

BARUS, KING OF THE TURF.

How he was handled by a Suffolk Bay Trotter... The following article from the Boston Globe will read with interest by lovers of the horse...

By his recent achievements in the West, and his training feat at Hartford, where he trotted three heats in 2:15, 2:13 and 2:13, Barus has proved himself to be the best trotting horse that ever crossed a race track in this or any other country...

Long legs of ribbon called Louis X. Barus, as he is known in the horse world, are seen in imported dress. Nearly all the new flowers for bonnets have birds among them in some form or other...

Among new imported millinery goods is a velvet called the Medici velvet, the ground of which is in shades of colors combined in one piece. A dog goes crab fishing. She sat upon a rock, fishing for crabs. She had her dog with her—a sky-blue terrier...

Yellow fever. A most mysterious, and in many respects, an inconceivable disease, is now ravaging New York City. The first general facts seem to have been learned about it after close and varied observations...

Sagacity of chickens. The artfulness of common chickens is illustrated by this funny story, published in Land and Water. In former days it was difficult for visitors to get anything from a hen...

The Burning of the Martyrs. The following is from Strype's account of the burning of the martyrs at the stake in the reign of Queen Elizabeth. The burning of Cranmer, Latimer and Ridley...

AUSTRALIA.

Interesting Facts About the World's Greatest Island. Of the entire area of Australia, which is very little less than that of the whole of Europe...

Diresses for autumn are out with long corsages. Lace sleeves are worn in silk evening dresses. Mitts are very much used in black, white, or blue, with a decorative pattern...

Handsome garnitures for fall hats are made of velvet, with a decorative pattern. The bristles have all their own way—red and black and gold are to be the fashionable winter colors...

Street Names in New York. A correspondent says that in New York a peculiarity is found in this respect, inasmuch as the streets are named after persons who lived in the city...

London Houses. The houses of London, says a correspondent, are mostly built of yellow brick, or of a reddish-brown color, and are characterized by a yellowish sandstone...

A New Elastic Gum. A rival to India rubber and gutta percha has been found in a new elastic gum which may be drawn out to several times its length...

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ARTIFICIAL ICE.

An Apparatus Which Will Turn Out Thirty Tons of Clear Ice in a Day—How It is Made. The factory recently opened in West Eleventh street was visited by a Herald reporter...

The ice generating apparatus is run, in the present instance, by a steam engine of twenty horse power. On the right hand of the engine is the refrigerator, a copper box about six feet high...

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NEWS SUMMARY.

A heavy storm in portions of Pennsylvania and other States has done a great deal of damage, washing away bridges and breaking through a bridge near Jamestown...

A recent steamer from Liverpool for the United States has passengers 600 Mercurians from the island of Mercuria. According to a report from the superior of the Trappists at Port-Despach...

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