

Buried in Her Arm Chair.

The strange wish of Mrs. Siche B. Norton was complied with a few weeks ago, and she was buried sitting up in her rocking chair, as she had died.

The Norton homestead is near the railroad station, and many friends from out of town arrived on the 2 o'clock train. Before that hour the body of Mrs. Norton was seated in the old chair and the chair placed in the box and stood just inside the main entrance to the house, where all who entered saw it.

All of the friends who could get into the house crowded in. The others gathered on the lawn. The chairs in the room where the services were held faced the box and the rocker and the body.

Speaking of his work, Mr. Tadd said: "My new methods in education are intended to educate the hand, eye and mind together—not one hand nor one eye, but both hands, both eyes, and both lobes of the brain."

The cemetery is on the slope of a hill in sight of the house. All day workmen had been busy there. They dug a grave and walled it in with brick and cement.

"I wish to express my thanks to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, for having put on the market such a wonderful medicine," says W. W. Massingill, of Beaumont, Texas.

Education of Both Hands.

The old-fashioned notion that ambidexterity is an impossible achievement for the mass of people to acquire, has been exploded and the long-maintained supremacy of the right over the left hand has been overthrown.

To-day all this is changed. After years of persistent effort and study, J. Liberty Tadd, for twenty-two years a student of school systems in connection with his directorship of the Public School of Industrial Art in New York, and formerly a resident of Philadelphia, has introduced a radical innovation in methods of education, says the Philadelphia Times.

Mr. Tadd, realizing that the left hand could be trained equally well with the right and seeing the manifold advantages of ambidextrousness, insisted that all his pupils should use both hands. At first this seemed extremely difficult to the pupils, who were accustomed to using only the right hand, but gradually, after much preliminary practice, they were delighted with the progress made.

Mr. Tadd is also opposed to cramming the youthful mind. He believes children should not be pushed to their utmost and forced to study against their inclination. Each child needs a certain amount of relaxation and play and this should be accorded to it.

The reliable rules for shooting flying birds are as follows: Hold a trifle low for a bird apparently flying straight away from the gun; hold just above a bird rapidly rising without side motion; hold the same for a bird going straight away and close to the ground; hold above and ahead of birds rising and going to right and left; hold ahead of birds going straight to right and left; hold ahead and below birds going to right and left and lowering; hold dead on an incomer and give it to him quickly, for every yard the closer the smaller the spread of the shot; hold ahead of birds passing above you. Last, but not least, never check the even swing of the gun in a quartering shot.

At a goose or duck passing overhead I prefer to truly cover the mark, then advance the gun till only the tip of the bird's bill is visible, or when rather high, till the muzzle leads its object by the proper distance, and then instantly pull the trigger.

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Carbuncles.

In a previous article it was stated that pimples, boils and carbuncles are essentially the same thing—an inflammation of the skin and of the tissues immediately beneath it—and differ only in size.

In a carbuncle the inflammation is usually more deeply seated than in a boil, and it is spread over a much greater surface. It is also accompanied by signs of a general disturbance of the system, signs which are usually absent in the case of an ordinary boil.

The appearance of a carbuncle is generally preceded by a little feverishness, headache and a general ill-feeling, and sometimes by one or more slight chills or a chilly sensation. The first sign of the local inflammation is a swelling in the part affected.

After growing somewhat in circumference the carbuncle begins to swell, pushing up the skin, which is of a purplish-red color and hot to the touch. Small blisters may form over it, break and exude a clear, sticky fluid, which dries and forms scabs.

In time a number of small openings appear and discharge pus. All the tissue involved in the carbuncle dies and is thrown off. Whitish or blackish shreds are discharged through the openings already formed, and later the entire remaining mass becomes gangrenous and melts away, leaving a wide, deep hole, which may take weeks or months to heal.

The neck is the most frequent seat of carbuncles; then come the back, the scalp and the face; the trunk and limbs are seldom invaded. The pain is at first comparatively slight, but soon grows excessive, with violent throbbing and burning sensations as if a live coal were buried in the flesh. A person with a boil can usually attend to his regular duties, but one with a carbuncle is gravely ill.

Sufferers from carbuncles are almost never vigorous; the aged are much exposed to them, and they frequently attack sufferers from Bright's disease or diabetes.

The treatment of carbuncles coincides in part with that of boils, but the patient is usually so ill that there should be no temporizing with simple remedies. The physicians aid should be invoked at once.—Youth's Companion.

Shooting in the Field.

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"It is said the smallest hair throws a shadow. Yes, of course, it does; it throws a shadow across your appetite if you discover it in the butter. The office puts in a lot of time dodging the man. A man's love is apt to be regulated by his digestion. Millions of dollars, is the value placed by Mrs. Mary Bird, Harrisburg, Pa., on the life of her child, which she saved from croup by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. It cures all coughs, colds and throat and lung troubles. Evans Pharmacy.

Where he Got it.

On one election day, a great many years ago, a certain town in a State in which the local option law was operative voted against granting licenses to sell intoxicating liquors. In the year that followed the authorities were indefatigable in their efforts to detect and put a stop to illegal traffic, and one of their methods was to question those who were before the court for drunkenness as to where they had obtained the necessary material. It became the custom to ask the man on trial: "Where did you get your liquor?" He was generally given to understand, especially if his case had mitigating circumstances, that a frank answer would gain him clemency. Sometimes, if there was no previous conviction against him, it earned him his discharge.

One morning there appeared before the magistrate two coal men, who wore the blackened garments in which they had been working all the day before, and to all appearances had been taken from their team by officers who apprehended them. Neither had a record, and, of course, their clothes in themselves were evidence that they had steady employment, and under ordinary conditions were hard working citizens. The judge intimated that if they would tell where they had obtained the beverages that had brought them into trouble, he would let them go. They were not familiar with police court methods, and the meaning of the judge's words dawned on them slowly, but simultaneously. They looked at each other quickly, and each gave a little snicker, which he immediately hushed up in a shamefaced way. Then they scratched their heads and looked at each other again, and each put his hand before his face to hide a smile.

"Come," said the judge, "where did you get your liquor?" One of the prisoners nudged the other, and the other nudged back. "Go on; tell him," whispered one. "No, you," said the other. "Why, ye see, y'r honor," said one of them, "it was this way: Mike and me went out yesterday with a load of coal, and lo! and behold you it chanced that we had to take it to—ye see, we was on the load of coal, and when we arrived at the house where it was goin', why, thin we— Here he stopped.

"Oh come," said the judge, "speak up. You other one, see if you can't tell about it." "Well, y'r honor," said the other one, "it was just as Pat was sayin'. We went out with a load of coal, and when we got there, why—y'r honor said, didn't ye, that we'd be discharged if we told where we got it." "I did say so," said the judge, "but you must tell it pretty quick if you want to get off. I can't spend all the morning over you. Leave out the coal; that has nothing to do with it."

"Beggin' y'r honor's pardon, it has that," said Mike, gathering courage with a rush. "Ye see, it was this way: We had to carry the coal to your honor's cellar, an' while there we was kind of lookin' 'round, innocent like, and it so happened that we—er—as I was sayin' before, we was in y'r honor's cellar, an'—

"That will do," said the judge, quickly. "You are discharged." They went on their way rejoicing.—Worcester Gazette.

A New York man fell overboard and was rescued as he was sinking for the third time. The first thing he did on recovering consciousness was to soundly berate the man who saved him declaring that if he knew his business he would have caught him the first time he sank, instead of the third.

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Mr. L. J. Clark, of Orange Courthouse, Va., writes: "For six years I had an obstinate, running ulcer on my ankle, which at times caused me intense suffering. I was so disabled for a long while that I was wholly unable for business. One of the best doctors treated me constantly, but did me no good. I then tried various blood remedies, without the least benefit. S. S. S. was so highly recommended that I concluded to try it, and the effect was wonderful. It seemed to get right at the seat of the disease and force the poison out, and I was soon completely cured." Swift's Specific—

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A Parable for the Tempted.

A story is told of a man who once asked an Eastern king if he could tell him how to avoid temptation.

The king told the man to take a vessel brimful of oil, and to carry it through the streets of the city without spilling one drop. "If one drop is spilt," said the king, "your head shall be cut off."

He then ordered two executioners, with drawn swords, to walk behind the man and to carry out his orders. There happened to be a fair going on in the town, and the streets were crowded with people. However, the man was very careful, and he returned to the king without having spilled one drop of the oil. Then the king asked: "Did you see any one whilst you were walking through the streets?"

"No," said the man; "I was thinking only of the oil; I noticed nothing else."

"Then," said the king, "you have learned how to avoid temptation. Fix your mind as firmly on God as you fixed it on the vessel of oil. You will not then be tempted to sin."

Was Afraid He Had Done Wrong.

Among the specialists whom the government employs here in Washington is a learned gentleman who was once the superintendent of a Sabbath school. One of the stories he tells of that epoch is of a day when a visiting clergyman addressed the school. On the very front seat sat a pale little boy who had come to Sunday school that morning for the first time in his life. He watched the visiting clergyman with almost painful interest. The visiting clergyman was a large man, with great, dark eyes and a voice like unto that of the bull of Basham. He rose.

"Children," he thundered, "who made this glorious universe?" His black eyes glared fiercely at the new boy on the front seat. Theurchin squirmed and trembled. "I did, sir," he said huskily, "but I won't ever do it again."—Washington Post.

Smoking Spirits.

An Augusta revenue man had a novel experience recently with a moonshiner in Lincoln county.

Early one morning he discovered an old man standing near a grave in the mountain region. But the trouble about the grave was that the revenue man had observed smoke issuing from the place where the headboard should have been.

He surprised the old man who immediately feigned great sorrow, he explained his presence by the statement that his brother was buried there. At the mention of his brother he feigned great grief, and said he "never would get over it—it wuz sich a hard dispensation of Providence."

"But isn't it peculiar," replied the revenue man, "that I see a stovepipe at the head of his grave, and smoke issuing therefrom." "Stranger," replied the weeping moonshiner, "he died in his sin, an' hit's my opinion they're a-roastin' of him down below."—Augusta Herald.

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