

SOME ENORMOUS SALARIES.

BIG WAGES THAT SEEM TO BE PAID FOR VERY LITTLE EFFORT.

Why It is That Corporations Pay Large Sums to Those Who Manage Them—The President's Salary.

Chauncey Depew has always been very reticent as to his salary as President of the New York Central, but others who appear to be familiar with his income say that he certainly receives from the New York Central \$75,000 a year and that he makes from his outside legal practice an additional \$25,000, making his total income \$100,000 a year.

Then take some of the salaries of other New Yorkers: H. B. Hyde, President of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, receives \$50,000; James W. Alexander, the Vice-President, \$40,000, and John A. McCull, the Comptroller, \$25,000.

Then look at some of the salaries paid to the chief officers of banks and trust companies. Frederic P. Olcott, President of the Central Trust Company, receives \$60,000; Richard King, President of the Union Trust, receives \$50,000; General Louis Fitzgerald, President of the Mercantile Trust Company, receives \$30,000; John A. Stewart, President of the United States Trust Company, toadies along with \$50,000, and Colonel W. L. Trenholm, President of the American Surety Company, receives \$20,000.

The interests of these vast company are all under the minute observation of the commanding officer. These interests extend over all the globe and require the greatest judgment and the most skillful knowledge of affairs. Many of these officers, by their keen knowledge of affairs of state and nations, save their companies annually ten times the salary they receive.

Up in the dry goods district the big men of the Clavin Company, Tefft, Weller & Company, and other firms of that calibre, receive on an average \$5000 to \$10,000 a year. There are several exceptions where buyers and others run their incomes up from \$10,000 to \$20,000 a year.

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NEWS AND NOTES FOR WOMEN.

Lobelia is what the new French blue is called. Fans with folding handles are sometimes seen. The orchid is a favorite medal for fine enamel jewelry.

There is a fancy this year for necklaces of colored stones. The ladies who skate in Paris are all wearing astrakhan jackets. Never have dress fabrics been so magnificent as they are this year.

Gauntlet gloves are very much worn with the tight sleeves that now prevail. The ages between which most women marry are from twenty to twenty-five years.

Beautiful flower vases are those of rainbow-tinted glass in devices of a fanciful character. The Turkish fez, in enamel, with gold tassel, constitutes the latest in queen-chamber pendants.

Gentlemen's oval lockets of gold are sought after with either upright or diagonal lines of diamonds. "The color of sun, gold and corn," as a great critic has christened yellow is most conspicuous in dinner toilets this year.

Lady Alexandra Leveson Gower, only daughter of the Duke of Sutherland, is studying to be a nurse at the London Hospital. Fashions are nothing this season if not furry and feathery, and the point de resistance in every gown is its enormous sleeves.

Strings of mock gems are now employed as epaulets, necklets and waist bands, the stones being usually in simulated uncut state. In the Postoffice Savings Bank in London women are doing exactly the same work as men, and are doing it with fewer mistakes.

One of the largest land owners in the world is Mrs. Emma E. Forsyth, who has a plantation of 150,000 acres on an island near New Guinea. Miss A. B. Cleghorn, a Hawaiian Princess, and in the line of succession to the throne of Honolulu, is shortly to wed a well-known Englishman.

Lady Anne Blunt, Lord Byron's granddaughter, is living with her husband and young daughter in a tent on the border of the Egyptian desert, near Cairo. Queen Victoria's favorite daughter-in-law is the Princess of Wales. The Queen's affection for her is the natural result of the great tact and amiability of the Princess.

Mrs. Custer, wife of the great Indian fighter, who since the death of her husband has received a pension of \$600 a year, has asked to have it made \$1200 a year. The ex-Empress Eugenie is a daily visitor to the graves of her husband and son. To say mass in the chapel of the mausoleum she employs six priests and four monks.

Mrs. Miles, the wife of the General who is booked on as the nation's best Indian fighter, is a niece of General and Senator Sherman and a sister of Senator Cameron's wife. The latest thing in necklaces is a chain of pearls wound once or twice around the throat, the pearls strung upon a scarlet thread and the thread strung in a little bow at the back.

Miss Helen Gladstone, the statesman's daughter, is Vice-President of Sedgwick Hall, Cambridge. She is noted for her originality as well as her eccentricity of manner, and is utterly regardless of dress.

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Aprons are coming in again, but to be quite of the approved mode they must be in black Chantilly lace adorned with tiny velvet bows. White ones are rarely used, and are of Valenciennes lace and insertion over silk.

Some ladies of high social position in New York are said to have started a society "for the advancement of propriety and frugality in dress." Among the things to be avoided are décollete dresses and sleeveless bodices.

Mme. de Staël turbans in plaid silk stuck with jeweled pins are quite the rage now. A pretty young girl inaugurated the mode at a 5 o'clock tea by wearing on her dark hair a yellow silk turban studded with a diamond arrow.

A new trimming which promises to become personally popular with society girls is the tulle suzette, a coarse meshed black net having a narrow border in black and colors upon one or both edges. This, plaited very full, is extremely pretty.



Illustration of a woman sitting at a desk, possibly writing or reading.

In reading over the literary items of the week, I found not much to interest me, until my eye caught sight of an article headed "Jenks' Dream." Imagine my surprise to find it ended up with a recommendation to use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Nevertheless, being a great sufferer from sick headache, I determined to try them, and to my great joy, I found prompt relief, and by their protracted use, a complete immunity from such attacks.

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Beds in Different Countries. In the tropics men sleep in hammocks or upon mats of grass. The East Indian unrolls his light, portable charpoy or mattress, which in the morning is again rolled together and carried away by him.

The Japanese lie upon matting with a stiff, uncomfortable wooden neck-rest. The Chinese use low bedsteads, often elaborately carved, and supporting only mats or coverlets.

A peculiarity of the German bed is its shortness; besides that, it frequently consists in part of a large down pillow or upper mattress, which spreads over the person, and usually answers the purpose of all the other bedclothing combined.

In England the old four posted bedstead is still the pride of the nation, but the iron or brass bedstead is fast becoming universal. The English beds are the largest beds in the world. The ancient Greeks or Romans had their beds supported on frames, but not flat like ours.

The Egyptians had a couch of a peculiar shape, more like an old-fashioned easy-chair, with hollow back and seat. Rabbit Wool. To look at the rabbit as a wool-bearing animal and source of annual profit is a point of view that will certainly be novel to most people, but a student of the subject declares that the rabbit is valuable when thus regarded.

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A Dandy of Other Days.

From a newspaper printed in the year 1770 is the following description of a dandy: "A few days ago a macaroni made his appearance in the Assembly rooms at Whitehaven, dressed in a mixed silk coat, pink satin waistcoat and breeches covered with an elegant silk net, white silk stockings with pink clocks, pink satin shoes and large pearl buttons; a mushroom colored stock, covered with fine point lace, hair dressed remarkably high, and stuck full of pearl pins."

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THE COLDEST IN YEARS. So the weather prophets seem to predict that this winter will be, and by our experience thus far can we doubt, but that they must know a thing or two about the matter? Well, be this as it may, all will concede that a winter with clear, cold, bracing atmosphere is certainly more conducive to health than those so mild of the past few years.

Warm clothing is most essential; even that sometimes fails to protect us from the friendly embrace of "Jack Frost," who, no doubt, will be very vigorous in his endeavors to let us know that he has come to stay. Welcome him we must, but let not our acquaintance be forgotten should he become too familiar; checkmate him as I always have done. No frost-bites or red noses please the moment I feel his icy breath upon fingers or toes I nip his little scheme in the bud by bathing freely with some of that grand old pain reliever called Dr. Tobias's Venetian Liniment. You can just try it for yourself and find out, too, that what I tell you is the truth, and nothing but the truth, something well to remember!

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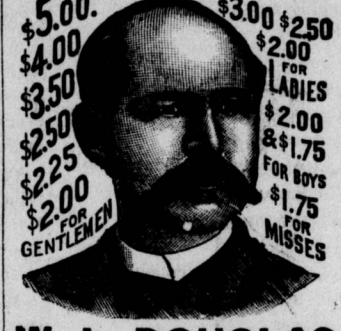
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