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The house stood upon the side of the hill. A flight of steps led from the veranda to the lawn.

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The story of a pig and a dog.
UR hero's name was Dombey.

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He is a small boy who likes to have the things that he wants and he is diplomatic about getting them.

Lost Art of Being Funny.

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A hard tone pervades most of the jokes of the day. Periodicals that are supposed to be published for laughing purposes only are given over to flippant remarks about divorce, henpecked husbands, manish women, and cooing lovers.

Mineral Wealth of Siberia.

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Hardly any mineral can be named that is not obtainable somewhere in Siberia in abundant amounts.



WOMAN'S REALM.

GARNITURES FOR THE NECK.

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The woman whose wardrobe must be limited can scarcely overestimate the value of having on hand a quantity of extra stocks, lace collars, boleros, novel berthas and fichus.

Novelties in Shirt Waists.

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The white shirt waist is undeniably the favorite this season, and the very soft, fine lawns and muslins are in greater demand than linens and piques.

Fancies in Neckwear.

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Tulle will be more used as a foundation for lace appliques and embroideries than hitherto.

Danish Woman a Shoemaker.

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An old proverb says, "Shoemaker, stick to your last," but in Denmark the shoemakers are in a quandary how to live up to the proverb.

Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain's Home.

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Highbury is a most comfortable and commodious house, but it is too new to be admired in a land where houses must echo with the tread of generations before they are considered true homes.

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