BURR FOUND THE ASSASSIN. Famous Lawyer Once Cleared His Cli-

ent of Marder. "I was particularly interested," said an old Washington lawyer the other day, speaking of the Manhattan well crime, "in the paragraph that described Aaron Burr's dramatic act in holding a pair of lighted candles in the face of a spectator in the courtroom and shouting, 'Gentlemen, here is the real murderer.' I do not question this, but I remember that Jere Clemens, once a famous United States senator from Alabama, told of a trial in which Burr appeared for the defense of a man charged with murder. My recollection is that the trial was in the southwest. When Burr addressed the jury it was night. The guilty man was in the room. He had been the principal witness for the prosecution. but Burr had learned that this witness was the assassin, and in closing his address for his client he picked up two lighted candles from the table and holding them in the face of the witness referred to, he exclaimed: 'Gentlemen of the jury, there is nature's verdict. Now write yours.' At that moment the witness fled from the room. After Clemens told this story he wrote an historical novel called The Rivals; or, The Times of Hamilton and Burr.' In that book he wove the incident into one of the chapters. The book is out of print and has been for many years. But it had a great sale, particularly in the south, before the civil war, for Clemens was a typical southern orator, and a man of wonderful personal magnetism. The object of the novel was to make Burr a hero, and to besmirch Hamilton's character. In one chapter where Burr was high in the esteem of Washington, the latter is represented as reading a letter from Hamilton in which Hamilton detailed some scandalous gossip about Burr. Burr was standing behind Washington during the reading of the letter. Washington incensed at the contents of the letter, turned quickly and saw Burr, to whom he said: 'How dare you read my letter over my shoulder?' Burr, as Clemens represents, stung to the quick, drew himself up and replied with all the hauteur of his nature: 'When your majesty addresses such an inquiry to me in the manner you have, the only reply deceny can prompt is, Aaron Burr dares to do anything.' This, Clemens avers, was the cause of the break between Washington and Burr."

## FORTUNES FROM DREAMS.

(nventors (an Tell of Some Strange Experiences.

"It is remarkable how ideas of an inventive nature occur to me," remarked Henry Hollingsworth to a Cleveland inventor. "Frequently when engaged in problems upon mechanics I have gone to bed and dreamed what seemed to be a perfect solution of that which had been uppermost in my mind during the day. But the trouble is that while recollecting perfectly that I had dreamed the solution, it was impossible to recall the details necessary to a practical application of my idea. You know, it is said of the automatic car-coupler of the doublejaw type, that the originator of the idea was a telegraph operator who, while leaning back in his chair, with his hands clasped behind his head, dozing, was brought to his senses by the blowing of a locomotive whistle. That noise served as a connecting link for his thoughts. With his hands still clasped, sailor fashion, he slowly brought them in front of him, and wondered why the cars of that train could not be connected with one another in the same way his hands were hooked together. As a result of this curiously suggested idea we have the the two jaws of which fit into each other and clasp after the same manner of the human hands. There is a western inventor who tells of dreaming of railroad spikes one night last summer. He saw around him nothing but spikes, hundreds and thousands of them, and tons and tons piled up in front of him. But these spikes differed from any other he had ever seen, in that the four faces were grooved. He thought about these spikes when he woke up, and next night saw more spikes than ever in his dream. Then he became convinced that those spikes were intended as the foundation for the fortune that he had been striving for. As a result the western man has applied for a patent upon the invention, which, it is claimed, effects a saving of 20 per cent in the steel used, and makes a cheaper and better means of holding the rail to the tie than heretofore employed."-Washington Post.

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The native commissioner at Sebungwo Africa, reports that the white rhinoceros is still to be seen on the veldt in the districts between the Sanyati and Zambesi Rivers. It was generally thought that the gigantic

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There is the very closest connection between local political affairs and national politics in the Argentine Republic. The local administrations are, in fact, party strongholds and used as such in securing political

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The are fourteen Harvard graduates in the Fifty-sixth Congress, now in session, of whom four are Senators and ten Representa-tives.

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A bill has been introduced in the legisla-ture of New York to abolish common law marriages in that State.

# NEWS FOR THE FAIR SEX.

NEWS OF INTEREST ON NUMER-OUS FEMININE TOPICS.

Half a Century with the Queen.

Flora MacDonald, who died a few weeks ago, had been connected with the household of Queen Victoria for more than fifty years. She was appointed maid of honor in 1847, and served in that capacity for twenty-seven years. Since then she had been woman of the bedchamber and extra woman of the bedchamber until recent-

#### Ornaments for the Hair,

over their foreheads. In some cases it as rich silk, and come in beautiful is a narrow thick, fringe, again it is a shades of blue and green and ruddy parted, irregular affair. One of the brown. One costume made by a smart distinctive features of evening dress is tailor for a bride who is going south the decoration of the hair. An evening on her wedding trip is in softly blendcolffure is not complete without some ed shades of purple and green; the black velvet ribbon appliques in decoration besides the curling and short, single-breasted coat is piped puffing. Aigrets, both jeweled and with reseda green cloth, and for wear buttons at each intersection .- Dry plain, are a prominent part of hair or. on boat and trains are two silk shirt. Goods Economist. namentation, and then there are all waists, one of silvery purple and one sorts of fanciful wings and butterflies of sage-green, to harmonize with the sparkling with spangles. Flowers and tweed. Another sensible travelling upstanding bows of velvet ribbon gown is of black material with pin wired in aigret form are very much dots of white. The white cloth clorworn, and wired lace bows, both black lar and revers of the little open coat and white, are attractive.

#### Queen Wilhelmina a Fine Skater.

only an excellent horseback rider but cloth embroidered with black and is also a fine skater. Few ladies are her fastened with crystal buttons. A handequal in the pastime. As soon as the some but much more elaborate gown gentlemen of her entourage discover than those described above is of mauve a good skating place on the canals cloth with strappings of gray cloth which connect the palace gardens with following the seams of the long topother spots the queen with a couple of skirt which terminates five inches ladies and gentlemen skate for very above the ground in a series of points, long distances. Young peasants with each one outlined by the gray cloth, their girls and fishermen with their and finished with black silk fringe. skates fastened to wooden shoes fly The bolero jacket is ornamented with past the royal party without the slight- arabesques of gray cloth, edged est knowledge of who they are, and around the bottom with fringe and hearing her sweet "Goe morgen, sa- finished with a high collar and revers men." greet the party. These skating of astrachan. This splendid costume tour sometimes last for several hours is more like the old-time idea of a

### Pretty Ribbon Belt

A ribbon belt passed through a handsome round or oblong buckle at the back-the ribbons tied either at the ed its anniversary, was established side or at the left of the front in a smart looking Directoire bow-is still a favored finish to the waists of demidress gowns. In tying the ribbon the agriculture. Several American wommethod still liked is to form somewhat en have signified their intention of long loops standing upwards, with corresponding loops below the waist. Among the branches taught are poul-These look best when slightly irregu- try and bee keeping, dairy work, garlar in length. Attention to such de- dening and rural industries generally. tails may seem unnecessary, but in reality they are not unimportant, der cultivation. Besides this, the Much more depends on trifles of this warden's garden contains six acres sort in the general effect of a gown than might be supposed. It is the to the students, showing what can be Frenchwoman's appreciation of the done on acre plots of land. A large minor details of her toilet, no matter part of this garden will be devoted to how triffing, that has endowed her countrywomen with the well-deserved ed with wheat and a farmyard is to be reputation of being the best-dressed added. In a large potting shed with a women in the world. Be she parlor thatched roof carpenters' benches are maid or princess, she is sure to be included, and the students are taught daintily and charmingly attired.

## The Proper Use of Combs.

Every woman should have at least six combs. The combs are graded were added during the year. A rose from coarse to very fine and are used garden is to be one of the first innovain the order of their fineness, because snarled than others, coming in contact and shrubs; budding, grating, summer with the fine teeth before the snarls and winter pruning, root pruning and are removed would be invariably all kinds of tree planting receive espebroken. Moreover, the combing would cial attention. Training is given in be very uneventy done. In order to raising all kinds of vegetables and treat the hair properly a comb about seeds and in the thinning and planting eight inches long and supplied with of them. teeth about one-eighth of an inch apart After that a very slightly finer one grade, and so on to the very finest one. good rubber comb is used as a sub- making of the various kinds of soft stitute. Celluloid combs should never and pressed and unpressed cheese. Be- strong, and when in column of route it be bought, for they are highly inflam- sides these, the feeding, management occupies about 350 yards. When the mable, and coming in contact with the hair when it is hot from the curling try keeping is a successful part of the than an hour, however, 20 per cent. flame. The rubber combs passing eggs has amounted since last April to straggling. through the silk-like hair become so about \$120, while food and stock for charged with electricity that if the combing be done in a dark room one can see the electric sparks engendered by the friction. It is the electricity that causes the short snapping sounds that one sometimes hears when using a rubber comb. This electricity is very beneficial. The same effect is also obtained by the use of a tortoise shell comb. It holds good of any resinous or vitreous substance. A very useful comb is the so-called tail-comb, so ing pointed end piece with which it is supplied. This serves as a curler for those who have naturally curly hair.

Florence Nightingale's Decliring Years-Within a stone's throw of Hyde Park, in London, in an unpretentious dwelling-house just four stories high, Florence Nightingale is now spending her declining years. The room in which she is confined is large and airy, and is always decorated with flowers brought by appreciative friends whose aim is to brighten her surroundings. At the head of her bed a shelf is placed, and on this all her favorite books have been conveniently arranged. Here, too, her writing materials are within easy reach, and alongside of these one may see a pile of reports from the home founded in her name, which, if it were needed, tends to show where even to-day her heart is. Between these, her reading, and the | with semi-precious stones.

feeding of the birds she has tamed, that come twittering to the casement. and even hop onto the sill, she occupies her time with that patient resignation which bespeaks a godly life. Florence Nightingale still suffers from the great and continued mental and bodily Half a Century with the Queen-Ornaments strain that her Crimean services put for the Hair-Queen Wilhelmina a Fine upon her, but by her unselfish sacrifice she has made it impossible for the armies of Great Britain to ever again suffer from such horrifying calamities as those that she witnessed. suffered and endured.-Woman's Home Companion.

#### When the Bride Goes Away.

Neat coats and skirts of tweed are very popular for "going-away" costumes this season, and the usual muchtrimmed frock which brides call a travelling dress is not considered good form at all. Tweed does not necessarily mean the yellowy brown mixture worn by Englishmen in farce comedy. All up-to-date women now wear hair | Some of the Irish tweeds are as soft are embroidered with bright colors in an Oriental effect. A smart coat and skirt of fawn color has many rows of stitching on her skirt, and the short The young queen of Holland is not coat has a collar and revers of white bride's travelling dress.

Centlewomen Farmers.

The Lady Warwick Hostel, at Reading. England, which has just celebratwith a view to affording women of culture and education opportunity to fit themselves for the lighter branches of availing themselves of its instruction. The institution has acres of land unthat will be worked as an object lesson bush fruits, but an acre has been sowthe fundamental principles of carpentry, in order that they may be able to make frames, poultry houses or do any work of the kind that is required.

A mushroom house and greenhouse tions of the coming season. The prosome parts of the hair, being more pagation of vines, bush fruits, roses

shell. As this is slightly expensive, a en instruction in milk testing and the tributed over a stretch of country. and milking of cows are taught. Poul- march has been continued for more irons, the celluloid may burst into hostel work. The sale of poultry and must be allowed to this estimate for the year have cost only about \$100. and one hundred head of poultry are not lag as men do only 10 per cent. left for table and egg production.

At present the greater proportion of produce raised is consumed in the hos- that is, four abreast-occupy as exact tels, but there is already a small prispared in the way of poultry, eggs. march of the various troops are as folpermanent places will be offered later about three and a half miles. named because of the slightly project- to those who show themselves well qualified to undertake the work, trot nine miles an hour, and gailop fif-Branches in the manufacture of jams. teen. Artillery walks at three miles pickles, fruit bottling and similar in- an hour, trots eight miles, and when dustries will be added later.

ceived for four women gardeners for permanent places; three to help lay out gardens, two dairy maids, one dairy has to traverse. manager, four poultry women and a ment of a branch of jam making. One course occupies two years.

## Novelties Seen in the Shops.

Large picture hats of stitched cloth in pastel shades.

lace edged with fur. Long white Angora gloves and mittens for carriage wear. Many pompadour combs studded

Wrappers, teagrowns and negligees in many styles and colors. Colored skirts of sateen, brilliantine,

French and outing flannel. Long black velvet coats for children finished with lace-trimmed revers.

Fur jackets, fancy neck pieces, muffs and long boas at clearing prices.

Swisses, organdles and percales in a bread range of new spring designs, Rainy-day and golf costumes of re-

versible cloth in large assortments. Fringed silk squares in cashmere colorings and designs to be draped on the bodice in fichu or any preferred

Fancy striped satin and taffeta ribbons, as well as novelties in hemstitched and woven effects in great variety Washable net gowns showing appliques of colored lawn in the form of

bayadere stripes or other conventional Broad displays of face curtains, bureau and bed sets in real and imitation applique, renaissance and other popu-

lar varieties. Effective collar bands and vests of some soft material showing narrow squares or diamonds, with rhinestone

MAKING WAR IMPOSSIBLE.

Revolution Wrought by the Magazine Rifle, Smokeless Powder and Artillery.

The invention of the magazine rifle was the beginning of the end of war. The modern rifle is not only more rapid but it has greater precision and wider range. It has a range from three to four miles, and this increases its effectiveness immensely. In the last great war it was necessary to sight the rifle high so that it had no effectiveness between the muzzle and the point where it approached the ground again; the modern rifle missile proceeds at the same distance from the ground for more than a mile, and will kill or wound any living thing it strikes in its course. At a near range it will go through a file of soldiers. The rifle of to-morrow will be forty times as effective as the Chassepot of the Franco-Prussian War. With this rifle a soldier can carry five hundred and seventyfive cartridges where he carried only eighty-four with the old style.

The invention of smokeless powder is equally important. It demolishes the screen behind which human beings have fought and died. Every soldier in the fighting-line will see with frightful distinctness the havoic being made in the ranks by the shot and shell of the enemy, causing an immense strain upon the nerve and morale of the army. An army on the march, without hearing anything, will be apprised of the proximity of the enemy by seeing men drop, killed and wounded. There will be nothing along the whole line of the horizon to show whence the death-dealing missiles come

The artillery branch of the service has made even greater advance. The French gun of to-day is one hundred and sixteen times as effective as that in use twenty years ago against the Germans. By the use of range-finders a great saving in time and in ammunition has been effected. While the range has increased, the explosive power of the projectiles has enormously developed. It is estimated that if a force of ten thousand men, advancing to an attack, had to traverse a distance of one and one-half miles under the fire of a single battery, the bursting of shells thrown by that battery would scatter two hundred and seventy-five thousand bullets in fragments over the line of advance.-Ar-

## "Tommy" by the Acre.

If a civilian were asked how much The culture of tomatoes, cucumbers space upon the veldt a battalion of our is an excellent size to begin with, and mushrooms are important parts of infantry would occupy when marching. the course. Packing mushrooms for he would in all probability make a should be used, followed with the next market is taught, as the culture of guess which would be utterly wide of mushrooms is particularly profitable. the mark. It requires an expert to tell The best material for combs is tortoise In the dairy branch the pupils are giv- how a body of moving troops are dis-

A battallon is generally about 800

A field battery upon the march occupies about 240 yards, but as horses do need be allowed for straggling.

Cavalry, when marching in sectionsly as possible as many yards as there vate market for anything that can be are men in the force. The rates of honey and vegetables. By this means lows: A small body of infantry can experience and training are given in travel at three miles an hour, or, at sorting, packing and marketing, and a pinch, the rate can be increased to

Cavalry walk four miles an hour, galloping into action their speed can-Applications have already been re- not be definitely estimated. It depends almost entirely upon the type of gun and the kind of ground which it

It must not be forgotten, however, woman to superintend the manage- that just as the weakest link of a chain represents its true strength, howof the pupils intends to start a small ever strong the other parts may be, dairy on her own account. The full the speed of a combined force upon the march is no greater than that of its slowest arm.-London Mail.

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