

A PLEA FOR THE BIRDS.

By ALFRED AUSTIN, Poet Laureate of England.
The heavenward note,
The white gulls wheel and
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LOVE'S STRATAGEM.

to our marriage. He wouldn't hear of it, and no— The voice suddenly broke into a deep sob.
And so you ran away. Well, now, put on your hat and things, and ask your father for help.
And do you think I'd go back and ask for help? Never!

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New York City (Special).—On the street it is now possible to take stock of the new coats, and a great many full-box shapes with Raglan shoulders
Many Kinds of Ribbons.
There was never a greater variety in ribbons, and greater numbers of them than ever before are made to draw up with a thread at one edge into ruffles.

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THE NEW RAGLAN.

certainly are worn. Of course they should be the exclusive property of the youthful and slender, for ample proportions find no strength or refuge in their straight trying lines.
And so he was; for they found Carstairs weak, it is true, but in his right mind.
Wrap him up in the blankets," the old man said, and I'll send up John to carry him down.



PRINCESS DRESS. COSTUME OF SILK. SCARF DRAPERIES.

instance, which is taken from the New York Sun, over a very plain overcoat and trimmed with black braid in conventional designs.
Three of the Season's Triumphs.
On many models lace motives are mingled and form part of the appliqued gariture. The arrangement requires taste, but when properly treated the effect is absolutely charming.
Black Velvet Much Used.
Black velvet is seen in some form on nearly all light gowns. Bands across the front, in many cases, appear to fasten the skirt.

TEMPLE OF TEPOXTECO.

The Temple of Teopoxteco, in Mexico, is built upon a cliff which is a sheer mass of rock more than two thousand feet in height.
It is time for our people to wake up and insist that Congress shall do something effective to stop the adulteration of food and medicines.
The young man who would succeed in life must have great confidence in his own ability to achieve success.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

It will always do to change for the better.—Thomson.
They that know no evil will suspect none.—Ben Jonson.
Influence is the exhalation of character.—W. M. Taylor.
A grateful dog is better than an ungrateful man.—Saadi.

MARKETS.

Table with multiple columns listing market prices for various goods such as flour, wheat, sugar, and other commodities. Includes sub-sections for Baltimore, Philadelphia, and New York.