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EMPTY ADVICE.



GEORGE BAKER

Mike—Shure, Ol feel very queer, Dan. Ol have sich a feel av fullness after me meals. Do yes know a rimidy fur that?

Dan—Ol do, me boy. Whin yez sit down to ate a meal, don't ate ony.

Mike—But thin Ol shud be full av amptness!

At the First Try.

"What do you think of my doughnuts, George?"

"Dear, you are a wonder!"

"Do you think so, really, darling?"

"I certainly do. Scientists have been trying for years to produce artificial rubber, and here you do it the first rattle out of the box."

Easy for Her.

An extremely corpulent old lady was entertaining her grandchild at luncheon when she found occasion to reprimand the little girl for dropping some food on the tablecloth.

"You don't see grandma dropping anything on the table," she said.

"Of course not," replied the child; "God gave you something in front to stop it."

A man can't understand why a woman who never spends more than 17 cents for her luncheon should think nothing of blowing in \$50 for a hat.

It seems as though women's styles change so often merely to keep men's noses down to the grindstone.

## When It's "What for Breakfast?"

Try Post Toasties

Serve with cream or milk and every member of the family will say "ripping" good. And don't be surprised if they want a second helping.

## The Memory Lingers

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# HAPPENINGS IN THE CITIES

## Wild West Outdone in New York City



NEW YORK.—The wild west was once the home of most that was romantic and daring in crime. Today it is superseded by the wild east—by New York city itself. Crimes are being committed here which for daring and unwontedness can scarcely be surpassed even by the most imaginative of writers of fiction.

A few weeks ago, up the river in the neighborhood of Hudson, there was a hold-up such as Deadwood Gulch or Coyote Canyon never surpassed. A paymaster and his guard returning from a bank with \$5,000 to pay of the laborers in a brickyard were held up and shot to death within a few hundred yards of their office, and to this day not one of the assassins has been captured and not the slightest light has been thrown on the tragedy.

Recently in West Forty-seventh street there was a duel between two parties of men. Each of them was in a big touring car and they maneuvered up and down the street exchanging shots like two battleships in action. There was another duel between two automobile parties on Seventy-second street a couple of evenings later.

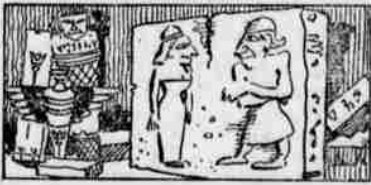
Not long ago, one afternoon when Broadway was crowded, a gambler stood in front of one of the best known of New York's theaters and

engaged in a pistol duel with another whom he claimed had wronged him. The aggressor was the poorer marksman and was filled with lead. Half an hour later the sidewalk had been scrubbed up and was dry and dusty again, and the surging crowds gave as little comment to the affray as the border men used to when a man was killed over a game of cards in Abilene or Dodge or any other of those roaring cities of the cow country a quarter of a century ago.

One of the most daring deeds in the history of the metropolis was that performed by Myles McDonnell. He walked into a saloon, where he knew a lot of his enemies were waiting to kill him. The minute he stepped inside the door three or four of his foes opened fire on him. He drew his pistol without batting an eye and answered shot for shot. The doctors of the Harlem hospital were busy for several days thereafter attending to the dead and wounded. McDonnell killed two and seriously injured three or four others. He himself got off without a scratch.

New York today has the greatest clearing house for thieves in the world. It is here that congregate the transatlantic robbers, men who work the ocean greyhounds. After each round trip they meet at this rendezvous and divide their spoil. There also assemble the master thieves, the big robbers, the clever men who steal by brains as well as by force. They are the safe blowers, the crack second-story men, the cleverest of forgers who steal with pen and ink, the kings and princes of the wireless wire tapping and gold brick industry, the big swindlers in fake mining schemes.

## Bring Rare Antiquities From Egypt



BOSTON.—The Egypt exploration fund of England and the United States has forwarded to its headquarters in Tremont Temple a valuable consignment of antiquities to be divided among museums contributing to the society's excavations in Egypt. These objects were displayed in King's College, London, and represent the result of last winter's work conducted at Abydos, Ehnasiya and Sidmant.

Abydos has proved an especially valuable site for exploration. Here Ostris and Isis had their chief altars, to which offerings were brought from the farthest borders of Egypt during the period of centuries from the twenty-eighth to the thirtieth dynasties.

The main work, which was carried on under the general direction of

Prof. E. Naville, consisted of an attempt to clear finally the royal tombs of the first and second dynasties; but much still remains to be done at this site, and good results are expected from the continuation of the work next season. From these excavations come slate palettes, jars and vases, ornaments of glaze, wood, stone, carnelian, amethyst and flint; flint razors, ivory carvings, beads and pottery.

It is a significant fact that many of the discoveries of the last year are injured by dampness, because they lie so near the area of cultivation. The wide extension of agricultural Egypt resulting from the building of the monster dams at Assiout and Assouan, has not been an unmixed blessing. Many of the noblest monuments have been injured and will ultimately be overthrown by the encroaching waters. The relics of the past that have lain safely in the dry sands of Egypt are already beginning to decay at the touch of the infiltrating waters. A few years more and the excavator will find nothing of value in places that are now rich fields for archaeological research.

## Now the Slot Machine Grocery Store



CINCINNATI, O.—The corner grocery store in the crowded tenement sections of great cities in the United States will be crowded out by automatic grocery stores if the formation of a great corporation to install slot machine stores in congested districts proves a success.

Rev. H. E. Robbins of New York city, who came here to attend the general Episcopal convention, has recently been appointed chairman of the committee of 50 business men and philanthropists who will direct the placing of the stores.

Automatic lunchrooms, though not new, form another side of the project. The company has already contracted with the Baldwin Locomotive Works and Cramp's shipbuilding yards to supply food at noon to their 40,000

men, said Rev. Mr. Robbins.

"Our automatic grocery store and lunch is not entirely for profit," said Mr. Robbins. "It will really be a great philanthropy. The poor in the tenement parts of the big cities buy in small quantities and have to pay the highest prices. A woman who purchases 10 cents' worth of coal gets it at the rate of \$20 a ton. So with the other necessities of life. The cheap groceries are also unsanitary, and much time is lost waiting to be served, especially if a child is sent to make the purchase.

"Our grocery stores will consist of a small room with a lot of slots in the wall. If a man wants a dime's worth of coal all he has to do is to drop a dime in the slot and he gets a whole 10 cents' worth. So with beans, sugar, coffee and all the rest of the groceries, done up in clean packages, prepared at a central point and bought in large quantities, which explains the big saving. You cannot haggle over prices with the slot machine, nor do you lose time in being waited on. Prices will be from 1 cent up."

## Women to Pit Salon Against Jackpot



CHICAGO.—The "Jackpot" is to be supplanted by the "salon" at Springfield. Tea and wafers are to vie with the stronger stimulants which have been inseparable from legislative lobbying before. Pretty girls will pit their skill against that of corporation lawyers and saloon keepers.

Feminine methods are to be introduced into political wire pulling and those who are familiar with the internal politics of women's clubs predict that even the most practical politician will be a something new.

The invasion was decided upon at a meeting of the Political Equality League in the rooms of the Chicago Woman's club upon suggestion of Mrs.

Catherine Vaughn McCulloch, a justice of the peace at Evanston. The league will maintain a salon in Springfield throughout the next session of the legislature. This salon will be quite the equal of those through which brainy women so often swayed the destinies of France.

The foundation of the salon will be a good-looking young woman, and her chaperon. This champion, who is to guide legislators to right thinking on the suffrage question, already has been selected. She is Miss Harriet Grim, state organizer of the society. She will be assisted by the club women of Springfield and by Chicago members of the league.

The headquarters of the salon will be in an apartment in Springfield, which will be furnished by the league for the express purpose, and open house will be kept as long as there is a legislator or his wife in Springfield to be entertained. The definite aim of the league for the coming session of the legislature is municipal suffrage.

# THE ONLOOKER

## The Unmelancholy Days



"The melancholy days have come"—'tis well that he who penned

The poem which begins that way long since came to his end. The melancholy days, forsooth! The apples in the bin, The grapes that are so full of juice it nearly bursts their skin, The pawpaws growing greenish-brown and fat as butter-balls, The black-haw plumping till at last from sheer delight it falls!

"The melancholy days?" O, sniff the ambient atmosphere And get the scent the Jocond breeze is waiting to us here— The pungent spiciness and tang that wooes related bees And tells us that somewhere today beneath the orchard trees A copper kettle bubbles full of apple butter! Say! What kind of man could say this is a melancholy day?

O, let us weep because the gorgeous pumpkin waxes fat! There is a world of sadness in the very thought of that. Full soon we'll bring the pumpkin in and cut it into dice And put it on the stove and boil it maybe once or twice. Then later on we'll sit about the groaning board and sigh Because we lack capacity to eat the whole big pie!

How sad it is to contemplate the changing of the year, To see the leaves upon the trees grow shrivelled and sere! How gloomy just to sit and think of turkeys getting big— How can some people nowadays be merry as a grig? O, it fills one's soul with woe and gets upon his nerves To think of all the shelves that now are full of good preserves!

"The melancholy days have come"—O, see these bitter tears! The joyous hour for mince-meat pie with every moment nears, O, let the wintry blizzards blow, and fetch your killing frost, But bring the mince-meat season and the world is not yet lost. The melancholy days are near—But, brother, can't you guess The nectar of the gods is dripping from the elder press!

Music.

The late Mr. Shakespeare said some severe things about the man who has no music in his soul and is not moved by concord of sweet sounds. In his day and time Mr. Shakespeare was doubtless right.

Mr. Shakespeare never heard a campaign band. No bannered wagons filled with tuba and cornet players ever rolled through the streets of Mr. Shakespeare's town, playing by rule of thumb while the banners exhorted the terrified hearers to vote for the people's friend.

Mr. Shakespeare never heard Gladys Montgomery play the piano after she had spent a year away from home at a finishing school and had failed to get her finish.

If Shakespeare had heard Gladys play and had realized that so far all she had gleaned from the field of harmony was the art of crossing her hands while rendering Old Black Joe with variations he might have written a revision of his verdict.

Music hath charms to soothe the savage breast, perhaps, but there are times when it occasions the savagery in the breast.

Another indictment against music is that so often attempts are made to combine it with verses ending "And then to his old mother he did say," thus combining the two in a popular song of the day.

## Sensational to the Extreme.

"Yes, I'm going to start a new magazine," says the man with the fat purse, "but there won't be the least bit of sensationalism about it. It will be utterly different from all others."

"What's your program?" asks the man with inked fingers.

"Not going to expose anything, not going to—"

"Huh! Right there you've outlined one of the most sensational plans for modern magazines I ever heard."

Love Me, Love My Dog. "Here comes that German count. I wonder if he will propose again, or if he has been discouraged by my holding him off so long. How happy he will be, if he does propose, to find that the only reason for my hesitancy was that I had to have time to teach dear little Fido to say 'Yah.'"

Michael Nesbit

Deadlock. "Who is that man who has been sitting behind the bar day after day?" Inquired the stranger in Crimson Gulch.

"That's Stage Coach Charley. He's in a peculiar predicament. He went to town last week and got his teeth fixed. Then he came here, and, beln' broke, ran up a bill on the strength of his seven dollars' worth of gold fillin'. Charley won't submit to havin' the nuggets pried out an' the proprietor won't let him git away with the collateral, and there you are!

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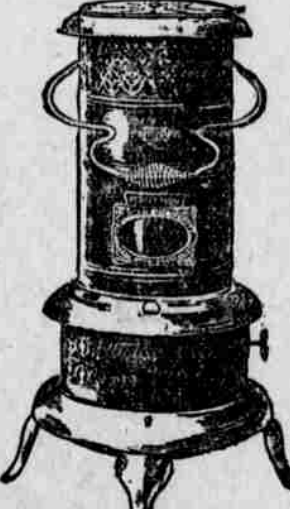
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# That Cold Room



on the side of the house where winter blasts strike hardest always has a lower temperature than the rest of the house. There are times when it is necessary to raise the temperature quickly or to keep the temperature up for a long period. That can't be done by the regular method of heating without great trouble and overheating the rest of the house. The only reliable method of heating such a room alone by other means is to use a

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