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...—Landscape or marine in ... Mrs Dent; flowers or fruit in oil, ... Dent, Miss Jarvis; animal paint... in oil, Miss Jarvis, Mrs Dent; ...are subject in oil, Miss Dent; any ...er subject in oil, Mrs Dent, Gordon ...low; sketches from nature in water ...r, Mrs Dent; flowers or fruit in ...ter colors, G E Campbell, Mrs Dent; ...ure subject in water color, Mary ...ett, Lottie Hunter; original local ...ch, Mrs Dent; figure in pastel, ...ie Hunter, Mrs Dent; any other ...ie Hunter, Mrs Dent; any sub... ...sepia, Mrs Dent; portrait in ... C E Campbell, Mrs Dent; ... pencil drawing, F Pearen; ... pen and ink sketch, O Pat... ...inting by pupil under 15, ... Gordon Farlow; col. of ... Mrs Dent; col. amateur ... Mabel White, Mrs Dent; ...ting, Miss Scott; wood ... Scott; subject in water ...r, who has never ex... ...n, Mrs Tait, M Wil...

...1—Patchwork quilt, O ... Huffman; white quilt... ...uffman, Miss William... ...lt, Mrs Huffman; silk ...t, Miss Forbes, Miss ...ochet work quilt, Miss ...atterson; knitted quilt, ...y, Miss Henry; log cabin ... Miss Cordingly, Miss ...s cabin quilt, wool, Miss ... comforter, wool, Miss A S ...iss A Chisholm; comforter, ...ss Howes, W N Scott; cloth ... Huffman, Miss Forbes; pair ...home-made, Mrs Stark, Mrs ...ents' shirt, machine made, ...Huffman; pair wool... McCutcheon, Mrs ...olen socks, Mrs ... Huff... cotton socks, ...man; stencil ...gly; ...n; ...iss ...ith. ...Dent; ...eon; ...hel... ...tea ...Mc... ...nitts. ...Huffman; ...y; pr. woolen ...rs Huffman; wool yarn, ... Miss Cordingly, Miss H ...woolen gloves, Miss Cor... ...McCutcheon; rag mat, ... Henry, Mrs Huffman; ...Mrs Shuert, Mrs Huff... ...ts, yarn, Mrs Huffman; ...Aton warp, Mrs Huffman, ...Shuert; patching on cotton or ...ol garments, Mrs Shuert, Mrs Huff... ...n; darning on cotton or wool gar... ...nts, Mrs Shuert, Miss Cordingly.

...mestic No. 2—Loaf home-made ...alt, H McDonald, Mrs Shuert; ...me-made bread, hop, Miss Jar... ...A Jarvis; home-made buns, ...Jarvis, Mrs M Dice; home... ..., Mrs M Dice, M McDonald; ...de tea biscuits, white, Mrs W ...rs Pearen; home-made tea ... Mrs Shuert, R Mc... ...oatmeal cakes, ...Mrs Ribey Ellis; ...Jarvis, Geo Gastle; ...McDonald, A McGib... ...uit cake, Miss Howes, ...led cakes, E B Coulson, ...angel cake, Geo Gastle; ...Annie Chisholm, Mrs ...kind fruit tarts, Mrs ...pkin pie, ...n; apple ...; ginger ...n, J Brad... McCallum, R ...negar, Mrs C ...ade vinegar, ... of jellies, ...heaviest

...ow ago, H Wales, Mrs Peddie; display of honey, Geo Laing; comb honey, Geo Laing; clover honey, Mrs McCallum, Mrs Peddie; basswood honey, Mrs Peddie, Geo Laing; best col. of cooking or pastry, special, Miss Howes, Miss Patterson; J H Peacock's special, pair dressed chickens, J C McDonald; J H Peacock's special, 10 lbs comb honey, Geo Laing; Blain & Hannant's special, loaf of bread, hop, Mrs Shuert; Blain & Hannant's special, loaf of bread, salt, W N Scott.

Ladies' Work—Fancy kitting, cotton, Miss McCutcheon, Mrs. Huffman; fancy knittting, wool, Miss McCutcheon, Mrs Calvert; crochet work, cotton, Miss McCutcheon, E G Williamson; crochet work, wool, Miss McCutcheon, Wm. Patterson; braiding on cotton or muslin, Mrs J W Willmott, Miss McCutcheon; tatting, Miss McCutcheon, J C Smith; netting, Mrs D Shuert, J C Smith; Irish crochet, Miss McCutcheon, E G Williamson; lace, teneriffe, E G Williamson, Mrs. Orme; lace, point, Miss McCutcheon, Mrs Orme; lace, honiton, Miss McCutcheon, Miss Cordingly; lace, Battenberg, Mrs Orme, Miss McCutcheon; lace, duchesse, Mrs Orme, Miss Henry; modern cross stitch, Miss McCutcheon, Mrs J W Willmott; embroidery, Mexican or drawn work, Miss Williamson, Mrs. Orme; embroidery, silk, Miss McCutcheon, Mrs Shuert; embroidery, mountmellick, Miss McCutcheon, Miss Cordingly; embroidery, eyelet, Miss Moyer, Mrs Willmott; embroidery, applique, Mrs Huffman, E G Williamson; embroidery, Roman, Miss McCutcheon, Mrs Huffman; embroidery on colored linen, Mrs Willmott, J C Smith; embroidery, shadow, W Patterson, Miss Henry; embroidery, hardanger, A McGibbon, Miss Henry; embroidery, coronation braid, Miss McCutcheon, Mrs Willmott; embroidery, wallachian, Miss McCutcheon, Mrs Huffman; beadwork, Miss McCutcheon, Mrs Willmott; embroidered parasol, J C Smith; fancy towel, Miss Cordingly, Miss Scott; lunch scarf, Mrs Orme, Mrs Huffman; pillow shams, Miss McCutcheon, Mrs Willmott; five o'clock set, cloth and cosy, Mrs Orme, Mrs Willmott; plain hand sewing, 10 varieties, Mrs Shuert, E L H Smith; fancy work bag, Mrs Shuert, Miss McCutcheon; child's dress, washable, Miss Moyer, Miss Howes; ladies underwear, Miss Henry, E G Williamson; fancy apron, Mrs Shuert, E G Williamson; fancy stock collar, Mrs Orme, E G Williamson; hemstitching, Miss McCutcheon, E G Williamson; fancy underwaist, Mrs Huffman, Miss Henry; ladies cotton shirtwaist, Miss Moyer, E G Williamson; huckaback darning, Miss Henry, Mrs Willmott; fancy work, not on list, Mrs Willmott, Miss Howes; collection fancy work, J C Smith, Mrs Willmott; best dressed doll, E L H Smith.

Children's Work—Collection of weeds, Nellie Hartley; collection of moths and butterflies, G Farlow; collection of coins, C McGibbon, B White; collection of postage stamps, G E Bonsfield, J McClennan; maps of Canada, Mrs. Dent; original pencil drawing, Geo Winn; painting flowers or fruit, girl 10 or under, C McGibbon; writing, 4th reader, girls, Mrs Dent, C McGibbon.

SEA SERPENT COMES ASHORE

Peculiar Find Off the Coast of Vancouver Island

The skeleton of a sea serpent recently washed ashore on Catala Island, off Vancouver Island coast, was brought to Seattle to be prepared for shipment to the Smithsonian Institute Museum. The denizen of the deep seas had been dead but a short time. If real live specimens of this species of semi-fish and semi-serpent are still inhabitants of the North Pacific, Herbert Webb and party from the Washington State University will attempt to find them.

Captain J. T. Walbran, of the United States revenue service, saw the strange creature through his glass and went ashore in a small boat. The skeleton is sixteen feet long and twelve inches in diameter. The eyes are still in their sockets and are as large as apples. The top of the head was still covered with coarse brown hair. The teeth, about an inch long, are like miniature saws, and are hinged where they attach to the jaw bone, thus enabling them to work cross-wise after the manner of scissors. The skeleton is one of the most remarkable ever found on the Pacific coast, and is a specimen of a rare and strange sea monster. Chinamen at Seattle state that on the coast of South China smaller, but similar fish are seen during the season when typhoons are prevalent.

Big Court Business

In a fight against time, the Pelhamstowe County Court lately disposed of more than two hundred cases in less than two hours.

It has been figured out that the next Parliament will contain: 76 lawyers, 36 farmers, 32 merchants, 21 doctors, 17 manufacturers, 10 lumbermen, 8 journalists, 7 notaries public, 2 canners, 1 pharmacist, 1 stock broker, 1 professional labor leader, 1 licensed victualler, 1 cattle dealer.

Messrs. Dr. N. Collie and A. L. Munns, of London, England, have returned to Edmonton after two months spent in the Canadian Rockies on the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. These gentlemen have been exploring a hitherto unknown region in the vicinity of Mount Robson, the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies, and were accompanied by a train of 20 pack horses, and they state that in some places the forests were so impenetrable that they had to cut their way through. Several discoveries were made. In one locality they came across two great glaciers larger than any known in the Rockies, and sighted a towering peak that had the appearance of being even larger than Mount Robson, which is 13,700 feet above the level of the sea. One of the glaciers was 40 to 50 miles in length, and 7 or 8 miles in width, and of striking formation.

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THOMAS LIPTON ON PROSPERITY

The Knight Hands Out Some Guiding Principles to the Young Man Who Wishes to Be Successful

To young men anxious to succeed in business I would say a few words, said Sir Thomas Lipton.

The first is, beware of strong drink. Remember corkscrews have sunk more people than cork jackets will ever save.

The next is civility. Treat rich and poor alike. The poor man's twenty shillings is as good as the rich man's sovereign. The workman's wife with her basket on her arm is entitled to as much respect as the lady who comes in her carriage.

And as an illustration of the benefit of humility I will tell you the following story of Benjamin Franklin, who, when Ambassador for the United States at the French Court, speaking to a young man, said: "The last time I saw your father, he received me in his study. As I was leaving he showed me a short way out of the house through a narrow passage crossed by a beam overhead. He suddenly cried: 'Stoop! Stoop!' I did not understand what he meant until I felt my head thump against the beam. He was a man who never failed to give good advice. 'You are going,' he said, 'and have to go through the world. Stoop as you go through it, and you will miss many hard thumps.'"

Thirdly, I would recommend punctuality, which is said to be the soul of business. It is said of Charles Lamb, who at one time held a Government appointment, and who was proverbial for coming in late, that one morning, being later than usual, his superior found fault. Lamb offered this excuse: "If I do come late in the morning I try to make up for it by leaving early in the afternoon." This was a good joke, but hardly the style of business to gain promotion. If you stick to business, business will stick to you.

But all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy, as the saying goes, so I would recommend a useful hobby and moderate recreations.

I have always taken a keen interest in outdoor sports. In the old Glasgow days rowing and sailing on the Clyde were to me a great delight, both physically and mentally. It was after the defeat of the Thistle in 1887 that I first resolved to build a challenger for the Cup won by America. Since then, as everyone knows, I have tried three times, and failed on each occasion. We shall never win back the Cup until as great a builder as Herreshoff arises in Great Britain. It has been the boats, not the crews, that have won the races. The sailors on board the three Shamrocks were the finest in the world. Apart from Herreshoff our designers are equal, if not superior, to those of America. Mr. Fife and the late Mr. Watson did their very best, and were as anxious to win the Cup as I was. It is a mistake to say that the American boats could not stand the stress of a voyage across the Atlantic. Boats capable of carrying such enormous sails could go anywhere if rigged up as were the Shamrocks. I hope yet to bring back the Cup.

Finally, let me say that at the beginning of my career, when I acted as my own salesman, and then my own errand boy after the shop was closed at night, I laid down a few hard and fast rules which were the recipe for my success. These were: Be honest. Keep pushing. Use judgment. Treat your customers well.

A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY

An eminent scientist, the other day, gave his opinion that the most wonderful discovery of recent years was the discovery of Zam-Buk. Just think! As soon as a single thin layer of Zam-Buk is applied to a wound or a sore, such injury is insured against blood poison. Not one species of microbe has been found that Zam-Buk does not kill.

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On the other day Mr Marsh, of 101 Delorimier Ave., Montreal, called upon the Zam-Buk Company and told them that for over twenty-five years he had been a martyr to eczema. His hands were at one time so covered with sores that he had to sleep in gloves. Four years ago Zam-Buk was introduced to him, and in a few months it cured him. To-day—over three years after his cure of a disease he had for twenty-five years—he is still cured, and has had no trace of any return of the eczema!

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NATURE BEATITUDES

A Plea for the Protection of Trees, Shrubs and Bushes

Blessed is the man who appreciates the value of trees, shrubs, and bush fruits, for his home shall become a place of shelter from the storm, with bowers of beauty, and fruit in due season.

Blessed is he who deplores the fact that he has not already made a beginning in growing trees, shrubs, and small fruits; for he shall yet find comfort for himself and his children if he goes to work now.

Blessed is he who, living on the bleak prairie, hungers for a beautiful sheltered dwelling place; for he shall have it if he goes about it aright.

Blessed is he who thinks of the welfare of his wife and children, who provides a shelter for both man and beast; for he shall obtain mercy.

Blessed is he who is pure in heart; for he shall see God in tree and shrub and flower—yea, verily, he shall become like the tree spoken of by the psalmist, bringing forth his fruit in his season, his leaf also shall not wither and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.

Blessed is the man who is adversely criticized for well-doing; for he, if he perseveres, shall live to see others fellowing where he leads; he shall live to see treeless prairie become dotted with groves—oases of refuge and delight in a wind-swept plain.—C. Roscoe Brot... Saskatoon Phoenix.

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Another Operation Avoided.

Poughkeepsie, N.Y.—I run a sewing machine in a large factory and got all run down. I had to give up work for I could not stand the pains in my back. The doctor said I needed an operation for womb trouble but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did more for me than the doctors did. I have gained five pounds. I hope that everyone who is suffering from female trouble, nervousness and backache will take the Compound. I owe my thanks to Mrs. Pinkham. She is the working girl's friend for health, and all women who suffer should write to her and take her advice.—MISS TILLIE PLENZIG, 3 Jay St., Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

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THE FEAR OF LIGHTNING

Trees in the Country are More Dangerous than Wires in Cities

It is unlikely that any written words will abolish the terror which so many feel at lightning storms. It may comfort the timid to know that the average number killed annually by lightning is less than one person in 850,000 people. More people are drowned in the Thames alone every year than there are deaths from lightning all over the country. People living in cities are inclined to believe that the increasing number of telephone, telegraph and trolley wires increase the danger from electric storms. On the contrary, the maze of wires is a protection, and lessens the danger. The trees in the country are a far greater danger; sheltering under them in a thunderstorm accounts for the proportion of four cases in the country to one in the cities.

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Damp is probably the worst enemy to fowls, but cold winds are a very good rival. Fowls will not lay and make progress when they have to face these biting winds, and it would pay the fancier who wishes for success to provide shelter under these circumstances. As to the nature of this shelter, it may consist of a dense hedge, of a screen of canvas, or of a proper shelter-shed. The latter is infinitely the best, and it will pay for itself in excellent results in a very short time.

A very peculiar thing that you have probably noticed is that fowls seldom avail themselves of their roosting place in the daytime, and the shelter shed I suggest is in no way like the sleeping quarters. It may, indeed, be as rough-and-ready as one likes, so long as it is wind-proof on three sides, and open to the south. If a perch or two are provided, the birds will appreciate the attention, whilst it is an excellent plan to sift the household ashes in the shelter-shed.

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BEARDS AND KINGS

George V. is the First of His Name Not Clean Shaven

It was often remarked at the accession of Edward VII. that he was the first bearded King for nearly three hundred years. The ill-fated King Charles I. was his immediate predecessor in this respect, and he came to the throne in 1625, whereas the late King succeeded his mother in 1901. Charles was the last of the Kings for a very long time to represent the Elizabethan or Shakespearean fashion of the pointed beard and to wear his own hair on his head.

Cromwell, the uncrowned King of England, certainly wore no wig like the long line of his successors; but, though he wore his own hair, he wore it pretty long. Charles II. wore a tremendous wig, curled in a hundred ringlets, but the only hair on his face was a slight moustache. None of his successors until Edward VII. boasted even that. Both beards and moustaches went clean out of fashion, and James II., William III., all the Georges and William IV. were just as clean-shaven as all the rest of their masculine subjects. There was a time when a beard had not been seen in England within living memory!

In wearing a beard Charles I. followed the example of his father James, and, as he was a Scottish before he was an English King, he probably followed the fashion of his predecessors in the northern kingdom, for he was preceded by two Queens and a boy King, and had no precedent in this respect to follow, even if he had desired one. Henry VIII., nearly a hundred years before James I.'s time, had been as much an innovator in respect to whiskers as Edward VII. was; for, like our late King, this much-married monarch could look back upon several bare-faced predecessors without a break, for none of the Kings from Henry V. to Henry VII. wore the least hair upon their faces.

Prior to Henry V.'s time, however, beards might be said to be almost the rule; and, indeed, from William I., in 1066, to the death of Henry IV., in 1413, no King sat on the English throne who was clean-shaven. The Conqueror and his two sons and successors were content with a moustache only, as were Henry II. and Richard II.; but Richard the Lion-Hearted would seem to have made the beard fashionable, for his brother John, Henry III., and the first three Edwards entirely gave the razor the go-by.

Thus, though George V. is the first of his name to wear a beard, Edward VII. was only following the example of his most famous predecessors. Thus out of the thirty-three kings who have ruled in England, the beard-wearers and the clean-shaven almost provide a tie, for there are thirteen of the former and fourteen of the latter. Six Kings wore moustaches.

JUST BY CHANCE

Many of the Interesting Contrivances of To-day Were Discovered by Mere Accident

Many common objects of the present, many little personal adornments and useful articles which are seen and utilized by us day after day, have interesting though little-known histories of their own. Many of the contrivances of to-day were discovered through sheer chance. Soap, for instance, was the outcome of an accident. A woman found occasion to boil some lye of soda in an iron pot, and discovered that by so doing she had produced a substance which would form a thick lather in water, and was a great help in removing dirt. This set her thinking. She remembered that the pot used was a dirty one, which had still remaining in it some vestiges of olive oil. This had combined with the lye of soda, and thus led to the discovery of soap.

Do you know the meaning of the moustache? It has a deep symbolism. Several centuries ago, when a horde of Arabs and Berbes invaded Spain, they seized the fertile southern slopes and drove the Christians who had been in possession, into the mountains of the north. Though these Moors, as the Arabs and Berbers were called, were mild and tolerant rulers in many ways, and mixed marriages became common, there was constant strife resulting from the difference in creeds, and much confusion as to who were Moslems and who were Christians. It was therefore determined that the Christians should wear some badge of their faith by which they might always be known, and misunderstandings on this point avoided in the future. The moustache was grown by every male Christian in Spain, and this custom has been followed for hundreds of years. The moustache is supposed, with the nose, to form a rough representation of the Cross.

The origin of the silk top hat may be traced to a little advertising scheme of a London haberdasher. In order to attract attention, this man walked out in the streets wearing the first silk hat ever made. So great was the crowd that followed him that he was suspected of inciting a riot, and he was severely reprimanded by the magistrates. He had set a fashion, however, and silk hats became very popular.

THE SHAPES OF EGGS

A mathematical discussion has taken place, before the Zoological Society, as to the differences in the shapes of eggs. A few eggs, like those of the owl and the tortoise, are spherical, or nearly so; a few, like the grebe's or the cormorant's, are elliptical, with symmetrical ends; the great majority, like the hen's, are ovoid, or blunter at one end than the other. The hen's egg is always laid blunt end foremost. Eggs that are the most unsymmetrical are also eggs of large size relatively to the parent bird. The yolks of eggs are spherical, whatever the form of the entire egg may be. This has been shown to be due to their being enclosed in a fluid, the "white," which makes the pressure everywhere on the surface of the yolk practically constant.—Science Siftings.

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Patient No. 15923. "I have not had a regular Emission. I don't know when and am feeling fine. The world seems altogether different to me and I thank God for directing me to you. You have been an honest doctor with me."

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Case No. 16888. Symptoms when he started treatment:—Age 21, single, indulged in immoral habits several years. Varicose Veins on both sides—pimples on the face, etc. After two months treatment he writes as follows:—"You welcome letter to hand and am very glad to say that I think myself cured. My Varicose Veins have completely disappeared for quite a while and it seems a cure. I work harder and feel less tired. I have no desire for that habit whatever and if I stay like this, which I have every reason to believe I will. Thanking you for your kind attention, etc.

GAINED 14 POUNDS IN ONE MONTH.

Patient No. 13522. This patient (aged 58) had a chronic case of Nervous Debility and Sexual Weakness and was run down in vigor and vitality. After one month's treatment he reports as follows:—"I am feeling very well. I have gained 14 pounds in one month, so that I will have to congratulate you." Later report:—"I am beginning to feel more like a man. I feel my condition is getting better every week." His last report:—"Dear Doctors—As I feel this is the last month's treatment that I will have to get, I thought at one time I would never be cured but I put confidence in you from the start and you have cured me."

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