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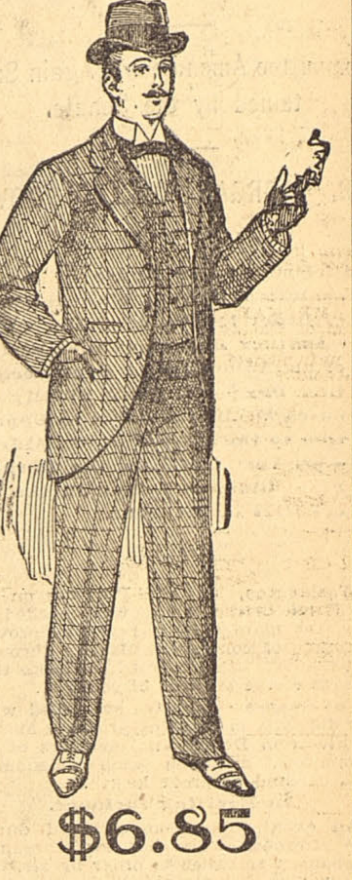


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Children's Garden Set, 25c value, 10c Camp Chair with back, .50c Norway Pine Step Ladder, .75c Hardwood Medicine Chest, .75c Toilet Kit, .75c All formerly \$1.00, 10 quart tin water pail, .12c 50c Granite Kettle and Cover, .32c Steel garden hoe and rake, .25c

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WORLD OF SPORT Ball Games, Field Sports and Rowing Contests. PENNSYLVANIAN CHAMPIONS Quakers Successful in Inter-Collegiate Sports - Ades Winning a Boat Race and Capturing a Wagon. New York, May 29 - The athletes of the University of Pennsylvania are the intercollegiate champions for this year as they won the inter-collegiate association's championship cup at Berkeley Oval this afternoon.

BASE BALL Standing of the Clubs. Baltimore 29 22 7 75.9 Cincinnati 20 11 64.5 Boston 17 12 58.6 Cleveland 17 12 58.6 New York 13 18 50.0 Philadelphia 15 18 48.4 Brooklyn 10 20 46.7 Washington 7 23 33.3 St. Louis 6 23 28.7 Chicago 6 23 28.4

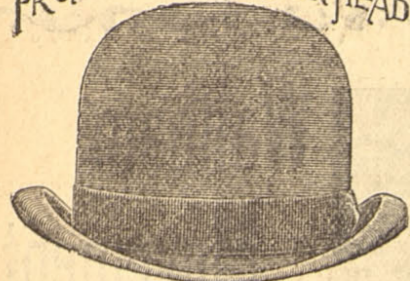
Washington-Louisville. Louisville, May 29 - Both McJames and Hemming pitched the ball today. The former received good support, while the latter Dolan and Clinegar were responsible for four of the Senators' runs. Attendance 4,000. Score: Washington 1; Louisville 2. McJames and Farrell; Hemming and Wilson. Earned runs: Washington 1; First on balls: Off McJames 2; Off Hemming 1. Struck out: By McJames 6; by Hemming 1. Sacrifice hit: Wright. Sacrifice hit: Wilson. Stolen bases: Stafford. Umpire: Emshie.

Baltimore-Cleveland. Cleveland, May 29 - While Cuppy was easy for the Orioles today, the Indians could not touch Nops. Both sides did good work in the field. Attendance 5,000. Score: Cleveland 0 0 0 0 0 0 1-2 Baltimore 0 0 1 0 1 2 0 4-3 Base hits: Cleveland 5; Baltimore 18. Errors: Washington 1; Louisville 2. Cuppy, Wilson and Zimmer; Nops and Bowerman. Earned runs: Baltimore 3. Struck out: By Cuppy 2; by Wilson 1; by Nops 2. Three base hits: Sockakles, Nops. Two-base hits: Tebeau, Jennings, Hoffer, Reitz. Sacrifice hit: Nops. Stolen bases: Wallace, Tebeau, Keeler, Jennings, Reitz, Umpire: O'Day.

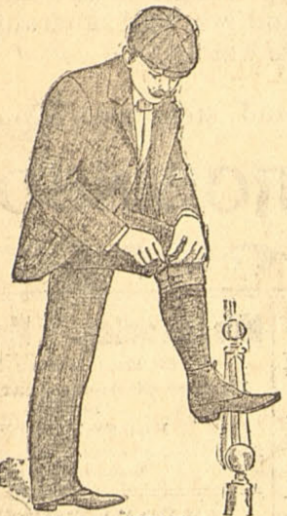
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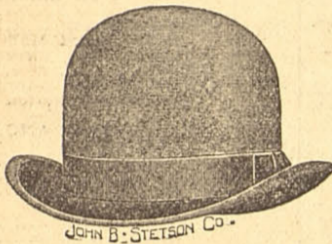
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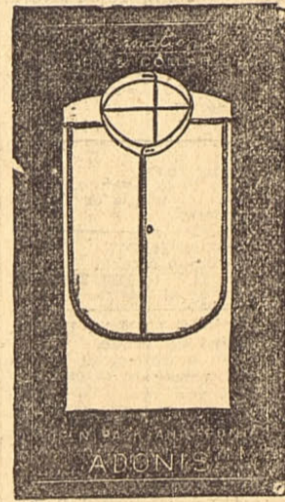
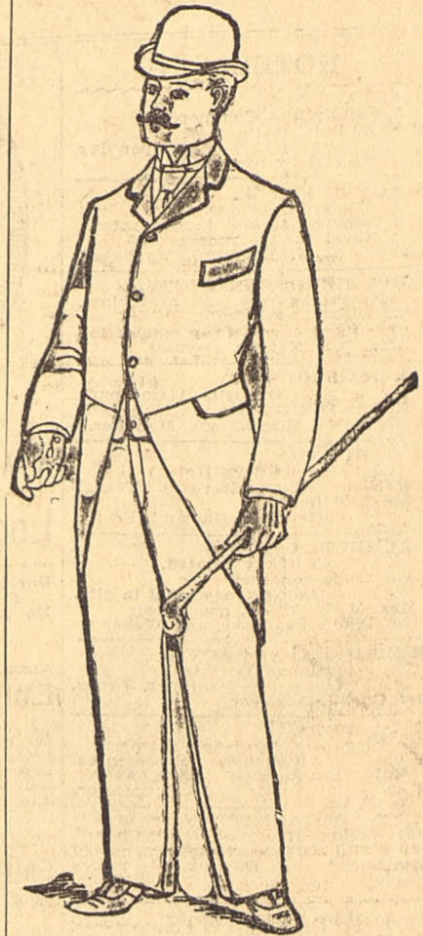
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Mrs. Cleveland Takes to "Posting"

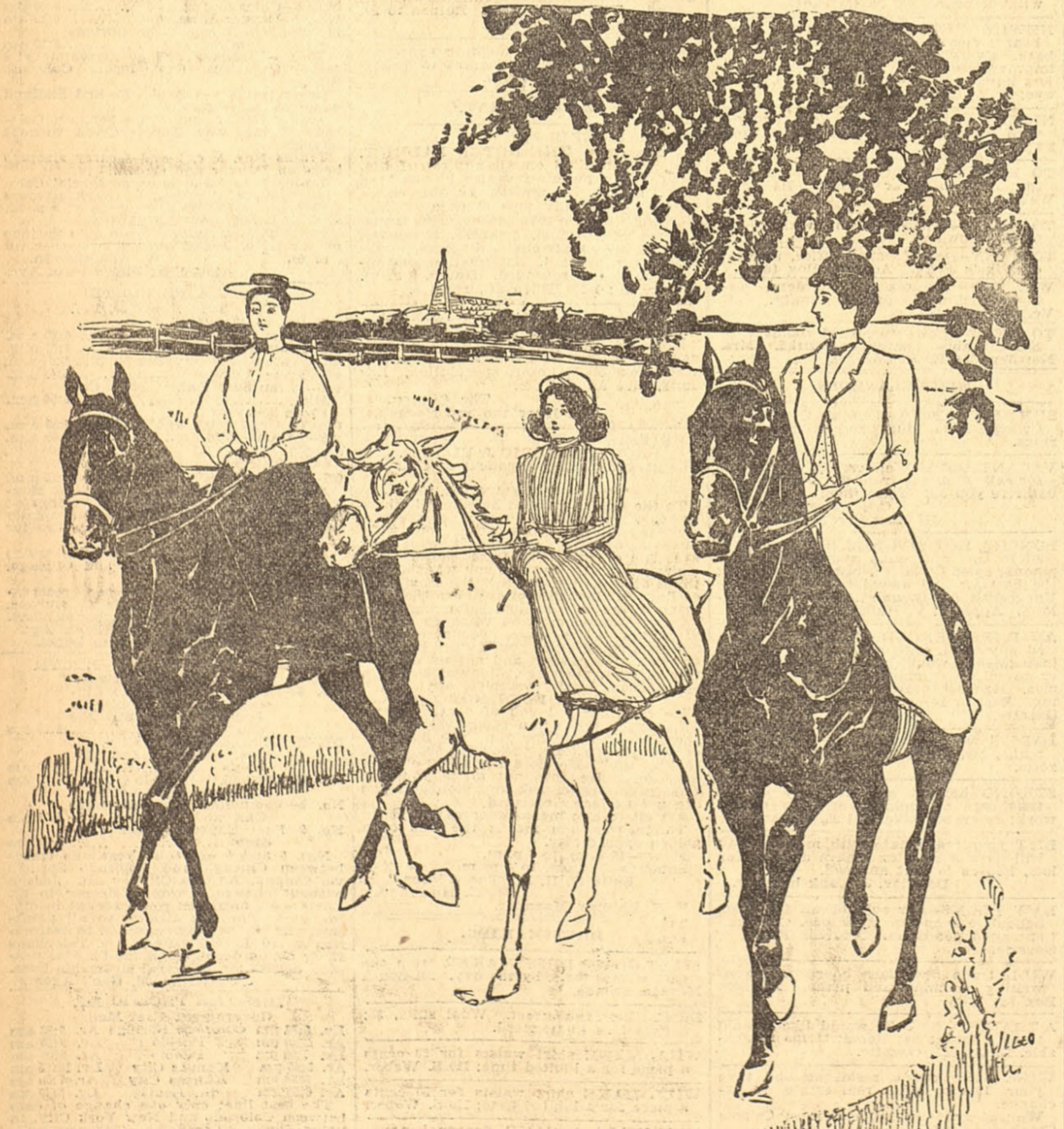
An Early English Fad Indulged In by the Wife of the Former President.

From Our Own Correspondent. Society people disclaim all knowledge of a fad. They say that a "fad" is early English for "folly," and that follies are not to be found in the life or in the vocabulary of the woman who aims to be "the twentieth century girl."

So when anything new crops up, as or who wish to go along a road where bicycles cannot travel. In the lake regions, for instance, where everyone tries to get during the summer, bicycling is difficult, for bicyclists cannot ford streams, nor, in most cases, ride over bridges. There is a great deal of walking to be done with your bicycle unless

If you leave Philadelphia, say, to go to the St. Lawrence river, you post to Princeton, where you pick up the Cleavelands, who are great posters this summer, and who all post, from Mrs. Cleveland's mother to Miss Ruth. From Princeton you post to Trenton to get a party of friends, and from there, full thirty strong, you gallop on to take New York. At every posting place you are entertained, and people know of your coming and make preparations for the party of horsemen and horsewomen who will post in their city over night. They get up theater parties, have teas, plan jaunts to the park and to the museums of animals and art. They treat posters as though they were country people seeing the city

ties go out and look up statues and monuments. They study the old hill and the new hill, and they know where a stream of water used to divide Boston into two places. When Bostoniana entertains horseback posters it takes them on one of their nocturnal jaunts. And people who have posted to Boston, come away knowing as much about the common and Plymouth rock as though they had landed on one and founded a town. When you see a party of posters coming you think of that it is a military troop come to see the town, for posters have a "military" ring in their uniform. Baby Ruth, in a stance, posts in a red and white striped dress made gorgeous by a gold belt and jockey cap. Her mother posts in military blue, with a marvelous and very horsey spotted vest. Horses of posters get decorations in green as they go along, and it is a most marvelous company that you see advancing to meet and greet you. The longest posting tours are those that are taken across the continent. This is no stretch of the imagination, as the bicycle transcontinental tours are, for the horse actually goes every step of the way himself with you on his back. Posting is so pleasant that you find people taking it up rapidly in these days of cheap horses. It is so Washingtonian to post! A correct posting tour embraces at least ten stopping places. Martha Washington, in her tour to winter with George at Valley Forge and other military posts, always made it a point to stop ten times en route—for calling and for resting—and on the return trip the following spring the Father of his Country made it his point to stop at each of the posts to thank the hostess for her hospitality to his Martha. So the posters remember those who have entertained them. They go from place to place, adding to their number until on the twentieth day, when they have made nine stops, they thallop into the tenth place to pick up the last one. On the return they gradually leave those who have joined them, and now comes their turn to entertain. Entertaining Posters. It is the posters themselves who entertain on the homeward journey, and they who act as hosts and hostesses. They put up at a hotel and give a high tea to all who have greeted them on the way out, and now it is their turn to give the theater party and the reception. Mrs. Cleveland has done some of the most extensive entertaining as yet known in the posting line. She belongs to that exclusive set headed by herself and seconded by the Benedicts, that is not fond of being talked about or quoted, but who love to get up everything new in the line of entertaining. Were it not for the publicity of it, Mrs. Cleveland would go abroad and show Londoners whom she has known in Washington how an American woman can set styles in the English capital. She has made posting in London popular by writing of it to the Cornwallis West family, who are still her intimate friends. Mrs. Cleveland's last entertainment to a party of posters included a very remarkable spread upon the lawn under a marquee, at which marvelous horses in fruits, salads and ices were eaten off very horsey dishes. Posting has come to stay all summer if you live in a sandy country and cannot ride a bicycle, or if you enjoy taking up anything that is very new and having fun out of it. Grace Hammond Smith.



Mrs. Cleveland, Baby Ruth and a Young Friend "Posting"

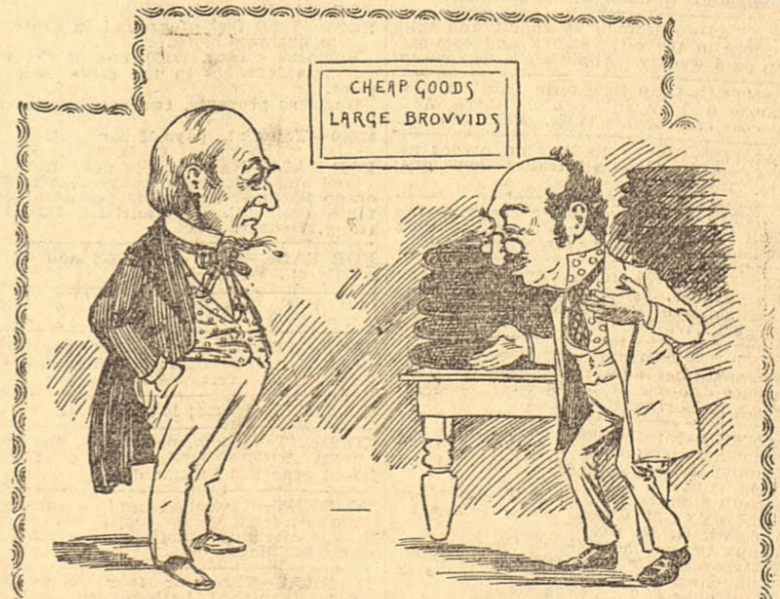
there is bound to be every season, they call it by some other name—and it is just as sweet! When they tramped the grass in the suburbs a few months since they were Kneippists, and when they walked a year ago they were English. This year they are "posting." Posting is for those who do not ride a bicycle,

less you strike a bicycle country. But posting is done with the noble horse, the animal that trembled last year lest he go out of fashion, but rejoices this year over the posting fad. A Cleveland Post. To post you take a party of friends, all on their favorite mounts, and start out for the first time, and they entertain them in a delightful sight-seeing way which is a great treat to city people, who are seldom feted in this way. Bostoniana, a club founded in Boston by the wife of a clergyman, to study old Boston streets, does its postings on foot. Two or three times a week posting parties

The weight of American road wheels averages from 20 to 24 pounds, with the same style of English wheels run from 24 to 26 pounds. When an English visitor to this country was told that an American bicycle weighing 20 pounds had supported 16 men of an average weight of 135 pounds he expressed himself as extremely skeptical, but the case was soon proven to him by a practical illustration. It was something, he said, that would not be tried by the best bicycle makers in Europe.



CRUEL. He—Has your husband stopped smoking? She—I hardly know. He died last week.



NO CHANCE FOR A FORTUNE. Stein—I'm surprised to hear of your retirement from business. Isn't trade good? Conn—Trade is excellent. But dere's no chance to get rich. I can't get my fire insurance renewed.

It has been estimated that 10,000 dead fishes were cast upon the shore of the lake at Loring park, Minneapolis, when the ice melted this year, the unusual thickness of the ice during the winter having caused the fishes to perish of suffocation.

It is a matter of popular knowledge now that all fermentation is caused by some microscopic organism, and special cultures of particular bacilli are sold to dairymen for the purpose of inoculating their cream to give the butter a specially fine flavor or good keeping quality. In the same way specific bacteria which help various plants to get their nitrogen from the air have been cultivated, and will probably soon become articles of commerce, so that the farmer can buy the particular kind needed when he wishes to vaccinate his fields for clover or peas or alfalfa. And now it is reported in "Garden and Forest," on the authority of the British consul at Naples, that a special ferment is largely used there in the manufacture of port wine from barley. The bacilli which caused the fermentation in where they multiply abundantly and transform the immature beer into the richest port. After their work is finished and the product is then sterilized. The manufacture of a good quality of port wine from barley near is certainly a new triumph of science.—(N. Y. Tribuna.

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MINES, STOCKS AND INVESTMENTS.

Colorado Springs Mining Stock Association. Colorado Springs Board of Trade and Mining Exchange.

Colorado Springs, May 29.—The market at the Mining Stock Association today was somewhat disappointing as the prices of the silver stocks fell off a good deal and the trading was not so heavy as upon the previous day. Mollie Gibson and Argentin-Juniata furnished a good deal of excitement but although the bulls tried hard they could not hold the prices up and the bears had a great time. The gold stocks were not particularly active and a good showing on account of increased prices several of the more important ones making a decided advance.

Colorado Springs, May 29.—The Board of Trade and Mining Exchange worked up a fair day's trading, but with a better total of 88,100 shares. Prices as a general rule were about the same as on Friday although the silver stocks showed a decided advance. Prices made themselves the most prominent feature of the day.

HUNDREDS OF TONS

Of Ore are Leaving Some Cripple Creek Properties Every Week. A FEW OF THEM GIVEN BELOW

Anchoria-Leland Sends Out Over 200 Tons—Will Average Better than \$80 per Ton—Gold Coin Gets Out Over 200 Tons in Spite of the Bad Weather—Moon-Anchors Making a Very Fine Showing—Receives Returns from a \$10,000 Lot of Ore—And Sends Out Some That is a Good Deal Richer.

The poor condition of the roads around the camp in the past week or so has low grades, the reduction of the volume of the pressure has been able to catch up with the past heavy production and are now in the market for more ore. Owing to the fact that the production of low grades during the past week has shown a slight increase and it seems possible that it will go on increasing from now on. By the same means got into low grades during the past week has shown a slight increase and it seems possible that it will go on increasing from now on.

Shipping Mins. Anaconda, Anchoria-Leland, Argentin-Juniata, Breckidna Cons., Bankers, Blue Bird, C. C. Cons., Elktion Cons., Fannie B., Favorite, Garfield Grouse, Gold Standard, Gold King, Golden Fleece, Gold Standard, Gold Crater, Granite Hill, Isabella, Isabella, Stamped, Jack P., Jefferson, Mollie Gibson, Moon Anchor, Nugget, Orphan Belle, Ophir, Pharmacist, Sacramento, Theresa, Union, Work, Prospective mes., Aola, Acacia, Alamo, American, Ben Hur, Bliss Bell, Buckhorn, Bob Lee, C. C. Cons., Creede and C. C., Cripple Creek, Des Moines, Fannie Rawlings, Golden Fleece, Gould, Golden Age, Hayden Gold, Huerfano, Keystone, Mt. Rosa, Mutual, Monarch, New Haven, Orisole, Papoose, Princess G., Ramona, Reno, Republic, Squaw Mt., Six Points, Specimen, Trachyte, Virginia.

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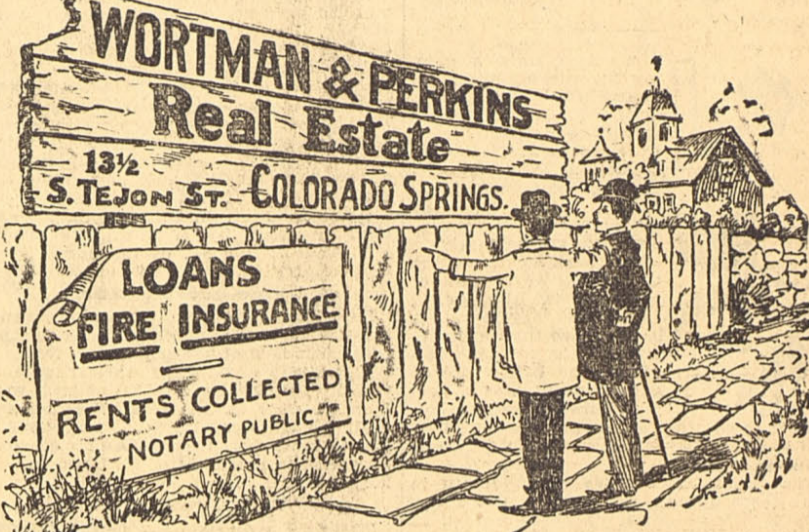
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Portland had a single hundred sales at 54 and Union had over 6000 transactions with a point of two of 14. The sales of Rawlings amounted to a little over 2,000 shares, and all sold brought 10 or better. Gold Standard and Jack Pot were about the only other sellers worthy of note, the first named sold to the extent of 6,500 shares at 1 1/2 cts, and Jack Pot had 3,000 shares at 1 1/2.

There will be no call tomorrow, as it is a legal holiday. Shipping Mins. Argentin-Juniata, Anaconda, C. C. Cons., Elktion Cons., Franklin Roby, Golden Fleece, Golden Standard, Golden Crater, Granite Hill, Isabella, Isabella, Stamped, Jack P., Jefferson, Mollie Gibson, Moon Anchor, Nugget, Orphan Belle, Ophir, Pharmacist, Sacramento, Theresa, Union, Work, Prospective mes., Aola, Acacia, Alamo, American, Ben Hur, Bliss Bell, Buckhorn, Bob Lee, C. C. Cons., Creede and C. C., Cripple Creek, Des Moines, Fannie Rawlings, Golden Fleece, Gould, Golden Age, Hayden Gold, Huerfano, Keystone, Mt. Rosa, Mutual, Monarch, New Haven, Orisole, Papoose, Princess G., Ramona, Reno, Republic, Squaw Mt., Six Points, Specimen, Trachyte, Virginia.

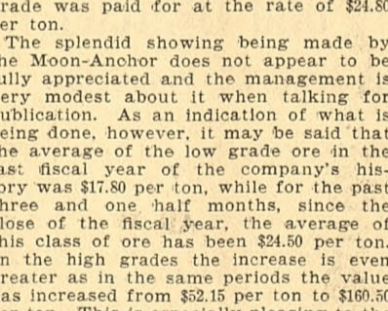
Kimberly, 1000 at 1 1/2. Brother Jonathan, 5000 at \$5 per 1000. Shannon, 10,000 at \$3.25 per 1000. Gold Stone, 5000 at \$2.75 per 1000. Cleveland, 30,000 at \$1 from \$1 to \$1.50 per 1000. Red Bird, 5000 at \$5.50 per 1000.

Denver Exchange. Special to the Gazette. Following are the sales and quotations on the Colorado Mining Stock Exchange here today: Argentin-Juniata, 52 2700; Aspen D. M., 25 2000; Golden Fleece, 25 600; Work, 5 1000; Cannon Hill, 65 200; C. Imperial, 612 615 10000.

Colorado Springs Mining Exchange. Arcadia Cons., 3000 at 1 1/2 to 1 3/4. Fannie B., 1000 at 2 1/2. Mollie Gibson, 100 at 4 1/2. Pharmacist, 1000 at 3 1/2. Banner Gold, 5000 at 1 1/2. C. K. and N., 2000 at 35 per 1000. Kimberly, 2000 at 1 1/2. Cleveland, 25000 at from 75c to \$1 per 1000.

California Needs a Potter. The Associated Cycling Clubs of California, which have rebelled against the L. A. W., have shown the need of a Potter to lead them; for in their anxiety to make Sunday racing a financial success they have overlooked the most important work that should have been given attention—that of securing good roads and cycle paths. The A. C. C. have been blind to everything but racing ever since they issued their celebrated manifesto, some time since, and a result they have been severely scored by at least one of the papers that incited them to revolution. In its issue of May 4th the San Francisco Report has this to say concerning the A. C. C. and the organized clubs to assist in making the Balboa boulevard a success: "Apparently the citizen's relief committee cannot rely for any assistance upon the organized cycling clubs of this city. One or two clubs, the names of which have not been given, have shown some public spirit and some appreciation of the boon the Balboa boulevard will be to them; but the rest have set themselves down as very poor stuff, with neither pride in their city or themselves, or gratitude for what they have done to add to their pleasure as patrons of the wheels, but only a selfish view of their own and because there was no money in the treasury, actually voted not to assist the members 50 cents or 25 cents or even 5 cents each week on the boulevard. So the organized wheelmen pass out of the future consideration as factors in the benevolent or civic work of the city, and may be considered as unlikely to cut much of a figure in any respect. Many unattached wheelmen—wheelmen who do not belong to clubs—have contributed liberally and done somewhat toward the honor of their class. The citizen's relief committee can now only decide to do what they can toward finishing the boulevard with what they have in the fund and hope that the public will, between this and the end of the week or early next week, contribute the few hundred dollars necessary to complete the boulevard and turn it over to the park commissioners ready for use from end to end and in addition to meet whatever in the way of wind or rain may assail it." And yet they tell us that organized clubs are a success.—(Cycling Gazette).

Japanese Journalism. "A missionary's wife," "is a singular profession in many of its features. There is practically no such thing as freedom of the press in Japan. Whenever a newspaper publishes something unfriendly to the government, it is suppressed, and the editor is sent to prison. The real editor is never imprisoned, though. Every newspaper has what the Japanese call a 'dummy editor,' and it is his sole duty to go to jail every time the paper is suppressed for offending the mikado. Then the real editor changes the name of the paper, and keeps on publishing it. Dummy editors spend most of their time in prison."



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From Our Own Correspondent.
Paris, May 28.—"Varnishing day" at both salons were great social events. The crowds were enormous, and after mid-day it was impossible to get a glimpse of the good pictures that hung on the line. But nobody grumbles at that, for there the good pictures will hang for the next six or eight weeks for one's eyes to feast on, and it is just once a year that one has the opportunity of seeing such an interesting crowd as that which flocks to "vernissage."
The real official vernissage is always the day before, when each artist who has been successful in entering his work is required to varnish his picture. If the picture gets a good place on the line it is easy enough to put on the coat of varnish while standing, but when the picture is skied it is another thing. Then one has to wait his chance for one of the spirally little stepladders that are being hurried from picture to picture.
The next day is known as vernissage, when the crowds come by invitation. Each person who exhibits is given tickets for three and a season ticket for themselves.

An Elegant Function.
It used to be a great trick of the artists to lend their season tickets around to friends, which told alarmingly in the gate receipts, so the "old salon" has adopted a plan which makes it necessary for everybody that enters on a season ticket to show a photograph of themselves at the same time, which has the official seal of the salon stamped on it.
Every year the new salon, the Champ de Mars, has been gaining on the old salon, and this year it far outshines the Champs Elysees.
So many of the younger artists exhibit at the Champ de Mars, and one is struck by the goodly number of Americans who exhibit there.
Even the morning journals remarked that "vernissage" at the new salon was attended by a much smarter crowd.
Some of the costumes were ravishing, others were smart and trim, while there were a few women present who went in exclusively for artistic gowning, and wore Venetian gowns of heavy, clinging velvet. Their artistic escorts were equally as artistically gotten up in corduroys and velvet berets.

Emma Eames' Dress.
Mme. Emma Eames Story was stunning in a gown of unplaited black mousseline de soie, trimmed in Irish point. The skirt hung full over a lining of black taffeta. At the top of the skirt there was a yoke of Irish point.
The corsage was a blouse of the sun-plaited mousseline de soie, with a yoke of the Irish point over white satin. A high corsage effect was wrought, with a deep edging of Irish point that was plaited into the girdele and tacked up to the bust line of the corsage.
The sleeves were of black taffeta, draped with black mousseline de soie. The girdele was of hyacinth blue taffeta, as was also the tall crush collar, which was mounted by a frill of white mousseline de soie.
The hat Mme. Story wore was a large round hat of white satin straw, trimmed

with white tulle and black bird's wings. It was set up on a band of blue hyacinths.
It was remarkable how many foreigners there were at both salons on vernissage. One would pass a group of Danes, a little beyond a group of Russians, a group of Germans and Americans, and English groups to be counted by the dozens. Paris draws her art students from every country and clime.
One of the most attractive places at the salon about 4 o'clock is the daintily appointed buffet. There the English woman and her escort take their tea, and the French woman with her friends sips her tiny glass of Malaga or her so-called iced coffee, that never has a suspicion of ice near it.
The waiter may anticipate these orders, but he never is at all sure what the American woman will call for. It may be champagne, or often a glass of good cold beer, for she is seldom a tea fiend like her English sisters, nor does she depend on her black coffee like the French woman.

French Veils.
I noticed some wonderful arrangements of veils at the salon.
One English woman, who wore a big hat of purple straw all trimmed with purple orchids and taffeta ribbon, wore a veil of purple tulle. It was a double veil, draped profusely under her chin and caught up to the back of her hat. The ends were crossed and carried under her chin and tied in full butterfly bow.
The most unique veil arrangement was a little black, heavily embroidered tulle veil, that was draped into a scallop that came just to the tip of this smart woman's nose. It was curved so as to just take in both eyes, and was tied at the back of her hat in a butterfly bow.
Another strikingly pretty gown was worn by Mrs. Gardner. It was made of bluetie taffeta and deep cream pierced batiste.
The skirt was a full godet, close-fitting over the hips, with all of the fullness carried to the back. It was trimmed round with four hoops of broad cream batiste insertion over white satin strips. There was a four-inch plisse of black mousseline de soie that came from the waistband at the back and followed the top hoop of embroidery until it reached the left seam of the front gore. There it continued jabot fashion until it reached the bottom of the skirt.

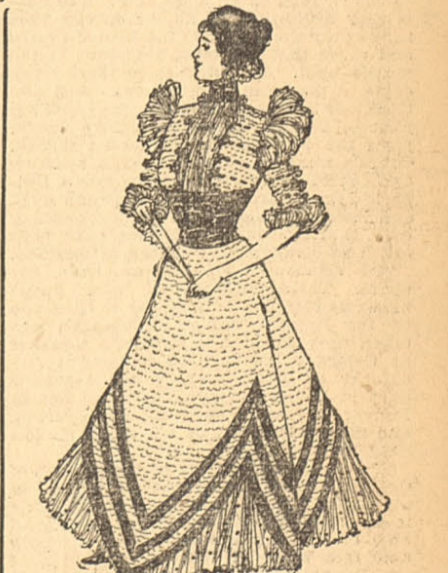
A Dressy Corsage.
The corsage was a blouse of batiste over white satin. It was pierced and embroidered that the satin shone through conspicuously. The corsage fastened at the left side with a plisse of black mousseline de soie that came from under the scalloped embroidered edge of the corsage. It decreased in width as it neared the girdele. At the bottom of the corsage there was a frill of batiste embroidery that formed short, full bouffants. The sleeves were of the taffeta. There was a tall crush collar and girdele of bluetie velvet. The collar was mounted by a collar of white mousseline de soie.
Another striking gown I saw at the Champ de Mars was built of coarse black net over white taffeta. It had a crush



"One of the Most Attractive Places at the Salon is the Buffet, with its Artistically Gowned Women."

girdele and collar of white taffeta and the usual plain godet skirt and blouse were made attractive by being embroidered in white braid in striking patterns.
The universal gown is one of net over silk. This is a broad, comprehensive description. It means that thin goods are made up over heavy materials.
In the thin fabrics there is etamine, canvas, stiff crepe and mull, with their variations in silk and lace stripes.
There is an unusual vogue for striped goods. Even the gingham come in lace, silk, satin and open work stripes. As the gingham become fancy they advance in price. The same is true of all thin goods, and it is safe to say that the most expensive materials used in a dress are the thin variations in silk and lace stripes.
X-ray is another comprehensive term in dress goods. It means anything that shows the lining underneath.
The foundation of these dresses is anything at all; new taffeta, if you have it, if not, any old gown you have in the house, for the X-ray dress, like charity, covereth a multitude of sins.
Nina Goodwin.

BRIDE'S RECEPTION DRESS.
A Gown in Ecru Net, With Cherry Ribbons, for a Lenox Bride.
Miss Handy, the noted beauty, about whom you read paragraphs every summer in Newport and Lenox, is to be married this spring, and costumers are vying with each other to get up beautiful effects for her. One of her reception dresses is really a marvel in color design. It is of course ecru net, profusely trimmed with cherry ribbon.



MISS HANDY'S RECEPTION DRESS.
The skirt is made of the net, cut in deep Vandykes around which there are deep bands of cherry colored satin, three deep. The waist is run with little cherry-colored ribbons, each one terminating in a bow.
The sleeves are of net, puffed at the top and sewed with tiny jetted beads.
There is a very deep girdele of the cherry-colored satin and a collar of the same, with a ruffle of the net above it.
The skirt falls over a petticoat of cherry-colored silk, with a very deep ruffle of black net upon it. This net likewise has the tiny cherry-colored dots, black and cherry is immensely effective if the two colors are well mingled.
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Greek Women Defy the Sultan

From Our Own Correspondent:

Thessaly, March 15.—To reach the heart of Greece you must come by way of Volos, where the powers are established. At Volos there are Russian, Austrian and English warships lying. They are maintaining a "blockade" to protect their own people in Greece and, it is thought, to check the Turks should they arise.

To reach Volos you sail to the Spanish seaport and thence take passage on any of the Mediterranean lines of steamships. At Crete you disembark and if you have passports you enter a little vessel that sails through the Sea of Candia and up the Aegean sea to the Gulf of Volos, up which you sail to the city of Volos itself.

The Greeks who leave America to fight for their country head straight for Athens. Here they enlist and are sent out to join the forces of Prince Constantine, for there are still "forces" in Greece. The new Greek premier, Ralli, personally sees each one, or allows each to see him, and daily the great work of enlisting goes on. It may be that the Turks will refuse to be peaceful and march on to Athens, and so possess Greece, but if they do it will be a surprise to that city, for in no place is Greek arrogance as strong as in Athens, no place where Greek self-confidence is as firm.

By my passport and my word of honor that I came in a non-partisan spirit I was allowed to tour the mountains back of Thessaly the very day the Turks came into that city and left the field open to guard their latest acquisition. It is an easy thing to get a passport through Greece at the present day, although impossible to penetrate Turkey. Greece is in the position of "nothing could be worse," while Turkey is "holding jealously to her own, which she gets with such difficulty.

To tour Greece at the present day you need only to be an American. The money, the ammunition and the victualing come from America, and the Greek has only to hear the strong vowels accents fall from your lips to know you are "American." They fall down then and worship you, for you come from the land where 20,000 of their countrymen are working and saving to send money over. They send it care of the American minister to give to Grecian-American subjects in Athens, and he, poor diplomat, is forced to comply.

Turkey is just as partial to Americans, or would be if it had excuse. But, as there are only 100 Turks in America and only five in New York City, the reasons that you cannot have come to his domain for any good. You hear no money, because there are no Turks to send it and because he does not receive it. Why, then, have you come? Probably to bear that hideous Red Cross into the battlefield and go away telling that the sultan did not remain to tie up the last of the enemy's wounds.

ering until the perspiration flecked up from his sides to me. When I realized anything I felt that the horse was being led along and that there was distress in the party, for the most pitiful groans filled the cave. An angry curse from the Greek woman leader stirred them for a minute, but another step on and they were curdling my blood again.

"Dismount," cried a voice in such good English that I thought intuitively of the tales I had read of Greece-American women who go home to fight. "Dismount and walk up these steps." Like Mofedai in the "Arabian Nights" tale I counted the steps in the darkness. There were 90 of them, all apparently cut into solid rock and each one as tall as two ordinary steps. Once I stopped from

ed, reassured me and I looked around. We were standing upon a platform hewn into the side of a tall shaft of rock which walled up one side of a mountain, the steepest I have ever seen. "This is the Mountain Hagail," said the American-voiced spokeswoman, "and if you look up you will see the monastery of Hagios Barlaam."

fatigue and in a second I felt myself grasped by strong arms and lifted up. "There's no time to lose," whispered the same American-Greek voice. And on up we went in that endless climb. Of a sudden we came to a dead end at the top, butting up against something which flew back by magic hands. And then we stepped out into the light. The dazzling sunshine in which I found myself blinded me for a moment. The smiling faces of the women, scowling with their fierce brows while they laugh-

Out from the rock where we had emerged came three women, dragging Oloipoulou, who held back, screaming and begging for mercy. "What are you going to do with him?" I asked. "Lower him to the plains," said the leader. "He will suffer no injury if he keeps quiet."

I joined my entreaties with theirs to Oloipoulou to keep still. This he did with a resigned solemnity, and swiftly, without a word, these women of steel and patriotism forced him into the basket, laced the net over him, and dropping him over the side began to lower the basket. "The cliff is 4,000 feet from the monastery to the plains," said the leader, "but the windlass is safe. For 400 years the

How Mohammedans View Christianity. The murder of Christian Armenians by the Moslem Turks is in our day such an anomaly that the why and wherefore of this bloody still seem a mystery. However, scholars who have had the teaching of the Mohammedanism a special study declare, that this policy of propaganda by the sword is the natural and necessary outcome of consistent Moslem faith. An article of special interest in this line we find in the new and scholarly journal Der Christliche Orient, the only magazine in existence devoted to the study of the historic Christianity of the east. In No. 22 of this periodical, Pastor von Bergmann, of Baku, in the Caucasus, discusses the relation of Mohammedanism to Christian missions. The data of this article are then directly from Moslem sources. Among other things Pastor von Bergmann writes in substance as follows:

Mohammed designates himself as the messenger from God, as Moses and Jesus. The Son of Mirjam, also had been, but Mohammed, according to his own words, has been sent to reveal a better way to salvation than the one taught by Jesus, whose way indeed could never lead men to God. This is an exhibition of the great grace of God, which He revealed through Mohammed, and so despite this marcy is a heinous crime: for it is impossible to live according to the teaching of Christ, and those who attempt it are inevitably lost. The revelation of Mohammed is something immeasurably superior to that of the Son of Mirjam. If, however, Christians and Jews determine to adhere to their perfect revelation, they can do so to their own harm and destruction; but just as soon as they begin to try to persuade a Mohammedan to give up his faith and accept theirs, they must be destroyed. If circumstances are such that this method can not be applied, it is forbidden to listen to their discourse. If, notwithstanding all this, a Moslem should throw aside his faith, he must be killed.

These same women are holding the pass now. We will take you through the rocky shaft and down to where they stand. They are waiting all armed to protect other women who may flee from the Turks to die under Hagios Barlaam."

"But the monks saw them, and signalled to us. Down our secret staircase we tumbled, and when the Turks came upon the women they found them ensconced in a snug pass, with firearms and knives.

"The back is loaded with quicksilver," said she, "which shifts to the point of the blade as you swing it, making it as heavy as lead in its force."

"Now," said she, "we are going to wait you and see if you will give up your room from the rock, where pencil and pad lay handy. You are out of the world," said she, "yet so near that for your dear country we will communicate with it for you, and serve you as the women of Greece serve those they love next to themselves and Greece."



"They are Holding the Pass for Other Women who may Flee to the Mountains to die Under the Shadow of the Monastery of Hagios Barlaam."

fiere as she talked, "to fight for our country and for our honor. They say the war is ended, but the women of Greece know what such peace means. They will fight as long as a Turk lingers in Thessaly or menaces Volos. Our war cry is 'Bouboulina' the Greek heroine of 1824, who burned fifteen Turkish towns."

"Do you attack the enemy?" I asked. "No, we remain here to protect the city. Only last week the women from the hamlet of Drex came running to the mountains, pursued by a band of Turks. They sought refuge in Hagail, ready to take their lives under the shadow of Hagios Barlaam."

"The prophet himself says: 'Wherever you find him, you must slay him.' But, by the rejection of the great grace of God through Mohammed, Christians and all other unbelievers have become such gross criminals that their lives have no worth or value whatever. If, then, a Mohammedan, either purposely or not, kills a Christian, the Lord will be Merciful to him. It is a terrible sin to regard the Christians as equal to Mohammedans or to consider them as entitled to any rights over against the latter. Whoever regards them in this light despises the great mercy of God which through Mohammed has shown an easy way to reach heaven, and all those who despise and reject this must receive their pay, i. e., must be killed."

The conclusions to be drawn from this teaching of the Koran, especially if the application is left to the judgment of the rabble, is readily seen. The position which Mohammedans must take against Christian missions in general and against Christians in particular, is clearly defined. A Mohammedan government can permit the activity and even the presence of Christians only where it is too weak to forbid them. The Mohammedans must be the aggressors from Mohammedanism to Christianity is carried out if possible was seen in the recent murder, on a Russian railroad track, of the converted Mohammedan, Stephen Askjar, on the very day he was baptized.

The author of this article is of the conviction, based upon his personal observations of a residence of many years in Moslem neighborhoods, that Christian missions there can be carried on only if the Mohammedans are real to Christianity, in which similar data and conclusions are given. The Koran gives a strange picture of Christ. It recognizes in Jesus a superior being, admits that He could perform miracles, and was in His sense a messenger from God. Mohammed denies that Christ died on the cross. Before the crucifixion of the Son of Mirjam, Mohammed said that he was to be crucified, but that he would not die, and that he would be resurrected. Mohammed's teachings are real to Christianity, however, of Jesus were thoroughly corrupted by his disciples and followers, so that the church does not possess the original teachings of the Son of Mirjam. Mohammed's teachings are real to Christianity, however, of Jesus were thoroughly corrupted by his disciples and followers, so that the church does not possess the original teachings of the Son of Mirjam. Mohammed's teachings are real to Christianity, however, of Jesus were thoroughly corrupted by his disciples and followers, so that the church does not possess the original teachings of the Son of Mirjam.

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The only reasonable attitude in regard to Mr. Wolcott's mission in Europe is that of expectancy. So far as any evidence goes, which has been made public, there is very little hope of anything being done toward international bimetalism.

He has not explained to the public what his reasons are for believing that something may be done in the direction of international bimetalism at the present time, but he has been outspoken in announcing this opinion.

Not giving Owen a fair trial. The Cambridge University in England is a very large seat of learning and one in which women have surpassed men in higher mathematics, and demonstrated the fact that in general all-round education—if given the chance—the woman would make a very close race with her brother student.

A Philanthropic Work. Here in Colorado we are just beginning to become financially interested in the culture of the beet which bears sugar. We cannot help being staggered somewhat by the announcement made by Mr. Claus Spreckels.

A Geographical Mist. As a state, says Benjamin T. Wheeler in the June Atlantic, Turkey is a heterogeneous assemblage of peoples under the absolute sway of the sultan. It is a government lacking altogether a sense for the right of a community to choose concerning its own government.

Gaining in Reputation. Colorado is gaining a good reputation in the east just at present on account of its reviving prosperity and the exceptional opportunities which it offers for investment in many ways.

American Cheese as a Rival. Consult Tingle of Brunswick calls the attention of American dairymen to possible profits in exporting cheese to Germany. He says the best Stilton cheese selling in that country at 50 cents a

-pound is no better than the ordinary American kind which is sold here at 10 cents. The consular suggestions are worthy of the attention of dairymen, but it is a question whether his ideas may not be influenced by his situation.

American enterprise knows no bounds. This is well supported by the dispatch which states that the great volcano of Popocatepetl, about 18,000 feet high, has been bonded to an American syndicate, which proposes to bring out and market its practically inexhaustible masses of sulphur, convey ice and wood to the City of Mexico, and carry tourists up to the lofty crater. Mexico may expect more from America than from Great Britain.

Comments and Clippings. Day laborers in Japan receive from \$9 to \$12 a year in wages, besides food and clothing. An English writer asserts that there never was a grub street in London, the name being attributed to Alexander Pope. This may be so, but the explanation offered, namely, that "hungry authors begged their way through the streets because they were always trying to find it," is as false as it is fanciful.

Patent rights appear to have little value in Japan until the patentee proposes to manufacture his wares in that country, as the Japanese patent law provides that patent rights will be forfeited "when the patentee imports or attempts to import from which it would seem that the patentee could neither manufacture his patent outside of Japan or allow anyone else to.

It is designed in restoring the old home of John and Abigail Adams, at Quincy, Mass., to preserve for future generations a good example of a New England cottage of the last century. The house is a little less than 200 years old, and in it more than a century ago John Adams and his bride began their household.

An English newspaper says that a well-known physician declares that Stanley, the explorer, was the fact that he has survived the most dangerous of his African trips, and having survived five times to a transfusion of African blood into his veins, which is believed in Africa to be a great aid to acclimatization.

In the United States I understand that when a person has a piece of ground he has a right to everything below its surface. This is far from being the case in England, and in digging the foundations of a house he purchased as a freehold, one were to strike a gold, tin or coal mine, the latter would belong, not to the proprietor of the land, but to the descendant of the holder of the title.

A young cattle man of Wyoming has hit upon a remarkable scheme for exterminating wolves and coyotes. His secret is contained in a bottle of yellowish-brown liquid. His mode of extermination is to trap a wolf or coyote alive and inject three drops of the poisonous fluid beneath the skin. This operation he repeats three times in 12 hours and then releases the animal, green-eyed, with dilated pupils, frothing at the mouth and his head thrown back from 30 to 40 hours after being liberated.

When Sir Christopher Wren was building the town hall of Windsor, a fidgy member of the corporation—so the story goes—insisted that the architect should further support and desired the architect to add more pillars. In vain did Sir Christopher assure him that the danger was imaginary; the architect refused to alter his design.

Mrs. Jeannette Walworth, whose tales of southern life of the old and new time have been very interesting to northern readers, has been making a brief visit in New York. Her home is in Natchez, Miss., where, in her little garden, on the last day of last December she gathered a bushel-basketful of roses, by actual measurement, to send to a friend's wedding.

Discussing the question whether it is ever justifiable for the physician to hasten death in case of great suffering, The British Medical Journal asserts that contrary to general belief, remedies that relieve pain usually lengthen life rather than shorten it. Says The Journal: "The central question is whether hopeless agony is to be extended by the physician for so long a time as the resources of his art and the patient's patience may permit; or whether such a life may be actively or passively abbreviated."

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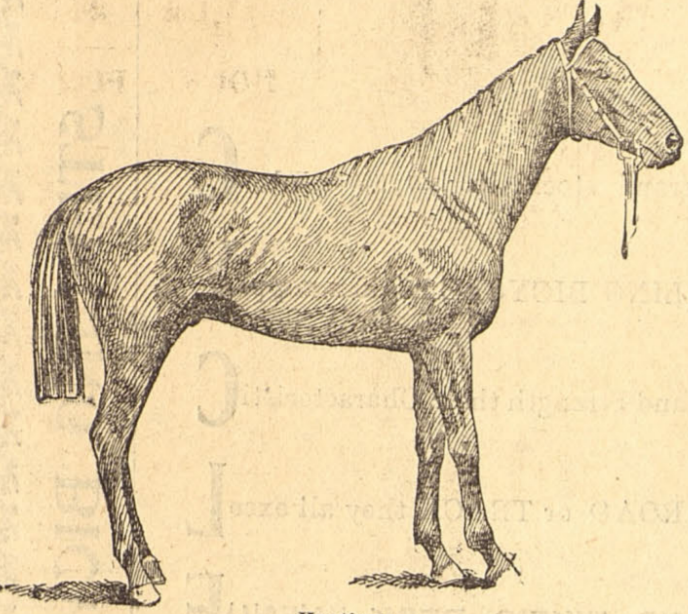
THE BROOKLYN HANDICAP.

The Greatest Racing Event of the American Season, and the Famous Horses and Jockeys that Will Compete for the Stakes.

From Our Own Correspondent. Brooklyn, May 25.—Monday there will be run on the Gravesend track of the Brooklyn Jockey club of this city the greatest horse racing event of the year. The Brooklyn Handicap takes its place with the French Grand Prix, the English Derby and the German Imperial race. It is the event in the east, as the Chi-

who rejoice at the Prince's luck. All the English nobility, and all royalty, of course, are there, and the English Derby, from the gowns to the grounds, from the hacks to the horses, from Windsor to Whitechapel, is the one thing talked about on Derby day. The English Derby was run first on May 4 117 years ago. It was a mile dash,

It will be years before the great events of horse-racing in America become as great as the great events of racing in the old country. At France's Grand Prix President Faure occupies a box built for him, and his wife wears the finest gown of the year and gives the grandest dinner afterwards. In America it would be the talk of the continent if President McKinley and his



Hastings.



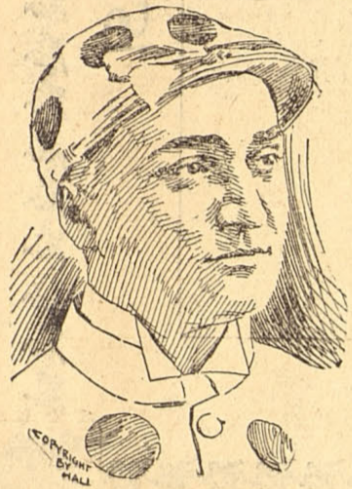
Tod Sloane.

wife were to attend the Brooklyn Handicap or the American Derby, but the President will do it some day, and we may live to see it.

The Bonner Horses.

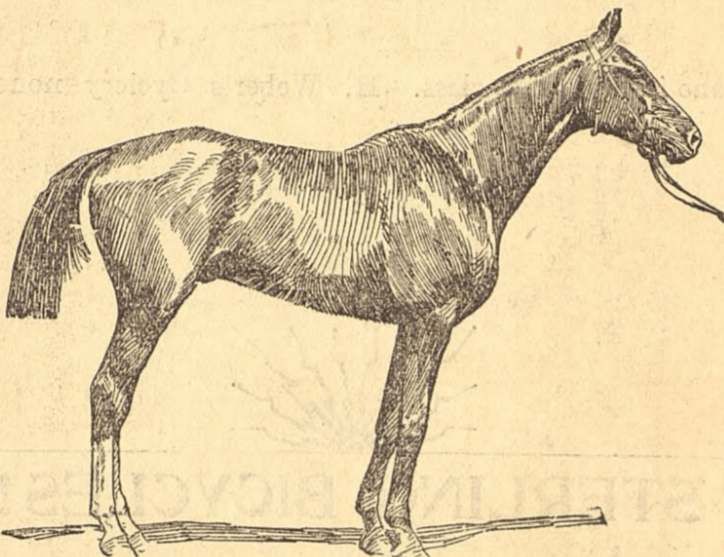
Horse-racing has now taken on a dignity which was not foreseen a few years ago. At the time Robert Bonner bought "Maud S." there was not such a thing as dignity in trotting, and Bonner declared that no horse of his should ever race for money. Bonner's sons, society men and

ago Derby is the event in the middle and center, and it claims precedence over the latter it is because of its priority in point of season and the regularity and certainty with which it is run.



Fred Taral.

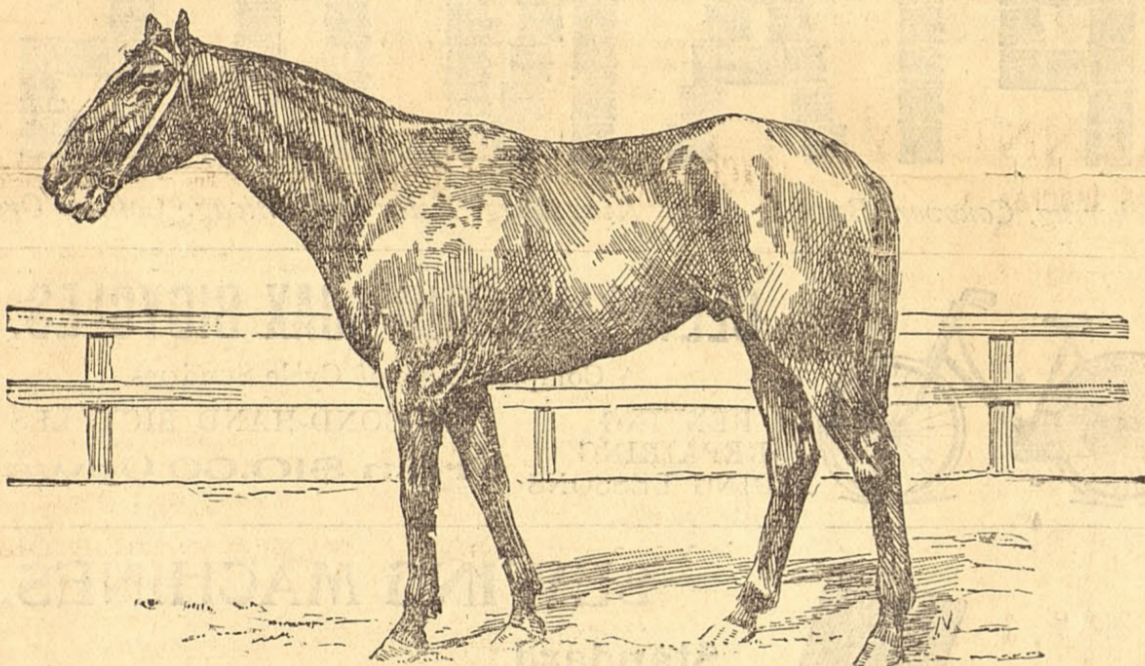
From time early in racing records the Brooklyn Handicap has been run on Decoration day. Though not intended as a mark of reverence to the dead heroes



Sir Walter, an Old Winner.

and was won by Sir Charles Banbery's "Diomed." Nineteen years later "Diomed" was imported into the United States and a few years later he was the father of the president's best racing mare. So the English Derby started racing in

men of wealth, will undoubtedly race the progeny of their father's famous trotters when the parental word has lived out its generation. And so, at the Brooklyn Handicap Monday, and at the Chicago Derby—when



Ben Brush.

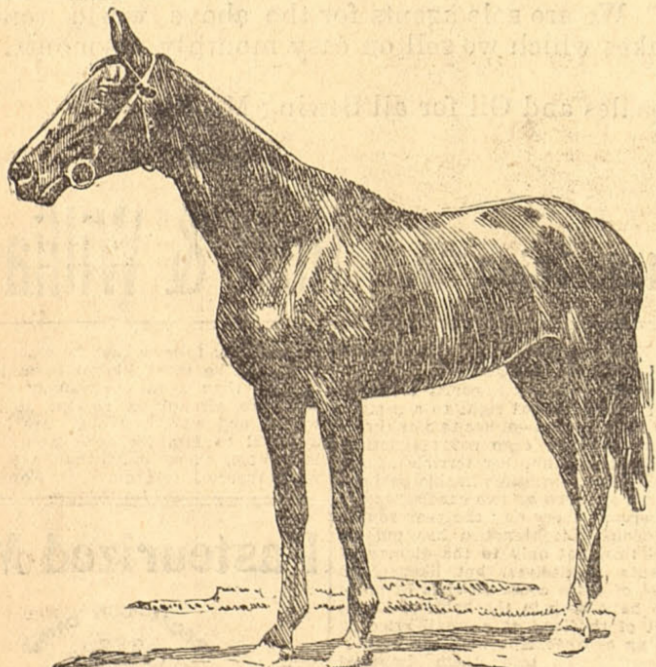
for whom Decoration day stands, it is undoubtedly one of the strongest attributes of the day.

An "Elegant" Event.

The Brooklyn Handicap, year by year, grows more elegant in tone. Elegance

America, but people then were too poor to buy race horses, and the country was too poor to lay out tracks, and so horse-racing died. It was fifty years before it took its real start at Saratoga, when, with Commodore

is run—you see some of the proudest people of this country. Men are running race-horses now for recreation, as European aristocrats do, and the horses are



Ben Eder.

is a word which you do not hesitate to apply to the English Derby when the coming king of England claps his hands loudly over his Derby winner and is cheered by thousands of loyal subjects

Vanderbilt, the Morrisseys and a few good racing bloods for spectators, the best horse-owners in the country took their animals up to the now famous little track and announced "a season of horse races."

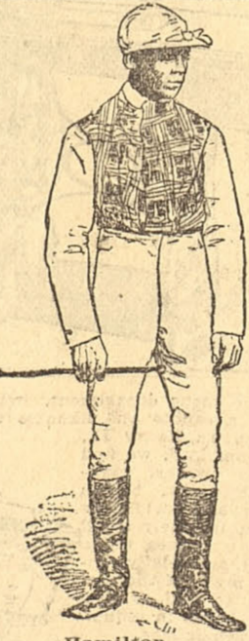
America's First Race.

There were fourteen horses the first season, and a sorry lot they were. They had "go" in them, but they lacked fire, and when people go to horse races "fire" is the one thing they want. The horses raced to empty benches for an admission fee of only 25 cents. After three days of this pitiless performance the governor of the track sent for a brass band from New York, and every morning at 9 o'clock marched the horses down Broadway and up Union avenue, preceded and followed by the blare of trumpets. There were fourteen horses, and they raced five races every day for three weeks. No car-horse could have worked steadier or harder than did these pioneers of horse-racing in America.

Since that time horse-racing has grown in dignity, but it got its black eye in the beginning, when bad horses were run by worse people, and corrupt jockeys reaped corrupt money from people who were corrupt enough to take it whether they won it fairly or not.



Doggett.



Hamilton.

"aristocrats," too. "Volley" is running against "Requital" and his owner is hoping to beat with little O'Connor up at only 55 pounds. "Requital," the favorite,

has Griffen on him at 123 pounds, and "Handspring," the second choice, is burdened by Simms at 135.

"Hastings," another noble young blood, has Taral up at 120, and "Ben Brush" carries Thorpe at the same weight.

All these horses are owned by men of position in the world of finance and society; by historic men and men of affairs; and when you look at the constantly varying prices you realize that men are staking their chances for fun and money on the owner as well as the horses.

The Entries.

You find "Sir Walter," an old handicap winner, creeping up on the favorite, with his jockey, Doggett, at 115 pounds, running fierce rivalry to Littlefield, who rides "Maurice" at 107.

The other entries are "Belmar," with Perkins up at 121; "Halma," with Martin up at 119; "The Winner," with Sloane up at 115, and "Ben Eder," with Powers at 113. "Roundman" carries Maher at 108, and "Free Advice" is ridden by Scherrer at the same weight. Hamilton, a fami-



Henry Griffin.

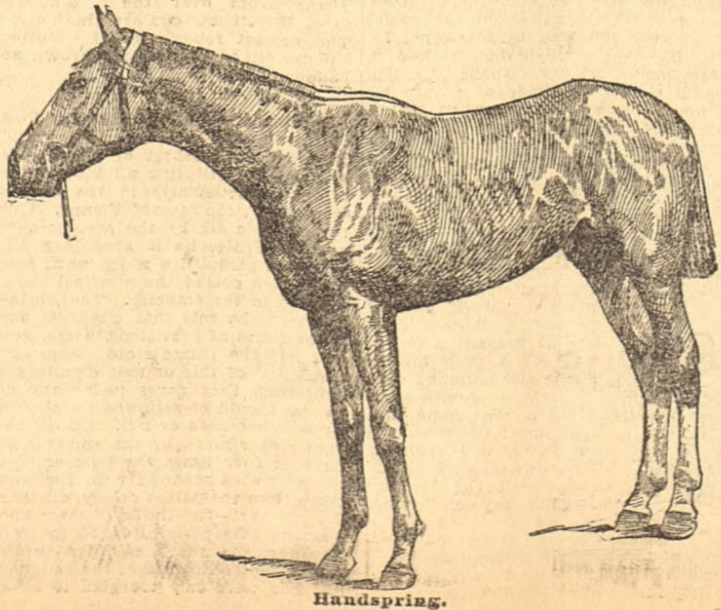
lar jockey on both coasts, rides "Peep-o-Day" at 107, and Lamie, at 98, mounts "King Arthur II."

None of these horses are local, and none of the jockeys are limited to town or section. They make a business of riding, and train for it as pugilists train for the ring and oarsmen train for the scull; in them lies much of the dignity which horse racing is gathering.

The Brooklyn Handicap already carries \$100,000 in money. Money that, with most men, constitutes a fortune, will change hands between thousands who are to see and are interested in the race on that day; and, whether men behold the race or not, thousands will take pleasure in helping along a sport by "putting up" a dollar on what they consider the best horse run by the best man. It is "Grand Prix" day in America, and Americans as well as Frenchmen know where to draw the line between liberty and license, between a holiday and an unholy day. James Barton.

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THE PARADE OF THE GIANTS.

Decorations Day is Known in Europe as "The Day of the U. S. Police."

From Our Own Correspondent.

New York, May 29. In nearly every state in the United States decorations day is a legal holiday. Even in the states where it is not legalized it is observed, and where it is mainly a day of festivity it is a peculiarly great day—the holiday of the year.

Decorations day meant something special a generation ago, but these days it means a general reverence for the army, living and dead; and that reverence must take the form of a regard for the living heroes—men who are now serving their country in a public capacity that requires strength, fortitude and endurance.

A great feature of decorations day all over is the parade of the police. Policeman's day, it ought to be called, for the policeman train for it from May to May, and consequently, when they walk proudly up the street, they will show the result of their year's discipline. They are the greatest living heroes in the walks of everyday life.

For some reason policemen have been chosen to represent all public offices, and though firemen and other municipal appointees are in the parade, each organization has its own day. But decorations day is the policeman's day.

Greatest in the World.

People in the United States have become so accustomed to the blue-coats, with dark helmets and heavy overcoats in winter and brighter uniforms and helmets in summer, that they have ceased to notice the "copper" who has been with them from childhood. He is something

go wrong. These points engage the chiefs at their annual May meeting. Another thing taken up by them is the education of policemen. They must be men of education and manners, and, as Assistant Secretary of War Theodore Roosevelt declared, "preferably college graduates," meaning, no doubt, a slap at some of the uncouth representatives that in bygone days disgraced the police force, as they disgraced every other office in the early days of this country's organization.

Foreign Police.

Policemen are so necessary to all places inhabited by man that even the Fiji islands have a police which they call the "armed constabulary." They dress in tunics, very limited in length, dark blue in color, faced with scarlet, and tied around them in a picturesque bow. A short kilt of white linen completes the dress of the Fiji police, who keep his isle in order.

In Madras a policeman wears a bright hat, white trousers and sandals, and carries a club.

Policemen who will join the parade are justly proud of themselves. They are magnificent specimens of manhood, and they rejoice in the fact of their physical beauty. They do it proudly, without a touch of boast. They rejoice in tales of personal prowess and treasure up things to tell themselves and others.

One of the squad of New York City tells a story of "the policeman on the next block."

Four men were engaged in taking a packing box off a dray. They worked fifteen minutes to get it safely to the

wards is such that the animals suffering from contagious diseases are completely isolated.

At the south end of the corridor the operating room is on one side and the dispensary on the other. This operating room is supplied with hot and cold water, a zinc covered operating table so arranged that all blood and water are conveyed from it to the sewer by pipes. In this room Dr. French performs his surgical operations, from the amputation of a leg to enterotomy.

A pet dachshund, owned by Miss Dorothy Rockhill, daughter of the assistant secretary of state, recently swallowed a peach stone that he had picked up along the street. His suffering became intense, and it was feared that the animal would have to be shot. Miss Rockhill was greatly attached to the little pet, who, because of his mischievous nature, was called Sin, and before consenting to his being killed she consulted Dr. French. The animal was taken to the infirmary and the difficult operation of enterotomy successfully performed, and now Sin is as lively in the house as the assistant secretary of state is over.

Pet dogs suffer much from toothache, and the extraction of the offending teeth is a daily occurrence at the infirmary. A few days ago a well-known society lady took her little pet King Charles spaniel to the infirmary for treatment. The dog was blanketed and carried in her arms as she left her carriage and walked to the building.

The owner appeared to be greatly distressed over the suffering of the dog, and she begged Dr. French to cure it. An examination showed that the animal had toothache, and when informed that the offending tooth could easily be extracted the society lady cried:

"Oh, no, doctor, not for the world. He would be a sight with the front tooth gone. Can't you fill it?"

Dr. French had never filled a tooth and is not a dentist, but he knew how the Byron tradition a common rally-cried upon which such work might be attempted as Byron would have labored at were he still with us?"



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Decorations Day is Famous in Europe for "The Parade of the Giants."

that in babyhood protects them from the "bogey man," in boyhood keeps away the street Arabs, in girlhood steps out when needed, and to older heads acts as patron of the street crossings and guardian of the home.

But in Europe the police of the United States have a reputation. A year ago one of the Russian chiefs of police announced that his men were the biggest men in Europe, and added, "or in the world either." An American resident in St. Petersburg appealed to the American minister there to take up the cudgel for the American police force, but this minister declined to do so. But he intimated that a few facts and figures gathered personally might convince the Russian official.

The American wrote over to his own country, and found the New York City ten policemen weighing over 300 pounds and carrying a head upward of 6 feet 2 inches. One touched very nearly 6 feet 4. He found in California a policeman who weighed 325 pounds, yet there was not an ounce of fat on him, and he carried a might of muscle and bone marvelous to behold.

He found in Chicago twenty-five policemen over 6 feet 3 and over 200 pounds in weight, lean as an ostrich, and muscular as that bird when in running feather.

When he laid these facts before the Russian chief of police that gentleman read them over, said "Ho, Ho!" smiled a cynical smile, and let the matter drop.

Noted Abroad.

In Rome there was, two years ago, a remarkable work of art. It was entitled "The Day of the Police." It was a representation of the New York Broadway square marching up Fifth avenue under the Washington arch. Below the picture was a note that the artist had sketched it May 30 in New York City, U. S. A.

National Police Union.

So even a stranger notices the prominence given to the policemen on decorations day, and supposed it to be the policeman's day of America.

In other countries they make a great deal of their police. The Japanese are proud of them because of their picturesque uniforms. They dress them in snow white and attach caps to their hats which hangs down over their shoulders. In Italy they dress them in dark blue, long-tailed coats, trousers with red bands, silver-ornamented cocked hats with cockades, and glistening swords; but none of them have the stature of the American police, nor the brains nor brawn.

Foreseeing the prominence which would be given their body in a few years, the chiefs of police assembled in Chicago May 13, 1892, and there founded what they called a National Chiefs of Police Union, of its object being a meeting once a year for the consideration of questions of general benefit. For four years this meeting has been held in May, each year growing larger, stronger, and more important.

The things discussed are the identification of criminals, of systems by which they can be known, the best method of dealing with arrests, whether to march them off to stations or call a covered wagon for their transportation. In Philadelphia there is a strong feeling in favor of covered wagons for the transportation of offenders, but other cities argue that nothing can be too public for those who

sidewalk; then fifteen minutes more to get it to the stoop; then they stopped to puff and rest. Meanwhile Policeman Flanagan, who had been walking hurriedly along, and seeing the men puffing over the box exclaimed, "What are ye trying to do, are ye trying to get that box can't ye get it in the other direction, and before they could get breath to reply he had shouldered the box and chucked it back on the dray and was walking proudly on, while the men groaned to think of his misdirected efforts."

Tales of Strength.

They tell at police headquarters a tale of one Officer Dennis, who passed ten times a day a vacant lot where men were shifting heavy wooden beams. It took twenty men three days to move the beams under cover. When the work was done it was discovered that the foreman had made a mistake—the beams were to be carried fifty feet in the other direction.

"Never mind," said Officer Dennis, "I'll help ye. I'm off my beat this noon-day hour, and while you're eating I'll take a little exercise." And when the ten men came back from dinner they found Officer Dennis had moved every one of the beams which it had taken them three days to transport with hard labor.

The medals of honor every year are given to men on the police force. They stand for bravery and mighty work done well. And so, on Memorial day, while the men are honoring dead heroes and placing flowers upon their graves, do not forget the living ones, and when the blue-coated column marches up the street throw one blossom to the officer on your beat to reward him for the 365 days' work he does for you from Memorial day to Memorial day. His heroism is the steady kind that risks his life for you every day in the year. C. S. Russell.

The Queerest of All Hospitals.

Washington has a hospital simply and solely for dogs, says a writer in the Philadelphia Press. It is not the second floor of a stable, nor yet a basement, but a complete building, divided into tiny wards and fitted with every convenience for restoring health to sick dogs.

This queerest of all hospitals is located on the high bank that overlooks Rock creek, near the Zoological park. Dr. Cecil French, a professor in the veterinary department of Columbian University, is the presiding genius. The building is one story long, 40 feet long, and 20 feet wide. Through the center of it is a corridor extending the length of the building, and opening on this corridor are 12 cozy rooms, five on each side and two at the north end.

Each of these small rooms is fitted up with hardwood and is heated by hot water pipes so adjusted that the heat may be shut off from one and maintained in others as desired. The rooms have a large window and a door opening to the "run" or playground, and a ventilator over the door opening on the corridor.

These rooms are divided into wards for the occupancy of dogs having contagious diseases, such as mange and distemper; for invalid dogs having ailments that are not contagious, including accidents, and for boarders, which are generally pets left there while the owner is out of the city. The arrangement of the

once of an anesthetic, and while Dr. French watched the pulse the dentist burrowed into the cavity and in an hour had inserted a gold filling which glistened in the sunlight as perfectly as if it had been in the incisor of a human being.

When the owner of the dog called for him she was delighted with the work, and the fee she left was proportionate to her delight.

BYRON AND THE GIAOUR.

Formation of a Philhellenic Society on New Lines.

THE origin, history and mission of the Byron society were detailed to a London Sketch interviewer a few days ago by Mr. Edward Atkin, who said: "In the autumn of '95, while staying at Venice with a Greek friend, we were guests one evening in a house next to the one in which Robert Browning lived. Naturally we began to talk about Browning, his place as an English poet, and so on. A point in the conversation was the effect which the Browning society had exercised in making the poet a wider following, in helping to establish his great position. Then we drifted into the Eastern question, and recalled how Byron had written

of the Countess de Verissey in *Le Mode de Paris* for May is a shape of transparent canvas dyed all colors. It renders the same service as buckram, save that its favorite colors being cerise and turquoise blue, chiffon with ivory lace, or worked tulle scarves and wings, bunches of flowers, particularly scarlet geraniums, are the ornaments. The mixture of scarlet and pale pink is general, also of violet shades with cerise, and it is noticeable that on all tulle hats made with jeweled ornamental pieces the colors show not the slightest approach to those in the flowers employed for trimming. Another curious fact is that the tips of all ostrich panaches are dyed darker than is the feather at its base, but shaded ostrich clusters are truly admirable graduated from the midrib to the ridge. The mixture mentioned above of violet and red cannot be artistic, however fashionable, unless a good eye selects the exact shade of violet that suits the exact shade of red to be taken up. People may rave about mixtures, but the blue-bell and the mauve hyacinth come to some of the reds now worn in a terrible inflection, and produces the nervous irritability of a knife scraped on a plate, or of a sour, green gooseberry on front teeth.

A shape that has stepped forward again is the mushroom, under which the beauties at the court of Eugenie were so attractive. The late Empress is herself painted in one of these. They are at present made in chip of a pale biscuit shade and trimmed with ivory lace. Another revival is the shape that tilts up at the back and bends downwards in the front towards the face.

A comb, or as the French say, a "cache-peigne" of clustering flowers at the back between a widely goffered brim and the hair is a great help for summer head dress.

One of the New Veils.

Quite Odd Enough.

Economy in the Austrian Courts.

Prince Liechtenstein, the new grand master of the household of the emperor of Austria, is instituting all kinds of notable reforms, particularly in the direction of economy, at the court of Vienna. Following the example set by the present queen regent of Spain, he is abolishing all those extensive perquisites which until now have constituted one of the principal features of the household. Thus, hitherto it had been the rule that whenever anything in the shape of provisions, wines, groceries, etc., left the palace store rooms upon the requisition of this or that dignitary of the household, they never under any circumstances should be returned thither, no matter whether used or not. Inasmuch as at each dinner given by the emperor at least three or four times the number of bottles of costly wine needed for the function were taken from the palace cellars, all these bottles left over—two-thirds of them unopened—became the perquisites of the servants, who found a ready sale for them, even among the aristocracy of the Austrian capital, who were only too glad to be able to

should we not found a Byron society, and join in rescuing the victims of Turkish misrule from rapine, torture, outrage and death?"

"They would not mean an organized movement merely for the critical study of Byron—a literary organization on the same lines as the Browning society?"

"Oh, no; not a Byron society in that sense—and here was the difference—but an organization which should carry on Byron's great work for the liberation of the Hellenic race. Everybody is familiar with the magnificent impetus which Byron gave to the realization of Greek freedom, with what he achieved, and how he practically sacrificed his life in the cause. Byron's influence as a Hellenic liberator was the greatest and the most woven round his name still retained life and force; there were Giaours who still remained in bondage. Why not make the Byron tradition a common rally-cried upon which such work might be attempted as Byron would have labored at were he still with us?"

"In what way do you intend to make Byronism—Byron's Philhellenism—a living factor in the affairs of the present time?"

"Quite so. In England and in Italy the influence of his poems, as it seemed to one, must be an inspiring text. You understand clearly that there was no question of politics involved. Everybody took part in the greatest and the most sacred of all causes. It was a humanitarian effort, not a political one in any sense, and in that lay everything."

"In what state is the society now, fully developed or only partially so?"

"It is emerging from the provisional stage. We are developing it on a larger basis, and hope to make it useful all around. Bishop Douglas is the president, and the supporters of the society include Mr. James Bryce, Mr. Herbert Gladstone, Sir Thomas Reid, Mr. William Allan, Dean Stephens, M. Gennadius, Prof. Agar Beet, Mr. F. S. Stevenson, Mr. Yoxall, Canon McColl, Mr. Arthur O'Connor and others (representative of party). The only condition must hold that the world will be a better and a happier place when the last Giaour has been freed from the Ottoman yoke."

NEW SHAPES AND TINTS.

The great idea in the millinery of 1897, writes the *Comptess de Verissey* in *Le Mode de Paris* for May is a shape of transparent canvas dyed all colors. It renders the same service as buckram, save that its favorite colors being cerise and turquoise blue, chiffon with ivory lace, or worked tulle scarves and wings, bunches of flowers, particularly scarlet geraniums, are the ornaments. The mixture of scarlet and pale pink is general, also of violet shades with cerise, and it is noticeable that on all tulle hats made with jeweled ornamental pieces the colors show not the slightest approach to those in the flowers employed for trimming. Another curious fact is that the tips of all ostrich panaches are dyed darker than is the feather at its base, but shaded ostrich clusters are truly admirable graduated from the midrib to the ridge. The mixture mentioned above of violet and red cannot be artistic, however fashionable, unless a good eye selects the exact shade of violet that suits the exact shade of red to be taken up. People may rave about mixtures, but the blue-bell and the mauve hyacinth come to some of the reds now worn in a terrible inflection, and produces the nervous irritability of a knife scraped on a plate, or of a sour, green gooseberry on front teeth.

A shape that has stepped forward again is the mushroom, under which the beauties at the court of Eugenie were so attractive. The late Empress is herself painted in one of these. They are at present made in chip of a pale biscuit shade and trimmed with ivory lace. Another revival is the shape that tilts up at the back and bends downwards in the front towards the face.

A comb, or as the French say, a "cache-peigne" of clustering flowers at the back between a widely goffered brim and the hair is a great help for summer head dress.

One of the New Veils.

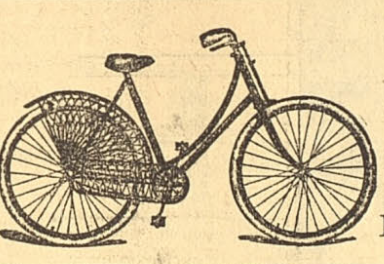
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Economy in the Austrian Courts.

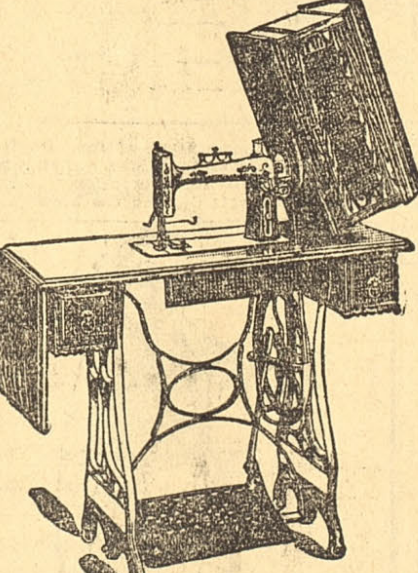
Prince Liechtenstein, the new grand master of the household of the emperor of Austria, is instituting all kinds of notable reforms, particularly in the direction of economy, at the court of Vienna. Following the example set by the present queen regent of Spain, he is abolishing all those extensive perquisites which until now have constituted one of the principal features of the household. Thus, hitherto it had been the rule that whenever anything in the shape of provisions, wines, groceries, etc., left the palace store rooms upon the requisition of this or that dignitary of the household, they never under any circumstances should be returned thither, no matter whether used or not. Inasmuch as at each dinner given by the emperor at least three or four times the number of bottles of costly wine needed for the function were taken from the palace cellars, all these bottles left over—two-thirds of them unopened—became the perquisites of the servants, who found a ready sale for them, even among the aristocracy of the Austrian capital, who were only too glad to be able to

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Pasteurized Milk. It naturally follows that he would infinitely prefer to be more liberal toward his kith and kin than to fill the pockets of servants who are already in receipt of handsome wages, and who, moreover, are in no wise grateful to him for their perquisites, but look upon them as if they had a vested right thereto.—(Marquise de Fontenay)

Contains No Germs. May be obtained of Smith & Wellington or of Williams & Smith, 731 North Weber Street.

H. I. REID, Member American Soc In'g Engineers, Civil and Consulting Engineer, Office, Gazette Building.

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FINANCIAL. Yesterday's Transactions in the Stock Markets of the Atlantic Seaboard and Middle West.

THE LATEST QUOTATIONS

New York Stock Market.

New York, May 29.—Those traders who availed themselves of an opportunity late yesterday to cover short contracts for fear of a crash...

to enter into fresh transactions and a desire to clean up existing trades. Chicago received 15 car loads and 9,684 bushels were inspected out of store.

Being a short day in the business world both here and abroad, there seldom any business done in wheat for shipment Saturdays and none was reported today outside of a few lots to domestic millers.

The market for oats was very slow. Prices yielded some in spite of the reports that crops in Nebraska and Iowa will be 30,000,000 bushels smaller than last year.

Chicago Live Stock. Chicago, May 29.—As is usual on the last day of the week, there were not enough cattle receipts today to constitute a market.

SOLD BY THE SHERIFF. Cripple Creek Mines Sold Yesterday to Denver People.

James L. Wilson, Esq., of the law firm of Wilson & Wilson, Denver, was in attendance at the courts in this county last week and was present yesterday directing the sheriff's sale of the celebrated Triangle and Sunnyside mines located at Cripple Creek in this county.

For the Sinking Fund. The result of the sale of sweet pea seed for the "Sinking Fund" of the First Presbyterian church this season is \$78.70, which has been paid over to the church treasurer.

SUNDAY SERVICES. All Souls Unitarian church—Services at 11 o'clock. Rev. A. A. Hoskins will preach. Subject—The Genesis and Genesis of Christianity.

The Latter Day Saints will hold services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. in Weber hall corner Kiowa and Weber streets.

St. Stephen's (Episcopal) church—Thompson street corner Monument. Rev. Philip Washburn, pastor.

First Lutheran church (English)—Corner N. Weber and Platte avenue. J. W. Pinkberry, pastor.

First Baptist church—Corner Kiowa and Weber streets. Rev. Edward Brains, pastor.

First Christian church—Nevada avenue opposite North park. Rev. J. B. Johnson, pastor.

GLENWOOD EXCURSION. Owing to the popularity of the Glenwood excursions the Rio Grande will continue to sell during May.

SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES AND PORTLAND. Reached quickest via Union Pacific, Denver and Gulf road.

THE ONLY LINE. Into Red River City via the Denver and Gulf road and connections.

AROUND THE LOOP. On the Union Pacific, Denver and Gulf road. Finest one day trip in the world.

NEW YORK BY WATER. From Salt Lake City to New York via Denver and Gulf road.

GRACE (Episcopal) church—Corner of Pike's Peak avenue and Weber street. Rev. Benjamin Brewster, pastor.

First Presbyterian—Services held in the Temple theater (Coliseum) at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

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Bicycle Week AT ROBBINS. OUR SHOE SALE last week was a grand success. This week we are going to give those who ride a wheel the greatest bargains ever offered in the state.

Bicycle Suits. "A place for everything and everything in its place." The business suit is out of place on a bicycle. A bicycle suit should not be worn for anything but cycling.

Bicycle Shoes. Here is where we outdo our low prices, we sell them too low, simply because we bought them low. Only a limited number.

PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY. COLORADO SPRINGS. CIVIL ENGINEER. ATTORNEYS. RORMAN M. CAMPBELL, Lawyer.

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DENTISTS. DR. CHAMBERLAIN, Dentist. Office: Rooms 12, 13, 14, 27 Bank Bldg.

MISCELLANEOUS. H. S. POLEY, PHOTOGRAPHER. 713 N. Tejon street. Finishing for Amateurs.

CRIPPLE CREEK. W. W. KIRBY & CO., Brokers in Mines and Mining Stocks. Rooms 1, 2 and 3, Aspen Bldg.

MONDAY.--GREAT RED LETTER SALE--TUESDAY.

IN ALL ITS GLORY.

BEEHIVE Crowds! Crowds! Crowds! BEEHIVE

That's the story of every day since we began our Red Letter Sale, and it will be the story Monday and Tuesday, for the bargains are more attractive than ever. Our Red Letter Sale is giving bargain lessons, and all Colorado Springs is interested. We are giving the people more for their money than they ever got before. Come and participate in the great bargain distribution. It means a saving to every purchaser,

Domestic Department

Good quality Ticking in blue and white stripe, worth 15c per yard, Red Letter sale price **9c**

Full yard wide Bleached Muslin in the soft finish and the Gill Edge quality, worth 10c, for two days only **4c**

Dark and light red figured Poulard Prints in the regular oil colors, worth 7c per yard, for this Red Letter sale **3c**

8-4 Pepperell Mills sheeting in unbleached, full two yards wide, the best sheeting in the market for 22c per yard, Red Letter price **13c**

Linen Bargains.

Our 5c quality of green and red fancy Table Linen in genuine oil colors, 63 in. wide, for Red Letter days **27c**

Large size Turkish Towels in the unbleached quality, worth 15c each, for this sale **7c**

Half bleached Table Linen with red border, 54 inches wide, worth 35c per yard, for a Red Letter price only **17c**

Satin Bleached Damask, two yards wide in the regular \$1.25 quality, for two days the price will be **72c**

LININGS

The best double face Silesia Waist Lining, black on one side and figured on the other, worth 20c per yard, for two days... **10c**

Plain or Barred Crinoline in black, drab or white, worth 12 1/2c per yard, for Monday and Tuesday... **5c**

DRESS GOODS

A line of checked, striped and mixed Nouveaute Suiting, 38 inches wide, in the light or dark colors, very nobby mixtures and every pattern new and stylish, sells regular for 60c per yard, for this two-day sale only **21c**

Black Fancy Brocades, 36 inches wide, in the half wool goods, neat figures, worth 30c per yard, for a special at this sale **15c**

54 inch Ladies' Cloth in the all wool, in tan, brown, navy, black and gray; just the thing for a nobby Bicycle Suit, worth 75c per yard, for Red Letter sale the price is **48c**

SILKS.

Solid color China Silk, 20 inches wide, in any color, worth 35c per yard, for Red Letter sale **18c**

Fancy Waist Silks in the brocaded satin effects in all the new colors; a good heavy quality at 65c per yard, for this Red Letter sale **36c**

RUGS.

Smyrna Rugs, size 38x20 inches, with fringed ends, worth \$1.50, for Monday and Tuesday **98c**

Large size Armenia Smyrna Rugs, size 70x35 inches, in the newest designs, worth \$3.50, Red Letter price **\$1.89**

Sheer Wash Materials

Organdie Lisse in the new fancy patterns and colors, very soft and sheer for summer wear, sold regular at 25c per yard, for this Red Letter sale **12c**

Lace stripe Yostains with delicate colored figures, in light or dark colors, worth 20c per yard, for two days the Red Letter price is **11c**

Solid color Dimities in the dainty pinks, blues, greens, etc., worth 15c per yard, for this sale **9c**

32 in. figured Cordones, very pretty in effect and excellent for service, worth 12c per yard, Red Letter price **5c**

Double faced tailor-made Suitings in the mixed and stripe effects; a heavy material, very serviceable for Cotton Bicycle Suit, worth 15c per yard, for Red Letter days **10c**

CURTAIN POLES.

A 5-foot oak or white ash Curtain Pole with brass ends and fixtures, worth 25c, for two days you can buy them for **18c**

PORTIERES AND DRAPERIES.

A handsome Chenille Porter in the full size and any of the popular colors, worth \$4, for Red Letter days they go per pair at **\$2.67**

54-inch Tapestry Draperies with satin finish surface, a bargain at 55c per yard, special Red Letter price **39c**

Ladies' Waists.

100 dozen Ladies' Shirt Waists in the new Dresden pattern, the latest style, sleeve and laundered collar and cuffs, a good seller at \$1, Red Letter price **58c**

SHOE SPECIALS

Ladies' fine Vici Kid hand-sewed welt and turned Oxford ties, custom made, the very best; others sell them for \$3.50, Red Letter price **\$1.90**

Ladies' hand-sewed welt, ox blood, Coin and Needle toe Oxfords, good value for \$3, Red Letter price **\$2.40**

Ladies' tan combination Oxford ties, Opera and Square toes, a regular \$1.50 Oxford, for this Red Letter sale **\$1.10**

Misses' Dongola Kid, Opera toe, cloth top-heel shoes, worth \$1.50, Red Letter price **87c**

Men's genuine Russia grain and Calf Lace Shoes in tan and black, that are regular \$3 to \$4 shoes, including patent leathers and enamels in all sizes, for Monday and Tuesday, only **\$2**

CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' HATS.

50 dozen Tam O'Shanter Hats for Misses and Children, trimmed in silk cord and braid, worth 65c, Red Letter price **34c**

Bargain Basement.

Madame Potts' Sad Irons, three nickel plated irons, patent handle and stand, sold at \$1.25 a set, Red Letter price per set **69c**

Crystal Glass Berry Sets, containing one large berry bowl and six nappies, worth 60c, Red Letter price per set **29c**

Imitation Cut Glass Vinegar Bottles, very handsome, sold everywhere at 25c, Red Letter sale price **10c**

Six Water Tumblers, every glass as clear as crystal, worth 25c, Red Letter sale price, 6 for **10c**

A set of Christy Knives, 1 bread knife, 1 cake and 1 paring knife, all three for one price **14c**

Large size knit Hammock in yellow and blue stripes, with large cushioned headrest, always sold at \$1.50, Red Letter sale price **93c**

NOTIONS.

Heavy retined Dipper, worth 10c, Red Letter price **3c**

A bar of perfumed Toilet Soap, worth 5c a bar, for only **1c**

3 Turkish Towel Wash Cloths, worth 10c, for **5c**

100 fancy border Japanese Napkins, worth 20c, for **15c**

A large size paper of good pins, worth 5c, for **1c**

A large size bottle of Household Ammonia, sells at grocery stores for 10c and 15c a bottle, Red Letter price **4c**

A handsome corded Lace Doylee, something new, worth 20c, Red Letter price **10c**

A fancy Japanese Folding Fan, worth 10c, sale price **5c**

1 dozen Horn Hair Pins in black or amber, worth 15c a dozen, Red Letter price **7c**

A 500-page Writing Tablet, worth 10c, for only **2c**

A 200-yard Spool of Cotton Thread for... **1c**

A set of six Tea Spoons, silverplated on white hard metal, will wear as good as any you pay 50c for, Red Letter price per set **10c**

Extra heavy well-made Broom, worth 15c, Red Letter price **5c**

A package of Silver Steel Carpet Tacks, worth 3c, Red Letter sale price **1c**

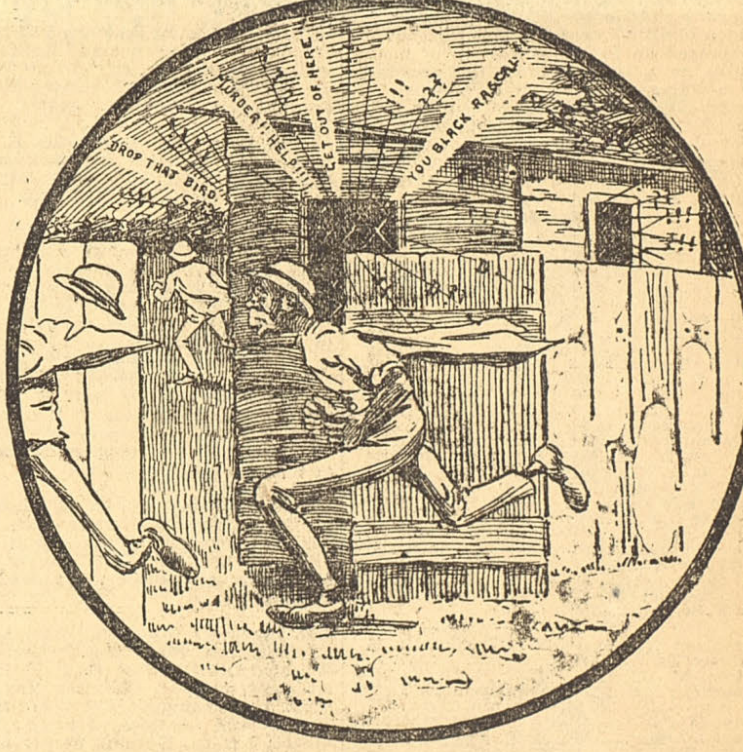
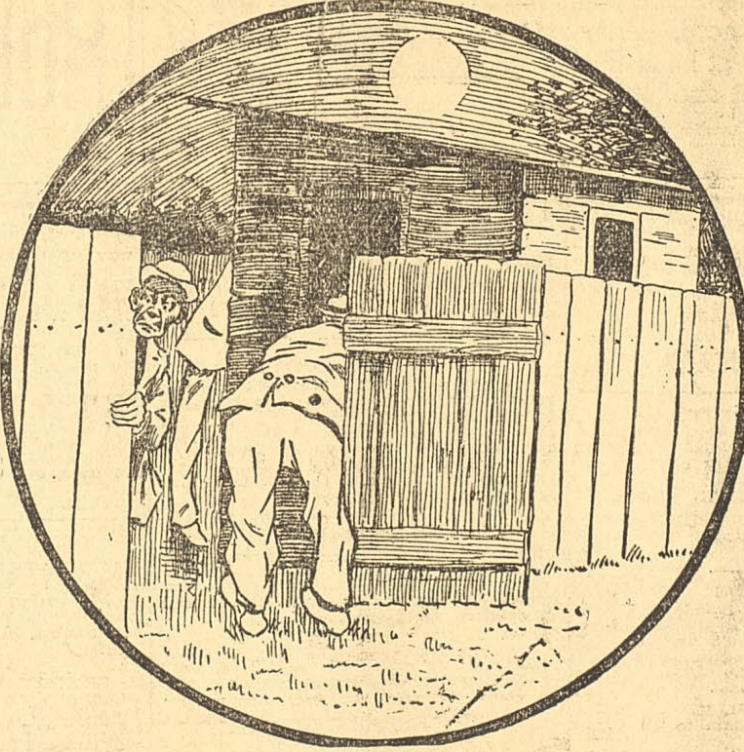
Blue Decorated Cups and Saucers, good English China, under glass decoration, worth \$1 a set, Red Letter price per set of 6 **49c**

Sweepette, the best Carpet Sweeper in the market, made of highly polished veneered oak wood, rubber tired wheels and hair brush, reversible for hard or soft carpet, worth \$1, Red Letter price **\$1.69**

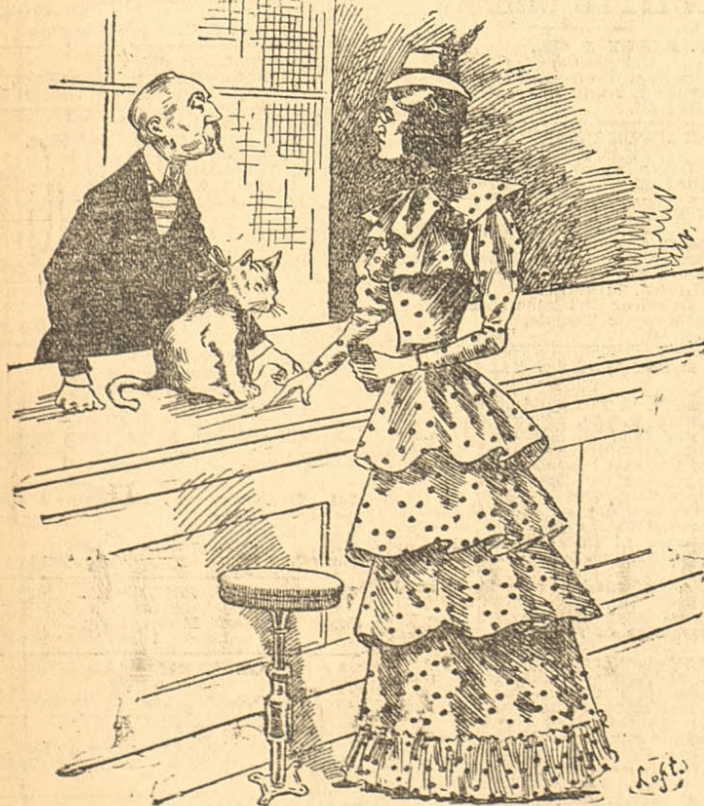
2 quart Enamel Granite Coffee Pot, extra strong iron handle, with retined cover, always sold at 50c, sale price **29c**

Extra heavy Granite Dish Pan, large size, made with riveted enameled iron handles, sold everywhere at 60c, Red Letter price **39c**

HOW DEACON LONGHEAD'S PHONOGRAPH GUARDED THE CHICKEN COOP.



THE WRONG SEX.



Miss Angular—Have you any kittens for sale?
Shopkeeper—How would this tabby suit you?
Miss Angular—She won't do. I want a male cat to catch mice.

Seven of them.
In a clergyman's house not a thousand miles from this city, where there is a bright little 3-year-old boy, seven lovely kittens had been born the night before. The next morning the dear old minister, in his grace,

An Uprising in His Midst.

"Speaking of Cuban uprisings and insurrections," said Wallace, "I shall never forget one that occurred 20 years ago."
"Were you present?" asked Perry.
"Very much so. It happened about five minutes after I had lighted one of my father's big, black Havana cigars."—(Cincinnati Enquirer.

Wife—Why do you persist in boring us all by talking about the tariff?
Husband—Simply because it is a duty.—(Exchange.)

Spring Repartee.

"You," said the man, "are not so hot." The cucumber, thus rudely addressed, managed to remain cool and replied: "And you are not so many as you might be." Then, to sustain its premise, it doubled the man up.—(Typographical Journal.)

Jags—What do you think of the theory that people in the next world will continue to do what they have been doing in this world?
Wags—Well, I think it would be a little rough on the man who scorches.—(New York Tribune.)

At Rehearsal.

Annie—Did you pull any noble leg while in London, dear?
Gertie—Yes, touched a pier the very first thing.—(The Yellow Kid.)

At the Postoffice Window.

"Please give me 10 cents' worth of stamps," said she, with trepidation.
"All right, my child!"—the stamp clerk smiled.
"Of what denomination?"

That great big word, the little miss said for a moment daunted—
"My mamma is a mefodie!"
"I des 'at's what she wanted."
—(L. A. W. Bulletin.)

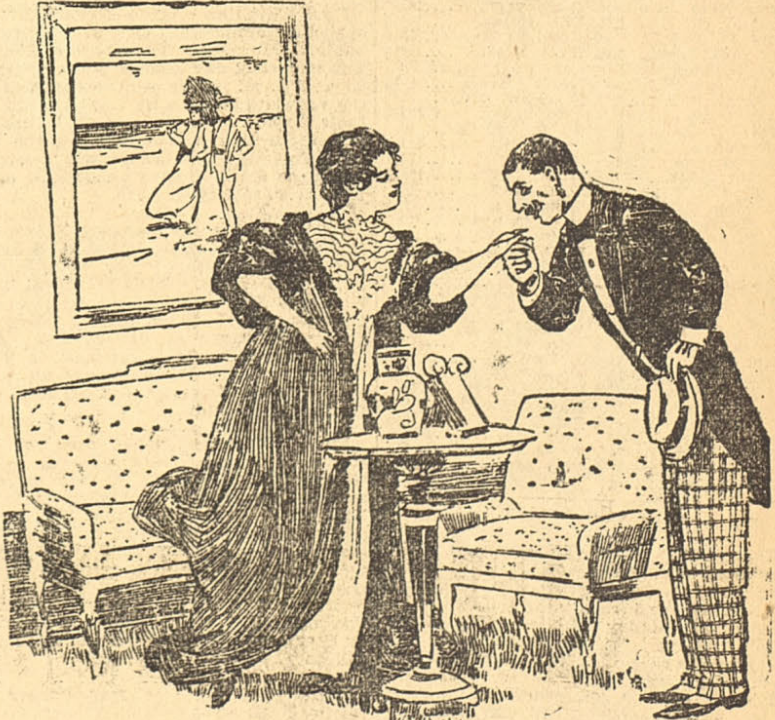
Little Willie—Say, honest, are you a mulatto?
Crossatch (the artist)—No, indeed. What gave you that idea?
"Why, Sis said you were one of the best known black-and-white men in the country."—(Exchange.)

THE BURGLAR'S LAMENT.



I've burgled all around the world.
In England, Ireland and in France;
But now, at last, I've found a man
Without a pocket in his pants.

READY TO MAKE A CHANGE.



Mr. Parker—Would a girl by any other name be as sweet?
Miss Fisher—Just try me.

That Base Ball Funeral.

Employer—"I thought you wanted to go to your grandmother's funeral this afternoon."
Office Boy—"Please, sir, it was postponed on account of wet grounds."—(Truth.)

He—"I cannot live without you!"
She—"Are you so badly in debt as that?"—(Exchange.)

"What are pauses?" the teacher asked the first class in grammar.
"Things that grow on cats and dogs," answered the smallest girl.—(New York Journal.)

The somewhat curious statement is made by Boston newspaper that no policemen are ever stationed on Boston Common except on Sundays and holidays.