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ENTERED AT TANEYTOWN POSTOFFICE AS SECOND CLASS MATTER.
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ABOUT THE meanest thing a political newspaper can do, is to print all the lies going about the other side, and never make corrections after the truth is known. Some people justify this, "because it's politics," but it's malicious lying all the same.

THERE is really some serious talk of the renowned Wellington being the democratic candidate for Congress in the sixth district, or, which amounts to the same thing, that he will be an independent candidate, with no Democratic nomination in the field. "Politics makes bedfellows," but we place our guess that the Duke will not be given any such masquerade act. Besides, we don't believe him to be such a near subject for an insane asylum.

The Editorial Page.
Occasionally, we are informed of the fact that our editorials are read. This information, of course, usually follows the reading of opinions agreeing with those of the reader, which leaves the question open as to whether there would be any man who read, and disagree. In any case, we are of the opinion, and have been for some time, that the editorial page of the average country paper is scarcely worth the time, thought and space, it requires, unless results from it are very incalculable.

Except in the case of a pronounced egotist, it must be remembered that the Editor, writes, in a measure, to draw out the opinions of the public, and not to direct, exclusively. He realizes the influence of the voice from the masses, as compared with that of the man who writes a certain amount each week because he has set himself that task, regarding the former in the light of the witness before the jury—the public—and the latter rather as the paid attorney. As jurors decide on the evidence of witnesses, their power is easily comprehended. That the editorial page of the Record has not drawn out more voluntary evidence from the people, has always been a source of disappointment to the Editor. In its field, abounding so largely in well stored minds, there should be many who have a word to say, now and then, on the various leading public questions, not for the sake of airing their views but for the sake of the beneficial influence they may have on the minds of others, and all have this influence.

We have no desire to parade our own views for mere public applause, but do desire our readers to express their approval—or even their disapproval—of what we write, and to do so for publication, for in this way, alone, can the greatest good be done along the line of educating the very large class which obtains its ideas largely from reading the newspapers.

The (?) Church (?) Paper (?)
A church member recently asked his Pastor's advice as to the safety of making an investment in a scheme advertised in his church paper, and was advised to "keep hands off." It seems to us that a thing the ministry can't conscientiously recommend is also a thing for the church paper to refuse to advertise.

Somebody is responsible for being accessory to fraud, or somebody is wonderfully mistaken as to what fraud is. Which? The situation is, some things in the church papers are to be believed, and others, disbelieved. How are readers to distinguish the true from the false? If all in these papers were honest and true, would they not have much more influence? Do the church papers advertise frauds for pay?

Has a church paper a right to live and pose as an exponent of truth and righteousness, when it does so partly through revenue derived from dishonest advertising? Would it not be better for such papers to die, rather than live as promoters of "off color" investment schemes, and of impossible cures for bodily ills? Would it not be better to be nearly in line with their professions if they would classify their advertisements as "honest," and "doubtful," or as "guaranteed" and "not guaranteed." Who will answer?

The Infamous Election Law.
The new election law is showing up in its truly infamous light in the Frank-Platt councilmanic contest in Baltimore. A re-count of the votes cast for the candidates is now being held, and the true legal restriction placed on the law by the Court of Appeals, as to counting, is being closely observed. So far, both candidates have lost a considerable number of votes, because of rejected ballots; in one ward, 110 being thrown out in this re-count.

Scores of these ballots were rejected because the cross marks extended but a small fraction of an inch outside the squares provided, and many more because the cross marks were not distinctly made, and not always true X marks. As we have repeatedly stated, voting is not now a matter of intelligent desire, but largely a matter of steady nerves and sharp eyesight—mechanical know-how.
What an outrage has been committed on tens of thousands of intelligent citizens of Maryland by a few unscrupulous political demagogues, who, in the extremity of their desires

to gain a certain end, have made an abject mockery of honest intentions. Truly, it is not the masses who are dishonest, but the few thieves who have been given the power to pass laws for honest elections.

The Gasoline Subject, Again.
The Record believes in the principle of "hammering away" at certain subjects for the general good, as it is an undoubted fact that many need persistent warnings before they will take heed. We are unalterably opposed to anything like the common use of gasoline in buildings—for heat or light—and think our objections are based on numerous sound reasons which have at different times heretofore been given space. For the many, our warnings are not needed, but, with the hope that the few may be benefited—possibly a life saved—we again give the subject space, reproducing an editorial article from an issue of last week's Baltimore Sun.

The frequent and terrible accidents from gasoline strongly emphasize the necessity for the adoption of legal regulations which will serve to lessen, if not entirely prevent, the dangers arising from this source. While it is a cheap and convenient fuel, it seems to be doing more harm than good, and to be doing it in a way which is extremely dangerous unless great care is exercised in its use. The testimony of all experts seems to agree on this point. The statistics show that in 1901 the Fire Department responded to 192 alarms due to gasoline accidents. In 1900 there were 186 fires due to gasoline, and so far this year there have been 32, the number of persons who have been killed or seriously injured by gasoline explosions or fires in the last few years is not ascertainable from the official reports, as the Health Department statistics class the deaths under the head of "accidents" or "burning," without specifying whether the cause is gasoline or something else. It is estimated, however, that the deaths from gasoline average at least sixty per annum. These figures would seem to speak pretty strongly without further testimony. They are reinforced, however, by the authoritative views of chemists and others who have practical knowledge of the subject. Prof. G. W. Lehmann, City Chemist, was quoted in The Sun a few weeks ago as saying that the average gasoline stove is "one of the most dangerous things in the house." He who uses gasoline is apt to become careless, and for that reason subject themselves to danger. The gas which arises from it spreads over a considerable area. It is not safe to have a flame of any kind within six feet of a gasoline receptacle. Even with the utmost care accidents happen because there may be a leak somewhere that no one knows of. Health Commissioner Bostey expresses the same views, and in his testimony before the special City Council committee appointed recently to investigate the subject, Chief Horton, of the Fire Department, described the inflammable character of the fluid in strong language. "It is a surprise to me," he said, "that there are not more buildings torn to pieces as a result of the use of gasoline. I don't keep an ounce of it in my house. I use half a cup of it around my room; then you go outside and stick a lighted match through the keyhole, and it will blow through the window out." He added that the great trouble from gasoline is due to the faulty construction of the valve of the stove. Prof. Finney, the well-known chemist, agreed with Chief Horton that gasoline was only safe when left out-doors or when there was constant and good ventilation, and Fire Commissioner Sirich said his company did not insure property in which gasoline is used, and does not issue gasoline privileges in policies that the editor writes. Some companies take the risk, but charge extra for it. Those who deal in gasoline naturally do not agree with the Fire Department and the experts. They hold that gasoline is a blessing to the poor man; that accidents and fires caused by its use are invariably the result of ignorance and carelessness, and that the reports of such accidents are generally exaggerated. One of them who testified before the Council committee stated that during the nine years he had been in the business in this city he had ten thousand customers, and he had never heard of one of them having an accident with a gasoline stove. Another dealer declared that gas was much more dangerous houses there were no means of using gas stoves, even if they could afford gas, and that they were practically cut off from the use of other fuel. The City Council has not taken any action, but in the face of the large number of accidents due to gasoline and of the disinterested testimony as to the character of the fluid, it is clear that some legal safeguards should be provided with regard to its sale and use which would at least lessen the dangers which seemed to be involved in its employment even in the most careful hands. Precisely how this should be done, out injustice to dealers or hardship to thousands who cannot afford more expensive fuel is a matter requiring careful consideration, but unquestionably legislation is demanded in the interest of public as well as private safety. A single gasoline stove might cause a conflagration that would sweep away millions of property. There is no real economy in using an agent that is inherently as dangerous as gasoline is said to be. If all that is said as to its inflammable character is true it should not be employed at all, at least in the cities and thickly settled communities. At all events, something should be done to protect the community as well as individuals.

Fifty Temples in India.
Sacred cows often defile Indian temples, but worse yet is a body that is polluted by constipation. Don't permit it. Cleanse your system with Dr. King's New Life Pills and avoid untold misery. They give lively livers, active bowels, good digestion, fine appetite. Only 25c at R. S. McKinney's drug store.

A Chinese Cemetery.
Pennsylvania is to have a genuine Chinese cemetery, which will be the only one in the United States where the Chinaman's body can be at rest. It will be at Craydon, Bucks county, and is projected by a syndicate of rich New York Orientalists. One side of the property, which is 43 acres in extent, borders on the Nesquehoning creek, from which it rises on a gradual slope. On each of four hills at the corners of the plot, a one-story temple will be erected, and the whole will be enclosed by a wall of ornamental tile. The main entrance will lead through an arched vestibule to the central temple. This will be nine stories in height, decreasing gradually to the top, which will end in a mansard peak, according to the approved style of Chinese sacred architecture. The building material will be brick, covered from each floor. The interior will be divided into four courts or temples, and in these the funeral services will be held.

Each temple will have its full complement of idols and appurtenances for worship. The smaller temples at the corners of the cemetery will also be used as places of worship. In each of these will be stationed a grave-watcher, while in the central temple will be four priests. The duties of the attendants will consist largely of keeping away evil spirits and demons. Each balcony of the central temple will be strung on the outside with gongs and tom-toms. At intervals of a half hour, day and night, these will be rung by the priests. During intermission, sets of chimes will be rung to welcome good spirits to the cen-

tery. It is said the ringing of bells never ceases. Apartments will be set aside for relatives of the Chinamen who may wish to continue the mourning for the allotted period. A cook-house will prepare all food placed upon the graves. All this is significant not merely of the cosmopolitan population of our land, but of the great field of "foreign missions" which is brought to our doors by immigration. These heathen temples and heathen rites will not be a menace through their influence, but they may become an object lesson which will waken some at least to the need of sending the light of the gospel to those who "sit in darkness," and to the opportunities which there are at home.—Lutheran Observer.

Cost of War to England.
Washington, June 14.—A London letter to the Evening Star says: The cost of the South African War has been terrible. The war killed Queen Victoria and hastened the death of Cecil Rhodes, and rendered desolate tens of thousands of homes in the United Kingdom, in the colonies and in South Africa. It made Mr. Kruger and Dr. Leyds refugees, it killed Joubert, has paralyzed Mr. Steyn, made Cronje a prisoner and removed from the scene forever nearly every man in that Volksraad in Pretoria which voted to the ultimatum which was the death knell of perhaps 40,000 Britons and Boers.

Late official figures of the British losses are now available. We shall never accurately know how many the Boers lost. The following War Office table is interesting. It carries the details up to May 8th, last.

Table with 2 columns: Category, Count. Officers, 241; Men, 1,815; Died of wounds, 151; Died in captivity, 157; Died from disease, 25,924; Accidental deaths, 25; Total deaths in S. Africa, 1,052; 20,520 being and prisoners; Sent home as invalids, 8,038; 70,482 of these invalids have died and 5,531 have been discharged from the service as unfit. Total casualties from all causes, 4,089 91,503; Total number of deaths from all causes, 22,082.

Facts About Public Men.
The Congressional Directory brings out two rather striking facts about men in public life. The first is the comparatively large number with more than a common school education; the second, the predominance of lawyers among them. With Delaware's two seats vacant the Senate has 88 members. Forty-six of these, or more than half, are college graduates. Others had an academic training, and only 20—about 22 per cent.—had the advantages of the common schools alone. One hundred and fifty-nine of the representatives were educated at colleges and 119 more at academies, while only 79 report merely the common school education. The President and Secretary Moody are both Harvard men. Secretary Hays is a graduate of Brown, Secretary Root of Hamilton, Attorney General Knox of Mount Union and Secretary Shaw of Cornell College, Iowa. Postmaster General Wilson received an academic education. Seven of the nine Supreme Court justices are college graduates. Brewer, Brown and Shiras are from Yale, Gray from Harvard, Fuller from Bowdoin, White from Georgetown and Harlan from Center college. Peckham and McKenna studied in academies. Of the members of Congress, the Supreme Court and the Cabinet about 79 per cent. have received an academic training. Forty-seven per cent. went to college. This is an astonishing showing when the fact is considered that an extremely small proportion of boys ever get beyond the common schools. While it does not prove that higher education helps a man in public life, it certainly is good proof that "book learning" does not hinder him.—Kansas City Star.

Motor Power for the Farm.
A most wonderful agricultural improvement likely to be accomplished in the twentieth century will be the invention of an efficient six horse-power farm motor.

There is no farm implement worked by two or more horses that would do better work if driven by a motor. A farmer with a suitable motor could use a plow that would equal him to plow within 4 inches of fence posts, plowing away from them, and would not need to turn at the ends, but just reverse and plow back.

He would not be stopped by stones any more than when using a spring tooth cultivator; would be able, when working on a hillside, to plow at all times be sheltered from sun, wind, rain or cold, if he wished to be; could use a mower or reaper with the knife in front, avoiding the necessity of mowing around the field by hand, or tramping the hay or grain.

He could sit or stand, as he chose, whether plowing or sowing, reaping or mowing, spraying or weeding. He might thus do his work faster and better than with any machines drawn by man with any machines.

With a motor the farmer would not need to feed a number of idle horses during the slack season, so as to have enough to do his work in the busy season, but he could keep just that number that he could give profitable employment to at all times, and when his motor was not at work it would eat nothing.

He could change his motor from one implement to the other as quickly. He could with his motor yoked to a wide-track wagon loaded with a full two-horse load, start from a soft cultivated field at about one mile an hour rate, increase to two or three miles per hour on firm ground, and bring to five or eight or ten miles an hour rate on hard, level roads.—Agricultural Enquirer.

How to Avoid Trouble.
Now is the time to provide yourself and family with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over, and if procured now may save you a trip to town in the night or in your busiest season. It is everywhere admitted to be the most successful medicine in the world for bowel complaints, both for children and adults. No family can afford to be without it. For sale by R. S. McKinney, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

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A few Bargains!
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Asbestos Mats, 40c
"Boss" Shears, 30c
Vegetable Grater, 10c
Wire Potato Masher, 5c
5c Cream Dipper, 3c
10c Silver Polish, 3c
10c Round Waiters, nickel, 10c
Extension Brass Rods, 10c
for lace Curtains, 10c
Ladies' Patent Leather Belt, 10c

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Feb. 9, 1899, 178,396.85.
Feb. 9, 1900, 202,397.09.
Feb. 9, 1901, 242,330.46.
Feb. 9, 1902, 285,592.20.

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Feb. 9, 1898, \$127,760.78.
Feb. 9, 1899, 164,463.88.
Feb. 9, 1900, 200,373.43.
Feb. 9, 1901, 235,693.30.
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All our regular 35c and 50c Lawn Caps for babies—new pretty styles—have been reduced to only 19c each.

Our regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 Caps and Bonnets, made of fine Mull and prettily trimmed, now reduced to 69c each.

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Reduced.

Here is a chance to get pretty little dresses for the baby for less than the materials would cost, and you save the trouble of making.

50c Dresses, now 35c. 75c Dresses, now 55c. \$1.00 Dresses, now 69c. \$1.25 Dresses, now 80c.

All neatly made and trimmed.

25c Summer Underwear, 16c.

Ladies' Gauze Vests and Pants in every size—nice fine cloth. Vests have high neck and short sleeves—pants are knee length. Our regular price is 25c; they are now reduced to 16c each.

10c Handkerchiefs, for 5c.

Pretty Lawn and Linen Handkerchiefs, all hemstitched; some with embroidered corners, others with neat borders. These Handkerchiefs sell readily at 10c each—special closing price only 5c each.

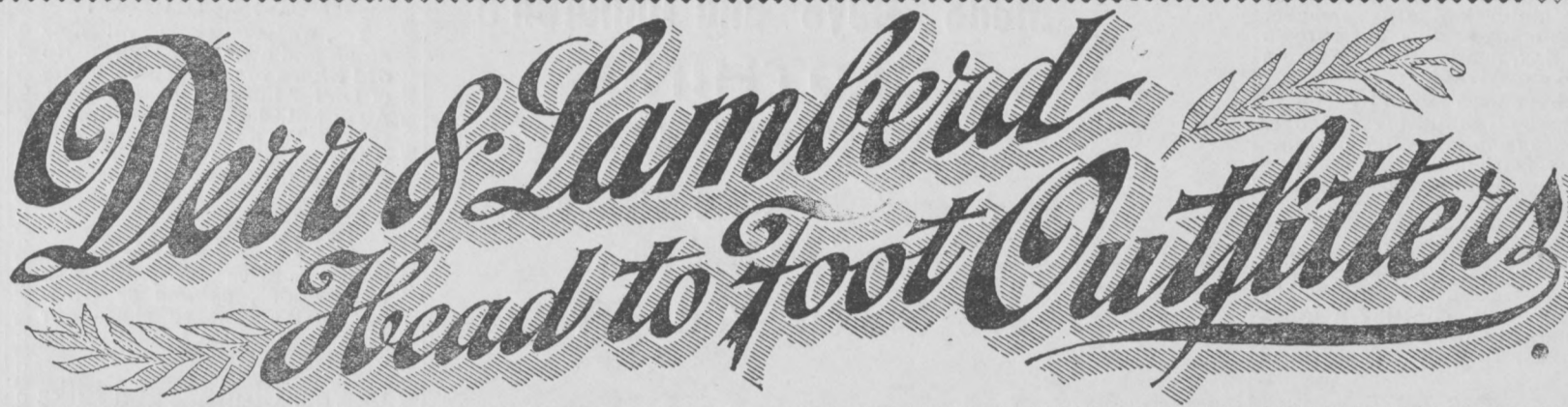
Regular 50c All Wool

Colored Albatross, 29c.

To-day we offer you choice of about 1000 yards of beautiful, all-wool Albatross, in all the popular shades, including pink and blue.

These goods are 38 inches wide and are the most desirable wool goods of this season; we would advise an early call to secure what you want of this lot. Good 50c value now for only

29c yd.



Girls 25c Lace Hose, 18c.

Pretty lace stripe fast black stockings for girls—or small Misses—new and very desirable styles, reduced from 25c to only 18c pair.

12c Madras, for 8c.

Pretty styles of pink and blues, chiefly stripes, some checks. There is not a big lot of them, so they will go quick—reduced from 12c to 8c yd.

Women's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Low Shoes, \$1.70.

New dainty and fashionable Foot Wear for Ladies—just the kinds you want right now.

Vici and Patent Kid Oxford Ties in all the very latest styles—every size and width in the lot, which comprises several hundred pairs of our very finest and most comfortable shoes for summer wear.

Save a dollar or more on every pair. Is this not worth while? \$2.50 and \$3.00 values for \$1.70.

\$1.50 Night Gowns, 88c.

Ladies' Night Gowns, made of the very finest muslin and cambric, all richly and elaborately trimmed in Laces or Embroidery—such Gowns as we sell always for \$1.50, these reduced to 88c each.

50c and 65c Girls' Gowns, 37c.

Fine Muslin Night Gowns, with yoke of tucks—for girls of 2 to 10 years—regular 50c and 65c gowns for 37c each.

Silk Waists

For Half.

Our entire stock of lovely silk waists have been reduced to just about half price.

\$6 and \$7 Waists, now \$3.50. \$4 and \$5 Waists, now \$2.50.

They are all made of fine silks in the newest and most effective styles and neatly trimmed.

50c and 75c Belts,

Now 25c each.

Practically our whole stock of fine stylish belts have been put in this lot. All have been from 50c to 75c; now only 25c each.

A lot of fine Bric-a-brac Vases and Japanese Art China has been reduced to

Just Half Price.

18c Straw Matting, 11c.

30c Straw Matting, 18c.

Our stock is not large any more, but what we have is extremely cheap at these prices. Our entire stock has been put into two lots to close out.

The first lot is our regular 15c and 18c goods—choice now 11c yd.

The second lot are regular 25c to 35c grades—pick now at 18c yd.

Tranquility. Oh, what is the comfort, and where are the joys of the calm pride of pomp and the burst of the... The reverent excitement whose stir only cloys the heart, and whose measures are flimsy as gauze? Away ye allurments that ne'er can bestow the sweet, halcyon peace that the heart strongly craves. Away ye vain trifles that tempt but to woe. Where folly ne'er banners exciting waves. But, give me the charm of a sweet, tranquil home. Where life's pure delights gently sparkle and flow. Like a clear, placid stream that we see calmly come. Where light, crystal tide to the river below. Oh, what are the pleasures that with us remain. Affection's dear treasures ne'er rust and decay. Unlike the illusions so transient and vain that glitter a moment—then vanish away. And give me the breath of the soft evening breeze. And the many sweet odors that nature supplies. The rustle of leaves in the branches of trees. And the song of the bird as one lighting wing files. The rush of the fountain, refreshingly cool. From the rocks brightly flowing, pure, sparkling and clear. And the last beams of evening, beginning to fall. The world to rest as the night draweth near. The green of the field and the beauty of flowers. The landscape adorned with its bright summer hues. The leaves where the pearl-drops hang after the showers. When nature her image of loveliness views, The pale, melow moonbeams, the stars in the sky. All—all bring a bright inspiration to me: They fill my heart with gladness and cheer. All these are about me, abundant and free. Like the rose-bud, half-opened, hope freshens to life. Then fades like the rose that is cut from the stem. Come joy or come sorrow, come pleasure or grief. Let heaven make me patient, submissive and calm; For life has its brightness, though all is not fair. The world has its sunshine, its clouds and its cold. The loveliest beams break through the mists in the air. And the sands of the desert may glitter with gold. J. W. SLAUGHBAUGH, HARNEY, MD.

a large proportion of them are hurrying in a way to make the observer's head spin. They sit down to their sewing in the morning, for instance, and they peg away without even stopping for luncheon, until dinner time. Then they gown themselves and appear jaded and exhausted at the table to drink a cup of tea and eat some strawberries. By the time their clothes are ready for the summer tour, for which they have been so madly working, they are more fitted to go to a sanatorium for the rest cure than to enjoy the distractions of one of the seashore resorts. The statistician long ago announced that a majority of the patients in insane asylums were the wives of farmers; a pathetic example of what worry and hurry and overwork will do for the weaker and more sensitive sex. In a certain city recently among one small circle of friends, all in comfortable circumstances, the reason of three mistresses of households succumbed under their multitudinous duties and they were sent to asylums, while it was given out by their families that they, too, were taking the fashionable rest cure. One regained her mind after six months' treatment, but the others are still away recuperating. To his credit be it said that the average man is more of a philosopher. He doesn't, to use an old adage, cross a bridge until he comes to it, and he doesn't lurch off of encounters, cherries, cantaloupe and milk, nor snip at 11:30 on tea, olives, watermelon and raspberries. He manages during the hot weather to take his meals regularly and everything else usually, while his better-half is fussily making the temperature 10 degrees higher than it really is, by trying to do everything at once and worrying because she cannot accomplish this feat.—Balt. News.

right road; you owe it to him, and to the world, and it will save you from the commonest cause of misery there is in this world. General advice is not worth a penny; no two cases are alike; but there are few boys so bad that they cannot be reformed if you will set your mind on it and act. Oh, how many crimes do we commit on the plea of lack of time; but where a soul is involved we must break our fetters and speed to the rescue.—The Pathfinder.

WOMAN AND FASHION

A Pretty Blouse. Blouse of white silk tucked all over and trimmed with ecru lace insertion. The fichu and sleeve caps are of sky blue pique.



A FRENCH NOTION. Blue pique trimmed with the insertion and finished with applique bowknots made of the velvet and insertion. The blouse fastens invisibly on one side.

French and American Women. The American woman is first of all neat. She likes things snug and trim, and all this fancy and theatrical business does not appeal to her. Her critical faculties are few, and when she sees a thing she asks: "Why is it made so fanciful? Why not more simple?" This is the reason why French hats lose much of their grotesqueness when identified with the better class on this side. In fact, good taste is pretty much the same world over, and the really stylish American women are similar in their tastes. The difference is in figure, the association, and the conditions of life and necessities are really accountable for the difference in dress. The American woman in the same position as the French woman would probably dress similarly, and the French woman under similar conditions in America would bring herself undoubtedly to our standpoint.—Chicago Tribune.

FACTS IN FEW LINES

The average value of all meat cattle in the country was in 1900 \$21.77. The electrical street railway system of Vienna, Austria, has been taken over by the city. Among the articles made in Philippine prisons are tables inlaid with pearl and oyster shells. England is going to coin two pound pieces of gold. They will be about the size of our ten dollar coins. The Irish grew farther north than any other tree. Next comes the Siberian larch and then the fir. Nebraska was one of the first states to recognize the importance of keeping reliable records of the flow of its streams. If great cold turned our atmosphere to liquid air, it would make a sea thirty-five feet deep over the surface of the whole globe. The mean annual temperature in the shade of the City of Mexico for the period of twenty-five years past has been 69.75 degrees F. Dr. Hayes measured an iceberg in Melville bay which was nearly a mile long and 315 feet above water. It was estimated to weigh 2,000,000,000 tons. A live whale sixty-six feet long has been driven ashore at Juan les Pins, near Antifer, an unprecedented occurrence on that part of the Mediterranean coast. An enormous rat has just been captured at Billingsborough, England. It turned the scale at one and a half pounds and measured twenty inches from the tip of its nose to the end of its tail. The board of the Metropolitan Railway company, London, has let a contract for their electrical power station at Neasden to the British Westinghouse Electrical and Manufacturing company, limited. The area planted with wheat in Bengal this year is estimated at only 1,404,700 acres, a total considerably below the normal area. It is explained that the falling off is due to the want of rain at sowing time. The Russian ambassador at Constantinople has secured a great success by obtaining an armistice from the sultan authorizing eighty-three Russian schools in Palestine which had hitherto existed without permission. Since the first outbreak of the plague in Sydney two years ago Melbourne has only had ten cases and two deaths from the disease, the last death occurring in June, 1900. In that year there were 303 cases and 101 deaths at Sydney. At Newcastle (England) assizes Justice Ridley imposed a fine of \$50 on the court attendant for failure to have the courtroom sufficiently lighted. A threat of the same kind by Justice Lawrence at Leeds assizes led to prompt illumination. The raising of the instrument shelter of the weather bureau in New York city from an elevation of 150 feet above the street to an elevation of 300 feet has caused an apparent lowering of the mean annual temperature of 2 1/2 degrees. It is not generally known that, size for size, a thread of spider silk is decidedly tougher than a bar of steel. An ordinary thread will bear a weight of three grains. This is just about 50 per cent stronger than a steel thread of the same thickness. The tunnel for the New York subway, which is a disfigurement and inconvenience to the city at the present time, is half cut. Only twelve months more will be required for the excavation. The cost so far has been \$13,750,000. More than \$2,250,000 has been spent in removing and changing sewers. The Persians have an ordinance factory at Teheran under the charge of German officers which turns out excellent work. German machinery is used, by means of which 200,000 to 300,000 of Mauser cartridges may be produced daily. Factories are also to be established shortly for the manufacture of dog arms. Dog collars are made of all sorts of semiprecious stones in effective designs. One fashionable style is of many rows of coral beads, with a large clasp of brilliants. A fantastic collar is of imitation pearls, with a large vandyke buckle in front, the wings being of odd blue enamel and the eye of blazing red stones. The Royal Zoological society of Ireland has recognized Lord Roberts' services to the empire by erecting and dedicating by his name a curiosa house which is acknowledged to be the finest building of its kind in Europe. Lord Roberts inaugurated the new building by transferring a lion from the old house to the new.

FORCING CELERY. Supplying the Early Market in Mass.—Birmingham With Paper. The New York Council station reports results in forcing celery for the first crop in May or June. The seed was sown in late fall or early winter in flats and transplanted twice at intervals of about a month. About six weeks or two months after the plants were set in permanent positions.

How to Make Glace Fruits. To make glace fruits hold some sugar until it assumes a yellow color and breaks off short and crisp when a piece is dropped in the water. Remove the pan from the fire and drop the orange sections or grapes one at a time into it and remove with two forks. Place on an oiled slab to dry. How to Remove Mildew. Cloth of blue about a couple of tablespoonsful, in a basin of water is an excellent thing to remove mildew from muslin to linen. Leave the article in about fifteen minutes. The Taffeta Jacket. The taffeta jacket of this season is not an Eton. It is more like a blouse. It is absolutely covered with trimming. It is broad across shoulders, loose across bust and drawn snugly into the waist with a broad, stitched belt of silk that has ornamental tabs hanging from the back. It is usually laid in a great number of large and small box plaits. Between these are stitched bands or pieces of velvet ribbon that float to the waist line finished with fringe tassels of the silk. The front has a deep facing of the lace that turns over for an inch or two on the outside. There is a wide ecru fur collar of lace, and the huge plaited sleeves are put into wide cuffs that fasten at the back with great fancy buttons usually of oxidized silver, set with gaudy stones. Strapping is Popular. Strapping, always so effective, is now being carried out in a novel, the latest novelty being panna velvet strapping upon tucked taffeta gowns. The prettiest way of putting on such strapping is done by crossing it in various designs, the ends finishing in diamond shaped points.

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