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The Confederation Movement. The movement so long neglected has at last begun to erect a monument to the memory of the heroes who wore the gray...

The Call of The Blood for purification, finds voice in pimples, boils, sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moan patches and blotches on the skin...

A POOR JUMP. It Came Near Being the Death of Isabeau, the Painter. Napoleon Bonaparte, as is well known, was in the habit of walking with his arms crossed upon his chest...

Blake's Visions. The Curious Hallucinations of the Post-Painter. William Blake, the contemporary of Charles Lamb, was a man of visions. Blake dined with prophets and held converse with archangels.

The Adam's Apple. An Important Organ That Helps to Protect the Brain. One of the most remarkable pieces of mechanism in the human system, a device which anticipated several of our modern patents, is the Adam's apple...

The Manchus. The name "Manchuria," to designate the country of the Manchus, is not known to the Chinese, but was invented by French geographers.

Conscious During a Fall. Every time a workman falls from a forty story building there are people to say, "Well, he probably didn't feel it when he struck."

An English Election. Remarks the London Chronicle: "The worst of election expenses is that the candidate can never be sure what sort of pig in a poke he is buying."

A Way of Explaining It. Wife-Why, John, just see what a stupid blunder the newspaper has made in its account of our silver wedding!

Her Proof. "Just think of it! One person in every thirty-seven in England is a pauper."

He Was Right. "My doctor told me I would have to quit eating so much meat."

His Style. Tom (who takes his meals at a hotel-Do you like your meals served table d'hotel? Dick (who patronizes a street waffle wagon)-No, I generally take mine in a cart.-Baltimore American.

Amblition is but avarice on stilts and masked.-Lander.

The Demon of The Air. increases the price of many necessities without improving the quality. Foley's Honey and Tar maintains its high standard of excellence and its great curative qualities without any increase in cost.

HIS TAPESTRIES. The Gems the Collector Bought and Showed to the Expert. That the collector falls into a trap occasionally is shown by an episode which we recall.

A TRYING ORDEAL. The Fattening Process of a Marriageable Girl in Tunis. The marriageable girl in Tunis has a trying ordeal to go through after her betrothal to the man not of her choice.

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SQUARING THE CIRCLE.

An Ancient Problem That Has Turned Many Brains Dizzy. The oldest of problems is that of squaring the circle-i. e., of telling the precise length of the side of a square whose area will equal the area of a given circle.

The first attempt we know of was made 3000 years before the exodus of the Jews. Since at least 1300 B. C. Chinese brains have turned dizzy over it. The oldest mathematical book in the world-written about 2000 B. C., by Ahmes, scribe to an Egyptian king, and now resting in the British museum-pretends to solve it, but it doesn't. Our old friend Euclid prudently avoids the subject.

Books have been written to prove the impossibility of others to prove the impossibility of proving its impossibility, others again to prove the impossibility of proving its possibility. One scientist, a professor of Zurich, adopted some fifty years ago a rather original method of tackling the problem. He divided the floor of a great loft into thousands of small squares and spent his days in solemnly throwing needles about and noting the number of times they fell clear of the chalk lines, but it did not help him much.

The important ratio which would settle the question has been carried to 500 places of decimals. And still it is not exact. If you have a taste for sums you can start and carry it to 600 and see what happens. At any rate, you will soon find your hair getting grayer.-London Answers.

A HUMILIATED MONKEY.

The Crippled Old Despot Was Made to Feel His Might Fall. The following amusing story is told by J. L. Kipling in his "Man and Beast in India" of the humiliation of a monkey whom physical disablement prevented from maintaining his despotic position as leading male of the troop:

"One morning there came a monkey chieftain, weak and limping, having evidently been worsted in a severe fight with another of his own kind. One hand hung powerless, his face and eyes bore terrible traces of battle, and he hopped slowly along with a pathetic air of suffering, supporting himself on the shoulder of a female-wife, the only member of his clan that had remained faithful to him after his defeat.

"We threw them bread and raisins, and the wounded warrior carefully stowed the greater part away in his cheek pouch. The faithful wife, seeing her opportunity, holding fast his one sound hand and opening his mouth, deftly scooped out the store of raisins. Then she sat and ate them very calmly at a safe distance, while he mowed and chattered in impotent rage.

"He knew that without her help he could not reach home and was fain to wait with what patience he might, till the raisins were finished. This was probably her first chance of disobedience or of self assertion in her whole life, and I am afraid she thoroughly enjoyed it."

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