

Lord Russell once presided at a dinner given for Sir Henry Irving on his return from America. While the dinner was in progress Lord Russell suggested to the company that the proposed Sir Henry's health. "I can't make speeches, you know," he said.

Sir Henry gently replied, "I heard you make a fine speech before the Parson's commission."

"To which my pungent Irishman answered, "Oh, yes, but then I had something to talk about!"

A miserable old banana trust does us out a dozen bananas for a quarter when if the trust did get them at a cent apiece.

Michigan is taking more kindly to the growing of sugar beets than any other state east of the Mississippi river. A state bounty has given the business a fine start in that state.

The failure of any staple crop in a country always tends toward diversification of the products of the farms in such country. Thus crop failures are sometimes blessings in disguise.

Mrs. Jane Kron Sather of Oakland, Cal., has given \$75,000 to the University of California as an endowment for a chair in some department of classical literature and has contributed property worth \$25,000 as a fund for the purchase of books for the library.

The General Federation of Women's Educational and Study Clubs in Germany is working successfully to bring about the abolition of the restrictions against women in the federation. There are 15 clubs in the federation, with a membership of 1,743.

Squelched a French Dude. A young woman of smart wit and striking beauty presided at one of the stalls at a Paris charity bazaar. Among the small crowd which pressed round the fair vendor was a young man of much assurance, who cast upon the girl with freedom and affected to admire the various fancy articles exposed for sale, but bought nothing.

"What will you please to buy?" asked mademoiselle, with an exquisite smile.

"Oh," replied the young dandy, with a languishing look, "what I most wish to buy is unhappily not for sale."

"Tell me what you wish?" she responded.

"Oh, no; I dare not declare my wishes to you."

"Necessarily let me know what you wish to buy," persisted the fair saleswoman.

"Well, then, since you demand it, I should like a ringlet of your glossy black hair."

She manifested no embarrassment at the bold request, but with a pair of scissors immediately clipped off one of her beautiful locks and handed it to the astonished youth, remarking that the price was only \$100.

Her a valiant admirer was thunderstruck with the deed, but dared not object by this time a group had collected and were listening to the conversation. So he took the hair, paid over the money and left the hall.

Value of Telephone Numbers. "Telephone numbers have an actual money value," said an officer of the American Bell Telephone company.

"The assertion has a strange sound, but if you think for a moment of the advantage a business house derives from having its location well known the thing seems only natural."

"In the course of time people's minds begin to associate a firm with its telephone number, and if when they start to call up an old friend they find him masquerading under a new number it called at a house which they were in the habit of doing business and found it had moved away. It all comes under the legal head of 'good will,' a very elusive commodity, but one which has its market value."

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There is just one thing to use if your stomach is "out of order" and that "one thing" is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

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At a recent dinner given at my home I had a case of indigestion which I cured with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Pleasant Pellets in connection. These medicines taken in connection, and in very large quantities, did me better from the start and have not left a day this summer since my stomach is in perfect tip-top, and better than I have for ten years."

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The Boatman's Term. A boatman in the north of England having been engaged to row a reverend gentleman over a rough part of a river, was very much annoyed at the manner he was addressed by the clergyman, the conversation commencing thus:

Clergyman—You boat man, have you ever studied "geology"?

Boatman—No, sir; An hevn't.

Clergyman—Well, my friend, that's part of a life lost, but you will probably know a little "theology"?

Boatman (turning quizzically)—No, An hevn't, neither.

Clergyman—Well, that's another part of a life lost, my man.

Nothing more was said, as the water was turning very boisterous and they were in great danger, when suddenly the boat gave a lurch and was capsized.

The boatman, being an expert swimmer, took the situation quite coolly, while his companion, who knew nothing of the art of swimming, was struggling for life. The boatman, who was making good progress toward terra firma, accosted the clergyman with the following:

"An say, mister, do ye know onny-thing about 'swimology'?"

"No, my man; I don't."

"Wey, what a pity," said the boatman, "there's a whole life lost!"—Pearson's.

Mistaken For shafts. A story is told of a pair of feet that had been seen objects of great regard in their day.

One day a party of men, including Jackson, the man of big feet, were preparing to attend a political meeting. It was soon discovered that there was the thing seems only natural.

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WOMAN'S WORLD.

THE FOUNDER OF A NEW SCHOOL OF SCANDINAVIAN LITERATURE.

Domestic Science in Europe—The Fashion in Quilts—Social Position in Business—Women Demand an Equal Chance.

Few novelists have had the experience of waking up to find themselves famous thrust upon them more emphatically than has Selma Lagerlof, who is now the most famous novelist of Sweden and is regarded as the founder of a new school of Scandinavian literature. Only ten years ago Selma Lagerlof was an obscure schoolteacher. As a teacher, however, she had ambitions to enter literary work, but no opportunity offered until the publishers of Ldu, a Swedish magazine for women, offered a prize for the best literary work by a Swedish woman. The teacher was awarded the first prize, her contribution being "Gosta Berlings Saga."

It is copied extensively and was well known among Scandinavians. It was known that the author was the obscure teacher. It was then that Selma Lagerlof found fame at her door. Her little composition was translated into French, German, Italian and English, and the foreign critics regarded it as highly as did her own countrymen. She now has ready for the press "The Queens of Kungabilla" and "The Legend of the Manor," and publishers are fighting among themselves for the privilege of issuing the first edition. These books are claimed to mark a new era in Swedish literature.

Domestic Science in Europe. Mrs. Linda Hull Larned of Syracuse, president of the National Household Economic association, has come to this city to spend the winter and promote the interests of the association.

Upon the invitation of F. W. Peck Mrs. Larned spoke on household economics at the congress of women in Paris last summer. She also spent several months traveling through the different European countries to study domestic science problems. In speaking of the conditions there Mrs. Larned said to a Tribune reporter yesterday:

"Although it was vacation time in all the countries that I visited, from what I saw in France, Germany, Holland, England and Ireland I am convinced that quite as much is being done to advance the study of household economics there as in this country.

"The European women are more domestic in their tastes than American women and do not go into business so easily.

"In Germany particularly it amounts almost to a disgrace for a woman not to know the fundamental principles and even the finer details of housewifery. In many instances where daughters of well to do families are not trained in domestic science schools they are sent by their parents into the families of assistants to obtain their necessary training in housework before undertaking the responsibilities of their own homes. A society exists in Germany that has for its object the establishment of domestic science schools for women in various parts of the country. Thoroughness in performing any kind of woman's work is the object of these institutions. Farm work, such as poultry raising, butter and cheese making, the cultivation of vegetable and flower gardens, etc., in addition to the instruction in housework, is taught. These schools are patronized largely by people who have country homes.

"I visited the Pestalozzi-Froebel House in Berlin, which is under the patronage of the emperor and empress and to which the empress is said to contribute liberally. The object of this school is to teach young women to do every kind of work demanded of women. Students of rich families are required to have finished a high school course and during their residence in the school learn the practical methods of housework, doing all of their own laundering while there. They are instructed in mending and ironing, the cleaning of silver and brass, the value of foods and scientific and practical cooking, gardening, etc. There are special courses in invalid and dietary cooking for physicians and nurses. In vacation time there are classes whose object is to give the students during the absence of their employers from the city. Children from the common schools spend two half days of the week in the school, receiving their dinner and paying 20 cents a month. Children of the poor over pay for instruction by paying 75 cents a month may go every day at 9 and stay until 7, receiving instruction in the various branches and three meals a day. A restaurant which is supplied by the cooking classes is run in connection with the institution. By this means as well as by the tuition received from well to do students a part of the cost of the school is obtained."—New York Tribune.

The Fashion in Quilts. Women nowadays not only make the chintz furniture coverings, the window draperies and the painted furniture of their bedrooms, but in floral design the flowered paper on the walls, but they make the comfortable and wool quilts match as well. When late in the fall a woman is seen en route to the shop with a bit of wallpaper in her hand, it is pretty certain that she is going after a gay comfortable or perhaps half a dozen of them.

Down or wool quilts form the prettiest as well as the most serviceable furnishings of a comfortably arranged sleeping room. The wool quilts, which come in all the pretty shades of plain colored silks and in all the desirable flower patterns, are taking the place of the down to a great extent.

"I have a dozen down quilts packed away," said a wealthy woman the other day, "and I am getting a supply of wool quilts to take their place. The down is altogether too warm in a heated house, and I can't use them."

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On the slightest sign of anything wrong with your health, get a bottle of it at once of your druggist. \$1.00 a bottle.

The wool quilt has all the advantages of the down quilt, with the addition that one looks upon it from that standpoint, that they are a little cheaper. They are lined with a fine quality of Shetland wool, are soft and fleecy, covered with the prettiest of silks and satins, and they make an ideal bed covering.

All restaurants have been found in the designs. Some of them also have the Japanese up and down effect that is so attractive. It is these floral designs that are brought to match pretty chintz wallpaper, or the quilts in only one color are purchased—blue for a blue room, pink for a pink room, etc. The popular line of wool quilts with the silk covers cost \$15, and the prices range upward to \$24 or even more for some of the finer ones.

The finest covers are as a rule to be found on the down quilt. A blue satin or a pink satin, for example, is covered with a handsome square of white lace and a border of the lace around the edge. A quilt like this costs \$40.

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Comparative Longevity. It has been remarked that while nothing is so uncertain as the duration of any given human life nothing is more certain than the aggregate of years which may be assigned to a group of 100 persons or more at any particular age. The expectation of life at a given age, to use the actuarial phrase, differs considerably, as might be expected, in different countries, and Englishmen may be surprised to learn that they are not the longest living among the white races.

At the age of 20 an Englishman in average health may expect to live 42 years, and any life office will grant him a policy based on that probability. The American's expectation is for a slightly longer life. On the other hand, a German lad of 20 can count upon little more than 30 years and a half.

It would seem, therefore, that the restlessness attributed to the American temperament does not necessarily conduce to the shortening of life nor the composure of the German to his prolongation. Possibly the better feeding and clothing of Americans in the lower classes of the population are the principal causes of their greater longevity. Their position is, at any rate, maintained in later as well as in earlier years.

The American who has reached 60 may look to complete 14 years more, while the Britisher's expectation is only about 13 years and 10 months and the German's as nearly as possible 12 months less