

Chemical Composition of Man.

From a chemical point of view man is composed of thirteen elements, of which five are gases and eight are solids. If we consider the chemical composition of a man of the average weight of 154 lbs. we will find that he is composed in large part of oxygen, which is in a state of extreme compression. In fact, a man weighing 154 pounds contains ninety-seven pounds of oxygen, the volume of which at ordinary temperature, would exceed 980 cubic feet. The hydrogen is much less in quantity, there being less than 15 pounds, but which in a free state, would occupy a volume of 2800 cubic feet. The three other gases are nitrogen, nearly four pounds, chlorine, about twenty-six ounces, and fluorine, three and a quarter ounces. Of the solids carbon stands at the head of the metalloids, there being forty-eight pounds. Next comes phosphorus, twenty-six ounces, and sulphur, three and a quarter ounces. The most abundant metal is calcium, more than three pounds; next, potassium, two and a half ounces; sodium, two and a quarter ounces, and, lastly, iron, one and a quarter ounce. It is needless to say that the various combinations made by these thirteen elements are almost innumerable.

The Effect of Thought.

Think ugliness and be ugly; think beauty and be beautiful; think old age and grow old; think immortal youth and be always youthful. It is our thought that moulds us. To repine over our faults is to fix them ineradicably in our characters; let us go develop our hope and faith to the attainment of noble souls that we may forget we ever had a fault. And let us be equally generous with our neighbor; let us pick out the undeveloped beauties of their characters, and, projecting our imaginations upon the lines of their development, strive to see them as they ought to be, rather than as they are.

Faults of character, and even vices, perish when their existence is ignored. Life purifies itself as it advances, if we keep thought from stirring up its dregs so constantly. Let the dregs sink out of sight and out of mind; let thought dwell upon nothing but the pellucid beauty of the top current, and presently we shall grow away from evil.

Her Excellent Memory.

A lady walking into a city store a few days ago and enquired for the carpet department, to which she was conducted. "You see," she explained, "I bought a piece of carpet here for my parlor, and Samuel, my husband, says nothin' will do but that we must have more like it. So I want to get the remnant. I don't remember the clerk that waited upon me, but I'd know the carpet if I set eyes upon it." Three clerks were kept an hour and a half unrolling carpeting for her identification, but the desired remnant didn't come to light. "Dear me, this is very disappointing," said the lady with a tone of vexation. "I felt sure I could find the rest of it." "When did you buy the goods madam?" inquired the clerk. "Oh, 22 or 23 years ago. I know it was about the time of Lee's surrender, and Samuel wishes to celebrate, and—" "Ah, madam," said the clerk, "I fear the remnant has been sold."—Buffalo Courier.

John Moore of King river, Arkansas was baptized the other day at the mature age of 89.

Ex-Senator Ferry of Michigan, who failed in 1882 for \$1,500,000 has paid off \$1,200,000 of his debts by the hardest kind of work.

A prominent physician says dancing tends to softening the brain. He is probably in error, but there is no doubt that softening of the brain tends strongly to dancing.

A one-armed man in Salem, Oregon, lately applied for a divorce on the ground that the hand he had given his wife in marriage was lost and the contract was therefore void.

Thomas Etherington, an octogenarian, of Milton, Queen's, is seriously ill. Only a few days since, he said that he never remembered being sick a day in his life; he has had perfect health for over 80 years.

When a native of China is bitten by a mad dog, and symptoms of hydrophobia present themselves, the poor fellow is, according to custom in such cases, chained up by his hands and feet until death puts an end to his sufferings.

A company has been formed in Yarmouth which will erect a new summer hotel there, to be ready in time for the reception of next season's visitors. It is to cost between \$15,000 and \$20,000, and will be one of the most modern and elegant hotels in the provinces.

Says the Pictou News: "A man nearly 94 years of age, from one of the rural districts, called at this office a few days ago to complain of the quality of liquors kept in Pictou at the present time. He has been in the habit of 'taking his class and minding his own business' all his life, but the liquor sold to-day is a fraud compared with the article of 80 years ago.

The Russian Minister of Finance, who is visiting Novgorod, received an address from the merchants there expressing satisfaction with the Government's measures for the protection of national productions and trade, and asking that stringent edicts be issued to render foreign competition powerless and subject all foreigners to special taxes. The minister responded favorably, and said that the present line of taxation had been dictated by the Czar himself.

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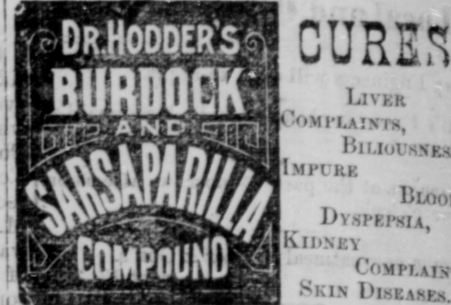
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