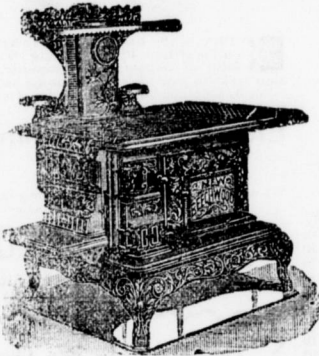


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### RISKED HIS LIFE.

#### American Marksmanship Shown In a Story About Crespo.

In Collier's Weekly are some anecdotes of the late president of Venezuela. One runs: Another little incident that occurred during the winter of 1866 showed Crespo's thirst for notoriety and theatrical display. Shortly after the episode with Great Britain there came to Caracas a traveling American variety company. Among the performers was a young woman who did marvelous fancy shooting with a rifle. The news of the fair American's prowess soon reached the ears of the president, who invited her to give a private exhibition at Santa Inez. She and her manager were not slow in accepting, and they reached the executive mansion one bright Sunday morning. After the usual stock variety performance a number of glass balls were smashed with the rifle in every imaginable position. Crespo was amazed, and, turning to the young woman, said, "Do you think you could hit one of those balls if I placed it on the top of my head?" "I should esteem it the honor of my life, Senor Presidente," she gallantly replied.

Mrs. Crespo and the entire cabinet were present and endeavored to persuade the president not to do anything so foolhardy. It was all in vain, however, for, removing his hat and placing one of the glass balls upon his head, Crespo turned to the bystanders and said dramatically, "The United States has been the friend of Venezuela, and I will show my confidence in the aim of an American."

The president of Venezuela then took a position across the courtyard, and from a distance of 75 feet the young woman smashed the target at the first shot, and Crespo brushed away the fragments with his handkerchief.

The next day the little incident was the talk of Caracas, and many were the criticisms heard of the president's lack of dignity. The young marksman and her manager were quick to realize the great advertisement, however, and after leaving Venezuela they announced the episode in display type. They even went so far as to say that the revolutionists had offered the woman \$100,000 to accidentally miss her target and place a bullet in the forehead of the president, knowing well that Crespo's bravado would make him suggest her attempting the shot.

#### A BLACK EYE.

##### The Proper Way to Treat This Unsightly and Unwelcome Disfigurement.

A black eye is simply a bruise, a black and blue spot, of the eyelids and the parts underneath the orbit. All these tissues being very loose and spongy like in nature, the blood which escapes beneath the skin in all cases of bruising and constitutes the black and blue mark spreads very widely and causes great disfigurement.

Sometimes, if the injury has been severe, there will be an escape of blood beneath the membrane covering the eyeball, but the eyeball itself usually escapes serious damage owing to its elasticity and to the efficient protection afforded by the bony ring forming the edges of the orbit.

A short time after the injury has been received swelling of the part sets in, the skin is reddened and hot, and there is a feeling of tension, if not more or less actual pain. This is the time to treat the bruise in order to prevent as far as possible the formation of the "black eye."

If nothing is done, the discoloration soon appears, first of a dark reddish purple color, and then almost black; later it fades off with a play of colors, green, blue and yellow, until gradually all traces of the accident disappear.

The first thing to do, and that as soon as possible, is to apply cooling lotions to the part. A good way to do this is to keep two small handkerchiefs in a bowl of ice water and apply them alternately, squeezed dry and folded four ply. As soon as one handkerchief grows warm, it should be replaced by the other.

By the end of the first day the cold applications will have done all the good they can, and then handkerchiefs wrung out of very hot water, in which borax or boric acid has been dissolved, should be applied and changed every minute or two. At the same time the discolored part may be stroked gently with the finger for 10 or 15 minutes at a time every two or three hours. This is a tedious process, but it will shorten the sufferer's period of embarrassment by three or four days if persevered in.—Youth's Companion.

#### "Press the Button."

A feature of the modern gun will doubtless be its accuracy of aim, says Professor Ira N. Hollis in The Atlantic. The guns of the first monitor had the ordinary sights, and the men had to look out through the portholes of a revolving turret to find the enemy. We might say they often fired "on the wing" with very indefinite notions of the range and the briefest instant for training the guns. The Iowa's turrets have small boxes projecting above the covers for lookouts. Horizontal slits are cut near the tops of these boxes, giving a view around the horizon.

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#### English Women's Shoes.

It is funny about English women's shoes. They never have anything but sensible flat heels for walking, but when it comes to a dancing slipper no French heel is too high for them. But they keep a great variety of footwear and are prepared for any occasion. Thus Lady Eryndrude Russell, when she married Sir Edward Malet, included no less than 1,000 pairs of boots, shoes and slippers in her trousseau. This was an unusual supply, however. It created no end of amusement and scandal, according to the point of view, and it was accorded prominence in a biography of the ambassador which appeared in one of the London society papers about that time.—San Francisco Argonaut.

#### Encouraging.

"De weakes' nuns' go ter de wall," said Uncle Eben, "but quickness an' courage hab' he'ped many a feller ter climb de wall an' stah' ovah ag'in."—Washington Star.

Despite the fragility with which their sex is credited, the number of British female centenarians greatly exceeds that of the men, 225 women out of every 1,000,000 reaching the century mark, while only 89 men of the same number out 100 years.

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WESTWARD. 5:10 A. M.—Emporium Junction—Train 9 week days for Erie, Ridgway, DuBois, Clermont and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 10:30 A. M., New York 1:30 P. M., Baltimore 8:40 P. M., Washington 9:05 P. M. 10 30 A. M.—Train 3 Daily for Erie and week days for DuBois and intermediate stations. 6 25 P. M.—Train 15, week days for Kane and intermediate stations. THROUGH TRAINS FOR EMPORIUM FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH. Train 9 leaves New York 5:50 p. m., Philadelphia 8:50 p. m., Washington 7:20 p. m., Baltimore 8:40 p. m., arriving at Emporium 10:30 a. m., week days, with Pullman Sleepers and passenger coaches, from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport. Train 7 leaves New York 7:40 p. m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10:40 p. m., Baltimore 11:50 p. m., daily, arriving at Emporium 10:30 a. m., with Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars from Philadelphia to Williamsport, and passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Erie and Baltimore to Williamsport on Sundays only Pullman Sleepers from Philadelphia to Baltimore. Train 15 leaves Philadelphia 8:20 a. m., Washington 7:50 a. m., Baltimore 8:50 a. m., Wilkesbarre 10:15 A. M., week days, arriving at Emporium 6:28 P. M., with Parlor car from Philadelphia to Williamsport, and passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Kane.

#### RIDGWAY & CLEARFIELD RAILROAD and Connections. (Week days.)

SOUTHWARD.		NORTHWARD.	
A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
8 55	4 00	Renovo	5 00
9 47	4 41	Driftwood	4 03
10 25	5 10	Emporium Junction	3 25
11 08	5 52	St. Marys	2 40
11 15		Kane	12 20
11 34		Wilcox	11 58
11 49		Johnsburg	11 43

#### Time Table

WESTERN NEW YORK AND PENNSYLVANIA RAILWAY.		In Effect April 18, 1897.	
12 10	6 20	Ridgway	8 50
12 17	6 27	Island Run	8 43
12 22	6 32	Carman Transfer	8 38
12 31	6 41	Croyland	8 29
12 35	6 45	Shorts Mills	8 26
12 39	6 48	Blue Rock	8 22
12 45	6 53	Carrier	8 17
12 53	7 02	Brookway	8 08
12 57	7 06	Lanes Mills	8 02
1 07	7 11	McMinn's Summit	7 58
1 14	7 14	Harveys Run	7 54
1 15	7 20	Falls Creek	7 50
1 40	7 35	DuBois	7 40
1 29	7 25	Falls Creek	7 00
1 35	7 40	Reynoldsville	6 45
2 11	8 16	Brookville	6 09
3 05	9 10	New Bethlehem	5 26
3 50	9 55	Red Bank	4 35
5 39	12 05	Pittsburg	1 40

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