The Flight of Time. Time speeds away, away, away ; Another hour, another day, Another month, another year, Fall from us as the leafiet sere. Time will our choicest strength invade, The rose bloom from the check will fade, The tresses from the temples fall, The eye grow dim and strange to all.

Time speeds away, away, away ; Like torrents in a stormy day He undernises in a scoring day He undernises the stalely tower, Uproots the tree and snaps the flower, And tears from our distracted breast The friends that loved, the friends that black

And leaves us weeping on the shore To which they can return no more,

Time speeds away, away, away; No eagle in the skies of day, No winds along the hills can flee So swiftly or so smooth as be. Like fiery steed, from stage to stage, He bears us on from youth to ago, Then plunges in the fearful sea Of fathomless eternity.

# Love's Belief.

I believe if I were dead And you should kiss my evelids where I lie Cold, dead and dumb to all the world conts The folded orbs would open at thy breath, And, from the exile in the isles of death, Life would come gladly back along my veins,

I believe if I were dead, And you upon my lifeless heart should tread-

Not knowing what the poor clod chanced to

It would find sudden pulse beneath the touch Of him it ever loved in life so much, And throb again, warm, tender, true to thee.

I believe if in my grave,

Hidden in woody depths by all the waves, Your eyes should drop some warm tears of regret,

From every salty seed of your dear grief Some fair, sweet blossom would leap into leaf To prove death could not make my love forget.

I believe if I should fade Into the mystic realms where light is made, And you should long once more my face to see, I would come forth upon the hills of night And gather stars like faggets, till thy sight, Led by the beacon blaze, fell full on me.

I believe my love for thee (Strong as my life) so nobly placed to be, It could as soon expect to see the sun

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don't she and her train make their ap- slowly and with difficulty from side to

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FIGHTING GRASSHOPPERS.

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**Fashion** Notes Plush is the rage. Kid bonnets grow in favor.

The Breton is a new jacket. Plush bonnets are povelties. Trailing skirts are moribund. Shopping for valentines has begun Fancy ball costumes are in demand. Gray is to be the fashionable spring

Brazilian insect ornaments are in de-

nand, The "Emma Abbott" is the newest

Dresses are made narrower than ever

Japanese styles of costume are coming vogue

Sleeves are so tight that it is difficult o bend the arm.

**Items of Interest.** 

Why is a beautiful woman like a Hoe printing press? Because she makes a good impression.

The product of beeswax in the United States is 20,000,000 pounds annually, worth at least \$6,000,000, while the pro-duct of honey is worth nearly \$9,000,000. The Michigan sait wells have produced 1,462,729 barrels, or 7,313,643 bushels, being an increase of 1,904,320 bushels, or 380,474 barrels, over last year's pro

According to the London Army and Navy Gasette recruiting has been so brisk, owing to general depression in all trades, that no fewer than 30,000 young men enlisted last year.

A thrifty young woman in Boston got up a handsome subscription for the letter carrier on the route, and then married him, and used the fund to defray the expenses of a wedding tour,

Paris dandy : "You always tell me, madam, that I am dull; pray inform me what is the difference between dull and bright !" Answer : "The difference is the same as between a smell and a perfume."

There is an unusual interest manifest ed in kitchen maids by the young men of Memphis, Mo., caused by a statement in a local paper that a young lady, heir to \$10,000, is working as a domestic in a forsily there. family there.

Ira L. Ibbitson, formerly a, general in the Brazilian army, and subsequently a major general during the civil war, ap-plied at the Ottawa (Canada) police sta-tion the other night for shelter and food. Drink!

A bill has been introduced in the Iln front. Icelandie costumes will be worn at ancy balls. Children's paletots are as long as their Iresses.

Gentlemen wear black silk or alpaca ominoes. Japanese styles of costume are coming frightening mischievous animals from the grain fields. It is now importing weasels for the destruction of the rab-

The Danicheff domino is of black noire, trimmed with red. Large pockets and capes are seen on hildren's paletots. All opera bonnets and hats are small, ind have low crowns. Satin and plush ribbons are the rage

child, girl or boy." "Pity the boy hadn't come," grumbles "For shame, brother !" exclaims the that hides her dimpled chin and rosy that hides her dimpled chin and rosy that broken wars near snear to humble friends at home. It's true I didn't go near her to-night. The shame species of the colon army shows what an high he is, in spite of has a window in it, and contains the has a window in it, and con

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A handsome boy boarded for a year inhabited by wealthy people, but mostly connected with trade, and in which "com-mercial credit" is everything, the clergy-and successful in business, and a pet of