

son shippers have had to wait a week or ten days for cars. He repeated the same faith in the statement that the scheme failed to carry this time the government would never revoke the grant. The town had been well served by the R.R. and the effort to obtain a second road was not an act of hostility against that corporation; the town had merely arrived at the stage of growth and prosperity when another road was absolutely essential to further progress.

Judge Dean remarked that a few words from Senator Dobson and a Massachusetts jury would carry any conviction. Senator Dobson said he felt satisfied that no matter which party he

Mr. J. McLennan — "How was it \$25,000 month arrived at?"

In answer Mr. John Kennedy said that when the scheme was first presented six years ago Mr. Boyd and other provisional directors had consulted railway experts, who advised that the municipality interested should be asked to grant bonuses sufficient with the government subsidy to pay about \$5,000 per mile for the section to be built. At that time it was decided that \$25,000 would be fair sum for Lindsay.

Judge Dean — "The government subsidy is \$3,200 a mile, or \$123,000 in all."

**LADIES, DO YOU POWDER?**

"Is that all?"

"One woman came into the dining room at breakfast time with a wrapper on. The women were loud of speech and their actions were vulgar."

"You never went to breakfast in a wrapper, did you?" inquired former Judge Van Wyck.

"Certainly not," was Mrs. Hunt's reply. "I always manage to put on at least a waist and a skirt."

"Isn't powder a very common thing among women, even of the Highest class?" asked Mr. Van Wyck.

"No lady powders her face," retorted Mrs. Hunt, with a look of disgust.

"Do you realize what the lawyers feel about powder?" asked the lawyer.

"I certainly do," was the positive answer.

Q. *Don't you know that there are thousands of boxes of powder sold in this country?* A. Yes sir.

Q. *And still you are serious in stating that you believe that it was face powder?* Yes, sir; I am serious