

TALK WITH A TELEGRAPHER

QUEER EXPERIENCES OF TELEGRAPH OPERATORS.

Systems of Signaling that Preceded Telegraphy... Drums used to spread news in savage lands.

Telegraph operators have queer experiences... said a veteran in the employ of the Western Union company.

Very seldom. You see, such messages are usually in cipher, and the operator is ignorant of their meaning.

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A new variety of that favorite flower, forget-me-not, has been raised in Germany and is introduced to the trade by M. Faurobert, of Berlin.

Old as the saying is, there is one thing that the average woman will not do—confess her age.

NEWS AND NOTES FOR WOMEN.

Woolen mantles have dogman sleeves; the backs are quite short.

A pretty woman has ruined more than one church, says Sam Jones.

Long and straight effects still prevail on many of the trimmed dress skirts.

There are no old maids in Turkey. The system of taking wives on faith, without seeing them, is responsible for this happy state of Turkish society.

Penmanship at her recent State fair offered several prizes in "a dressmaking contest." In all there were eight prizes, seven of which were won by young ladies.

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Queer Jewelry.

A San Francisco paper says that a modeler of statuary has a set of cuff and shirt studs made of Chinese finger-nails, set in gold.

The Fourth Presbyterian church, New York, has had seven pastors in 100 years.

Politics Too Much For Him. A lady on Fifth Avenue, New York, quickly summoned a doctor.

Overwhelmingly Defeated. The king of Denmark has a wart on his chin, to remove which he has offered \$10,000.

A Scotchman is suffering from a painful disease of the hand and wrist, brought on by the pressure against the palm of a round-knobbed cane.

A COMPLICATION OF DISEASES is the decision of incompetent physicians when a patient has been "killed by drugs."

In China mechanics receive from \$4.50 to \$8 per month, while common laborers receive no more than \$1.50 for the same time.

The old-style pill. Who does not know what agony they caused—what woe you walked the floor, you groaned, you sighed, and felt that awful pain inside.

Kentucky's heaviest pumpkin this year weighed over 110 pounds.

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