



WOMAN HOME

MAKES GOOD SCORES. Indiana Girl of Sixteen Has Shooting Records Which Have Already Won Fame for Her.

Miss Edith, daughter of W. D. Rickel, of Auburn, Ind., is developing rare skill with the gun, and promises soon to equal the average sportsmen of the world.

Miss Edith's mother died last summer, and since she has taken the arduous responsibility of keeping house for her father and at the same time attending school, she incidentally took up the gun.

Her love for the field sport came to her like a vision, and, after expressing a fond desire to take up the gun, she was the recipient from her father of an exceptionally good Winchester, weighing 7 3/4 pounds.

On January 16, her second attempt at the trap, she shot 75 birds in



MISS EDITH RICKEL.

strings of 25 at 16 yards rise, scoring first 25, 17; second 25, 18, and third 25, 19, or a total of 54. On January 24 she shot at 75 targets, breaking 57 at 16 yards rise, making a straight run of 29 from the tenth to the thirty-ninth bird.

The score which Miss Edith has made in the field and marsh is also a most excellent one and shows she now possesses more skill than the average sportsman. It is not an uncommon occurrence for her to come in from the marshes with plenty of game, especially rabbits.

Use of Hot Water Bags. A hint in the use of hot water bags is gained from a trained nurse.

Very little water is used, not more than a coffee cupful in a three-pint bag, but it is very hot. Before the stopper is screwed in the air is pressed out of the bag by a quick smoothing of the hand toward the opening.

A Gentle Reproof. Salesman (in praise of slippers which he is showing to customer)—You will find those of excellent material, sir. I have a pair that I got three years ago, and they are almost as good as new.

To Make Sweeping Easy. To lessen the wear on brooms and make sweeping easier an improved handle is divided into three sections.

He Made a Sale. "I don't quite like the shape of these shoes." "They conform precisely to the shape of your foot, madam, and nothing could be more beautiful than that."—Tit-Bits.

A ST. LOUIS IDEA.

Movable Schoolhouses Which, So One Writer Puts It, Go in Search of Scholars.

St. Louis is congratulating itself just now upon having successfully solved a difficult problem and upon the carrying out of a unique and interesting idea. In fact, she has wrought out a new version of the old story of Mohammed and the mountain and a new application.

Like the mountain, it has been found necessary that when scholars will not come to the school, the school must of necessity go to the scholars.



A PERIPATETIC SCHOOLHOUSE.

self-evident that some remedy is an absolute necessity. And right here is where the school goes out in search of its scholars, and settles down comfortably for the time being in whatever locality the prospective pupils are found in sufficient numbers.

St. Louis has found much difficulty in providing room for all its school children. Rented rooms were experimented with in many parts of the city with more or less success, but the general result would hardly be called a satisfactory one.

These buildings have been constructed in such a manner that when no longer required at one site they can quickly be taken apart and, if need be, moved to another. They are 24 by 36 feet, inside measurement. The floors are constructed in eight sections, the sides in six sections, the ends in four sections and the roof in 16 sections.

When these novel schoolhouses are set up and ready for occupation they will accommodate 60 desks, and have been found to be satisfactory and comfortable in all respects.

BALL-ROOM ETIQUETTE.

Customs Which Polite Society Approves as Being in Good Form and Quite Correct.

When a man is presented to a young woman at a dance he usually says almost at once: "May I have the pleasure of this dance?"

After dancing and walking about the rooms two or three times the young man may take the girl back to her chaperon and plead another engagement—or better, she suggests that he take her to her place near her mother or chaperon.

The lady is the one to first intimate her desire to stop dancing.

If a man holds a girl too tightly she should drop her hand from his shoulder, so as to bring it between her partner and herself. If he does not take the hint let her stop dancing at once under some pretext so evident that he may realize her displeasure or disapproval.

A girl should be attentive to her mother or her chaperon, presenting her friends to her and occasionally stopping to say a few words.

Both young men and maidens should be careful to remember that their dancing engagements must be kept.

A young man invited to a house should dance as early as possible with the daughters of his hostess, and pay them every possible attention.—Mrs. Burton Kingsland, in Ladies' Home Journal.

HE PROBABLY PASSED.

Singular Report of a Railway Applicant for Examination for Color Blindness.

In railroad circles a new story is going the rounds, says the Kansas City Star. The Burlington Co. long since issued an order regarding its section foremen to report to an oculist on a certain day and have their eyes examined.

"Quincy, Ill.—Oye inspector: Dear Sir: The day before yesterday, at nine, I got word to come down and have me eye looked into for color blindness as ye call it. I had forty-five ties and ten rails to put down beyond the sand cut, an in Jerry Sullivan a Dominican Cooly had bin indispensed since the wake that was hold in the shed corpus to spare me. 'Twas lucky that the rite eye that wuz first in me hed were nocked out wid a pik, an me glass eye, that is a perfect figger wuz the eye that was not put out, is sent to ye for hexamination.

TOO LITTLE DEBATE.

Senator Green's Opinion of the Services Held in an Episcopal Church.

Senator Benton, of Missouri, one of the most conspicuous figures of the century in either house of congress, had a formidable antagonist in Senator James Stephen Green, Congressman Hitt, according to the Chicago Chronicle, relates this anecdote of the two gladiators.

"I have been attending divine worship," replied the senator, gravely. "To what church did you go, senator?" asked a woman.

"I don't know," answered the courtly Missourian. "I walked up the avenue, turned up Fourth street and entered a church on the left-hand side." This was an Episcopal church.

AN UNEXPECTED RESULT.

It Was the Mother and Not the Daughter Who Accepted His Compliments.

"Say," said the man with a worried look, "do you remember giving me a lot of advice on how to conduct my own love affairs about two months ago?"

"Yes," replied the man with the wise expression, relates the Baltimore American. "Told me if I wanted to win the girl I should make love to her mother?"

"Said if I could get the old lady on my side all I had to do was to toddle around with a ring and say: 'When?' to the girl." The wise man nodded.

"Said for me to compliment the mother on her youthful appearance," together, the worried man, "and give her a jolly about how sad I was that the young ladies of the present were not to be compared with those of the past?"

"Yes, yes, you won the girl, I suppose?" "Yes, I did—not," the old lady has sued her husband for divorce and me for breach of promise."

Sambo and the Freshman. An American writer tells a good story of his college days. It relates to a negro gaudier, a jolly fellow, with whom the boys used to have considerable sport.

It was at a wedding, and as the soon-to-be wedded couple walked down the aisle of the little church embarrassment was plainly written on the face of both; but when, in response to the question by the minister if either of them knew of any reason why they should not lawfully be joined together, there came boldly forth from each the answer "I do," the evident embarrassment on their part was changed to one of real on the part of the clergyman.—Harper's Monthly.

Thirty minutes is all the time required to dye with PUTNAM FADELESS DYES. Sold by all druggists.

The greatest coward kick the dead lion most heartily.—Ram's Horn.

Advice to persons about to give advice to persons about to marry: "Don't!"—Detroit Journal.

When a man begins to hunt up his old father in order to pay him a little tender attention, it indicates that he has heard his own son disrespectfully referring to his father as the "old man."—Atchison Globe.

"Umph!" reflectively remarked the man with whiskers. "Yes?" interrogatively murmured a bystander. "It seems to me," continued his whiskers, "that horse sense is going the way of the horse."—Kansas City Independent.

A Sermon in Brief.—A man met a bull in a field. "I'll toss you to see who stays," said the bull. He tossed, and the man lost. The moral is that it is never safe to indulge in games of chance, especially when all the odds are against you.—Philadelphia North American.

Hash '09—"I hear Prof. Soakum was ripping mad yesterday. What was his trouble?" House '03—"Why, it seems that he said to Sporter: 'I wish you'd pay a little attention!' and Sporter calmly remarked: 'I'm paying about as little as I can, sir.'"—Punch Bowl.

You often hear of a man who can't accumulate anything because his wife is too extravagant, but never of one who doesn't prosper because he is too extravagant himself.—Washington (Ia.) Democrat.

Binder Twine at Low Prices.

If you want a special inside price on binder twine, either Sisal, Standard or Manila, cut this notice out and mail it to Sears, Roebuck & Co. (Binder Twine Department), Chicago, stating about how much twine you will require and how soon you will want it, and they will save you money by quoting you a price that will either secure your order or compel the party who supplies you to sell to you at a lower price than he otherwise would.

A sure way to attract people who want to talk is to have a book you want to read.—Washington (Ia.) Democrat.

Do Your Feet Ache and Burn? Shake into your shoes, Allen's Foot-Powder, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or New Shoes Feel Easy. Cures Corns, Itching, Swollen, Hot, Callous, Smarting, Sore and Sweating Feet. All Druggists and Shoe Stores sell it, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

It is a mighty sure thing that we shall never have time to do all the things we intend to do when we get time.—Puck.

Throw physic to the dogs—if you don't want the dogs—but if you want good digestion chew Beeman's Pepsin Gum.

The sponge, unlike men, generally swells with pride when made to "take water."—Norristown Herald.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Lavative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Lots of people standing up inside a crowded street car simply means so many riders are strapped for room.—Buffalo News.

Carter's Ink is Used Exclusively by the schools of New York, Boston and many other places, and they won't use any other.

A good many failures are due to the fact that the so-called opportunities in a man's life are not labeled.—Atchison Globe.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is a Constitutional Cure. Price, 75c.

A lost opportunity never finds its way back.—Ram's Horn.

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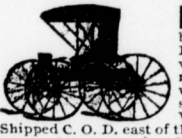
The foolish will never take simple remedies.—Chicago Democrat.

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Advertisement for bicycles and other goods. Includes images of bicycles, a rifle, and a suit. Text: '1900 MODEL HIGH GRADE. FREE with a \$6.25 Order. Ladies, Girls and Boys. FREE with a \$3.00 Order. 22 CALIBER RIFLE. FREE with a \$6.25 Order. BOYS SUIT FREE with a \$5.00 Order. LADIES JACKET FREE with a \$8.25 Order. GUARANTEED 10 YEARS. FREE with a \$12.50 Order.'

Advertisement for Old Virginia Cheroots. Text: 'Cigar Dealers Like to have their regular customers smoke Old Virginia Cheroots because they know that once a man starts smoking them he is "fixed," and that he will have no more trouble with him trying to satisfy him with different kinds of Five Cent cigars. Three hundred million Old Virginia Cheroots smoked this year. Ask your own dealer. Price, 3 for 5 cents.'

Advertisement for The Queen City Printing Ink Co. Text: 'A news ink that IS CHEAP is manufactured by The Queen City Printing Ink Co., Cincinnati, Ohio. Who have had 40 years' experience in making NEWS INK TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS. Such as, the Speed of the Press—the Texture of the Paper—the Temperature of the Press Room, etc. It goes FARTHER—ADDS to the look of a paper—and IS CHEAP or at least ECONOMICAL, which is THE TEST for the word CHEAP. This is printed with THAT ink. NEWS INK Makes a Paper LOOK THE PART'

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