A Secret Service Girl

A few years after the close of the eivil war I visited my comrade, Captain Collins. He had been married, while I had remained a bachelor. While waiting for dinner we talked over old times.

"Women are the worst enemies we have to meet in war," I said. "If I were a general, I'd have a corps of women to defeat the schemes of women of the opposite side. Men are no match for them."

"Kinsey," Collins protested, "you were always a woman hater. The stories of education of the American citizen. how southern women carried information are all rubbish. I never saw nor heard c' any of it. I married a southern girl.

"I exper ced it," I went on, "It was in the early summer of 1862. I was then a second lieutenant of cavala picket guard on one of the turnpikes leading northward. We were stationed some five miles out of town on a crest, so that I could look either back to town or up the pike. Of course I had orders to let no one go through except those who had passes. Well, one morning, looking back to Pulaski, I saw a wagon coming loaded with furniture, and when it reached me I noticed that a woman, a very pretty young woman, was driving it. The major was in command of that part of the picket line and happened to be at our post at the time.

"'I'm going no'th,' said the lady. 'I'm tired of this war country. I'm a no'th-'n woman anyway, and I'm going to join my friends in Ohio.' " 'Let me see your pass,' said the ma

jor. "'Haven't any pass; didn't know I'd

have to get one. " 'You can't go on without a pass.' "I was standing directly behind the major, and the woman was looking right over him to me. She was little more than a girl, and I sympathized with her. I didn't see any reason why ten miles should be added to the journey of a northern woman trying to get out of the south. I gave her the wink and, suddenly pushing forward, threw my arms around her neck and kissed

her, exclaiming: "'Why, Alice, who would ever have

thought of meeting you here?" "She twigged at once and received my caress without making any fuss. Then I turned and introduced my cousin, Alice Warfield. This fixed matters. The major not only passed her through, but gave me permission to accompany her some distance up the pike. I rode by her, she thanking me with the sweetest of words and the most honeyed smiles for saving her the trouble of going back for her pass. I asked her at what point in Ohio her people lived, but she said she'd never been there herself and didn't seem to know much about it. She explained this by saying that she'd lived in the south ever since she was

ten years old. "Well, we were riding through a wood when I heard a clattering of the hoofs of many horses. We become accustom ed to noticing small things in war, and I couldn't understand how the coming cavalry-for such it must be-made no din of sabers. Our men always wore sabers, but the southerners didn't. Sud- tions. The owner brought suit to redenly I saw between the trees a Confederate flag coming. I was about to turn when the girl in the wagon whipped out a revolver and called on me to throw up my hands. I was too late anyway, for the comers were right on me, so I obeyed her order.

"When the troopers came up, it turned out that General John Morgan, the celebrated Confederate partisan leader, was in command. He took off his hat to the girl in the wagon, with whom he was evidently well acquainted.

"'For heaven's sake,' he exclaimed,

WAGE EARNERS AT THE FAIR Prominent Men Planning to Help Workers See the Great Exposition.

Wage earners of America are to see [Copyright, 1903, by C. B. Lewis.] the World's Fair by tens of thousands One dark night, while Grant's lines under the auspices of the National Civwere investing Petersburg, a Federal ic Federation. A new bureau of the force captured a Confederate outpost, Federation has just been established at and no sooner were the prisoners St. Louis upon the World's Fair

over

on his mission.

and the general at once said to him:

"What's his name?"

That settled it.

by

"John Wakefield, sir."

"He certainly is, sir," was the prompt

proprietor had ascertained their name

and now demanded their punishment.

down to the sense of intuition.

grounds. Back of the movement are York regiment. Grover Cleveland, David R. Francis Andrew Carnegie, Cornelius N. Bliss and others. Plans are making to have a vast number of the wage earners of a Louisiana regiment. When placed the United States see the World's Fair, the most glorious spectacle of the age and the most influential factor in the

The bureau is in charge of Miss Gertrude Becks, secretary of the Federation's welfare department, of which Mr. H. H. Vreeland, head of the street

railway system of New York city, is chairman. The bureau headquarters is ry and on duty at Pulaski, Tenn., with in the east end of the Palace of Transportation, on the ground floor. The Exposition management is in hearty accord with this movement on the part of the Federation to induce the large manufacturers and other employers of labor to provide ways and means for disposition, he was ready to talk on the wage earners of America to visit any subject. Thomas got from him his the Exposition. President Francis is family history complete, then the name displaying personal interest in the un- of the town from which the man haildertaking by affording the Federation every facility for the consummation of its efforts, and in this connection he rades, with incidents of campaigning. has directed Theodore Hardee, assistant to the secretary, to co-operate with enlisting and had cultivated a wonder-Miss Beeks and Ralph M. Easley, ful memory. When he had stored up a chairman of the Federation's executive

ouncil, in every possible way. The Exposition management has also equipped this bureau with clerical as-

sistance and a full supply of World's Fair literature. The bureau will be to the front and made a bolt for it. used as headquarters for all wage earn- In other words, it was made to appear ers coming to the Exposition under its auspices. The aim of the Federation is was making a dash for liberty, and the to make it feasible for the largest pos-sible proportion of wage earners to visit St. Louis and see the World's Fair. It will see that they are met at the depot by responsible persons and conducted to suitable lodgings, where they will be treated fairly.

There will also be furnished, free of charge, appropriate itineraries indicat-ing the points of interest to be seen within a limit of one week, which is about the average time each party will spend here. It will also indicate the member of your company. Is he or is objects of special interest to various be not?" craftsmen in their particular lines, so that they may devote as much time reply. as possible to the objects of peculiar interest to them. These and many other efforts will be made to help all wage earners to enjoy the benefits of this great Exposition comfortably and at an

A Costly Retort.

expense within their means.

"When Chief Justice Chase, a man of great abilities and marked characteristics, was presiding in one of the county courts of Vermont," said a lawyer of the state, "an appeal case from a justice's court came up before him, so. small and contemptible in its origin that he ordered it stricken from the docket. The case was where a turkey had trespassed upon the garden of a neighbor and got shot for his depredacover damages and, failing before the justice, had appealed the case. Judge Chase was angry and when he ordered the case from the docket said:

"The lawyer who consented to ap-the general had felt doubts of Thomas peal this case ought to be thrown from from the first, which may again be set the window of the courtroom. Why didn't he have the case referred to some of the honest neighbors for settlement?

"'Because, your honor,' retorted the put on his mettle by the sneers and attorney, getting hot under the collar, ridicule, he determined to prove his 'it was our intention not to let honest case at all costs. As the accuser he people have anything to do with it.' had the general ask hundreds of ques-"True, this was a neat retort, but it cost the lawyer just an even \$50 for ple from which Thomas as Wakefield tions. He knew the town and the peo contempt of court." Ancient Chinese Musical Instruments over. As an offset all the officers and The ancient Chinese believed that music was of divine origin and that it privates of the company asserted that Thomas was Wakefield and that there was a gift from the gods to man. Anwas no room to doubt. He went at it cient Chinese instruments are of very neat workmanship. There is a small and related every incident of camp life for a year past and told of things which violin called ur-heen, which is made of it seemed impossible for a stranger to dark wood, the head covered with know. snakeskin. It is not ornamented with General Mahone was clearly puzzled any carved or inlaid designs, but it is over the case and took two days to beautifully made, and the wood is polthink it over. At the end of that time ished very smooth. There are only Thomas was escorted back to find a two silken strings, tuned in fifths and soldier in Federal uniform in the generplayed on with a horsehair bow. A al's tent, and there were also two civilthree string banjo, also covered with tans in waiting. It was a little surprise snakeskins, has a long neck, the top of for the spy. The man in Federal uniwhich, where the strings are fastened, form claimed to have known Thomas being carved to represent a bat. There as a Federal soldier under the name of is also a very ingenious mouth organ Brown, and the two civilians claimed called ti-tzu. The body is made of that he had never been a resident of wood, and in it are inserted seventeen their town. The notes are made by stoppipes. Thomas realized that the pinch had ping the holes in the pipes with the

THE OTHER MAN REPRESENTATIVE MEN ON THE WORLD'S FAIR

What Distinguished Statesmen and Others Say of the Educational and Inspiring Exposition at St. Louis.

The public utterances of distinguishbrought in than one of them proved to ed men who have visited the world's be the double of a private in a New fair have but one note, and that of emphatic praise. Here are some of The name of the Confederate was

Wakefield, while that of the Federal their comments: was Thomas. The former belonged to Hon. John Hay, secretary of state: "I have never seen nor heard of anything so

side by side they seemed to be twin fine. Hon. Leslie M. Shaw, secretary of the brothers. Each was about twenty-two treasury: "Any father of a bright boy can afford to send him to the Fair simply to years old; each was about five feet five inches high; each weighed 140 pounds. study any one of at least a thousand ex-Their eyes and hair were of the same hibits.' color, and even their voices were the Hon. Charles H. Grosvenor of Ohio: "A visit of ten days by a man of ordinary aptness and appreciative capacity to the same except that the southerner had a little more drawl. The pair were as Fair is almost equal to a postgraduate much astonished as the officers and ourse in a university." Hon. Benjamin B. Odell, governor of surgeons who were called to look them

tains New York: "St. Louis has been badly mis-You will not be surprised that advan represented by accounts which say that tage was taken of this curious coinciweather is unbearable. The Fair is dent to send Thomas into the Confedervonderful.

ate lines. As a preparatory step he Hon. George C. Pardee, governor of Callfornia: "The governor of the Golden State, who has spent all his life within her borwas given a week in which to pump Wakefield. The prisoner did not know the object, and, being of a garrulous and saw all her varied products assembled New York and Boston.

Hon. Albert B. Cummins, governor of Iowa: "The Louisiana Purchase Exposition is on the grandest scale of any exposition the world has ever seen."

The Federal had been an actor before

thousand different things in his mind he bought the uniform worn by the Confederate and was ready to set out

One night Thomas was taken down Virginia: "I cannot speak too strongly of the greatness of this Fair."

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St. Lonis may therefore rightly claim to be a summer resort this summer, positively one of the most comfortable to be a summer resort this summer, positively one of the most comfortable to delightful places on the map.
Wonderful thing of its kind."
Hon. Hoke Smith of Georgia, formerly secretary of interior under President Cleveland: "I am highly pieased with the Exposition and believe it to be one of the triumphs of modern civilization."
Hon. Perry Belmont of New York: "In magnitude and beauty the Fair is worder-ful. It is worth coming a long distance
St. Lonis may therefore rightly claim to be a summer resort this summer, positively one of the most comfortable delightful places on the map.
How to Make Borax Water.
Borax water is a good thing to have about the washstand. It is easily made. Pour a pint of boiling water over six tablespoonfuls of powdered crystallized borax and let it get cold. Then strain and bottle. The water will care not to aim at the running man. On reaching the Confederate lines Thomas was sent to the headquarters of General Mahone. The general seemed a bit suspicious, and Thomas, play ing the part of Wakefield, asked that ful. It is worth coming a long distance Then strain and boitle. The water will his captain be sent for. It was a cou-

Hon. Daniel J. Campau, chairman of the ple of hours before the officer arrived, Hon. Daniel J. Campau, chairman of the Michigan delegation to the Democratic national convention at St. Louis: "It is positively sinful for parents to fail to bring their children to see the Fair." M. Paul Dupuy, editor of Le Pett Pari-sien of Paris, France: "I admire the Ex-position for its immensity, its spirit of the publics its scenario beauty and its com-"Captain, this man who has come into our lines tonight claims to be a

Prince George of Bavaria: "I have never

Prince George of Bavaria: "I have never seen anything prettier than the St. Louis World's Fair buildings when outlined at night with their millions of electric lights." Hon. Louis E. McComas of Maryland: "The greatest Fair in the world." Hon. John F. Dryden of New Jersey: "The people have no idea of the greatness of the Exposition. Every American should see it." pretense of visiting a cousin in a Vir

calculating to take the first opportunity to escape, he was at once put under Leaf route of Chicago: "The Fair is a big success and will continue to become a greater success as it progresses" arrest. It appeared that Wakefield

CONCERTS BY MASSED BANDS

When the merchant and Thomas Aggregating \$30,000 to Be Dis

Never were musical events in America planned upon such an elaborate scale as those of the World's Fair. A series of concerts will be given by competing bands in contest for prizes offered by the World's Fair. These contests will take place in Festival Hall, Sept. 12 al Mahone. As stated after the war, to 17.

The name of the merchant who had the organization scoring the highest been despoiled was Saunders, and he was of an implacable nature. Boing ber.

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Combinations of Purple WEATHER AT WORLD'S FAIR.

Royal purple is one of the most ap propriate shades for combined day and Cool Nights and Delightful Indian evening wear. It is not a color that Summer to Be Expected at St. Louis. can be worn by all, but with those who Usually the warmest month of the year, July proved to be one of the most can wear it it is worthy of consideration. A glorious mixture is composed leasant of the World's Fair season of purple and a peculiar shade of he average temperature being 67 de bright pink. Strange as it may sound grees, a record lower than that made this is really a becoming combination by either Boston, New York, Philadelwhen softened by lace and can be worn phia, Cincinnati or Chicago. The by many who cannot wear purple veather bureau records show that the alone. emperatures in St. Louis during July

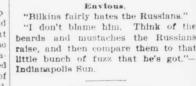
Insulted. Higgles-Is there any truth in the report that your employer discharged

ities located at great variance August in St. Louis is a month of you last week? Muggins-Yes, but I cool nights, and September and Octowouldn't mind it so much if he hadn't ber are the most delightful months of added insult to injury. Higgies-Why, how's that? Muggins-He advertised the year. It is that period known as Indian summer, when the foliage and for a small boy to fill my place.

> How He Gained Success "Didn't he make a failure of life at never, never return to America. He

> > of Danville.

"Well, yes; he failed at everything until he struck the happy idea of selling advice on how to succeed to young mans that he would be hungry all the several hot days during July, but her men who have more ambition than



In Great Luck. "You've overdrawn your account madam." said the cashier. "How lovely!" cried the fair depos itor. "I never expected to be able to

get ahead of the bank that way." Chicago Post. Preferred Jail.

LACKAWANNA RAILROAD. A convict in a New England prison who had been sentenced to a life term for murder in the second degree, hav ing served a considerable number of years, was told that he would be released were he to pledge himself to go Buffalo .. back to Italy, his native country, and declined the offer of freedom on the ground that he could earn so little money in the land of the ancient Ro-

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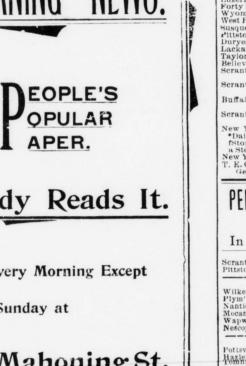
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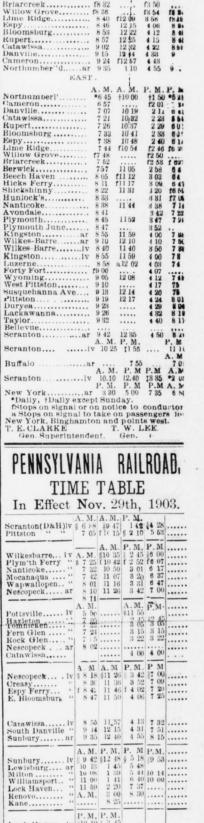
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birds linger to challenge the coming winter. Nowhere on the American continent is there a spot more delightful than the World's Fair city, a garden first?" of blooming flowers and spraying foun-St. Louis, like all cities, experienced highest temperature recorded was 93 sense."-Chicago Post.

degrees against 94 degrees registered by the thermometer at Chicago. On the same day the mercury rose to 96 who has spent all his life within her bor-ders, finds that he knew only a little about his state until he came to the Fair heat prostrations were reported from

were just between the extremes re

corded at New Orleans and St. Paul,

The relative humidity shows St. Louis to be about normal. Assuming absolutely no moisture in the atmosphere to be zero and absolute wetness to

sition the world has ever seen." Hon. Richard Yates, governor of Illi-nois: "The more I see of the Exposition the more I enjoy it." Hon. Fennimore Chatterton, governor of Wyoming: "I wish the Fair the greatest mit 64.6. Chicago 66.0 and St. Louis nati 64.6, Chicago 66.9 and St. Louis Buccess, it certainly deserves it." Hon. Franklin Murphy, governor of New Jersey: "It is well worth coming from New Jersey to see even a small part of Dids Fair". midity, would cause it to seem the A. B. White, governor of West hotter at the point of greater density.

St. Louis may therefore rightly claim

take just about this amount of borax, this being a saturated solution. Keep

Job Work.

Furnaces, etc.

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J. J. BROWN,

sublime, its general beauty and its com-

After three or four days and under

ginia regiment Thomas covered the front and had a look at guns and forthfications. When he returned to camp, T. P. Shants, president of the Clover For all kind of Tin Roofing

and some of his comrades had raided a store of a lot of eatables, and the

were brought face to face the latter PRICES THE LOWEST ! tributed at the World's Fair.

declared that Thomas was not the man be represented himself to be. Why he should have made such a declaration is a puzzle, but he seemed to be guided intuition. He was ridiculed and laughed at, but he stuck to his assertion and even denounced Thomas to Gener-

JOHN HIXSON Nine cash prizes, aggregating \$30,000, are offered for the successful bands. The prizes are divided so as to give to number of points \$3,250; \$2,500 will be given to the band scoring the second highest number of points and \$1,500 to the one getting the third highest num-

what are you doing with all that furniture?'

"The girl laughed. 'I tried hard to get a pass to come out to meet you, but the Yanks were too smart for me, so I played the northern woman trying to so home. This gentleman helped me through by owning me for his cousin. But, general, there's a Yankee wagon train at Pulaski, and I've taken all this trouble to come out and tell you. There's a small guard, and you can easily capture the whole kit.'

"'General,' I said, 'take me south, please, somewhere, anywhere, where I'll not see my comrades again. I'd rather go to Libby than meet one of

"The general laughed, but I was obliged to go with him back to Pulaski. The girl left her household effects in a farmyard on the road and, mounting a horse, rode back with us, guying me pleasantly all the way.

"That was the way John Morgan came to know of the wagon train being at Pulaski. He drove off the guard and after helping himself to what supplies he wanted burned the rest."

"By Jove!" exclaimed Collins. "She was a plucky girl, wasn't she?"

"Yes, and there were plenty more of ten wondered if the girl ever married. Her husband might expect to wake up any night with the cold muzzle of a revolver on his temple."

At that moment Mrs. Collins entered, and her husband rose, as I did also, to introduce me. I started, and Mrs. Collins looked at me scrutinizingly. She was the girl who had tricked me. "Colonel Kinsey, my dear, has been

telling me a cock and a bull story about"

"It's all true," she said. "I was the the story for fear of incurring your will admit I have a Confederate medal for the secret service work I did on that ALFRED TOWNSEND. occasion."

A Curious Phenomenon.

A singular phenomenon occurs on the borders of the Red sea at a place states. "He was worse than any of called Nakous, where intermittent underground sounds have been heard for an unknown number of centuries. It is situated at about half a mile's distance from the shore, whence a long reach of sands ascends rapidly to a height of 300 feet. This reach is about eighty feet wide and resembles an am- tion is concerned." phitheater, being walled in by low rocks. The sounds coming up from the ground at this place recur at intervals of about an hour. They at first resemble a low murmur, but ere long there of a clever dog which had rescued a

is heard a loud knocking somewhat is heard a loud knocking somewhat child from drowning. It was said that the strokes of a bell and which at that the dog was caressed by the parthe end of about five minutes becomes ents of the child. I asked what was so strong as to agitate the sand. the meaning of caressed, and the an-

The explanation of this curious phe- swer came at once, 'Made of fond led.' nomenon given by the Arabs is that On referring to the list of words at there is a convent under the ground the top of the lesson I found the exhere, and that these sounds are those planation given was 'made of, fondled.' of the bell which the monks ring for Wishing to find out if any child in the prayers. So they call it Nakous, which class had got a glimmering of the means a bell. The Arabs affirm that meaning, I went from top to bottom the noise so frightens their camels and got from every child nothing but when they hear it as to render them furious. Philosophers attribute the sound to suppressed volcanic action— and got from every child abduild four words, to which they attached no meaning whatever. The teacher was meaning whatever. The teacher was furious. Philosophers attribute the probably to the bubbling of gas or va pors underground. — Newcastle (Eng. the intelligence of the teaching." land) Chronicle

fingers. The Chinese are very fond of drums, which they call kou. The oldest drums were of baked clay, with a skin head fastened on with nails instead of "the same sort in the south. I have of- to tune them as modern drums are braced cords, which made it impossible tuned. The variations of tone were regulated only by the force of the blow.

Ingratitude.

A congressman from a northern state was complaining to a colleague of the political nonactivity of a number of his constituents whom he had been influential in placing in public offices

"There is no use talking." he said. "this civil service business is a humbug. I named four or five fellows for woman, and I've never forgotten the gentleman's kindness. I never told you warm in their seats they snapped their fingers at me. They felt that they prejudice, but now that it's all out I were protected by the civil service and made up their minds to lay down and time, he made a bolt and fortunately not do any work."

"That's nothing to a fellow that I had appointed," said the other man, who hailed from one of the western

your fellows." "Why, what did he do?" inquired the northerner. "Do?" was the indignant reply. "Why, as soon as he got his place he joined the church, and now he is useess as far as our political organiza-

A Scotch School Story. Dr. Kerr, a Scotch minister, tells this story of his visit to a village school: "The lesson was one giving an account half of what the great white plague claims. Only pneumonia approaches it as a slayer of men.-Everybody's Magazina

> Cheap and Consoling. stranger. I've known of several instances where we strung up an innocent | Weekly.

Baid:

charges."

man. "And what do you do in such cases?" was queried.

the prisoner for a long minute and then

Man's Worst Enemy.

"Oh, we even things up by passing r

in Class A, which consist of twenty members. In the B class \$10,000 will claimed to hail and in the course of the be given in prizes-first, \$4,500; second, day had trapped him a dozen times \$3.500: third. \$2.000.

> Class C, which includes bands of thirty-five members, will enjoy the division of \$12,750. For the organization scoring the highest number of points a prize of \$6,000 has been nam d. The second prize is \$4,000 and the third \$2,-700

Bands employed by the Exposition are not permitted to contest. All players must be bona fide members, and each musician must have been enrolled at least three months prior to the date of the contest. Each band must send to the bureau the name of its members and a nominal entrance fee.

Festival Hall concerts by massed bands will be given at 7:30 each day during the contest, in which all contesting bands will take part under the direction of a distinguished conductor. All bands entering must agree to play one concert in addition to the compet-

come, and he braced himself to make a ing concert and massed concerts. fight for his life. General Mahone A separate programme has been pre treated him in the fairest manner, and, pared by the Bureau of Music for each acting as his own counsel, he went at it class, and each band will play through and soon had the supposed Federal solthe full programme of its class. The dier all twisted up and out of the runnumbers in all three programmes are ning. Then he tackled the civilians, and by eminent composers and are chosen they proved to be as easy game. Inwith the view of bringing out the qualstead of being cornered up he cornered ities of the bands performing them. The his accusers, and it was so well done list of composers includes Wagner, Gouthat he was complimented by the gennod, Offenbach, Verdi, Saint-Saens, Bi-

eral. When the case had been concludzet, Strauss and Leoncavallo. ed. Mahone leaned back and looked at

Petitions Were In Order.

The caution and conservatism of the average banker are proverbial. A little story which I heard serves to illustrate the banking trait to a rather humorous degree. A man I know had some paper to discount. He resides in one of the larger towns near Pittsburg, and he called at a certain bank in that

"Mr. Blank," he said to the cashier, I wish your bank would discount this note for me. I can get So-and-so to indorse it and So-and-so and So-and-so," giving the names of a score of mer who, he stated, would be willing to put heir names to the back of the note. "All right," said the cashier in reply

Wherever you see ten people togeth er, ten average people of all ages, you 'Suppose you get them all." may say: One of those ten will die of This reply took the man who wanted consumption. In the long run you will the accommodation completely off his be more than justified in your prophe feet. So, picking up his hat, he made

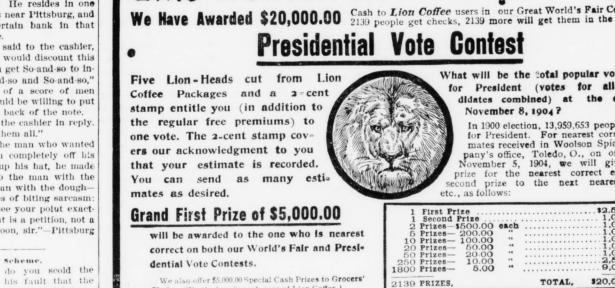
cy. It will be nearer one out of every a profound bow to the man with the nine born into the world. We are horhoe-I mean the man with the doughribly afraid of cholera and all bowel and replied in tones of biting sarcasm diseases, of diphtheria and of scarlet "My dear sir, I see your polut exact fever. Add to these the annual deaths | ly. What you want is a petition, not a from measles (measles is far from benote. Good afternoon, sir."-Pittsburg ing harmless) and the sum total is not Dispatch.

A Good Scheme Husband — Why do you scold the butcher? It isn't his fault that the neat comes to the table all dried up. Scold the cook. Wife-I don't dare to "Yes," replied the western man; "we but I'm in hopes that if I keep on scoldsometimes make mistakes in hanging a ing the butcher he'll get mad and come around and scold the cook .- New York

> Justifiable Suspicion. Mistress (to pretty housemaid) -Bythe way, Mary, should my husband ever attempt to kiss you just box his oa.ally. Maid Shure, ma'am,

he's felt the weight of me hand twice

already .- Minueapolis Times.



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