

Bottled Lighting.
An old farmer who had been to the metropolis was describing to his friends the splendor of the hotel he stayed at.

"Everything was perfect," said he, "all but one thing—they kept the light burning all night in my bedroom, a thing I ain't used to."

"Well," said one wag, "why didn't you blow it out?"

"Blow it out!" said the farmer—"How could I? The pesky thing was inside a bottle!"

Beauty Is Blood Deep.
Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin today to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

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We offer One Hundred Dollar Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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The best remedy for Coughs, Colds, Grippe, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, Smallpox, etc. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

There are 30,000 Russians in London and 7000 in New York City.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.
To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or 1.00. Guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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Is the way Findley's Eye Salve is sold. Chronic and granulated lids cured in 30 days; common sore eyes in 3 days, or money back for the asking. Sold by all druggists, or by mail, 25c. Box, J. P. HAYES, Decatur, Texas.

The golf craze has struck Constantinople Turkey.

No-To-Bac For Fifty Cents.
Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. All druggists.

In 1897 there were seventy-one suicides in Maine and of these all but thirteen were men.

"A Gentle Wind of Western Birth"

Tells no sweeter story to humanity than the announcement that the health-giver and health-bringer, Hood's Sarsaparilla, tells of the birth of an era of good health. It is the one reliable specific for the cure of all blood, stomach and liver troubles.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Never Disappoints

Dewey's Bearing as a Boy.

A growing appetite was not sufficient to make George Dewey a chunky boy, however, by any means. He was small for his years and his activity kept him thin. The figure that this little Vermont presented in those days is a winsome one, as it is painted by those who knew him. Dark eyes flashed from a brown, intelligent countenance that was always beaming with good nature and youthful plausibility. An erect bearing and an air of command well became him. It would seem that he was always meditating a mischief or an exploit of which he was himself the centre figure and his chums his faithful satellites. "He was a pompous little fellow," one of his old companions asserts. "His head was up and he patronized us a bit, and how we liked it! I can see him now with that bright eye, a smile on his lips and his hands in his pockets, coming whistling along the street. His nature was fun-loving, yet lovable. The boy did some reckless things, but never a mean one."—New York Mail and Express.

Monras For His Leg.
An old soldier in a Michigan town, who had a leg amputated ten years ago, had it buried in a coffin in the cemetery and funeral services held over it, at which he wept profusely. Ever since then, all through the summer months he has placed flowers each week upon the grave.

THE very word "operation" strikes terror to a woman's soul.

Nearly always these operations become necessary through neglect.

If the menses are very painful, or too frequent and excessive, get the right advice at once and stop taking chances. It will cost you nothing for advice if you write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for it, and if you will the trouble run along it will surely cost you a great deal of pain and may mean an operation.

MISS SARAH J. GRAHAM, Sheridanville, Pa., writes: "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I had suffered for several years with female troubles and doctored until I was discouraged. I felt wretched and tired of living. I had disease of kidneys, bladder trouble, dropsy and bloating, had womb trouble and a large tumor had formed; in fact all my organs were out of fix.

"Seeing a woman's letter praising your remedies, I wrote to her and she begged of me to try it, telling me all that it had done for her. I bought six bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now cannot express my gratitude to you. The tumor began to come away in pieces and I got better all the time. I believe now that I am entirely cured.

"My doctors could not believe it at first, as they all had told me that my case was a hopeless one, and no human power could do me any good. They were astounded. If I can say anything that can help other women, I shall be glad to."

It is not safe to wait until the last moment. Head off trouble. Don't be satisfied without Mrs. Pinkham's advice.

Bridges Around the Metropolis.
There are 439 bridges leading to, out of or through the city of New York, of which one connects New York County with Kings (the Brooklyn Bridge), 5 connect Kings and Queens, 11 are across the Harlem River, 46 are wholly in the borough of Queens, 53 wholly in the borough of Brooklyn, 79 wholly in the borough of the Bronx, and 244 in the borough of Richmond. The Richmond bridge, however, though many, are separately unimportant.

Alleviate Your Bowels With Cascarets.
Candy Cathartic, euro constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

The first elevator was built in 1850, using worm gears.

I have found Piso's Cure for Consumption an untiring medicine. F. E. Lotz, 1356 Scott St., Covington, Ky., Oct. 1, 1901.

Attempts are being made in Berlin to introduce electric omnibuses.

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In Paris the cost of the current for the electric cats is about ninety cents per day.

Beautiful Fan Made by Filipinos.

One scarcely thinks that the Filipinos are capable of dainty work, but Miss Augusta Akmeier, of St. Louis, has received from Manila a fan for which she rivals anything of the kind ever devised by the artistic Japanese.

The fan is made to fold. The handle and separating parts are made of frail ivory, daintily carved. Inserted into the end of each is the feather of a swan, at the end of which is the gorgeous tip of a peacock feather, altogether forming an attractively beautiful blending of natural colors. Perhaps the most beautiful piece of work in the construction of the fan lies in the swan feathers. Woven into these slender feathers are variegated threads, forming fantastic figuring of flowers, personages and leaves. In the centre of the right side of the fan is woven among the feathers a picture representing a man and a woman picking fruit. Into this one picture alone is introduced an amazing wool of colors, varied as those of the rainbow, causing one to marvel how such a variety of threads could be woven so intricately and with such perfect precision upon the slender swan feathers. About these figures are clustered vari-colored flowers and leaves, the latter being of a pure white silk, while the former are made of silks of many hues. Upon the reverse side of the feathers are also innumerable woven flowers and leaves. The work is evidently that of some past master in the art.

Bobby Went to the Circus.

"Mamma," said Bobby the other day when he came home from school, "has iron anything to do with you?"

"Nothing whatever, Bobby; iron means that we mean the opposite of what we say."

Bobby thought a moment, and continued: "I don't love you just a cent's worth, mamma. Is that iron?"

"I suppose so," replied his mother, with a smile that she didn't attempt to repress.

"Then," said Bobby, with an air of triumph, "wasn't it iron when you said, the day before yesterday, that you wouldn't give me a quarter to buy a ticket for the circus to-day?"

Whether it was or not, he went to the circus that afternoon.—Harper's Bazar.

Curious Facts Regarding Sunshine.
Statistics obtained by sunshine recorders are interesting. Some curious facts have been recently published by the French Meteorological Bureau at Paris. Spain has 3000 hours of sun shine a year; Italy, 2700; France 2600; Germany has 1700, while England has but 1400. The average fall of rain in the latter country is greater than that in any other European country. In the northern part and on the high plateaus of Scotland about 351 inches of rain fall a year, and London is said to have an average of 178 rainy days in the year and fully ten times the quantity of rain that falls on Paris

now. A green, or gray, or brown felt with a bent-edge brim and a stiff "bowler" crown seems to be the triumphant one of many shapes and as might be expected it has been designated patriotically by the name of Admiral Dewey's flagship, the Olympia.

There is nothing nautical about the "Olympia." It is wound about the base of its brim with a scarf of dark liberty silk and this comes to a loose knot in front, in the folds of which the quill ends of two long, soft composite plumes are made fast. Of well-dyed barnyard fowl feathers these plumes are made, mottled white down the center, and they are so arranged as to droop softly to one side. Into the liberty silk knot a fancy strass pin is introduced, and this is a happy contrast to the unbecoming cowboyish headgear that all womenkind that adopted it during the summer should remember with a blush. A great many patronesses of the Olympia wear the eye-fitting hat on hair dressed low at the back of the head and a strap of elastic, not stiffer pins, is used to keep the felt in its place.

The Every-Day Gown.
The shops are filled with the new dress goods, and what to buy and how to have it made is the absorbing topic with the snubrown shoppers.

For the every-day gown which must stand hard wear, such as is illustrated in the large engraving, the reversible Harris tweeds are highly recommended. The best quality comes fifty-six inches wide and costs \$2.75 a yard. It is sold in all the new attractive shades, with a real Scottish clan plaid for the reverse side of the cloth. When these double-faced tweeds are used for a skirt and coat costume, no lining is required in the lapels, cuffs and collar of the coat are made of the plaid.

Camel's hair chevrot is extremely fashionable this year. It can be found in dashing plaids, and in indistinct plaids of mingled dull artistic colors. Then there are attractive half-inch check chevrots and these crossed with narrow stripes. Graphite gray and the browns and blues are usually the foundation shades of these chevrots and the lines which run through them are generally automobile red, vivid green, orange yellow and beige.

Irish frieze is a favorite material among the heavier woolsens, and never

NEW YORK FASHIONS.

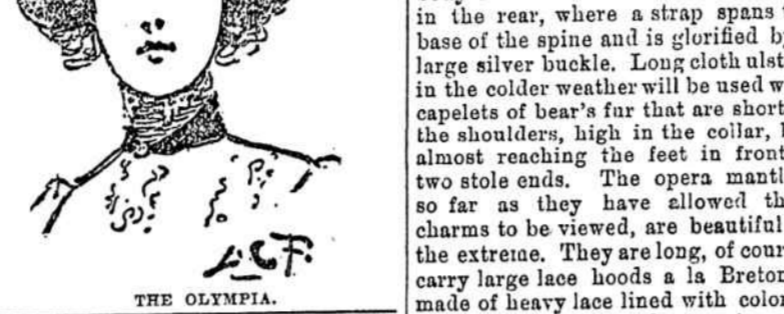
Designs For Costumes That Have Become Popular in the Metropolis.

New York City (Special).—The dressmakers, the tailors, furriers and milliners are enjoying daily conferences with their clients, and the woman before has it been imported in such attractive color combinations.

Homespun will be much used for tailor made gowns which, if fashionably correct, will display the human form divine more plainly than ever.

Sashes on the New Gowns.
Sashes are seen on many of the new gowns, the bows and loops falling far down over the skirt, many times of ribbon or piece silk, but most often of black velvet ribbon, four or five inches wide, and they are really quite chic.

The Long Ulster.
A little later on and we will be criticizing the usefulness and beauty of the long-skirted ulster that fits the body close and has a trifle of fullness in the rear, where a strap spans the base of the spine and is glorified by a large silver buckle. Long cloth ulsters in the colder weather will be used with capelets of bear's fur that are short on the shoulders, high in the collar, but almost reaching the feet in front in two stole ends. The opera mantles, so far as they have allowed their charms to be viewed, are beautiful in the extreme. They are long, of course, carry large lace hoods a la Bretonne, made of heavy lace lined with colored silk muslin, and in order to gain a desired width at the shoulders the silk, satin or damask skirts of the coat hang from wide yokes of lace over satin and this yoke is edged by a deep bertha frill. One of the most commendable of the new wraps in fur is a cape collar having broad ends falling to or below the waist line and made of the tails of brown bear, so called by furriers who would like all animals to possess symmetrical salable tails. These bear tails are nothing more than fluffy balls of fur made of bear and



are rapidly coming forth in smart, fresh fancies.

One of their first responsibilities was to provide themselves with the proper sort of walking hat, and the struggle has been to arrive at a compromise between the article that would appear advantageously on the street and yet mark a decided departure from the hard quill and crown band habit of last season. A single plume from the old gray goose's tail, stuck independently through the crown of a slouch felt, is not the approved idea



blue fox-skin scraps and tacked upon a cape of oak bear fur.

The importers are showing among their latest comers from Paris extensive trains of the richest velours mousseline, moire and antique velvet adorned by hand with the most delicate painted patterns. The designs are very small and so cleverly executed that no appreciative beholder can wonder at the price asked for a sweep

of fabric.

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The Lost Found on Them.
On their arrival at Liverpool, England, the police arrested twelve fishermen of the British steamer "Scotian" who were wrecked in the Straits of Belle Isle, while bound from Liverpool to Montreal, on the charge of looting the passengers' cabins on board the "Scotian" twenty-eight months ago.

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Locomotives on American Railroads.
There are 43,000 locomotives in use on American railroads.

\$10,000 Damages for a Lynching.
A jury at Athens, Texas, has returned a verdict in favor of Mrs. James Humphries and against John Greenlaw for \$10,000 damages. Greenlaw is one of the men who lynched the three Humphries, also white men, on the night of May 23 last. He turned State's evidence against his confederates. He and the other ten were jailed at Mex. City, where they were held pending against the balance of the band.

DEWEY IN WASHINGTON.

The President Hands to Him the Sword Voted by Congress.

Admiral Dewey Was Overcome With Emotion During the Presentation Ceremonies—He Received a Great Ovation When He Entered the Capital—Parades in Dewey's Honor.

WASHINGTON, D. C. (Special).—The home coming of Admiral Dewey—(for onceforth the National Capital is to his home)—was made the occasion for the greatest tributes ever paid by Washington to any individual.

When Admiral Dewey's train reached the foot of the District of Columbia it stopped for a few minutes at the little station of Deaneville while the Reception Committee went through the formality of presenting to the nation's guest the freedom of the district.

A few minutes later the train was in the brightly lighted station at Washington. Taking the arm of W. H. Moses, Chairman of the Reception Committee, the Admiral headed the procession down the station, while the officers and committeemen fell in at the rear.

Admiral Dewey was then escorted to the White House. A mighty roar went up from the crowd as the Admiral alighted at the portico of the Executive Mansion.

As he stepped from the carriage, Colonel Bingham, representing the President, stepped forward to escort him to the East Room, where Secretary Long, Assistant Secretary Allen and a brilliant assemblage of naval officials were ready to extend to him the greeting of the navy. Secretary Long was at the door, and as the Admiral entered the Secretary grasped his hand and with enthusiasm said:

"Admiral, I welcome you home. This is the Navy Department for the moment, and you are one of our navy's greatest heroes here to give you a hearty greeting."

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