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Judging from the questions constantly asked the dentist, it is no exaggeration to say few people have a clear conception of the causes which lead to decay of the teeth.

Microbes are minute vegetable organisms some of the many species of which are so small that they are only visible under the microscope.

Butter a Cure. Chronic constipation in otherwise healthy children, is not a disease, but an obstruction of the intestines from too much food.

PRESERVING FRUITS. Apples, pears, plums, apricots, &c. for preserving in sugar or pickling vinegar may be greened thus:

TO PRESERVE PEARS. Take small, rich, fair fruit, as soon as the pips are black, set them over the fire in a kettle, with water to cover them.

TO CLARIFY THE SUGAR. Put into a preserving pan as many pounds of sugar as you wish; to each pound of sugar put half a pint of water.

The costliest paintings of modern times are Meissonier's "1814" and Millet's "The Angelus," \$38,000 was given for "1814" and \$30,000 for "The Angelus."

the fire for a few minutes, when it will subside, and leave time for skimming. Repeat the skimming until a slight scum or foam only will rise.

TO PRESERVE APPLES. Pare and core and cut the apples in halves or quarters. Take as many pounds of the best brown sugar; put a teacup of water to each pound.

TO CAN PEACHES. Take small under-ripe peaches, pare them neatly and put them into a kettle with water nearly to cover them.

TO COLOR FRUIT YELLOW. Boil the fruit with fresh skin lemons in water to cover them until it is tender; then take it up, spread it on dishes to cool, and finish as may be directed.

WORTH A GUINEA A SMELL. Roses at \$20 Apiece and (77-anthemums at \$20 a Dozen.

It is of an extraordinary colour—velvety, and just like the cheek of a healthy baby in tint. Not really beautiful as a flower, but unique in appearance.

Orchids fetch the highest of all prices among flowers, though one may buy a tolerable orchid buttonhole for a shilling.

Marvellous prices are sometimes paid for orchid buttonholes by wealthy men, and among them Lord Lansdowne, the Secretary of State for War, often pays \$5 for one.

Another Minister who adores orchids is Joseph Chamberlain, and everyone knows he is seldom seen without one in his buttonhole.

Finally, you can pay as much as \$8 a blossom for some varieties of the chrysanthemum, and a peagreen flower of this species, which is occasionally to be had, will fetch double that amount.

LIFE AFTER DECAPITATION

STRANGE OBSERVATIONS AS TO AN INTERESTING QUESTION. The Doctor's Head That Seemed to Hear and Talk—Two Remarkable Cases From Battlegrounds—Experiments on Animals.

The first point to which our attention may be directed is the collecting of evidence regarding the immediate effect of severe and mortal injury on the subject thereof.

"Missing the perfect hand of his master, and finding the accustomed governance now succeeded by the dangling reins, the horse all at once wheeled about, and began to gallop back upon the front of the advancing brigade.

An interesting parallel case to that of Nolan, is that of a sergeant in charge of the Ninth Corps of the Confederate works east of Petersburg, during the Civil War.

SHOULD DECAPITATED HIM at this moment "as completely as a knife could have done," but the tall form continued erect for some seconds.

One of the eyes was said to open slowly and shut, and than all symptoms of life ceased. A writer remarks that a freshly guillotined head has been known to make gestures of the mouth and to move the eyes when a bystander taunted it.

See a Clever Trick for Marking a Bee With Cotton. In order to be followed the bee must have a distinguishing mark that can be easily seen, and with such a badge the Australian provides it.

Watch the Australian—and he is a very stupid fellow, too, in most things. He fills his mouth with water, has his snout tuft of cotton ready gummed, finds his bee, gently drenches it with water spurted from his mouth, pecks it up while it is still indignantly shaking itself free from the water which clogs its wings.

of the brain, there are other groups that supervise the work of the heart, and see to it that the duties of the lungs are duly discharged.

On such a principle of division of labor, we are bound to find the varied ways and works of the nervous system carried out on different levels, as regards the importance of the duties performed.

If we divide the spinal cord of a frog and irritate the foot the leg will be moved, after the fashion in which the uninjured animal would resent being tickled.

But we may find evidence that the spinal cord of the frog may control actions in a fashion that would almost lend belief to the idea that it is much more than a mere brain deputy.

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JOTTINGS OF THE WAR. Interesting item: From the Field of Battle. The British Legation is the largest in Pekin.

Of the 6,000 horses which General Hunter captured from the Boers at Fouriesburg, 2,000 of them, which were in capital condition, are now being used by our troops.

Evidently serious trouble is still anticipated in China by the authorities at home. Woolwich Arsenal have received instructions to dispatch 30,000-600 rounds of 303-inch ammunition, together with a large quantity of tents and hospital equipment, as early as possible.

The full ration of the British prisoners at Nottingdatch, per man is 1 lb. of meat, and 3 lb. of mealies, rice or flour, weekly; but fuel for cooking is almost unobtainable.

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Colonel Hore, who was besieged by the Boers at Elands River, was chief of the Staff to Major-General Baden-Powell while shut up in Mafeking. The Elands River garrison, which held the line between Zeerust and Rustenburg, was composed of about 140 bushmen and 160 Rhodesians.