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MUSHROOM POISONING.

The Way It Acts and How It Should Be Treated.

When one considers the frightful consequences of gathering and eating poisonous mushrooms in mistake for the edible variety it is little short of marvelous that one without knowledge should dare go into the fields and woods and pick and eat any of the fungi growing there.

If one is thoroughly familiar with a particular variety of edible mushroom and can distinguish it at sight from all others, however similar in color and form, it is safe to eat that particular variety but one must beware of other kinds that resemble it, for, however slight the difference in appearance, one may be edible and the other poisonous. There is no absolute rule for distinguishing the edible from the poisonous kinds, and it is better, therefore, to give general rules, but to follow only one.

Suspect every mushroom which you do not know positively to be edible. To this rule perhaps may be added a second: Learn to distinguish the white spored agarics and avoid them all, for, although there is an edible species, it requires an expert to tell it, and the poison of another species is deadly, and there is no known antidote for the first.

The chief poisons in mushrooms are two in number—muscariin and phallin. The first of these produces symptoms resembling those of alcoholic intoxication, followed by convulsions or cerebral paralysis, collapse and death from renal failure. These symptoms come on soon after the mushrooms have been eaten.

In poisoning by phallin the symptoms do not appear until several hours after the meal. They resemble cholera, beginning with severe abdominal pain, soon followed by vomiting, purging and collapse.

In all cases of mushroom poisoning, vomiting should be induced as soon as possible, and a large dose of castor oil may be given to hasten the elimination of any as yet unabsorbed portions of the mushroom.

Stimulants are needed to support the heart, and milk containing an abundance of magnesia or bicarbonate of sodium may be given.

Injections of a salt solution into the veins and—in case of muscariin poisoning—hypodermic injection of atropin are often employed by physicians with benefit.

The Temples of Burma.

Among the many interesting features to be found in Burma, the numerous temples figure most prominently. One group, says The Wide World Magazine, consists of no fewer than 450 pagodas, on each of which is recorded, on stone, a section of the new law of Buddha, the founder of the Buddhist religion, which embraces millions of devotees. The reverence and awe with which the images of Buddha are regarded are hardly less wonderful than the fabulous sum of money has been spent on the erection of temples to his name by poverty-stricken countries. In India and the adjoining countries, the proceeds of the sacrifices offered by the people are devoted toward the erection of large temples, which accounts for the thousands to be found in districts where Buddhism hold sway.

Blowing Bubbles for Exercise.

Blowing soap bubbles is an exercise which has been adopted at a school Haarlem, Holland, on the advice of a local practitioner, Dr. Ootmar, in order to strengthen the children's chests. This pleasant method, as ingenious as it is simple, was thought of because of the difficulty in getting children to ordinary breathing exercise thoroughly and regularly. On three days of the week all the children have placed before them a bowl of soapy water and a pipe. The windows are opened so as to admit as much fresh air as possible. Then competitions are arranged as to who can blow the biggest bubbles. Periodically chest measurements have proved the efficiency of the arrangement, increases being noted in each individual case.

Coercing the Customs.

M. Labouchere was once held up by the German customs service and asked all the contents thrown out of his trunks.

"Put those things back," said he to the men who had emptied his trunks.

"That is your affair," they answered.

"I stay here until you do," he replied.

"Then give me a telegraph permit." On the form M. Labouchere wrote: "To Prince Bismarck, Berlin."

"Regret cannot breakfast with your sluggishness to-morrow. Held here indefinitely."

Quick as lightning the officials unlocked the trunks!

What Did He Want?

A computer hurried into a hardware store on his way to the train on a frosty night. "Here," he called to the clerk, "I've only got a minute. Get a porn copper."

"What's that?" asked the clerk.

"A porn conner."

"Ha, ha!" laughed the clerk. "I suppose you mean a con porper, don't you?"

"No, I don't. I mean a porn corper, or chucklehead. But I can't get it because my train is due."

"Silly ass," murmured the clerk after he had gone, "couldn't say porn conner!"

The Spider.

It is very rarely that two spiders fly singly. If by chance two are released in one web the weaker or more cowardly instantly retreats or is captured and wound up by the stronger. Spiders are unflinching cannibals. They will breakfast off their brothers and dine off their sisters without any compunction, and, as regards what they eat, they seem to have no particular preference either for flies, gnats, bees, earwigs, daddy longlegs, beetles, or other small fry, all being eaten with the same eagerness.

Panama.

Panama is a Caribbean word, meaning "mudfish," an allusion to the abundance of this variety at the isthmus.

PLENTY OF ROOM.

No Trouble to Find a Place for Him to Rest in Sleep.

His blanket the soldier takes along on the march, but usually not his bed. Ganga soon unrolls the ground as soft a bed as he wants. The case is pretty nearly the same with the prospector and the frontiersman. In writing of the "Highways and Byways of the Pacific Coast" Mr. Clifton Johnson tells of the practice on the ranches of the west. He was the guest of an early settler.

While we were chatting a laborer passed, shouldering a roll of blankets. The butcher had come to the door, and he pointed to the passer and said: "You see that fellow, don't you? Well, when I first reached here from the east I thought a man with a bed on his back was the funniest thing I'd ever come across.

"A rancher in this country won't take his hired man into his house. They've got to furnish their own blankets and usually sleep on the hay in the barn.

"I know a fellow who, when he'd just arrived and didn't understand the way they manage, got a job harvesting on a big wheat ranch. The help usually sleep in the straw stacks then, and it's precious little time they get to sleep anywhere. But he didn't know anything about that, and he was sitting around in the evening and finally said to the rancher, 'Where am I to sleep tonight?'

"Why, I don't care where you sleep," said the rancher. 'I've got 900 acres of land around here, and if you can't find a place to sleep on that I'll get my next neighbor to lend me a piece of his.'"

TOWER OF BABEL.

Traditions as to the Height of the Famous Structure.

The actual height at which the last stone of that famous structure, the tower of Babel, rested cannot, on account of the remoteness of the times at which it is said to have existed, ever become more than a matter of merest conjecture. Herodotus, who lived about 1,700 years after that "great spiral way to heaven" is said to have been attempted, says that he saw at Babylon a structure consisting of eight towers raised one above another, each seventy-five feet in height, but whether this ruin was the remains of the tower of Babel it was even then impossible to ascertain. Herodotus, usually minutely exact in his writing, leaves us in ignorance as to how the upper level of each of these seventy-five foot towers was reached from the level below.

As might be expected, even in tradition, a wide difference of opinion exists as to the height of the tower. Most authorities maintain that God did not put a stop to the work until the tower had reached a height of 10,000 fathoms, or about twelve miles. In Cypriote tradition it is said to have been as high as 20,000 elephants, each standing one above the other. St. Jerome asserts on the authority of persons who had examined the ruins that it did not reach a height exceeding four miles. Other statements are still more extravagant.—London Saturday Review.

Happy Events.

A teacher in one of the public schools of Vienna in order to test the ability of her junior class—girls eight to nine years old—in composition writing gave each little miss a subject to be discussed "at once without consultation and without help of any kind." The articles were found to be so interesting and amusing that they have been collected for publication. One article, "My Three Happiest Days" is notable in the unique collection. In well chosen words and clearly rounded sentences the little girl says that, being lost in the woods, having to run away from a fire which broke out in their house and watching a little boat as the wind tossed it on the waves and finally smashed it, were the most "happy events" that she could think of. Another in describing "Fairyland" said that it must be a place where "everything is as it is here except that the snakes should be frozen half across at all times of the year so that we could make a swim and jump out and skate."

James I. and Billiards.

James I. appears to have inherited his mother's love of billiards. Among the payments from his privy purse noted in the exchequer records is one to Henry Waller, our joyner, for a billiards board. Twelve foot long and four foot broad, the frame being vallnuttree, well wrought and carved, with eight great skrewes and eighteen small skrewes." A salutary billiard rule is force in the days of the Stuarts was one to the effect that no bystander, even though he was betting on the game, should be allowed to offer advice unless asked. If he did so it was provided that "he shall for every suit instantly forfeit twopence for the good of the company or not be suffered to stay in the room."—London Chronicle.

His Early Home Coming.

"Does your husband carry a latchkey, Mrs. Homebody?"

"No, I never know him to."

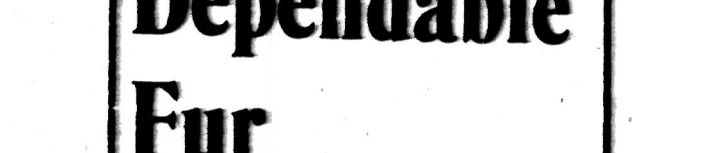
"Oh, then he comes in early! That must be due to your training!"

"Not in the least. There is always some one up when he gets home in the evening."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Answering Little Edith.

Little Edith—say, pa, do you believe in angels being in different parties?—

—Why, yes; they being in the same party, the



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