

RUBBER SHOES.

WHAT THEY ARE MADE OF AND HOW MANUFACTURED.

The Various Processes Through Which the Crude Rubber Passes Before It is Fit for Use—The Strange, Eventful History of our Damp-Weather Footgear.

About five years ago the demand for these very convenient articles of wearing apparel exceeded the supply, and in answer to it the shoe factories sprang up all over the country. This important branch of industry gives employment to scores of men, women and boys. Its consideration is therefore of more than passing interest.

From the time the crude rubber is weighed in the "wash-room" until the boots and shoes are packed preparatory to shipment it passes through all the various chemical changes and the hands of many skilled and unskilled workmen. The managers of our "moose" rubber factories are very cautious of allowing visitors to pass through their works lest performance some "expert" may detect one of the many secrets of "compounding."

The "beat" consists of small apartments, each with a stove, a sink, a boiler, and a tank. The heat is used in various ways. It is used to heat the water in the "wash-room," to heat the steam in the "steaming-rooms," and to heat the water in the "boiling-rooms."

In the "boiling-rooms" the shoes are inspected, sorted, and the with and sole made ready for packing. The shoes are packed in boxes, and the boxes are packed in barrels. The barrels are then shipped to the market.

The "cracker" is a machine which is used to crack the rubber into small pieces. The pieces are then washed and dried. The washed pieces are then packed in barrels and shipped to the market.

The "grinder" is a machine which is used to grind the rubber into a fine powder. The powder is then washed and dried. The washed powder is then packed in barrels and shipped to the market.

The "press" is a machine which is used to press the rubber into sheets. The sheets are then washed and dried. The washed sheets are then packed in barrels and shipped to the market.

The "cutter" is a machine which is used to cut the rubber into strips. The strips are then washed and dried. The washed strips are then packed in barrels and shipped to the market.

THE DANCE.

ITS LEAPS AND TURNS IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

The Different Styles of Dancing in the Countries of Europe—Parisian Can-can, German Polka, Austrian Gyrations and Bohemian Waltz—Scenes in the Alps.

The Polka is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its quick steps and light movements. It is often danced in pairs and is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

The Waltz is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its slow, graceful movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Can-can is a dance which is popular in Paris. It is characterized by its fast, lively movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Bohemian Waltz is a dance which is popular in Bohemia. It is characterized by its slow, graceful movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

The Polka is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its quick steps and light movements. It is often danced in pairs and is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

CURIOUS WEDDINGS.

THE RITES OBSERVED AMONG THE JEWS OF THE CAUCASUS.

Elaborate and Interesting Ceremonies That Have Been Preserved From Ancient Times—Seven Days of Feasting, Feasting, Parading and Pantomime.

From time immemorial the eastern region of the Caucasus has been inhabited by a body of Jews who differ in almost every respect from their co-religionists in other parts of the world. They are not immigrants, and are reckoned by the Russians among the indigenous mountain peoples of the land.

The ceremony is appointed to take place, the father of the bridegroom takes a couple of witnesses, goes to the young lady's house, and then there formally pays the parents the price they demand for their daughter.

This purchase money is generally expended in household necessities for the young people, the father of the bride adding any amount he thinks proper for a dowry. It is usual afterward to send a present of money and food to any residents of the place who have any religious claims on the young man or woman.

The ceremony is appointed to take place, the father of the bridegroom takes a couple of witnesses, goes to the young lady's house, and then there formally pays the parents the price they demand for their daughter.

The ceremony is appointed to take place, the father of the bridegroom takes a couple of witnesses, goes to the young lady's house, and then there formally pays the parents the price they demand for their daughter.

The ceremony is appointed to take place, the father of the bridegroom takes a couple of witnesses, goes to the young lady's house, and then there formally pays the parents the price they demand for their daughter.

The ceremony is appointed to take place, the father of the bridegroom takes a couple of witnesses, goes to the young lady's house, and then there formally pays the parents the price they demand for their daughter.

The ceremony is appointed to take place, the father of the bridegroom takes a couple of witnesses, goes to the young lady's house, and then there formally pays the parents the price they demand for their daughter.

THE DANCE.

ITS LEAPS AND TURNS IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

The Different Styles of Dancing in the Countries of Europe—Parisian Can-can, German Polka, Austrian Gyrations and Bohemian Waltz—Scenes in the Alps.

The Polka is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its quick steps and light movements. It is often danced in pairs and is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

The Waltz is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its slow, graceful movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Can-can is a dance which is popular in Paris. It is characterized by its fast, lively movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Bohemian Waltz is a dance which is popular in Bohemia. It is characterized by its slow, graceful movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

The Polka is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its quick steps and light movements. It is often danced in pairs and is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

THE DANCE.

ITS LEAPS AND TURNS IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

The Different Styles of Dancing in the Countries of Europe—Parisian Can-can, German Polka, Austrian Gyrations and Bohemian Waltz—Scenes in the Alps.

The Polka is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its quick steps and light movements. It is often danced in pairs and is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

The Waltz is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its slow, graceful movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Can-can is a dance which is popular in Paris. It is characterized by its fast, lively movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Bohemian Waltz is a dance which is popular in Bohemia. It is characterized by its slow, graceful movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

The Polka is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its quick steps and light movements. It is often danced in pairs and is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

RIVERS OF FIRE.

TERRIFIC SCENES OF VOLCANIC ACTIVITY IN HAWAII.

Earthquake Shocks by the Hundred Until the Land Was Heaving Like the Sea—The Onset of the Lava—Fifteen Fountains of Fire in Full Play at the Same Time.

The mails from the Hawaiian Islands give interesting details of the earthquakes and volcanic eruptions that have been going on there. An occasional slight shock of earthquake is little noticed in this region; but ever since early in December there has been a steady increase in the force and the frequency of the shocks. By the 13th of January they had increased to an average of about three a day, and they became heavier and heavier until the 16th, when it was evident that an eruption was to be expected.

At intervals there were awful thunderstorms, accompanied by vivid lightning and a wild wind; but on the evening of Sunday, January 16, the heavens were of a clear intense blue with brilliant starlight and the great round dome of Mauna-Kea lay pure and cold beneath a deep covering of newly-fallen snow.

The eruption of this volcano is a very curious one. It is characterized by its frequent earthquakes and volcanic activity. The eruption has been going on for several days, and the lava is now flowing in many places.

The eruption of this volcano is a very curious one. It is characterized by its frequent earthquakes and volcanic activity. The eruption has been going on for several days, and the lava is now flowing in many places.

The eruption of this volcano is a very curious one. It is characterized by its frequent earthquakes and volcanic activity. The eruption has been going on for several days, and the lava is now flowing in many places.

The eruption of this volcano is a very curious one. It is characterized by its frequent earthquakes and volcanic activity. The eruption has been going on for several days, and the lava is now flowing in many places.

The eruption of this volcano is a very curious one. It is characterized by its frequent earthquakes and volcanic activity. The eruption has been going on for several days, and the lava is now flowing in many places.

The eruption of this volcano is a very curious one. It is characterized by its frequent earthquakes and volcanic activity. The eruption has been going on for several days, and the lava is now flowing in many places.

THE DANCE.

ITS LEAPS AND TURNS IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

The Different Styles of Dancing in the Countries of Europe—Parisian Can-can, German Polka, Austrian Gyrations and Bohemian Waltz—Scenes in the Alps.

The Polka is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its quick steps and light movements. It is often danced in pairs and is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

The Waltz is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its slow, graceful movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Can-can is a dance which is popular in Paris. It is characterized by its fast, lively movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Bohemian Waltz is a dance which is popular in Bohemia. It is characterized by its slow, graceful movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

The Polka is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its quick steps and light movements. It is often danced in pairs and is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

THE DANCE.

ITS LEAPS AND TURNS IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

The Different Styles of Dancing in the Countries of Europe—Parisian Can-can, German Polka, Austrian Gyrations and Bohemian Waltz—Scenes in the Alps.

The Polka is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its quick steps and light movements. It is often danced in pairs and is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

The Waltz is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its slow, graceful movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Can-can is a dance which is popular in Paris. It is characterized by its fast, lively movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Bohemian Waltz is a dance which is popular in Bohemia. It is characterized by its slow, graceful movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

The Polka is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its quick steps and light movements. It is often danced in pairs and is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

THE DANCE.

ITS LEAPS AND TURNS IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

The Different Styles of Dancing in the Countries of Europe—Parisian Can-can, German Polka, Austrian Gyrations and Bohemian Waltz—Scenes in the Alps.

The Polka is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its quick steps and light movements. It is often danced in pairs and is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

The Waltz is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its slow, graceful movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Can-can is a dance which is popular in Paris. It is characterized by its fast, lively movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Bohemian Waltz is a dance which is popular in Bohemia. It is characterized by its slow, graceful movements and is often danced in pairs. It is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.

The Polka is a dance which is popular in many countries. It is characterized by its quick steps and light movements. It is often danced in pairs and is a favorite dance of the people.

The Gyrations are a series of dances which are popular in Austria. They are characterized by their acrobatic movements and are often danced in pairs. They are a favorite dance of the people.