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Love at Sea.

We are in love's land to-day, Where shall we go? Love, shall we start or stay, Or sail or row?

THE BRIDAL EVE.

A Story of the Revolutionary War.

One summer night the blaze of many lights streaming from the windows of an old mansion, perched among the rocks and woods, flashed far over the dark waters of the Chesapeake.

one hand resting upon the little pile of gold, his ruddy face grew suddenly pale as a shroud, his blue eyes dilated, until they were encircled by a line of white enamel; he remained standing there, as if frozen to stone.

THE CENTENNIAL.

The Circular Addressed to the British People—Some Interesting Incidents Relative to the Centennial.

The following from Colonel Sandford, the British commissioner, was written at the British headquarters, on the Centennial grounds, for distribution in Great Britain and Ireland. It is a review of the situation from a foreign standpoint, and will be read with interest.

Rather Talkative.

He was coming in to Vicksburg on the morning train from Jackson, the Herald says, and seeing a vacant seat in the coach he occupied it without reference to the handsome little woman who sat just in front.

Customs in Alaska.

The Indians in Alaska believe in evil spirits who live in the water, and send sickness and disease among the people—a belief to which the occasional disasters caused by mussels or fish poisoning have doubtless given rise.

What Russia is Doing.

A narrow strip of only two hundred and twenty-five miles divides Russian and English territory in Central Asia. She had glanced at him slyly over her left shoulder, and taken his measure before he sat down.

POISONED STOCKINGS.

A Utica Observer reports that a young boy of the four-year-old boy of a widow lady living in the city was seriously ill, and that the cause of the little fellow's sickness was thought to be his poisoned stockings.

The Wreck of a Stern Endeavor.

Two old prospectors—Chloride Joe and Bedrock Bill—cabin together in the northern part of this city, says the Virginia Chronicle.

About the Fashions.

Coat shaped sleeves with deep gauntlet cuffs, or with several overlapping ruffles, falling to the wrist, are adopted for all wash goods/suits of the coming season.

Life in Paris.

A diner-out says that one evening he went to dine with some new acquaintances. It was his first invitation to their house.

Why he Remained a Bachelor.

In an elegant mansion near the Arlington House in this city, says a Washington correspondent, reside two ladies of the oldest aristocracy—Mrs. Freeman and her sister, Miss Coleman.

The Marriage Ceremony.

In an English bigamy case, where it was proved that the first marriage had been solemnized in a private hall where divine service had been held because the church was out of repair, it was held that the marriage was valid.

Credit and Cash.

A grocer in the town of Santa Clara, Cal., has adopted an original method of business. Each side of the store is fitted up for business on its own account.

How he Felt.

This is the feeling that, according to the Glasgow (Ky.) Times, overcomes a country editor on the receipt of a cash subscription: Our friend Charley Wheeler moved in on us last week and left a new subscriber's name, accompanied with the sine qua non.

FRUITLESS FARMING.

A farm owned by David Jackson, of Monterey, Cal., containing 10,000 acres, was planted in wheat last year, and the yield was fifteen cents per acre, and at 1 per cent, it would give a crop worth \$150,000, of which one-fourth, or \$37,500, is net to the planter.

Calling a Thief a Thief.

All the daily papers in Pittsburgh, says an exchange, having recently been sued for libel in the sum of \$10,000 each, and put under heavy bonds for trial, for inadvertently calling a man a thief when it was proven that he had stolen a large lot of jewelry, the newspaper managers have resolved that on the first day of April they will discharge all their editors and reporters and begin the publication of the Bible as a news matter for their readers.

Life in Great Cities.

The relative healthfulness of some of the great cities is shown in the following table, which exhibits the annual mortality for 1,000 inhabitants:

Table with 2 columns: City and Mortality per 1,000 inhabitants. Madrid 65.0, Vienna 52.7, Berlin 30.6, Rome 29.3, New York 27.8, Turin 24.8, Brussels 24.8, Paris 23.2, London 22.2, Philadelphia 20.3.

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