

AMERICAN PHILANTHROPY.

The celebration of the centenary of the University of Berlin was a great occasion for Germany and its capital.

The inevitable predictions as to the character of the coming winter are being made. And it was just as inevitable that they should disagree.

Americans are not the only ones who engage in the search for lost treasure or unclaimed estates.

From London comes the announcement of the death of the woman who claimed to be the original of "Little Boopie."

The champion fish story, not only of fish, but also of many previous seasons, was told lately at a meeting of the American Fisheries Societies.

New York has discovered aphanizomenon in the city water pipes, and is scared.

The sooner that people with money realize that they cannot beat the customs officials the better it will be for them.

It is unkind of the government to confiscate pictures of money when that is as close as some people can get to it.

And, anyway, we can't see what difference the age of Mother Earth is going to make in the price of "eats."

COUCH OF LUXURY.

The most perfect resting place ever devised for a human being is just beneath the roof, and then you must be able to see the shingle nails sticking through.

English owners of homing pigeons have lost so many of them this season that they believe there is an especial cause.

Perhaps if the truth were known a considerable proportion of the so-called automobile "accidents" would be found to have resulted from befuddled heads and unsteady nerves.

The problem of the unemployed sometimes appears to be to get the unemployed to accept employment.

The usual fate of get-rich-quick schemes is collapse at the end. And the "lamb" are fleeced as a preliminary.

Women arriving at the port of New York from abroad, who wore their furs to escape paying duty on the wraps.

A German musician says that our craze for ragtime is the great obstacle to creative work in American music.

Los Angeles has its first policewoman. On the first day in which she patrolled her "beat" she arrested lots of notice.

"OH, YOU CIDER!"

Fall is the season when man is moved to praise of things humble in origin, but rich in fulfillment.

The passenger traffic between the United States and Europe continues to offer most alluring inducements.

Has aviation as a "sport" no longer power to attract? Reports from the old world are to the effect that the principal British and continental meetings this year resulted in financial loss to their promoters.

The drowning of more than a score of the battleship New Hampshire's crew through the swamping of a boat within a few yards of the shore suggests the imperative necessity of teaching all our blue-jackets to swim.

At a dinner in Chicago a prominent army officer advocated the conscription system for filling the ranks of the military establishment.

A Seattle man wants a divorce because his wife eats seven pounds of meat a day. And then has the nerve to ask him for ostrich plumes, too, we presume.

We hear now of inoculation against ordinary colds. The best inoculation against familiar hunger is, and will always be, food.

A bluejacket's life in the time of peace will soon be compared with that of the football player for uncertainty.

What can be the harm in giving school pupils fresh air?



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