



MRS. WILLA A. LEONARD.

The Clever Counterfeit Expert of the Treasury Department.

Mrs. Willa A. Leonard has been employed in the United States treasury department for more than forty years.

"I entered the government service in 1864. I had my appointment sent to me by General F. E. Splinter, the then treasurer of the United States, who chose me simply on account of my 'schoolma'am' certificates, which were rather good."

"To our division must come finally all the paper money issued by the government, from the three cent piece of



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fractional currency to the \$10,000 gold certificate, and when it comes it is liable to appear in all stages of smut, defacement and mutilation.

"Having a good mathematical brain, I am, naturally, a rapid and correct worker, but it is absurd to say that I am the fastest counter. That, the fastest counting, is done in the bureau of engraving and printing, where they take a hundred sheets or notes, set them up on end, give them a twist of the wrist and, presto, have counted them by fives before you have counted twenty."

"The most I have ever counted in a day was \$12,030,000, in denominations of from \$1 to \$10,000 notes. But my real specialty is the detection of counterfeiters. Whenever a counter comes across notes concerning which she is in doubt she brings or sends them to me for decision."

Among the crosses many housewives have to annoy them is a bathtub of uninviting appearance in a room that otherwise looks fresh and clean.

By being your own workman you may at a trifling expense make the tub quite desirable. Procure a small can of common paint of any light color desired, a can of enamel paint of the same color and a good sized brush.

Cover it with two coatings of the common paint, letting one thoroughly dry before putting on the second coat, then give it several coats of the enamel paint.

A Queen's Advice to Wives. Ah, if we did but accustom ourselves to live with the thought of death more constantly before us, writes Carmen

Sylva, queen of Roumania, in a magazine. How gentle, how indulgent, it must necessarily make us if on all occasions we reminded ourselves of the ever present danger, of the end that must sooner or later come to all, if we did but reflect that tomorrow the one we love best may be no longer with us, that our eyes seeking him may find his accustomed place vacant, our ears strain in vain to catch the echoes of his voice!

Dyeing Garments at Home. The garment to be dyed must first of all be absolutely clean. Whether it is silk, wool or cotton it must first of all be washed with soap and rinsed in clear water afterward.

How to Keep Off Wrinkles. It is highly important that grime accumulated in the day should be removed before lying down. Neglect of this rule will cause sallowness and blackheads.

A Good Hair Grower. A good and inexpensive hair grower is made of two ounces of pure castor oil and sixteen ounces of eau de cologne. If the spirit is of the proper strength the oil is dissolved in it and the solution is oily, clean and satisfactory.

A Bad Complexion. A bad complexion is often due to malnutrition. Matters will be improved if a glass of either hot or cold water be sipped on waking and an hour be-

fore each meal. This washes away the mucus from the lining of the stomach and the food is absorbed in consequence. Plenty of milk and some of the well known prepared foods should be taken.

Care of Gloves. "A lady is known by her shoes and by her gloves." This is a saying that has stood the test of years.

Light Biscuit. In mixing biscuit avoid handling the dough as much as possible. Do all the mixing with a spoon and make a little wetter than the accepted rule.

How Children Are Worried. Children are often worried because their mothers are too attentive and continually reprove the small ones without reason. A child should be left alone and be allowed to play or amuse itself in its own way without the constant direction of a nervous mother.

Chafing Dish Cabinets. Chafing dish cabinets are growing in popularity for the dining room or the bachelor maid's den. They can be had in oak and mahogany.

Women who go through the world looking always on the dark side, missing the sunshine scattered along their way, taking no part in the little pleasures of life, are rarely good to look upon.

Salt water is good for the scalp, the eyes, the face, the nostrils, the whole body. Use salt properly and plentifully, and, paradoxical as it may seem, you will remain ever fresh.

Week's News Condensed.

Continued from page 1, this section. split the Republican party. He says that the attacks on Rockefeller have brought sympathy.

SOCIOLOGICAL

Summer Tuberculosis Camp.

Following the lead of Berlin and other European cities, an experimental summer camp has been established in the suburbs of Boston for the benefit of tuberculosis sufferers who need, but cannot afford, a vacation in the country.

Public Parks For Mothers.

"To break up the masculine monopoly of park benches" and to make the small parks of the city more desirable for women and children the authorities of New York city have decided to set aside certain sections of the parks for their exclusive use.

Subway Tavern Degenerates.

The famous Subway tavern, at Riecker and Mulberry streets, New York, which was dedicated to the cause of temperance and decency by Bishop Potter and other reformers, appears to have been a failure as a business venture.

EDUCATIONAL

Fewer Children at Work.

A jump of 20 per cent in the attendance at the opening of the public schools throughout the eastern part of Pennsylvania is credited to the new factory law passed by the last legislature.

Lehigh University Wins Big Suit.

By virtue of the decision of the court of common pleas in Philadelphia Lehigh university is to receive from the Lehigh Valley Railroad company ten years' back dividends on railroad stocks held.

SCIENTIFIC

Woman Discovers New Star.

Mrs. Williamina P. Fleming of the Harvard observatory has announced the discovery of a new star in the constellation Aquila. She modestly ascribes the credit not to herself, but to those to whom she is indebted for the splendid photographic facilities made possible by the Henry Draper fund.

Controlling Plant Regeneration. Professor W. A. Satchell, botanist of the University of California, announces that by controlling the direction of the flow of the nutrition in kelp, a seaweed, he has made buds grow where they had not grown before, and caused the strongest buds at the end of the plant to dwindle away.

How Western Storms Breed. Dr. W. McGee, who has finished a four months' period of observation in the great American desert of Arizona, explains the process of storm breeding by contrasting the level heat radiating surface of the desert with the uneven surface of the mountains to the eastward.

New Land Discovered. A report from the Duke of Orleans' Greenland expedition records the discovery of a new land, which they christened Terra de France, in the neighborhood of Cape Bismarck, on the east coast of Greenland.

MISCELLANEOUS

Corporal Tanner Heads G. A. R. During the annual encampment of

the Grand Army of the Republic at Denver, where 15,000 veterans were in line, Corporal James Tanner was chosen commander in chief.

Accidents.

More than forty lives were lost and property valued at over \$1,000,000 was destroyed in the recent storm which swept over Lake Superior.

A terrific cloudburst in the Unadilla and Chenango valleys of central New York caused \$500,000 damage to property.

An earthquake of unusual violence was reported in the province of Calabria, Italy, causing many buildings to collapse and burying 400 persons in the ruins.

Deaths.

Hezekiah Butterworth, author and historian, died at the home of his brother at Warren, R. I., Sept. 6. He was seventy-five years old.

If you haven't the price of a meal you don't generally need a tonic to sharpen your appetite.

Not worth their salt-tears.

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Annual Contest

To the Farmer bringing in the largest number of pounds of butter during month of August:

Table with 2 columns: Prize Rank, Amount. 1st Largest No. of Lbs. \$2.50, 2nd " " " 1.50, 3rd " " " 1.00.

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