

HOHENZOLLERN GHOST.

AN INTERESTING STORY OF PRUSSIA'S ROYAL FAMILY.

This "White Lady" Who Makes Her Appearance Just Before the Death of a Member of the Household and Her Interview With a Prince.

In one of the last issues of the Russian Archives, a well-known magazine of the czar's country, appears the translation of a document which was added to the family archives of the Hohenzollerns by Emperor Frederick in 1870.

Count Nostitz, Jr., was sent to Berlin in 1869, at the time of the centennial celebration of the Order of St. George, to present King William, later Emperor William, the grand cross of the order.

The hours were on, but no telegram appeared, and the broker began to be mystified, not to say provoked, at the unaccountable negligence of his faithful clerk.

"How happy I feel to-day! Our ship is at last on the high seas; the wind is favorable." He had hardly spoken when the Count, to his great astonishment, saw the Prince grow pale.

"There was a third witness present—the guard—who declared that a figure wrapped in white had passed him. He had allowed it to do so because he had believed it to be a Saxony cavalry officer.

"On the following day the battle of Saalfeld was fought. When the Prussian troops had been put to flight, Prince Ferdinand and Count Nostitz again saw the 'White Lady,' who stood on a hill and wrung her hands, as in despair.

Emperor Frederick sent a hearty letter of thanks to Count Nostitz, Jr., for the copy of the document, declaring that the family would always preserve it as a relic.

After His Money's Worth. Col. Frank Brudley went into a well-known restaurant the other day, when, looking over the menu card, his eye fell on "Puray tomato a la St. Julien."

"Yes, sah," answered the gentleman of the claw-hammer coat and white gloves, and presently he came back with some blood-colored fluid and set it down before the hungry broker.

"What's this you got here, son?" asked the broker. "Tomato soup; what you o'd'd."

"No, I didn't order tomato soup. I ordered 'puray tomato St. Julien.' You take this back and get what I ordered. I don't want any of your low-down English dishes. I only eat in French, sir.

"Yes, sah," answered the waiter, the corners of his mouth having joined the back of his head, "dar's jes' what I tole de boss would happen if he didn't done let dem French entanglements alone. I told him dar would be a resurrection hash."

ELECTRICITY LAWYERS.

Whose Specialty Has Arisen With the Development of Electricity.

There has long been a marked tendency among lawyers to abandon the wide field of general practice and take up with "specialties," some devoting themselves to mercantile, others to accident, to corporation, to insurance and to criminal cases.

Within a comparatively short time there has sprung up in New York, if the term "sprung up" can be used in reference to anything connected with the red tape of the law, a class of practitioners known as "electricity lawyers."

The field is a comparatively new one and there are few precedents to guide the lawyer. Electricity is, indeed, a practically new branch of law business, and, as the matters in dispute are generally important, this branch of legal practice is quite lucrative.

This was divided as follows: Electrical light and power companies, \$400,000,000; electric railroad companies, \$200,000,000; telegraph companies, \$150,000,000; electrical supply companies, \$150,000,000; and telephone companies, \$100,000,000.—New York Sun.

A city broker whose home is in New Jersey was obliged by illness to lose a day from his business, so he sent word to his clerk at the office to let him know by telegram something of the day's transactions.

"Good morning, sir! All well. I hope?" "Yes, all right. I say, didn't you get a telegram for me yesterday?" "Telegram for you? Well, let me see. Why, yes; I believe I did. But I couldn't make nothing out of it, so I didn't think 'twas worth while to send it up!"

Notwithstanding Col. Bangs is only a militia colonel, and never had a title in his life until a year ago, he does not like to air his colonelcy on all occasions, and for some time he has looked with disfavour upon the cards of his wife, which read: "Mrs. Col. Bangs."

"Oh, no," she protested; "what do you want to do that for?" "Because it shouldn't be there." "Why not? It is only a designation of who I am, and you are Col. Bangs, aren't you?"

Girls, do not try to be aught but the essentially feminine. Woman's natural instinct lies entirely in that direction, and when she branches out into some other line it proves that in some curious way the pretty blossoming flower has been perverted into a rank weed.

A lover of the true and the beautiful exclaims with delight that "Cavalleria Rusticana" has netted Mascagni over \$90,000, and that Verga, the author of the libretto, has made almost as much through the tremendous vogue of the opera.

Ethel—Oh, Tom, what a pity it is you are not rich! They say that some of those millionaires don't dare to leave the house for days at a time, because they receive threatening letters saying that something dreadful will happen to them if they don't pay the writer sums of money.

Many people who so firmly believe that cold sleeping rooms are conducive to health, will be surprised at the statement of Sandow, the strong man, who writes that the sleeping room should be heated to the temperature of sixty degrees.

Gazzam—Grafik is a smart stenographer. He can take 120 words a minute. Gazzam—So can I. Grafik—But Grafik can read his shorthand writing.—Judge.

THE MODERN STEREOPTICON.

How it is Introduced into the Modern Play.

Men with inventions to sell are as plenty in the theatrical business as in any other, and are rebuffed, too, with the same readiness. But their devices are sometimes interesting, aside from the question of value.

The illusion is good. Another net makes use of the same device in representing a bicycle race between three persons. The lens is strong enough to spread a picture of but a few inches in height over a surface of canvas which will nearly fill an ordinary stage opening.

"That's not a bad scheme," said the bicycle dealer, after thinking it over. "John," he called out to one of the boys, "put that Greased Lightning Racer in the front window, and mark it \$750."

"Never mind arguing the matter. I know what I'm doing." The Greased Lightning Racer was placed conspicuously in the show window with the \$50 tag appended.

"I saw a new fish net—new to me, at least—in the Kennebec river recently," said J. S. Stackpole, of Augusta, Me. "The poor fish have no chance at all with it. It is an ordinary net, provided with a rubber tube all around the top.

Women grow more frivolous every day. Young ladies scorn housework and learn to embroider, to play the piano and to flirt, while their mothers are engaged in all the drudgery of the household.

What to Do With a Healthy Baby. The thing to do with a healthy baby is to have it clean twice a day—when it goes to bed at night and when it dresses fresh about the middle of the day.

A Curious Old Custom. A curious custom still survives at Yarmouth, by which the town is by law compelled to supply a hundred barrels yearly to the sheriffs of Northampton in twenty-four pies or pasties, and thence sent to the Lord of the Manor of East Charleton, who is to convey them to the King.

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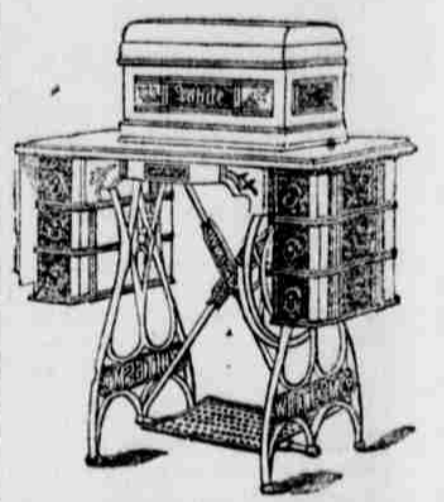
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CORRECTED WEEKLY. RETAIL PRICES.

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