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THIRD READINGS.

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INTERESTING ITEMS FROM BONNIE SCOTTISH BRAES.

Scrap of News Performed by the Weather - Happenings of a Week Told in a Few Words.

Cycling is growing in popular favor in Rothsay.

Cardonald school is to be enlarged at a cost of £2,000.

Alyth school has been closed, on account of the measles.

The net salmon fishing on the Tay is still very unproductive.

Edinburgh will spend £146,000 extending her electric light.

There were 177 submersions in the Clyde at Glasgow last year.

A gas explosion at Craigbank, Gour-doch, did about £2,000 damage.

Irvine Forge Company's works in Ayrshire are to be enlarged.

Viscount Wolsley will be presented with the freedom of Dumfries.

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A BACHELOR'S REFLECTIONS.

Love may be weakness, but it knows its business.

A woman has no conscience as far as a man isn't concerned.

Probably Joan of Arc was burned to death because she wore clothes like a man.

If a man can only keep a girl hating him long enough she is pretty sure to fall in love with him.

Whenever you accuse a girl of being jealous, she says it is because you have no conception of her real feelings.

It's a hard strain on a man to have the minister come to supper the same day he had to get the clankers out of the furnace.

When two girls tell each other about their engagements they always kiss each other, call each other "Dear," and then cry because they feel so happy.

You can always tell whether a man or a woman runs the house by watching at what age the youngest boy gets suspenders and what age the oldest girl does her hair up.

Every woman has her times when she wishes she dared act the way she did when she was little and used to make faces and stick out her tongue at the neighbors' children.

SHE AGREED.

He—Do you know that I have never dared to kiss a girl in my life? My bashfulness is positively painful.

She—I should say it was.

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MATERNAL TRIALS.

Edie, cried the mother from the hall below, what's all that noise up stairs? It's shocking!

O, it's these two dolls of mine, mamma. I'm going to put them right to bed and see if we can't have a little peace.

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GUILTY.

Daughter, said the father solemnly, do you acknowledge that it was wrong to deceive me by kissing that young man after promising me not to?

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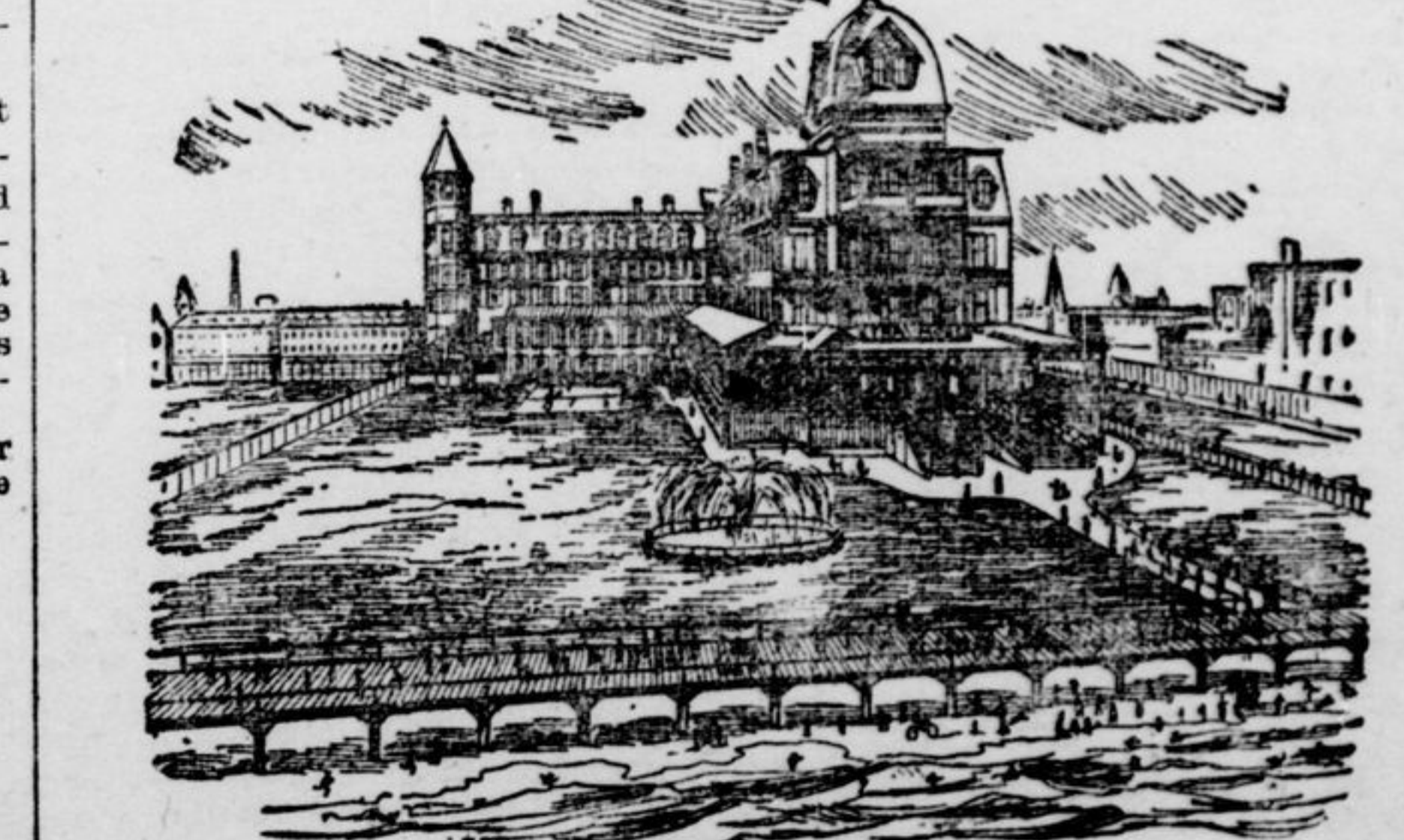
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