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**PARIS BY NIGHT.**

Police Unable to Stem the Tide of Hooliganism.

The Paris correspondent of the London Morning Leader is authority for the following:

In the boulevard de Clichy two men had bullets put through them early yesterday morning, and close by another quarrel ended in a man being stretched on the pavement with a knife stuck in him.

Hooliganism is as rampant in Paris just now as it was in London on the south side during the first year of the Boer war. In both cases the constant record of fighting in the journals has been an important contributory cause.

After one in the morning in the boulevards are infested by the most murderous looking cut-throats. They are lurking and loitering about for provocation. In company with a friend who knows his Paris like a book, I watched them all the way from Montmartre to the boulevards, and I am not surprised to read the daily stories of outrage which are told in the press with a frequency comparable to the relation of motorcar calamities.

The local police are powerless, because they would be marked men if they intervened too actively. Officers from other quarters are told off into favorite districts, and when arrests are made it is the outside "agents" who make them.

A few nights ago the entire "Brigade Mobile," aided by 50 detectives and 45 "agents" from distant arrondissements, comprising a police force of 500, raided the fortifications between Porte de Berry and the Porte Dore, and arrested 65 hooligans. All had revolvers.

The "battu" was in charge of M. Hamard himself. The police formed companies, and by the aid of repeated lightning drove the vagabonds in all directions. They were hiding in that ample dwelling place, "l'Hotelier de la Belle Etoile." They howled and shrieked and scampered like frightened rats driven by dogs and ferrets from a barn.

At one place on the "rues" (that is to say, police in plain clothes) were waiting, they bagged 37 men and five women. One honest man was so frightened at the approach of the 500 that he ran for all he was worth till he tumbled down a well, and it was only with great difficulty that he was rescued. The fear of the police, as a Frenchman puts it, is not always the beginning of wisdom.

**NEW TRICK ON THE BARKEEPER.**

The barkeeper stopped long enough to fill a "growler," or glass pitcher, with beer, looked at it suspiciously, and then swore. When his good nature returned he explained:

"Did you notice how little foam there was on that pitcher of beer? Well, I got, worked for about twice as much as we usually sell for a dime. The trick is very simple. Before those people sent in that pitcher they drew a ring around the inside of it with butter or something of that kind.

"What difference does that make? Why, it acts this way: Most of the growlers we send out here are about one-third beer and the rest foam, but with one of these greased pitchers it is all the other way.

"When you draw the beer into one of these stuff flats very quickly. As the beer hits that ring it drops down. It doesn't spill the beer either. When the beer is poured into glasses it will have all the original life in it, just as if fresh from the keg."—Sun.

**TRICKS OF A HINDOO JUGGLER.**

A Traveller's Story of Marvels Performed in His Presence.

"When in India I made the acquaintance of a juggler who tried to instruct me in all his tricks. He said that it was imaginary on the part of the spectators, as he simply willed that they should see those things. Yet, in common with western nations, was too animalized, sensual and materialized by flesh eating and consumption of alcohol to retain or accept any deep spiritual teaching.

"The most exciting performance that he gave for my benefit was the converting of a bamboo stick into a native servant, who waited at table and supplied our wants. Afterward—in his absence—I tried it, and to my surprise the same man was before me, having for instructions. I directed him to fill the chaities in the veranda with water from the well in the compound. This he proceeded to do. When he had filled them all to overflowing I requested him to stop. He, however, took no notice of me, and went on stolidly, bringing in the water until, in my excited imagination, it seemed that the bungalow would be washed away. Finding that I could not arrest or stop his movements, he passing through me as though I did not exist, I drew my knife and cut a hole in the wall, and a slash at him and apparently cut him in twain, when, lo! there were two men bringing in the water, neither of whom could I restrain from doing so.

"I was completely out of my depth, when I saw a quiet laugh behind me, and on turning found it was my instructor, who held up his right hand, and the two men disappeared, the stick resuming its place on the veranda; and, to crown all, there was not the slightest sign of any water having been brought in. They apparently passed over my head for an explanation. He said he had been present all the time, having willed that he should be invisible to me, and that I should imagine myself to see and do what I thought had taken place. In order to prove it he asked me to step into the compound, and directed my attention to a large cavern, which I knew was not there before. As I entered a number of huge elephants and camels issued from it in a continuous stream, yet I could not touch one of them. They apparently passed over me as though I did not exist. He again raised his hand and the cavern and animals disappeared."

BY AN OBSERVER.

Truth is certainly stranger than fiction to some people.

It is a more interesting and stupendous a large fortune has been built on a small foundation.

A man never seems to tire of trying to outdo his neighbor.

The trouble with some men is that they have too much room at the top.

When he dies—no more.

A man often boasts of ancestors who would astonish to recognize him.

A woman's idea of a miracle is the return of her husband at 11 p.m. perfectly sober.

An enterprising miller once advertised "Spring chickens all the year round." "Spring chickens all the year round" will remove freckles. Girls, it is worth trying.

None Left To Bother You After Using

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**Here and There.**

Thibet has its "park pests." The robe which constitutes a man's suit of clothes is simply ungarled when he lies down to sleep. It is neither changed nor washed until it goes to pieces. The man inside the robes fares no better.

A duck which is the property of Mr. T. L. of Chesteron, Staffordshire, has just laid an extraordinary egg. It weighed 104 ounces, was 4 1/2 inches in length and 8 1/2 inches in circumference. The whole of the contents filled an imperial half pint measure.

Mr. James Higley, about 40 years sexton and vergier at Holy Trinity Church, Burnley, England, who recently died, was said to be godfather to half the people in the parish, which has fifteen thousand inhabitants.

Four of the cannon taken from the French off Finisterre in 1747 by Admiral Boscowen, now fill the lowly, if useful roles of curb posts and lamp posts in front of the house, No. 2 St. James' square, London, of Boscowen's descendant, Lord Falmouth.

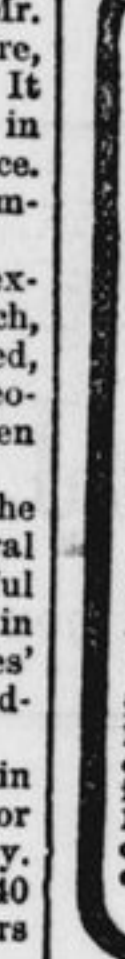
Some of the flimsy garments sold in Parisian stores are made of such poor material that hand sewing is necessary. The girls who do this get only 20 to 40 cents for twelve, fourteen or more hours of work.

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**Wireless Telegraphy Near Pole.**

The French savant, M. Benard, is convinced that Nansen took the only route by which the North Pole can be possibly reached. He favors an expedition with two ships connected by wireless telegraphy. The time is estimated at three years, and it is hoped that the Prince of Monaco, who is greatly interested, will contribute the necessary \$300,000.

**Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.**

ALWAYS.

Be fair. Judge not. Make haste slowly. Beware of making rash promises. Never borrow. Breathe clean. Eat regularly. Dress comfortably. Give what you can afford. Love your neighbor—in moderation. Walk every day. Avoid excessive jealousy. Shun debt as the plague. Have the courage of your opinions. Attend to your own affairs. Cultivate a charitable attitude. Remember that spite won't do you any good. Never be too hurried to eat and bathe regularly. Remember that content does more for looks than cosmetics. Do as you would be done by, and not as you have been "done."

If you do all this you'll be a comfort to yourself and friends and a credit to the community.

**Summer Colds**

You should cure that cold at once. It is not only making you feel miserable, but it is doing you harm. Take

**Shiloh's Consumption Cure**

The Lung Tonic

It is guaranteed to cure you. Your money refunded if it doesn't.

At all drug stores, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 a bottle.

**Goldfish Farm.**

A goldfish farm has been established at Waldron, Ind. Mr. Shoup could not make ordinary farming pay, so he went in for pet stock, and stocked a pond with goldfish as a pastime. He soon found that they were multiplying so quickly as to crowd each other out of their preserves. He put some of his better specimens on the market and soon received a prompt request for more, until he decided that it would be worth while to devote additional farming space to his fish. So from a mere pastime sprang the largest goldfish industry in the world. From a rough calculation he has one hundred and fifty thousand fish.

**ABOUT FLATFOOTEDNESS.**

What Causes It, and How It May Be Prevented.

Flatfootedness may or may not be increasing among the moderns, but it has at last brought out some very interesting theories as to why it should be prevalent. Sandow got flatfooted from lifting heavy weights according to the opinion of Dr. Sargeant of Hartford. Children are likely to be afflicted in this way when they wear spring heels, for the bones of the instep, in the cases of young children, depend for keeping their place upon adequate support of the heel. Flat children find themselves becoming flatfooted because of the abnormal weight the feet have to sustain. Poor feeding of the child tends to make it flatfooted, for the bones of the foot require plenty of lime to make them firm and strong. Poor feeding leads to "rickets" as well as flatfootedness, though the physician who says so does not stop to explain rickets. What would be called rickets of the feet now turns out to be flatfootedness. Persons who go barefooted all the time are said never to get the trouble, so we are led to believe that if we wear shoes at all we are apt to become as the big policeman or the mythical Chicago girl.

If one doctor's story is believed only old people get flatfootedness after the bones begin to disintegrate, so to speak, and let doctors be wise and let us have shoes at all we are apt to become as the big policeman or the mythical Chicago girl.

Several steeplechase passengers on the earlier days of the trip frequently missed of food and sweetmeats which they had taken aboard, and nothing was known of the culprit, until one day a woman, going to her bunk, found a little, flaxen-haired girl busily engaged in emptying a pot of jam which had been concealed there. The little one had the jam plastered all over her face and hands, and had covered her head with the jam. She discovered her to the chief steward. He in turn took her before the captain on the bridge.

Many of the passengers, seeing the little girl being dragged crying before the captain, gathered about to learn the cause of the trouble. Capt. Kreech, on his ship, like all other captains, is judge, jury, and Court of Appeals, listened to the charges with a stern look. Besides learning that the little girl had taken the jam, he also learned that her father and mother were very poor and could not provide any sweetmeats for her. When the case had been presented Capt. Kreech thought over the evidence for a time, and as the girl was caught with the evidence all over her face and hands he pronounced her guilty.

"This is a very serious case," he said, "and must be dealt with accordingly. The penalty of the first offense is imprisonment. For the second it is spanking, and for the third it is hanging or exclusion from America. But the facts in this case are such that I shall have to be more severe. I therefore sentence you to eat the best jam this ship can produce every time you feel like it. The jam will be supplied by the steward."

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**MR. DAVIS A FARMER BOY.**

He Has Worked His Way Up to Positions of High Trust and Honor.

When the next national election is decided Henry G. Davis will be preparing to celebrate his 81st birthday.

Born on Nov. 16, 1823, Mr. Davis has risen from a farm boy, with few advantages, to be the possessor of a fortune estimated in the millions. Besides having a United States senatorship, he has West Virginia for two terms, he has held many positions of honor.

Mr. Davis, who has been one of the leading spirits in the development of West Virginia, was born in Woodstock, Md., on a farm, as was Alton B. Parker, an his early education was in a school in Howard county. Since then he has built railroads, organized banks, opened coal mines and has raised his voice in the councils of those who direct the course of the government.

Always a Democrat, Mr. Davis' public service began in 1865, when he was elected to the House of Delegates of West Virginia. He served two terms as State Senator, and in 1871 was sent to the United States Senate. He was re-elected in his own right in 1874, but he declined because of his business interests.

Named frequently for the Governorship of West Virginia, Mr. Davis never could be prevailed upon to accept the nomination.

Mr. Davis' wife, who he married in 1853, was Miss Kate O. Bantz, of Frederick, Md. They had five children. Mr. Davis' benefactions are many, especially in the line of educational institutions. He recently rected in Elkins a handsome memorial to the memory of Henry G. Davis, who was drowned eight years ago. When the wife of his only remaining son, John T. Davis, was Miss Kate O. Bantz, of Frederick, Md. They had five children. Mr. Davis made a gift of \$100,000 to the youngster.

**ELEPHANTS CHARGING IN DARK.**

In the night I was startled from sleep by a crashing in the nearby jungle, and I started to see if the trees, which were being torn up and simultaneously smashed to earth. In the soundless midnight jungle the noise seemed tremendous, as indeed it was, and right at our very ears. It was my first experience with elephants, and I must confess it was nervous what I quiet with that crashing all around and no surety that the elephants might not take a fancy to stalk in upon us, or what minute the fancy might possess them. Nor did it lend peace to the anxiety of the moment. Here G. J. Jun, who is an elephant, much less a herd, is only now and again provisionally stopped in his tracks by powder and ball; for at the base of the trunk and through the ear are the only instantly vulnerable places to your rifle bullet. To have an elephant break cover immediately beside you is not so serious a matter on hard open ground, where you may have good footing, trees and it is not impossible to dodge; but in a jungle where you cannot make your way except by constant use of hand and foot, and where you are at every step, is quite another story, and one full of trouble on occasion.

Needless to say, sleep was impossible while the elephants ripped the jungle into pieces, and it was too black to attempt hunting, so we were anxious, not to say fearful, awaiting developments, given now and then an extra start by shrill trumpeting of the elephants, which shortly before daybreak suddenly moved away, to leave all quiet once again. If anything is more disconcerting than the bumbling elephants in the still of the jungle night, as they enclose you in a crashing circle, I have yet to experience it.—Casper Whitney in Outing.

**The Egotistic Fisherman.**

(New Orleans Times-Democrat.)

The egotistic fisherman. He said he had a big one! Could anybody fish a man? A more contented air?

The finest fishing reels he off, He has the finest pole, And with the finest bait he off To find the clear trout hole!

He reels the finest fish of all When he no catch doth bring, And with the finest eyes of all He is the "reel" thing.

**A Curious Libel.**

M. Rene Dubreuil, a French author, having written a novel containing a character named Bishop Valable (Tow), Bishop Chapon (capon), of Nice, has brought an action for damages on the ground that this was an illusion to him.

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Captain of Ocean Liner Finds Little Girl Guilty of Theft.

Capt. Kreech, of the Hamburg-American Line's steamship Graf Waldersee was called upon during the trip to pass sentence upon a thief caught stealing aboard the vessel. His manner of conducting the case and his judgment were commended by all the passengers.

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**Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.**

Death of Jedliczka.

The announcement by cable in yesterday's papers of the death in Berlin, Germany, of Dr. Ernest Jedliczka, the celebrated pianist and teacher, after several months' illness, will be read with sorrow by his many Canadian friends. Dr. Jedliczka, during the past few years has had many Canadian pupils who were much attached to him, including Douglas Bertram, the talented young Toronto pianist, son of the late G. H. Bertram, M. P.; Leslie Hodgson, W. H. Hewlett, organizer of Centenary Church, in this city, and many others. Dr. Jedliczka, who was a Russian by birth, and an intimate friend of Rubinstein and Tchaikowsky, was one of the most popular and successful teachers in Germany. He will be succeeded on the staff of the Stern Conservatory of Music by Martin Krause, the famous pianist now resident at Leipzig.

**Amount of Meat Consumed in England.**

A committee of the Royal Statistical Society of Great Britain has recently been engaged in investigating the production and consumption of meat and dairy products in that country, and while they find that there has been increased production, yet it has not been on a scale proportional with the increase in population. According to its report, submitted at a recent meeting per head in Great Britain was, of meat, 12 1/2 lbs.; of milk, 15 gallons; of cheese, 10 1/2 lbs.; and of butter, 3 1/2 lbs. The amount of meat included 56 1/2 lbs. of beef and veal, 27 1/2 lbs. of mutton and lamb, and 36 1/2 lbs. of bacon and pork. In addition the British people consume extensive quantities of poultry, game, rabbits, etc., which are not included in the above summary. The average of 15 gallons of milk does not include separated or skim milk, of which there is a considerable consumption in the continental countries, England consumes much more meat, but considerably less than the United States and Australia.—Harper's Weekly.

**Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.**

**Sultan's Wealth.**

Perhaps the finest collection of jewels in the world is that in the Sultan's treasury at Constantinople. The turban of all the Sultans since Mahomet I. are there, all glittering with rare and large gems of the purest water. There are also the royal thrones of Persia, carried off by the Turks in 1514, covered with more than twenty thousand rubies, emeralds and fine pearls, and the throne of Suleiman I., from the dome of which hangs over the head of the Caliph an emerald six inches long and four inches deep. These two thrones are the chief objects in the collection.

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**A Cat's Remarkable Experience in a Flywheel.**

A remarkable—almost unbelievable—cat story, says the London Express, is told by the officials of the corporation electricity works, telegraphs a Blackburn correspondent.

A cat living in the power house, they say, was asleep in the rim of a flywheel when the engines were started, and for five hours pussy was whirled round at the rate of sixty miles an hour. When at length the engine was stopped, the cat jumped down, staggered about confusedly for a few seconds, and then walked quietly to its corner, none the worse for its extraordinary experience.

It is suggested that the cat has now experienced more revolutions than any recognized South American republic.

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**Grows of a Grizzled Bachelor.**

Faint heart in time may save a breach of promise suit. It is unsafe to make love out of an ink bottle—or any other way. He thinks he is marrying his ideal, but she sometimes turns out to be his ordeal.

Some women's love is about as full of warmth and truth as the epitaph on a lawyer's tombstone.

The only appreciable difference between a woman and a girl is that the woman is a little more so.—Woman's Home Companion.

**Deafness Cannot be Cured**

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one safe and sure way to cure deafness, and that is by a local application of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflated, it has a rambling sound or imperfection, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out of the ear, deafness is its normal condition. It is a simple matter to destroy forever; also cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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**Hall's Family Pills for Constipation**

**Furs Growing Scarce in Siberia.**

The wealth of Russia in furs is being rapidly sapped. It is reported that in a certain district of the Yenesei Government, where fifty years ago hunters annually shot 28,000 sable, 6,000 beaver, 24,000 foxes, 14,000 blue foxes, 300,000 squirrels, 5,000 wolves, and 200,000 hares, there is a noble can be found to-day. The blame is laid to the wanton destruction of wild animals in the course of the hunting expeditions. No steps seem to have been taken to put a stop to this.

**Powder's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap**

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**Teaching the Police Manners.**

In future the police of Zurich, Switzerland, are to receive regular lessons in "civility and deportment," so as to bear themselves on all occasions with "dignity and grace." The lessons in civility are to be given by the Chief himself.

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**Japan**

**Togo's**

A Tokio cable-messenger of the news reports that the chief of her staff, a flag of truce to Russians, where his staff officer, a superior of Japan, and non-combatants, a surrenderer of Port expected to-day.

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St. Petersburg De and Milit

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Salvaging Russian

A Nagasaki cable-messenger of the news reports that the former Russian sailor, but owing to his gari was compelled to prevent her capture. The Japanese afterwards and resume towing, where she will under the mails from the Russians detained in the Sea, have been examined by the British Consuls, who found no other letters missing, is being prepared by Funeral Services

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**A FEARFUL**

Russian Lieutenant

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