

Courage in Warfare.

There can be little doubt but that the character of warfare and modern weapons develops the highest types of personal courage.

A Bridge Kept in Repair by Mussels.

The Byssus, or silky beard, by which the mussel mussels itself to the stone, is a familiar object of our sea rocks.

Insuring His Neighbors' Crops.

An interesting little story comes from North Carolina. Along the banks of the Cape Fear river are lowlands, behind which lie a higher and more fertile bench.

Love Your Work.

Nothing is more healthily stimulating than a genuine love for the pursuit in which one is engaged.

Velvet.

Velvet is manufactured by placing in the loom rows of very short threads of the material designed to be employed, whether cotton or silk.

Pistols and Pestles.

The duelling pistol now occupies its proper place in the museum of the collector of relics of barbarism. The pistol ought to have beside it the pestle that turned out pills like bullets.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills.

When your liver wants help, get "the pill that will."

Fulton's First Fare and Passenger.

There was one little incident in Robert Fulton's life about which few people know and which Fulton never forgot.

Frivolous Objections.

"I make a point of reading the various articles written on the subject of marriage," said Mierwa, "and they are all set me wondering what manner of people they must be who look no further for their authority than the frivolous gossip of the day, who never take the trouble to go down into the heart of nature and the impulses of human humanity, to find out why things are as they are."

Tons of Hawaii Poi for Chicago.

Ten tons of poi are on the way to Chicago, and that city will be the distributing center for a new food which has just been imported from the Hawaiian Islands.

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