apples, the scabbard of his sword dragging upon the ground as he reached after the much scattered dried fish.

It was so surprising that before the

observers had time to realize what was happening everything was back in the basket, the grateful peasant woman had been hurried into the train, the guard had blown his whistle, and they were starting.

Helena looked at the guardman. He stood there on the platform disheveled, breathless, scared faced, realizing for the first time how ridiculous he had appeared, and then, turning, he met the soft black eyes upon him and blushed redder than ever.

Their owner glanced at her aunt. That lady was fast asleep with a news paper over her face.

A red rose was fastened in Helena's dress. Still gazing at the soldier, she unfastened the flower, and then, leaning little from the window, she smiled and tossed the rose to him.

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HEAD BACK LEGS ACHE

Ache all over. Throat sore. Eyes and Nose running, slight cough with chills. This is La Grippe.

Painkiller

taken in hot water, sweetened, before going to bed, will break it up if taken in time.

There is only one Painkiller, "PERRY DAVIS."

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RIFLE BORES.

The Small Better Than the Big For All Round Purposes.

The old idea is, twice big barrels at least, because it is much less noisy. Because the most killing guns are the little ones, the best, however, are small and compact, while the big ones are the least effective. The best barrel is now the thirty caliber nitro express, it will do all that a gun of any size can do, but it is much smaller and lighter.

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Bull's Chance.

The day passed of toil blunts the finer feelings, but for the sake of humanity it is to be hoped that this grim, dolorous story from "Memories of Half a Century" citers an exception to rule of callousness.

A New York doctor was summoned to an ease whose case he could only pronounce not hopeless. He took the pulse as to the condition of the patient, at least gave relief and then allowed to leave the room.

The doctor, however, left the room.

"I am to be married next Saturday," he said.

"And you come again, will you charm us?"

"Yes, certainly."

The woman turned to theunger.

"Do you hear that, Bill?" she demanded. "Die like a mon; never wear thy brass that way."

Dew.

Dew is invisible rain. It does not come from the clouds, but from the air near the ground. When the sun ceases to warm the earth in the evening, the latter cools rapidly.

This condenses the moisture that is in the air in the form of invisible vapor, when it falls because of its weight, just as rain does. When the wind blows all night, there is no dew. The air next to the earth cannot cool because it is constantly moving and other air taking its place.

This is why still nights are the coldest. A very light breeze will suffice to prevent dew from forming.

During a drought there is less dew for the same reason that there is less rain—because there is less moisture in the air. Warm air usually contains more moisture than cold air, which is why there is more rain in the summer than winter. Snow is frozen vapor, and frost is frozen dew.

Asbestos.

Asbestos is a mineral fiber of the hornblende variety. It derives its name from a Greek word which signifies "indestructible by fire." The ancients were familiar with its uses and the modes of obtaining it, yet, strange to say, always alluded to it as a vegetable production. It was used in all their funeral rites, but particularly where cremation was practiced, the corpse being wrapped in an asbestos cloth so as to keep the ashes of the dead person from mingling with those of the wood or other combustibles used in incineration of the remains.

The people of Egypt and many other countries of the ancients, especially the royal and wealthy classes, made towels, napkins, tablecloths, etc., of asbestos and cleaned them by throwing them into the fire.

NEW YORK CENTRAL

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THE FOUR-TRACK TRUNK LINE.

Trains leave from and arrive at Central Avenue Station, Rochester, as follows:

EAST BY MAIN LINE.
A. M.—*1 o'clock, *3:18, *5:44, 6:48, 8:05, *9:38, *10:05, 10:45 ac. P.M.—2:20, 2:44, 2:55 ac. *5:15, 6:30 ac. *6:49, *8:30 ac. *8:45, *9:50, *10:15, *11:15 ac.

Trains arrive from the East.

A. M.—*1 o'clock, *3:05, *4:00, 5:28, *6:17 P.M.—2:40, 4:00, 5:10, *6:50, *7:53, *11:10 ac.

EAST BY AUBURN ROAD.

A. M.—5:00, 6:44, *7:45, 9:40, 11:35 P.M.—2:40, 4:00, 5:10, *6:50, *7:53, *11:10 ac.

Trains arrive from Auburn Road.

A. M.—8:17, 9:00, *9:40, 10:50, P.M.—2:10, *4:15, 5:10, 7:00, 8:50, *9:45, 10:53 ac.

EAST BY MAIN LINE.

A. M.—*1 o'clock, *2:12, *4:42, 6:48, 8:52, 10:55, *11:42, *12:45 ac. *5:15, 6:30 ac. *6:49, *8:30 ac. *8:45, *9:50, *10:15, *11:15 ac.

Trains Arrive from the West.

A. M.—*12:56, *3:13, *5:40, 6:37, 7:45, *9:35, *10:00, 10:45 ac. *11:35 P.M.—*2:12, *4:22, *6:45 ac. *10:45 ac.

WEST BY FAIRFIELD ROAD.

A. M.—*4:15, 5:10, 7:00, 8:50, *10:45 ac. *12:45, *2:45, *4:45, *6:45, *8:45, *10:45, *11:15 ac.