

IN LIEUT. WISE'S KITE FACTORY.

Sacred Place Where Visitors Are Not Given a Warm Welcome.

Canvas, Wire, Pine Sticks and a Dummy Give Evidence of the Work of the Experimenter.

After a Failure to Get a Bird's-Eye View of New York He Refuses to Speak of His Prospects.

DUMB AS TO HIS INVESTIGATIONS. Says He is a Servant of the Government and Therefore Has No Rights in the Matter—Success May Open His Lips.

While Lieutenant Wise, the young army officer of Governor's Island, has not as yet succeeded in getting very high up in the world with his Hargrave kites and

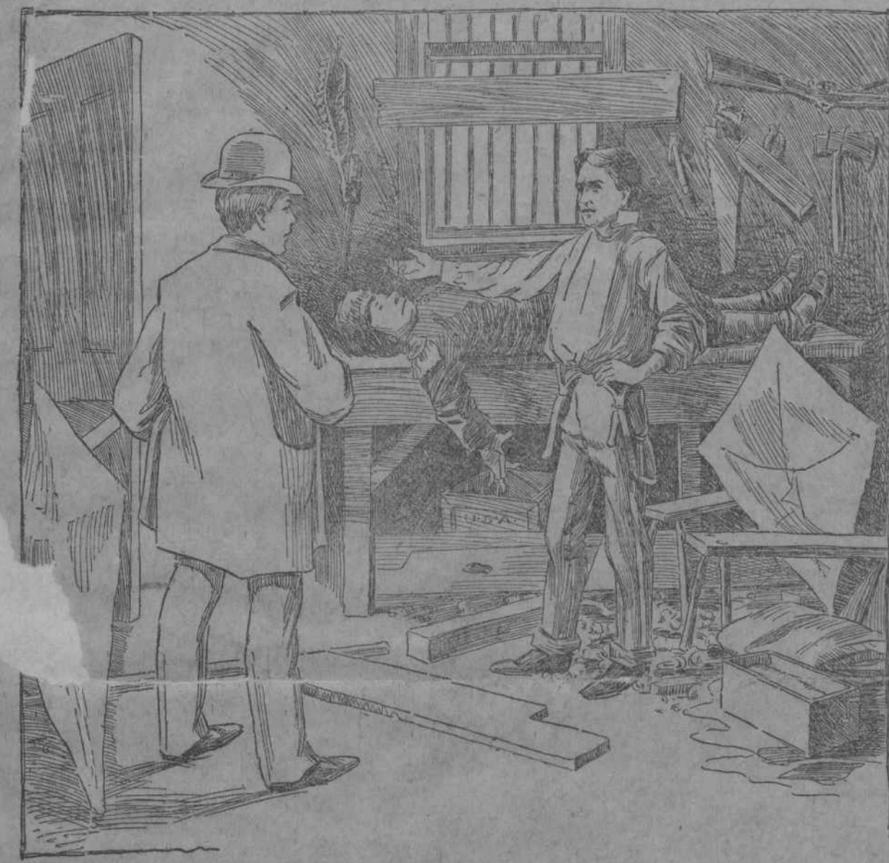
exercise and stoutly refused to permit any of the visitors to see his workshop. But there he did not have his way.

A visit to the officer's back porch revealed a massive Hargrave kite, slightly disabled, but still in fair condition. It filled the entire width of the floor, and spread out over the banister. A thousand wires and well-tied knots, heavily glued, were discernible at a glance. There was the entire contrivance tucked away as much as it was possible to tuck it from the view of impetuous eyes.

In the body of kites, it was but a step from the porch to the basement workshop. All over the floor of this forbidden place was a litter of canvas, wire, pine strips and half-finished kites of all kinds and dimensions. In the corners stood several completed flyers of a small species, and yards and yards of rope and string hung on every peg and nail.

But the most charming of all the apparatuses with which tests were made by Lieutenant Wise was a marvelously constructed and beautifully designed soldier, who had been playing the part of a dummy since his maker had fallen victim to the fire-dying mania.

He lay prone upon a bench. His jawstuck calves were incased in a pair of military leggings, and a defunct pair of army boots acted as a sort of reinforcement to keep the legs from escaping. An aged but absolutely proper pair of trousers, with a white stripe down the outside of each leg, were properly belted on with straw, so as to give him a husky human form. Around the straw body, made proud and upright by a scolding thrust through the entire anatomy, was buttoned a coat that had seen better days and better men. Across the shoulders a pair of muskets, sewed, wired and riveted down, showed that the gentleman was a man of record, with a standing earned through hard service. Two full-dress gloves, stuffed with some soft material, were attached to the sleeves of the



Interior of a Kite Inventor's Shop.

Lieutenant Wise, of the United States Army, who is trying to perfect a kite that will bear the weight of a man, for use in the military service, was surprised when he found a Journal man viewing the contents of his den, but he declined to say anything, because his knowledge belonged entirely to the Government. The figure on the bench is that of a dummy used in experiments.

other paraphernalia of his own invention, there is a strong likelihood that he will some day roam around among the clouds whenever he wants to.

After a view of Lieutenant Wise's assistant and his tools, the experimenter appeared and said:

"I cannot talk about my experiments in even the smallest particular. I am merely following what other men have done better than I can do. I am a servant of the Government, and therefore have no rights of my own in this matter. If I ever make any startling discoveries in kite flying, then I may occupy a different position than I do now, but I beg you to excuse me. I am perfectly dumb as to anything pertaining to my investigations." And he was gone.

A swarm of newspaper men pounced down on the island from the neighboring archipelago, and sought him out for information on how it feels to take a drop on one's self. Lieutenant Wise persistently refused to disclose his personal views on the



Lieutenant Wise's Dummy at Work.

When the kite inventor has finished his work he hopes his product will be something like this. When thickie has been proved a success the play of the lay figure shown will be taken by a soldier, suspended in a more comfortable position.

"COUNTERFEITING IS BECOMING GENERAL."

Commissioner Shields Refuses to Reduce Suspect Michael Eagan's Bond.

Says That the Practice Is Getting Too Many Adherents and Holds the Prisoner.

Two Women Identify the Accused as One Who Passed Bogus Coins Upon Them.

BASHFORD'S GANG IN THE TOILS. Queer Postal Card Is Found on Eagan and Secret Service Officers Believe They Have Captured the Right Crowd.

Michael Eagan was the only one of the gang of recently arrested counterfeiters who appeared before United States Commissioner Shields at a recent hearing.

Calph, the monster hippopotamus of the Central Park Zoo, has been very sick. The cause has been his removal from the roomy quarters, out of doors, that he has occupied throughout the entire summer, to the comparatively cramped quarters of the tank inside of the lion house.

Calph taking a dose of ipecacuanha and Calph taking a dose of calomel have been diverting slight; diverting, that is, to those on the outside of the bars that fenced him in. To those on the inside, who had to dodge when he rushed at them, the experiences were dangerous as well as diverting.

He has been very ill-tempered, and decided, with a stubborn shake of his monster head, that he would take no more medicine. All of the keepers, in turn, tried their most conciliating arts upon him, but in vain. When calomel was offered him he glared ferociously, and when soothing syrup and castor oil were urged he let everybody know that he would not let them sit down by him and feed him with a spoon.

But he was steadily getting worse, and Director Smith had to do something. Calph stalked in a corner, and could not be induced to take Exercise, at least, and there was only one way to make him take it.

Next morning early all the water was drained from his tank. Then Keepers Schneider and Murray, a rined with pitchforks, went inside. They stirred him up gently with the pitchfork points, and he angrily arose to his feet. They prodded him further, and he lumbered angrily up the incline that leads to the top of the tank.

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HOW BIG CALIPH TOOK HIS MEDICINE.

Calomel Hidden in Apples Was Thrown Down His Capacious Throat.

Chased Up and Down with Pitchforks to Give Him Lots of Exercise.

Every Now and Then He Rushed at His Keepers with Wide Open Jaws.

HE IS VERY MUCH BETTER NOW. Miss Murphy, His Faithful Spouse, Was Very Much Worried and Seemed Pleased with the Work of the Physicians.

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MARVEL OF HEARING TO DEAD EARS.

There is no Kind of Deafness that Does Not Yield to the Copeland Discovery --the Deafness of Age, the Long-Standing Deafness of Years, the Deafness that Follows Acute Diseases, Such as Scarlet Fever, Pneumonia and Diphtheria.

It has been shown regarding this wonderful discovery that has rolled away the Stone from the Tomb of Silence that there is, so far as can be found, no manner of Deafness from which it does not promise deliverance. Wonderful as this claim may be, it is no more wonderful than the testimony which is bearing it to triumphant conviction in the minds of the doctors of the world--always the last to yield to the evidence of results.

It was said at first that it was merely Catarrhal Deafness. Then came an avalanche of testimony of cures of Deafness from Scarlet Fever, Pneumonia, Measles and all acute diseases, that proved that the same process of communication by diseased tissues that made it possible for Catarrh to cause Deafness had through the centuries given Deafness as the result of a hundred other morbid conditions known by as many different names. THE DEAFNESS THAT THIS TREATMENT CURES IS THE DEAFNESS THAT NEARLY ALL WHO HAVE LOST THEIR HEARING SUFFER FROM.

Let all who are deaf read and learn and know this truth. Read it in the testimony that has been given for a year past, read it in this testimony given to-day. That time intervenes in no way with the power of the discovery in the cure of Deafness--that Deafness of long standing yields just as readily to the Treatment as temporary Deafness.

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SEXTON C. W. CLARK, DEAF TWENTY YEARS, HEARING RESTORED.

Charles W. Clark, 903 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn, sexton of the East Congregational Church, corner of Koslosko street and Tompkins avenue: "I was partially deaf in my left ear for twenty years. My family physician and other physicians treated me without success, prescribing oils and lotions which accomplished nothing. My deafness grew upon me. I could not hear a sermon distinctly, and had difficulty in understanding what people said in conversation. I went to Dr. Copeland for treatment. It was the beginning of the third month before I noticed any improvement, but when improvement came it came suddenly. All at once my hearing returned to me."



Charles W. Clark, No. 903 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn, Deaf 20 years. Cured.

DEAF TWENTY YEARS, HEARING RESTORED AT 68.

Jacob Gemming, 58 years, No. 528 East 19th street: "I was deaf in my left ear for twenty years. I could not hear out of it at all. Two years ago my right ear became affected also. I tried several ear specialists, but their efforts had no effect. I could not hear ordinary conversation. I could not hear the clock tick, except by pressing my ear against it. The ringing and tingling noises were fearful. I read about the cures of deafness by the Copeland Physicians. I went under their treatment. I can now hear the clock strike in the next room. My right ear is as good as it ever was. I can hear sounds with my left ear that were lost to sound for twenty years."

DEAFNESS FROM AN INJURY, 18 YEARS' DURATION.

Mr. W. C. Peck, 122 Washington place, city: "I am twenty-one years old. I had been deaf in my left ear for eleven years, caused by a fall when I was three years old. I had noises in my ears continually. I could not hear my watch tick when pressed against my left ear. I could not hear conversation. I could hear only loud noises, like the noise from the elevated trains. Five months ago my left ear began to discharge. I went to the Copeland Physicians. After taking treatment the discharge from my ear stopped. My hearing is perfect, even in the ear which had been stone deaf 18 years."

HEARING RESTORED AT 68.

M. J. Hoey, 68 years old, resides at 252 North Second street, Brooklyn, E. D.: "A few years ago I found that I had become totally deaf in my left ear. I could not hear my watch tick when held close to my ear. I went to Dr. Copeland to be cured of my deafness. Now I can hear as well with my left ear as I can with my right ear. I can hold my watch a foot away and hear every tick distinctly with my left ear as with my right ear. I catch every word of conversation now as well as I did years ago. I have lived in this ward for forty years and I know most of the older residents. I shall be glad to tell any one of what the Copeland Physicians have done for me."

DEAFNESS FROM SCROFULA.

Miss Marie Alcida Sturman, 606 Nostrand avenue, Brooklyn: "My deafness came on in my sixth year. It was the result of a scrofulous trouble. Until I went to Dr. Copeland I was very deaf. I did not attend church, because I could not hear a shrill note from a whistle was just audible. I could not hear a watch tick when held against my ear. Conversation was lost to me. I only got along by watching the lips of my parents and acquaintances. Five months ago I began the Copeland treatment. To-day my hearing is restored. I can now hear every sound."

DEAFNESS FROM MEASLES.

Master Josie D. Baldwin, lives at Lyndonville, Vt. He has been cured by this treatment of Deafness, which was the result of the Measles. His uncle, Edward L. Wells, in speaking of the recovery, said: "Josie had been Deaf for two years after recovering from the Measles, and is completely cured; his hearing returned like a flash; he was standing in school one day looking at what was being written on the blackboard and not hearing a sound; suddenly every word spoken by the schoolmaster fell upon his ears clear and distinct. The restoration of his hearing was so sudden I could scarcely believe it, but I have since tested it in every way and find it perfect."

DEAFNESS FROM PNEUMONIA.

Miss Regina Root, 346 East 52d street, City: "I had been a constant sufferer from noises in the head and deafness ever since I had pneumonia four years ago. When I went to the Copeland Physicians I could not hear conversation at all. I was treated for some time without receiving any benefit, but I continued the treatment for six months, and the result has been an absolute and complete cure. The noises in my head are all gone."

DEAFNESS FROM LA GRIPPE.

Mr. H. P. Wilson, 342 West 35th st., city: "For six years I had been deaf of hearing in both ears. It started from a severe attack of the grip. My deafness grew so bad that I could not even play my violin. When I would play the sound would seem to come from the cellar or from the street. I felt very much discouraged. I went to the Copeland Physicians more to give the little hearing that I had than to recover that which I had lost. Now I can hear ordinary conversation. I attend church regularly, and I hear every word of the service."

FATHER KEOUGH, OF ST. ALOYSIUS' RECTORY, TESTIFIES.

Rev. James Keough, of St. Aloysius' Rectory, No. 68 Bowers street, Newark, N. J., sends the following testimony as to his own experience with the Copeland Treatment: "In the matter of published testimony from Catholic clergymen, Father Keough's words do not stand alone. Some of the columns will recall similar expressions from Father McLaughlin, Father Korman, Father Vasallo, President Paul, and many others equally eminent in the Church. Father Keough writes under date of October 23d: "For a number of years I had suffered from throat trouble which interfered very much with the performance of my duties. I began the Copeland system of treatment, and after a short course I met with very beneficial results. REV. J. KEOUGH."

ALMOST TOTAL DEAFNESS FROM SCARLET FEVER.

George Edwin Rees, 17 years old, lives at 1294 Broadway avenue, Manhattan. Speaking of his son's case, Mr. Rees said: "George had been Deaf ten years. He was almost totally Deaf. We had tried a dozen doctors and spent a great deal of money. He was unable to get any help for him. He was quietly leaving the room, because he could not hear my voice. At last we took him to Dr. Copeland. When the hearing of his ears came back it came suddenly. He clasped his hands to his ears and said to me: 'There is a great deal more noise in the world than I ever suspected.' To-day he hears as perfectly, understanding every word of conversation in an ordinary tone."

HER VOICE RESTORED.

Mrs. J. Livingston Dewey, of Westfield and Greenview Jersey City, N. J., teacher of music and voice culture: "My husband began with Catarrh and overgrown vocal cords to such an extent that he could not sing. He was known as 'Bass' all in the neighborhood. He was obliged to give up his profession and was obliged to give up his singing. I was obliged to sing in his place. I went to Dr. Copeland, and to my delight, I obtained relief. My husband's hearing was restored. He now sings as well as ever I could; his voice seems to be better than ever."

DEAF FOR TEN YEARS.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jansen, 2105 street, Brooklyn, says: "For ten years I was deaf in both ears, and for much of the time I was totally deaf. I went to the Copeland Physicians because I read the testimony of a man I knew and whose hearing they had restored. I received my hearing, too. I can now hear perfectly."

SUCCESS OF HOME TREATMENT.

The system of treating patients who live at a distance has been so perfected that, with the aid of the Copeland system, blind and patients' report shows a percentage of cures by mail or home treatment is fully equal to the number of cures in the office. If you live away from the city write for Home Treatment.

TESTIMONY OF TWO SISTERS.

The Misses Mary S. and Anna M. Grant, Granville, New York, write: "I want you to publish our testimonies for the benefit of others that are suffering as we did, for we feel like shouting it to the houseful of our friends. My sister Anna says: 'I do not feel that I need any further treatment. I am feeling so well and strong, I shall always hold you in grateful remembrance for the great benefits that you have given my home treatment and thank you very much for your kindness in every way that you can. I am perfectly cured. I was first taken blind four years ago.'"

Nicholas Le Comt, 216 York Street, (near Colt), Brooklyn. Deaf 46 years. Cured at 70.

Thank you very much for your kindness toward me while under your care. Both sisters were suffering from Catarrh of the system and were successfully cured by Home Treatment, and by a regular reporter their cases were watched and attended, with the results shown in the above testimonies.

If you live out of the city for Doctor Copeland's book, containing a description by the Copeland of the Treatment of Deafness, Br. Copeland's Monograph on Catarrh and Doctor Land's famous symptoms of Deafness, the book will be mailed you free.

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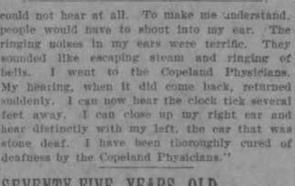
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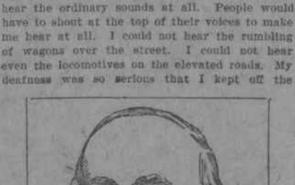
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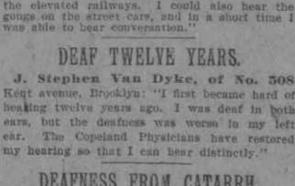
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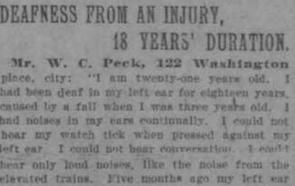
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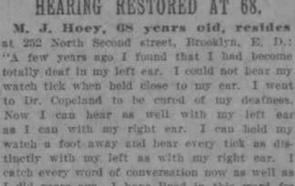
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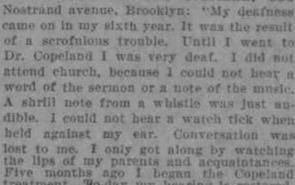
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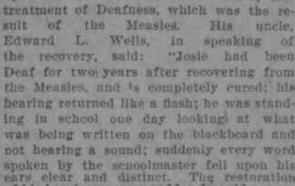
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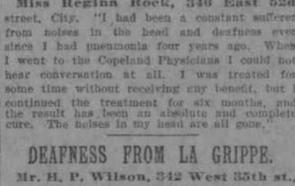
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