ESPECIALLY FOR LADIES.

Beauty vs. Talent-The Women of Tunis -Origin of ''Lady."

Small Talk for the Ladles.

Origin of the Term "Lady."

The title of "lady" is derived from the Saxon hleaf-dian, contracted into lafdy, and then into lady. Laf, or haf, or loaf, means food or bread, and diau means to serve, so that the title "lady," means bread server. The feudal lord supplied the hold for the guests, or the poor, and the ladies used to carve and distribute it.

A Remarkable Faculty.

In the plantation of Oakfield, Aroostock county, Me., there is a girl who possesses the faculty of spelling difficult words backward without hesitation. Her name is Hattie M. Drew, just past her twelfth birthday and residing with her parents in Oakfield, who are people of moderate education, liv-ing upon a farm in a rural community. While this little girl is bright and smart as the average of her mates, she never attracted any particular attention until, a little more than a year ago, it was accidentally discovered that she possessed the singular gift of spelling any word with which she was acquainted backward and without hesitation. At a spelling match recently held in the school which she attends, without any warning, she stood before the audience for some ten minutes, spelling words selected at random, some for their difficulty of combination, but without any previous know-ledge of what they were to be, rapidly and correctly, except one or two which she could not spell in the proper way, and when prompted in the correct spelling would imincidiately reverse it. Among the words which she spelled were these : Galaxy, syzywhich she spelled were these : Using y, og -, gy, astronomy, phonography, difficulty, at-tendance, indivisible, etc, and many other moves of equal length and difficulty. All of words of equal length and difficulty. All of these were spelled as rapidly as the eye could follow, without a single misplacement of a letter. Has any other person without any training been able to do this or similar feats? In addition, it may be said, upon the testimony of the girl, that "she can see the words in her mind and knows no reason why she should not read the letters backwards as in the usual way.

Beauty vs. Talent.

All women, even the ugliest, says London Society, feel that beauty is a weapon on their side in the battle of life ; like to see it exert a force, and when it is great, and, so to peak, beyond criticism, admire it with genvine heartiness-heartiness as real as that which men show in their admiration for strength manifested in any conspicuous way. Let anyone of the thousand cynics now lounging in London ask himself wnether an English prince who madea mesalliance for money or for beauty would be sooner for-given, or whether the love match of Napoleon III. was not one main cause of that popularity with English women which out. lasted everything but his surrender. They thought he should have performed the im-possibility of "cutting his way through."

To this very hour the deep feeling of English women for the French Empress, though founded, of course, on pity, is greatly assist-founded, of course, on pity, is greatly assist-ed by two recollection among the middle-aged of a triumph so conspicuous and so visi-bly owing to personal charm. This kind of female interest is universal, and extends in a more largenial degree to the user who find a more languid degree to the men, who find in any national appreciation of beauty not only the charms which spring from anykind-ship in taste, but an excuse for a secret imbecility, a powerlessness in presence of the attraction, which they all resent and feel. We wonder if, besides all this, there is any residuum of the old Greek feeling that beauty was a clear good in itself, a harmonious something which indicated that the gods of nature were essentially and as heart hostile to man.

The next prince who ascends a throne anywhere will have his praises and qualities hymned on the European wires, but if he were an Apolio or a Jove, the bulletin-makers would feel instinctively that to say so

THE LIME-KILN CLUB.

who eye curiously the toilets and manners

of the European ladies. At last permission is asked to see the bedroom. The "beyess"

walks carelessly toward a room at the back part of the drawing-room. The bedroom which we enter is furnished quite in the European style. A four-poster of palisander wood, a chest of drawers with large looking class and conv class. On the well barge

glass, and casy chairs. On the wall hangs a life-sze portrait of the bey, her consort, and we hasten to congratulate her on his beauty. "On, ycs," she says, "he is hand-some. He comes to see me every evening."

We are silent, for we know that Mohammed

es Sadok for years past has visited the pal-

ace every afternoon only for appearance's

CHIT-CHAT.

A young lady of Hamilton, being asked the time last Sunday evening replied,

When a woman wants to get rid of her hus-

band for an hour she sends him up stairs to

get something from the pocket of one of her

A Philadelphia boarding-house keeper won't take any but pretty girls and suscep-

tible young men. Those who fall in love are seated together at the table, and of course lose their appetites. She is go ting

A Georgia couple waited over four years

for a good opportunity to clope, and just as it came the girl's father took the young man by the hand and said : "Speak up to her,

Thomas ! I know she loves you, and I'd

be tickled to death to have you for a son-in-

Oliver Wendell Holmes says that there is

nothing in the world tenderer than the pity

a kind-hearted young girl has for a young man who feels lonely. Any young man is

willing to feel lonely simply for the sake of

being an object of pity to a kind-hearted

"Ah! George, isn't it delightful that we are to be married so soon? To be sure, we

are not rich in this world's goods, but with

such love as ours we can almost live or bread and water, can't we, dear?" "Easily,

said George, with great emotion. "You furnish the bread, love, and I will skirmish around and find the water."

Annie was 6 years old, and was going to

school with a sister of 9. One atternoon, when school was near its close, her uncle

came by and proposed to carry them home.

The elder girl was at the head of her class and would not leave, but Annie said : 'All right, Uncle Buck! I'll go. I am foot, and

Bella ; "So you were engaged to both of us at once. Very honourable, I am sure ; and as for me----"Augustus : "Oh ! well what's the use of making a scene ? Father

says our house is going to suspend payment before March, and I knew one of you, at least, would break off with me then,

and things would have been all right

"My mother's awful fickle," said little

Edith to Mrs. Smith, who was making a call. "When she saw you coming up the street she said : "There's that horrid Miss Smith; I hope she isn't coming here," and a minute after she told you she was glad to see you. Mother says I'm fickle, but I guess I don't charge my mind as quick as

guess I don't change my mind as quick as

The Cat in Egypt.

The domestic cat, so far as Europe is concerned, is generally supposed to be some-what of an upstart. In Egypt its cultus has

existed for ages before our ancestors dream-

ed of paying it that species of worship which

at present appears to connect it with the

tutelary genius of the hearth. We have the authority of Herodotus for the fact that

when a cat died in an Egyptian home the

members of the bereaved family shaved off

their eyebrows, and that of Diodorus for the

touching statement that although Egyptians

have been known to eat their fellow-creatures during famines, no instance of cat-

can't get any footer.'

again.

that.'

sake, without ever seeing her.

"Five minutes of Smith.

dresses.

rich.

law.'

young girl.

rises, crosses her hands on her back,

In Case of Fire.

In view of the recent disastrous conflagrations in different parts of the cenatry the Committee on Personal Safety of the Lime-Kiln Club have recommended as follows :

No member of the Club will be allowed to scratch a match on his leg in Paradise Hall.

No smoking within ten feet of the woodbox, which hasn't been cleared out in three years.

All clay pipes must have a brass cover with a hinge, and all cigars must be smoked over an open tin pail.

In case of a fire during a session of the club the janitor will consult with the guard in the ante-room and ascertain if all escape has been cut aff by the stairway. If not he will quictly move that the meeting adjourn to witness a dog-fight in the alley. If the stairway is one solid sheet of flame, which will probably be the case, the janitor will calmly proceed to raiseall the alley windows and inform the meeting that there is no particular hurry about leaving.

In case the members have to leave the hall by way of the windows, the safe will be thrown cut first, followed byElder Toots, old Man Jackson, Gum Arabic Smith and Bless Me Taylor. Brother Gardner will by this time have a soft spot to strike on, and he will be followed by the other efficers in regular order.

In case there are any broken legs the victims will be carried into the nearest grocery for temporary treatment and to be interviewed by the reporters. Each one will claim that Paraoise Hall was a roaring sea of flames before he would consent to leave it.

In case Samuel Shin attempts to crowd way to the window before his turn his comes, Giveadam Jones will be prepared to stretch him lifeless by a blow from a sand club.

If a fire takes place in the hall outside of a meeting, the members will be expected to make their way there with all possible dispatch, and use every exertion to save the valuable books and relics and works of art. It was further recommended that the hall be insured for six times its value, so that the club would stand some show of securing

actual damages in case of a fire. Also, that the janitor remain for thirty minutes after the close of each meeting and huntaround for sparks. In case he smells anything like burning cotton or old felt hat he must remain until he discovers that the plumber next door is trying to kill the smell of sewer-gas in his own house. The number of barrels of water in the ante-room was increased to twelve, and the janitor was instructed to enter into experimonts to see if a fire extinguisher for the lodge room could

not be constructed from a nail keg, three feet of penstock hose and a pound package of chloride of 1 me.

The Elephant who did not see the Joke.

The Rev. Mr. Watson gives a very curious story in illustration of this animal's wonder-ful long memory of a wrong suffered. One of those pests of society, "a practical-joker," visited a caravan in a west of England fair and tried his stupid tricks upon an elephant there. He first doled out to it, one by one, some gingerbread nuts, and when the grate ful animal was thrown off its guard he suddenly proffered it a large parcel wrapped in denly prohered it a large parcel wrapped in paper. The unsupicious creature accepted and swallowed the lump, but immediately began to exhibit signs of intense suffering, and snatching up a bucket handed it to the keeper for water. This being given to it, it eagerly swallowed quantities of the fluid. "Ha!" cried the delighted joker, "I guess there waterware a tride her sold follows" those nuts ware a trifle hot, old fellow." "You had better be off," exclaimed the keeper, "unless you wish the bucket at your head." The fool took the hint only just in time, for the enraged animal, having finish-ed the sixth bucketful, hurled the bucket atter its tormentor with such force that had he lingered a moment longer his life might have been forfeited. The affair had not, however, yet concluded. The following year the show revisited the same town, and the foolish joker, like men of his genus, unable to profit by experience, thought to repeat the stupil trick on the clephant. He took two lots of nuts into the show with himsweet nuts in one pocket and hot in the other. The elephant had not forgotten the jest played upon him, and therefore accepted the cakes very cautiously. At last the joker proffered a hot one; but no sooner had the injured creature discovered its pungency than it seized hold of its presecutor by the coat-tails, hoisted him up by them, and held him until they gave way, when he fell to the ground. The elephant now inspected the severed coat-tails, which, after he had discovered and caten all the sweet nuts, he tore to rags and flung after their discomfited owner. -Chambers' Journal.

A Fireman's Fortune.

The San Francisco (Cal.) Chronicle, in an article on the Fire Department of San Fran-cisco gives the following from Asst. Chief Engineer Matthew Brady: "1 have been subject to an aggravating pain in my chest for over four years. I resorted to various modes of treatment to obtain relief. I have had my chest terribly blistered. No physician could tell what was the matter with Two weeks ago I. commenced using St. me. Jacobs Oil. It has cured me."

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The market is flooded with worthless and vile compounds for the rejuvination of the bair, but Carboline, the great petroleum hair renewer and dressing, as now improved and perfected, still takes the front rank as the best preparation ever offered to the public.

It's the assignce in bankruptcy who has painful recollections.

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a. m. to 4 p. m. Consultation free. Patients unable to visit Toronto can receive treatment at their own homes by sending a full statement of their case by mail or otherwise.

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When a man's constitution is run down, he can never wind it up with a whis-key!

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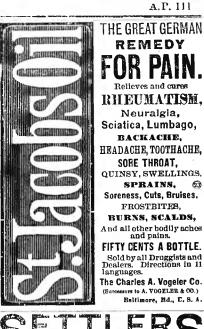
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would be regarded not as an adultation but as ridicule. It is for women to be beautiful, for men to be dignified--the latter a credit arising from a different order of ideas, the idea of harmony between place and appear-ance in the world. We should doubt if beauty were admired in the abstract very consciously, but that the interest excited by beautiful women rivals that excited by beautiful scenery, and this among those who never see either, except in pictures, we have no doubt whatever.

The Women of Tunis.

Women are kept much stricter at Tunis says Baron von Wartegg, the husband of Minnie Hauk, in a book on the east, than in Egypt or Turkey. Moorish ladies of high standing never show themselves in the street; and there are thousands of them whose only walk during their whole lives has been from the house of their parents to that of their husband. Poor women have to go out to make their purchases, and also to go to public baths, as they have none in their own houses; but they are veiled to such a degree, and enveloped in so many shawls, that you can scarcely see the tips of their fingers. The women of the middle classes also wear a dark, heavy silk hand-kerchief, and you only see their feet clothed in little slippers, either embroidered with gold or of patent leather, and perhaps a little bit of the calf, dre sed in a snowwhite stocking, ornamented with silver or golden clasps, which clink at every step like spurs. Woe be to the European who, in the presence of men, were to stare at a Moorish woman or accost her ! The Moors are, both in respect of their religion and the women, the greatest fanatics; and to pursue a woman, or to enter a mosque, may cost one's life to this day.

The "beyess" sits on a sofa; with crossed legs, and salutes us ceremoniously as we enter. She is a fatold woman with an insignificant face, by the side of which her short hair falls over the ears. Neck, arms, legs and fingers are literally covered with costly jewellery, bracelets and rings. She wears a sort of blouse of red silk, and white linen pantaloons, which get tighter near the feet and end in silk socks. All doors and recesses are occupied by women of the harem

eating was ever heard of. If an Egyptian should happen to find a dead cat, says the Sicilian historian, he was careful not to approach it closely, for fear of being suspected of its murder. Standing at a distance, he made the sad loss known by cries of distress. During conflagrations, according to Herod otus, the Egyptian spectators allowed the flames to rage unchecked, devoting their at-tention to saving the cats belonging to the burning houses. A Roman happened one day to kill a cat by accident. The melan-choly event took place at a time when the Egyptian Government was very anxious to conciliate Rome. But in spite of the exertions of the King and his Ministers the mok broke into the Koman's dwelling and inten tionally did to him what he had accidentally done to the cat. Of this act of popular vengeance Diodorus says he was a spectator. According to Lenormant, the cat does not appear on Egyptian sculptures earlier than the twelfth dynasty (2020 B.C.,) and therefore the credit of its domestication is due to the inhabitants of the Upper Nile- That process, remarks Hehn, must have taken a long time, but it was thoroughly successful in the end. The domestic cat very rarely deserts civilization in favor of savage free-dom, its character offering in this respect a strong contrast to that of its fellow Oriental, the gypsy. How the tame cat made its way into Europe remains uncertain, although it is reported to have travelled from Egypt by way of Cyprus. The period of its arrival, also, is shrouded in mystery. It does not seem to have been known in classic times, and the early centuries of our era appear to have been unaware of its existence. In so catless a period the arrival of such a beneficent beast as that which has kept Whittington's memory green might well be hailed with acclamation. It is easy to believe that the progress of the cat was rapid when it had once shown itself. Silently but irresistibly it seems to have subjugated the European hearth. It is terrible to think of how much pleasure as well as profit the world would have been deprived if the cat's career had been cut prematurely short. Most fortunate was it, as Hehn remarks, that its introduction preceded those epochs in which its associations with idolatry might have caused it to fall a victim to the fanaticism of Islam or the asceticism of Christianity. —The Nineteenth Century.

The late Louis Blane, the French agitator, has bequeathed the sum of 20,000 francs to Parisian children who have been deserted by their parents-abandonnes moralement. The money is to be laid out at interest. and the most deserving of each year are to receive savings bank books with 100 francs to their credit. The direction of the Assistance Publique, to which the legacy has been in-trusted, is also authorized by Louis Blanc to give these children his name if it think proper

Many testators have left their money for the dissemination of various forms of religious and irreligious opinions, and for the distribution af other people's books. But few have ever carried their testamentary caprice so far as the testator in a case before Mr. Justice l'earson in London 2 few days since, who left £2,000 to be devoted to the publication of a manuscript work of his own on religion and morals. The book was to be called "The Ethics of the Futurc," and the proceeds were to be divided between a neph-ew and a hospital at Oxford. The manu-script was reported on by the chief clerk as "having a tendency to promote religion and morality generally," and accordingly £400 was allowed for the expenses of a first edi-tion. The work saw the light in 1876. Twenty-one copies were sold the first year ; one copy has been sold since. The hospital now generously waived its claim to a moiety of the profits, and an order was made for the distribution of the sixteen hundred pounds remaining to the relatives.

he can never wind it up with a whis-key! Extract from a letter just received (December] 1882,) by Mrs. Thos. Murray, from her hus-band, Mr. Thos. Murray, who was for many years' Bridge Conductor for the Great West-ern Railway at Niagara Falls, afterwards one of the contractors on the enlarged Welland Canal (Section 12), and is now in Northern Michigan. looking after his timber interests in that country. He writes: "Tell Sutherland I am now starting for the woods with 36 men, where I will be all winter, and that I am now without ache or pain in either my knees or arms (something I have not known for years), thanks to the two bottles of Rheumatine which I procured from him before leaving St. Catharines."

A drunkard said he was only out of his teens; he, of course, mean; his canteens.

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