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New National Library.

Uncle Sam's Book Palace and Its Many Wonderful Features.—Golden Dome and 1,800 Windows.—There Are Electric Lines for the Transportation of Books.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—I spent an afternoon this week in going through the new National Library building. I can't begin to describe it. It will be the finest public building in the United States, and it will be the most beautiful library in the world.

The building has about 1,800 windows, and the four sides of the main gallery have 32 great arches, the key-stones of which are images representing the heads of all the races of the world.

AN IMMENSE GOLDEN DOME. This building covers nearly as much space as the Capitol. Its dome is not so finely finished as that of the Capitol.

A BASEMENT LIKE THE CATACOMBS. I can't describe the wonders of the interior of the National Library. My head buzzed as I walked through the many rooms and tried to understand it all.

THE SURVIVAL OF EAR WAGGING. Darwin says that the ear-wagging characteristic is the survival of a power once possessed in common by both men and the lower animals...

Book agents are a much abused class, but there are few occupations which pay better, or furnish pleasanter employment. P. W. Ziegler & Co., of Philadelphia, one of the most reliable houses in the business, are making liberal offers for agents.

More than half the English clergy get no more than \$750 a year.

THE BUILDING TO COST \$6,000,000.

I have spoken of the 1,800 windows of this building. These of the interior and of these stacks are set into the walls, great massive pieces of plate glass, as large as good-sized stove fronts.

This building is to cost \$6,000,000. The State, War and Navy cost \$10,000,000, and upon the Capitol has been expended, all told, something like \$18,000,000.

A CHAT WITH LIBRARIAN SPOFFORD. From here I walked over to the Capitol and took a stroll through the library of Congress. Every available room in the building is packed with books, and the library proper is so full that you have to march through single file in order to get from one part of it to the other.

It will be one of the finest libraries of the world, and it will be as perfect as modern invention and modern science can make it.

MAY BE RUINED. Unless the Leader of the Commonwealth Army Can Raise \$24,000 This Week He Will Go Under.

NEW YORK, March 25.—A special to a morning paper from Massillon, O., signed by Hugh O'Donnell, the labor leader says: "Unless Coxe can manage to raise \$24,000 by next Wednesday he is probably a ruined man."

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Coxey's Men March To-day.

Massillon, O., March 24.—Nearly a hundred recruits for Coxe's Army of the Commonwealth have arrived during the day from different points. Most of them are tramps, who camped in the woods surrounding the town during the night.

COXEY RECEIVED LETTERS AND TELEGRAMS from nearly a hundred people this morning, who assured him that they were en route or on the march to Massillon with wagons, provisions and money.

THE MOST CHEERING OF ALL COXEY'S letters so far came from J. Brown, of Pittsburg, who declared that three-fourths of the people of that large town were ready to join the Commonwealth Army.

FRANK BECK, of Clearfield, has made formal application for a job as chaplain of the army. He writes that he is a member of the Salvation Army.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 24.—Nothing but ridicule is heard in regard to the Coxe movement among well-informed persons here. The general opinion of Congressmen and others was expressed by Representative Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, to-day, who said: "No party is at the bottom of it, and it would have fallen long ago if it had not been heralded in the press."

PAPER HANGER'S PASTES. The foundation of good paste is good flour. The best wheat flour is the cheapest in the end, as it goes farther and works smoother.

BUCKLES OF ALL KINDS, particularly the narrow ones of rhinestones and out steel seem to be very numerous on everything, from little bonnets to large hats.

There is only one woman in Kentucky who has authority to officiate at a wedding in a clerical capacity. Her name is Munns and she is a licensed Baptist preacher.

For and About Women.

The bride of this season will choose for her going away gown one strictly tailor made, of cheviot, serge, or canvas weave, having a cut-away or other coat, with vests and shirt waists to make them comfortable in the varied temperatures met in her journey.

The smart English walking hats and Russian turbans are suitable for brides to wear on the wedding journey and in mornings thereafter. To these may be added a larger hat of fancy straw for afternoon drives, and a small bonnet, made mostly of ribbon, bow, flowers, and an aigrette, for calling and formal occasions.

In women's umbrellas black is fast disappearing, giving place to colors, and changeable ones at that! When first they began to come in they were produced in a bad, but that is proved an error; and red, blue, green and brown are staple colors for umbrellas, and no one need fear getting one on the score that next season it will be passe.

Isn't it a pity that so many elderly women will persist in wearing round hats? Nowhere does advancing age show more plainly than in the curling of the cheek and neck that is so charming in youth, so unattractive in later life.

Worry is a curse and a source of untold evils. It seizes the face with lines and furrows, and has a most depressing effect upon the hyper-sensitive organ, the stomach, which at such times becomes a most unwilling and laggard servant. Indeed, it is safe to say that unless encouraged by a cheerful temper and bright or at least hopeful thoughts, the stomach will play truant, and do no work which it can shirk.

Blazers and double-breasted Eton jackets of heavy pique, Holland, duck, etc., will be much worn this summer. Pearl buttons and stitched edges are the only trimming, and a necessary part of the costume is a double-breasted vest, tailor-made shirt or regular shirt waist.

With the advent of the draped skirt for day dresses, "combination" costumes are sure to come in. The favorite material for the underdress is likely to be black moire antique, white the draped overskirt will in most cases be of pale-toned cloth. Green is decidedly to be the leading color this spring.

Little pink, blue or white sunbonnets will be the correct thing for little maids this summer. They will be made just like the larger article of that name, but of finer material. Some may be trimmed with embroidery or narrow lace, and tied with soft silk ties, but most of them will be plain and untrimmed.

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