

MAID AND MISTRESS

The Woman Who Understands. Somewhere she waits to make you win your soul in her firm white hands...

As the tide went out she found him lashed to a spar of Despair. The wreck of his Dreams around him...

Broken by Fate, unrelenting. Scarred by the lashings of Chance; Bitter his heart—unrepentant...

Helping and loving and guiding. Urging, when that were best. Holding her fears in hiding...

This is the story of ages. This is the woman's way: Wiser than seers or soothsayers...

Fads and Fancies in Dress. The princess costume is a feature of the season. Never were linen suits more popular...

Among the materials used for bathing suits are mohair, fine serge, tafets and silk serge. Some of the newest and smartest of skirt and coat costumes are being made without sleeves...

A great many collarless gowns and waists are daily appearing and the collar band is becoming more and more scarce.

Many of the sleeves are trimmed with bands of different material, the trimming having the appropriate character of bracelet bands.

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Importance of Good Teeth. In an address delivered before the Manchester and Salford Sanitary Association, H. W. Norman stated that during the war in South Africa it was found necessary to send back 3,000 soldiers who were unable to bear the rigors of the campaign solely on account of the condition of their teeth.

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count of the condition of their teeth. They were not able to chew "bully" beef and hardtack. Teeth seem to have deteriorated, judging by a comparison of the dental apparatus of the modern young person with that of his ancestor's skull in anthropological museums.

Latest in Traveling Suits.



Un glazed French linens gain in popularity for traveling. No other fabric comes from the laundry with such a delightful crisp brand-new appearance as does the un glazed linen.

MODISH CALLING COSTUME.



A stunning costume in unique fashion, made from a lovely shade of mode chiffon satin. For trimming and under bodice are dotted cream satin, the dot exactly matching the mode satin.

of blue, made necessary to complete the artistic effect. The hat is one of rough butter-colored straw, trimmed with black velvet ribbon, a single large rose in the soft colorings of the suit, and a long sweeping aigret in black.



Hugh Cairns, the Boston sculptor, declares that women's figures have been ruined in devotion to fashion. Dean Lida King of the Women's College at Brown University declares that men make the best teachers.

Italian women may not engage in any industrial pursuit which occupies their time at night. Males under 15 years of age are also barred from night work.

A married woman in Louisiana does not own her own clothes. Judge W. W. Ferguson pointed out this among other legal inequalities in an address given before the Era Club of New Orleans.

Mrs. Radford of New Orleans, 87 years young, has been superintendent of the Chinese mission in that city for twenty-three years. The mission carries on a Sunday school and Monday evening classes.

secretary of state, is said to be one of the staidest dames in Washington and her entertainments of such exclusive kind that it is considered a great honor to be asked to them.

At her afternoon teas Mrs. Taft serves sandwiches instead of cake, and the table is in the red room. About twenty-five guests are asked each day to take tea with Mrs. Taft, the invitations being over the telephone.

When a young girl entered a pawnbroker's shop in Leipzig with fourteen rings she was suspected and detained. Inquiries proved that she was the rightful owner and that the rings were souvenirs of fourteen fiancés.

How to Land a Husband. An Atchison family of three girls, all of them equally attractive, had a curiosity to know the best method of landing a husband, and agreed to make an experiment. One of them learned to cook and was a domestic sort of girl. Another learned shorthand and got a position in a downtown office.

Health and Beauty Hints. When a disinfectant is quickly needed put carbolic acid in boiling water and set in the room.

When burned with hot grease, apply flour (not water) to the wound and it will not leave a scar.

For a tired head after a trying day, nothing is more restful than a cloth saturated in this toilet water and laid across the temples: Lavender water.

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BARE-BACKED CRIME.

YOUTH OF 18 CONFESSES HE KILLED RICH GROCER. Tony Raffa, an 18-year-old Italian boy, who has been in this country only three years, has confessed in the county jail, in Chicago, the murder of Giuseppe Filippelli, a grocer at 7737 Greenwood avenue, that city, at the same time laying bare for what is perhaps the first time in criminal history the inner workings of those Italian societies, known collectively as "The Black Hand," whose business is murder, mayhem, kidnaping and extortion.

The organization to which young Raffa belonged was called by its members the "Loggia," an ironical translation of which is "The Society of Justice." Its other members, according to Raffa's confession, were Antonio Nudo, Rafaelo Nudo and Pasquale Nudo, three brothers; Joseph or Giuseppe Caro and a man called Ernesto, whose surname Raffa does not know.

The best grade of borax makes a good dentifrice and also purifies the mouth. It should be mixed with chalk.

Any of the mentholated fluids and salves are excellent to use in cases of summer cold or hay fever. They quickly open the nasal passages and also clear the throat.

Don't rush immediately into the air after a hot bath, both for the sake of your skin and to prevent colds. Dashing with water as cold as you can stand it will make an early outdoor trip safe after the pores are opened by the hot water.

Children playing barefooted on the lawn are often bothered with the little "biters." A girl says that by immediately applying gasoline to the bite the insect is instantly killed. It burrows into the skin. Children are especially bothered with them when camping.

Split Ends of Hair. It is essential for the proper growth of the hair that the split ends should be clipped off with the scissors. The easiest way to do this is to separate the hair into strands, going to work at it systematically, beginning at the front on one side and taking one strand after another around to the front of the other side.

Much of the false hair worn by women in this country comes from China, according to a recent consular report.

NEW TUNNEL UNDER HUDSON.

New York Opens New Bore Connecting with Jersey City.

The first train through the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company subway, bringing Jersey City within three minutes of Broadway, New York, by the under-the-river route, was run Monday when an official train was sent through the bore at 10 o'clock Monday morning. Regular traffic, however, was not started until afternoon.

Civic ceremonies were held both in New York and Jersey City. Governor Wood of New Jersey, Secretary of War Dickinson, Patrick McGowan, acting Mayor of New York; Mayor Wittpen of Jersey City, James Wadsworth, Speaker of the New York Assembly, President McAdoo and others delivering addresses. At night there was a display of fireworks, and an illumination of 11,000 electric lights in West Side Park.

WEST NEEDS 50,000 MEN. Appeals for Harvest Help Heard at National Capital.

A cry for help to harvest the season's crops comes from the West to officials of the Department of Commerce and Labor in Washington, one of whose duties is to find employment wherever possible for the throngs of aliens who come to this country.

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BISHOP SHANLEY FOUND DEAD.

Churchman Supposed to Have Suffered from Apoplexy. Bishop John Shanley of the Catholic see of Fargo, N. D., was found dead in his room at 6 o'clock Friday afternoon.

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AN ELIZABETHAN POEM.

Small I, wasting in despair, Die because a woman's fair? Or make pale my cheeks with care 'Cause another's rosy are? He she faster than the day, Or the flow'ry meads in May, If she thinks not well of me, What care I how fair she be!

He she good, or kind, or fair, I will ne'er the more despair; If she love me, this believe: I will die ere she shall grieve; If she slight me when I woo, I can scorn and let her go, If she be not fair for me, What care I for whom she be! —George Wither (1588-1667).

The Convict

It was noon. The dark, gray walls of the old penitentiary were basking in the rays of the burning sun, which fell like searchlights through the little windows into the narrow cells within.

The inside walls, like the outside ones, were cheerless and gray, with nothing to relieve the monotony of their blinds but printed copies of the prison regulations, which consisted only of the things prisoners were not allowed to do.

The work went slowly, and the longing for the outside world, the blue sky and the green fields grew in the hearts of many of the hapless beings behind lock and bars. Nobody felt less like working than the giant prisoner in the second tier of cells, who was feared of the wardens and his fellow prisoners because of his enormous strength and violent temper.

A smile spread over the face of the giant when he succeeded in putting the letters together to words and the



words to sentences. Suddenly the smile disappeared, and in its place came a hard, almost ferocious expression.

Steps were heard outside in the hall. It was the turnkey. The convict saw him, so to speak, with his ears, coming down the long hall, broad-shouldered, well-nourished and self-satisfied, carrying his bunch of keys in his hand.

What could he want here this time of the day, when it was the rule never to disturb the convicts? The giant was literally foaming with fury. Was he to be punished once more for some petty violation of the rules? The keepers always knew how to find fault in those they did not like.

Nearer and nearer came the steps, and now they stopped outside the door. A thought shot like lightning through the convict's brain. The turnkey was alone. Undoubtedly there was not even a guard in the hall during the quiet noon hour. Behind the lower brick in the wall was a sharp piece of iron, which he had sharpened during the long months he had been confined to the cell.

Outside the sun was shining, the birds were singing and the woods were green. A key turned in the door. The turnkey came in, but in the same moment he fell to the ground as if struck down by lightning. With terrible force the giant had buried the sharp instrument in his temple.

The convict did not even look at his victim. With staring eyes he sneaked down the hall. Every moment he stopped, listened and looked around.

He felt nothing but a great joy at the success of his deed. Now the road to freedom was open, the prison door was open, there was no guard outside.

The giant had now reached the yard. It was as if heaven itself had decided that he should be a free man. Near the wall stood a chopping block and a ladder. He placed the ladder on top of the block, vaulted over the wall and let himself fall down on the outside.

For a moment he laid there absolutely quiet, without moving hand or foot. Had he broken a limb in the fall? No, he felt plainly that he was unharmed, and he had only one thought—to get away.

He jumped to his feet and ran as fast as his trembling legs would carry him across fields, over hedges and fences, until he reached the woods, panting and exhausted.

Completely tired out, he threw himself down in the grass under a shady beech tree, and, half asleep, looked through the green foliage at the blue sky and the white clouds beyond.

A sinner to whom the gates of heaven had opened could feel no happier than he did.

THE FOURTEENTH AMENDMENT

Who wrote the fourteenth amendment? In a question which has been answered so variously that any new and authoritative word on the subject is sure to claim attention from students of political history.

At the time of Judge Neal's death the papers throughout the country quite generally recognized him as the father of the amendment. Judge Neal himself firmly believed that the amendment, as adopted, followed a measure which he had formulated and sent to Godlove Stone Orin, an intimate friend, at that time representative in Congress from the Lebanon district.

An unprejudiced and dispassionate reader of Mr. Flack's book will probably agree with him that the amendment was really not the product of one mind, but of many; that it was not a spontaneous creation, but a product of evolution, and that its growth from the time when its first section was presented to the reconstruction committee until all its five heterogeneous propositions were finally adopted by sufficient States to make it a part of the Constitution can be traced in the records of the period.

When Congress refused to accept President Johnson's reconstruction plans and claimed for itself the right to determine conditions on which the seceding States should be admitted into the Union, a joint committee of fifteen was appointed by the two houses to take into consideration the whole subject of reconstruction.

The thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth amendments were adopted as reconstruction measures. The fourteenth was undoubtedly adopted by Congress in the hope that it would deprive the South of what Northern Republicans considered unfair use of political power by granting to negroes the franchise, which they would use in support of the party which had freed them.

A sharp distinction exists between the war amendments and the eleven which preceded them, as Mr. Flack states in his book. "The first eleven amendments to the Constitution of the United States," he writes, "were intended as check or limitations on the federal government and had their origin in a spirit of jealousy on the part of the States. This jealousy was largely due to the fear that the federal government might become too strong and centralized unless restrictions were imposed upon it. The war amendments marked a new departure and a new epoch in the constitutional history of the country, since they trench directly upon the powers of the States, being in this respect just the opposite of the early amendments."

however. Five minutes later the giant lay bound and gagged on the ground, with a rifle bullet in one leg.

The inspector stood in his office behind the rail and looked at him sternly.

The convict, who was now chained hand and foot, cast down his eyes and seemed absolutely broken. He mumbled something to himself, which sounded like an excuse: "Why did he come?"

A shadow of sincere sorrow came into the inspector's face as he answered in an almost inaudible voice: "I sent him to bring you here that I might inform you that you had been pardoned."

Then the murderer was led back to his cell.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

FOREIGN-MADE CIGARETTES. We Import Heavily Despite Our Large Domestic Production.

That Whiskey Swindler. "Hay, inquired the boy next door of the little girl whose father suffered from asthma, 'what makes your father's wheeze so?'"

After a woman has been married six months the tradesmen don't hear so much about what her husband likes to eat.

THE MOST BEAUTIFUL BUILDING IN THE WORLD.



There has recently been hung in the marvelous tomb which John erected to the memory of his wife a lamp which Lord Curzon has presented to this shrine of undying love. Lord Curzon gave it as a tribute of respect to the glories of Agnes which the 'Maid of the Eternal Beauty' in his memory. The illustration depicts one of the towers of this white wonder, which has been described as possessing the beauty of an opening rose.