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THE FASHIONS IN NAMES

THE COGNOMENS THAT SEEM TO BE VERY POPULAR.

What the Octogenarians are Fond of—The Ella Period Fittingly Announced—The Ida Period is Passed, and the Struggle There is Now for First Place.

Fashions in men's names change somewhat but not as women's. John, Charles, George, and William reign in 1890 as they did in 1790. But the feminine woman's names change every ten or fifteen years. It is possible that the sociological New Zealander will find that the feminine key names of this century, so to speak, are about as many in number as the decades. Just what was the favorite woman's name at the very opening of the century is hard to guess off-hand, but the Listener may venture to say that the Nancy epoch was about the first worthy of record in the century.

Among the octogenarian ladies of the Listener's acquaintance the name of Nancy seems to have a very prominent place. Further on down the century came the fashion of double names—possibly an old fashion revived—and we find Maria Anne, Mary Jones and Ann[illegible] in nearly every family. Perhaps th[illegible] epoch would be best described as the Mary Jane epoch of the feminine nomenclature.

It is a little hard to locate these things in years, but the Listener would say, at a guess, that the Lucy epoch began about the year 1835, and was closely followed by the Helen epoch, which left the name of the beautiful daughter of Leda scattered broadcast over the country. Somewhat after the reign of Helen came the most singular, unaccountable epoch of all, the Ella epoch. The use of the name of Ella goes back, as closely as the Listener can locate it, to about the year 1850, though there may have been earlier examples. Where the name "Ella" came from is a mystery. The authorities put it down as a corruption of the name of Eleanor, which in its turn was corrupted from Helen.

It appears to have no recognized place either in history or fiction, though evidently it was borrowed from a fourth-rate popular novel. It is, at any rate, without meaning, without associations in the past, without any other reason for existence at its beginning except that it pleased many people's fancy. Now it no doubt has a recognized existence since beautiful and good women have borne it, and, like all other names that women ever bore, it is sanctified with that other name of mother. The real Ella epoch did not set in as early as 1850; probably it was at its height about the year 1860. People thought it so pretty! But it is sadly out of fashion now.

There was an Ida epoch that came in somewhere along there, probably just after the Ella epoch, though the two names ran pretty closely together. The name of Ida is a good and ancient one, though most of the people who took it up doubtless thought they had hit upon something quite new. Most of the Idas of the time about 1860 were named for a character in the popular story or for one other. But following the Ella and Ida period there came another girl name which attained a most extraordinary race; the Edith epoch, indeed, survives almost to the present day. Between 1867 and 1875 about half of the girl babies were christened Edith, and the crop is ripening fast now, as a matter of course.

Look at the high school catalogues and see how they bristle with Ediths, an ancient Saxon name, and a pretty one disused for centuries and revived all at once—a happy revival if it had not been overdone. Then came the Maud and Mabel epoch; these names have to be hyphenated, because neither ever seemed able to stand up without the other. They were a great rage in their turn. The main crop of Mauds and Mabels will hardly mature before another five years, though the earlier sowings are ripe already. Since then we have had the Marjorie revival—an exceedingly pretty name that, and better and more English than either Maud or Mabel—and now we are threatened with a Gladys epoch.—Boston Transcript.

CREAM OF CURRENT EVENTS.

A photographer paid Stanley 1,000 pounds to sit for a portrait.

Emperor William has decided not to give any more presents of jewlery to persons entitled to receive a gift from him, and instead will give to such individuals a photograph of himself and the empress, bearing their autographs.

Boston Clergymen know beauty when they see it. One of them the other day, in the course of a sermon, declared that "there never were more beautiful women than now, when Helens and Cleopatras are produced by the thousands."

The British postoffice, which in 1840 distributed 76,000,000 of letters per annum, now distributes 1,600,000,000 exclusive of post cards, newspapers etc. In London alone the number of letters posted and delivered annually is 850,000,000.

Within a few weeks the British museum has become possessed of a Chinese bank note issued from the imperial mint 300 years before the circulation of the first paper money in Europe, or in the first years of the reign of the first Ming emperor. The first real bank in Europe was that of Barcelona, established in 1401.

Patti gets 800 pounds a night. In 1821 the entire fees paid to vocalists for a season at the London opera house from March 10 to August 18, where 8,886 pounds, while 10,000 pounds went for the ballet. The only singer who got more than a thousand pounds for a season was Camporese. Two ballet dancers received 1,785 pounds and 1,537 pounds respectively.

Great preparations are being made in Mayence to celebrate the 450th anniversary of the invention of the art of printing. On June 22 there will be an exhibition of specimens of printing from the days of Gutenberg down to the present time. On June 24, the natal day of Gutenberg, the Gutenberg Platz and the monument erected to him will be brilliantly illuminated.

The telephone must have a new role of usefulness scored for it. Sir Humphrey de Trafford, near Manchester, has perhaps the finest kennels in England, the kennel-man's house adjoining them. From each kennel a telephonic arrangement leads to the kennel-man's room, so that when any dog is noisy at night the keeper can speak to him so as to be heard without leaving his room.

Stumm is the iron king of Germany. He owns enormous foundries at Neunkirchen, where over 9,000 men are employed. None of his workmen may get married, change their place of residence or join a society without his permission. He gives them good advice in regard to investments and aids them in many ways. He is a member of the reichstag and was ennobled by Kaiser Friedrich.

H. B. Plant, President of the Southern express company and of the Plant investment company and of the Plant steamship line, is one of the shrewdest and most successful organizers of business enterprises in the south. He is somewhat about 50, white-haired, with a grizzly mustache and shrewd eyes. His nose is straight and so is his talk. If he makes a statement it is compact, terse and to the point. His steamers—the Mascot and Olivette—which ply between Havana, Key West and Tampa, are as fast as ocean steamers, and make the round trip in three days or less.

A Wonderful New Barometer.

At the last conversazione of the Royal Society, London, England, a new barometer was exhibited which will, on one slip of paper, note the beginning, variations in intensity and termination of rain and hail, the instant of each lightning flash and the beginning and duration of a thunder clap. The instrument can be read for periods of time down to the fifteenth part of a second. An arrangement was also exhibited to show, either by projection or photography, the oscillatory nature of an electric spark.—Chicago Herald.

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Following Directions.

"Hold on to me tight" he said "while I get my hat."

They held on tight.

He Lost a Sale.

An icebox on which a sign "For Sale" stood in front of a Brooklyn grocery store the other day, and when a woman stopped to examine it, a man, with his hands and overalls showing grime came out and said:

"Madam, dot vhas der beegest bargain in d's whole county. I paid $18 for dot icebox, und now I sells him for—for—vhell, I make der price so sheap dot it pays you to shplit him oop for firewood."

"Been in use a long time," she observed as she looked inside.

"Madame, I gif you fife tousand dollar if I doan' buy him only last year."

"What's the principle on which it works?"

"Der best principle in all dis worldt, madame. It vhas by der copyright, horizontal, rotary principle, und nobody can beat it. My son he runs dis grocery for me while I runs my boiler und engine shop. Dot makes me know all about ice box s."

"A boiler isn't an ice box," she remarked, as she looked into it again.

"Shust so, madam, but der principles vhas der same. Dis vas a ten-flue ice box, mit a return draught. She vhas seex-inch stroke, patent cut-off, tested oop to 180 pounds, und vhas fe xed oop mit a low-water indicator und all der latest inventions. If dat ice box explodes on you I gif you one million dollar, und any shild can run him."

"Explode! Mercy on me, but I don't want anything around to blow me up! It must be some new fangled arrangement."

"Madame, I gif you my word he vhas as safe as a trunk oop in der garret. He consumes his own smoke, vhas provided mit a check-draught of der latest style, und——"

"I don't want it!" she said with a decided snap in her voice, and hurried away as if she feared an explosion.

At that moment a young man came out and asked:

"Fadder, doan' you make a sale?"

"No."

"Vhas you tell her?"

"I say to her dot it vhas by her copyright, horizontal, rotary principle, mit return flues, seex-inch stroke, patent——"

"Fadder, you go avhay and leaf me to sell him. You vhas too scientific. So mooch talk makes people afraid. I shust tell 'em dot it vhas for sale by a family who vhas going to Europe for der summer, or to wind oop an estate, und before to-morrow he vhas sold. You vhas all right on engines und boilers, but you vhas away off on ice boxes. All der principle about him vhas to sell him for $10 cash."

A Promoter of Temperance.

Magistrate—Did you ever see a man intoxicated by beer?

Saloon-Keeper—Oh, yes; lots of times.

Magistrate—In your saloon?

Saloon-Keeper—No, sir; men never get intoxicated by beer in my place.

Magistrate—How do you manage it?

Saloon-Keeper—I draw my beer into the Coney Island beer glass.—Racket

No Hope.

Caller (to sick man)—How are you feeling to-day?

Sick Man—Oh, a little better, but there's no hope—I'll never get strong enough to get away from the doctors.—Chatter.

On the Street-Car.

Innocent Countryman (to lady just entering)—Have a seat?

Lady—No, thanks.

I. C.—Bless you, I didn't expect any.—Harper's Bazar.

How Uncle Jerry Went Back on the Crowd.

Every boy of us in the village knew Uncle Jerry Crawford. He was a dried-up old man, and never seemed to get any older, although always complaining. The form of salutation was invariably this:

"Hello! Uncle Jerry!"

"Yass, yass."

"How you feeling?"

"Wretched, wretched, thank ye."

I've heard that at least one thousand times, and never knew a deviation but once. A drummer who used to come up occasionally from St. Louis got on to it, and one day when a dozen of us sat on the steps of the drug store Uncle Jerry was seen coming up the street.

"Isn't that old Crawford," asked the drummer as he shaded his eyes with his hand.

"Yes."

"He's the man who always replies that he's pretty well, praise God!"

"Oh, no. He's the man who always replies that he's wretched, thank ye."

"I may be mistaken, but I don't think so."

"Of course you are."

"Well, I hate to give in. I'll bet $20 that when he comes up and you ask him how he is he'll reply as I said."

There was seven of us there, and all we could raise was $16. We handed that out fast enough, however, and it had been covered when Uncle Jerry came along. We were on the grin as the drummer called out:

"Hello! Uncle Jerry!"

"Yass, yass!"

"How you feeling?"

"Pretty well, praise God!" replied Uncle Jerry, as he passed on.

It was about two minutes before we could get breath, and then the drummer had gone with the stakes. An hour later I asked Uncle Jerry what he meant by such conduct, and he replied:

"Took me all day to learn it, and the feller gin me two big dollars."

The Absolute Limit.

Book Publisher—How many of your books shall we print, Mr. McA[illegible]?

McAllister—F[illegible]

As to Going Back to Africa.

Dorothy—Henry, are you going back to Africa after we are married?

Henry—[illegible]

Tired of Walking.

Railroad superintendent (forbiddingly)—Well, sir, what do you want?

Tramp—Pardon my intrusion, but I s'pose you observed that 'cordin' to the Massachusetts Supreme Court a man wot is injured while ridin' on a pass can't collect damages.

Superintendent (much interested)—I noticed that.

Tramp—Yes, sir. Well, there ort ter be the same law here; an' ef you'll jist give me an annual pass, I'll ride back an' forth until I git hurt, an' then we'll make a test case of it.—New York Weekly.

Up to Snuff.

Servant Girl—What are you up to, Johnny?

"Up to the preserves on the top shelf. Don't say nuthin' or the ole woman will be up to me."—Epoch.

A Rare Tribute.

First artist—"I received a magnificent tribute to my skill the other day at the exhibition."

Second artist—"Indeed! What was it?"

First artist—"You know the picture 'A Storm at Sea?' Well, a man and his wife were viewing it and I overheard the fellow say: 'Come away my dear, that picture makes me sick.'"—American.

Forgot What He was Crying For.

A little boy sat on the floor crying. After a while he stopped and seemed buried in thought. Looking up suddenly, he said: "Mamma, what was I crying about?"

"Because I wouldn't let you go out to play."

"Oh, yes," and he set up another howl.—Birmingham Post.

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STORY OF THE CENSUS

GROWTH OF THE GREAT CITIES OF THE STATES.

Drawing Comparisons Between the Capitals of the Old and the New Worlds—The Places That Have Made Eminent Progress in the Last Decade.

Estimated population of New York's Brooklyn annex, 806,000; increase in 10 years 42 per cent. Rank among American cities, fourth. Good.

Estimated population of New York's Philadephia suburb, 1,040,000; increase in 10 years 22 per cent. Rank among American cities, third. Not dead, though sleepy.

Estimated population of New York's own self, 1,627,000; increase in 10 years, 35 per cent. Excellent.

Estimated population of Chicago, 1,086,000 increase in 10 years. One Hundred and Twelve (112) per cent. Rank among American cities, second. Fair!

Combined population of the four American cities, 4,559,000. Population of London, 4,352,000. Population of Paris, 2,327,000; of Berlin, 1,420,000; of Vienna, 811,000; of the three combined, 4,558,000. Population of New York and Brooklyn annex, 2,436,000.

In short London stands one by itself—London. New York-Brooklyn slightly exceeds the Continent's first capital. The three American capitals combined are barely behind the three Continental capitals combined.

The next census pulls New York out of the ruck, the race with London becomes a clear one for foremost place in simple magnitude, in aggregation of human souls, known to the history of the race. The twin Newer Romes of the twentieth century will speak one tongue, the classic of the remoter future.

In urban, as in infant life, now we go uppy-uppy-uppy, and then we go downy, downy downy. Cincinnati and New Orleans now rank respectively eighth and ninth among American cities. In twenty years the first has grown 46 per cent. and the second 30. Boston, with a growth of 66 per cent. in the same time (including annexation), holds its rank as seventh, but has been passed by both Baltimore and St. Louis, which also have changed places between themselves. Baltimore is now in fifth place, with an increase of 60 per cent. in twenty years, and St. Louis sixth with an increase of 39 per cent. But the charge of systematic underenumeration in St. Louis must not be wholly lost sight of.

The Infant Phenomenon of the census of 1890 is Minneapolis, with a population in 1870 of 13,000, in 1880 of 47,000, and in 1890 of 185,000, an increase in the last ten years of 304 per cent. Yet were Minneapolis aside, the Phenomenon would be its twin city of St. Paul, with its population of 20,000 in 1870, 41,000 in 1880, and 130,000 in 1890, an increase in the same decade of 217 per cent. But, looked at in the large, these two towns are one, the joint metropolis of Minnesota, and their joint growth during the ten years from a combined population of 88,000 to 315,000 leaves out of sight all similar progress on the list. This joint population too, passes by a few hundreds that of Cincinnati, and really ranks the far North-western town next after Boston.

Towns that hold their own are Pittsburg, Buffalo and Cleveland, now number 10, 11 and 12, having passed New Orleans, which stood tenth in 1880. These three cities show an increase in combined population from 481,000 to 748,000, equal to 56 per cent. But next after St. Paul-Minneapolis, Milwaukee has made the greatest rush toward the front from nineteenth in 1880 to fourteenth in 1890, with an increase in population of One Hundred and Five per cent.

At first blush it might seem a little remarkable that the rate of growth shown by New York for the decade, namely, 35 per cent., should coincide with the average growth of the healthy towns throughout the country. The New York rate is slightly in excess of that average, and the excess, no doubt, represents the attraction and draft of the metropolis as such upon the country over and above its own merely industrial growth. And the census shows among the live towns that are holding their own with, or are surpassing, this moral rate of about 30 per cent., Brooklyn, Boston, Baltimore, Buffalo, Cleveland and Pittsburg. Among those that have fallen considerably below it are Philadelphia, Cincinnati, St. Louis and New Orleans. Those which have run far away ahead of the average are Chicago, St. Paul-Minneapolis and Milwaukee.—N. Y. Sun.

CURRENT SCIENCE.

A Russian officer has invented a luminous projectile to be thrown from a gun. It is claimed that it will be extremely useful for discovering the movements of an enemy in a naval contest at night.

Experiments with the 25,000 candle power search lamps show that vessels three miles off can readily be detected, and that by throwing the light on the clouds, signaling is possible at a distance of fifty miles.

A very ingenious electrical device has lately been patented by which the hands of a clock, set to a certain hour, are made to complete an electric current connected with the kitchen stove so that the fire is started when the given hour arrives.

The Detroit Tribune tells how a new locomotive is tested as soon as finished: When the great machine is finished it is hoisted by heavy chains so that the wheels just clear the tracks on the construction floor. Steam is raised, and an engineer springs upon the footboard and sets the big drivers spinning around in empty air at about 300 revolutions per minute, which would send the "old girl" over the rails at about a mile a minute were she on the track. A wine-glass, filled to the brim with water, is then placed upon the cow-catcher, and the valves and counterbalance weights are delicately adjusted until a minimum amount of liquid is spilled by the vibrations of the suspended giant.

Professor Souchon, of Tulane University, proposes the exploration of the brain through capillary holes, instead of resorting to the trephine. According to this, after the hair has been snipped from the selected spot by sharp scissors, and the scalp has been rendered aseptic, a hole is to be made through the soft parts of the scalp with a sharp-pointed aseptic bistoury; through this the bit of a watch-maker's drill is to be introduced, and a hole drilled through the skull, the bit being guarded to prevent it penetrating into the brain substance. This bit being withdrawn, the needle of a hypodermic syringe, twice as large as the ordinary needle is to be introduced into the brain; if a tumor is present the needle will convey a feeling of resistance; if, however, no solid tumor is present, the needle must be gradually forced more and more deeply into the brain.

There are 260 passengers on board; of these 243 are sick; 7 appear at table. The gong is for those seven. Two hundred and fifty breakfasts have been prepared; 250 dinners will follow, for it is not possible to reckon on the weather, and at the first smooth day all, or nearly all, the sick will suddenly put in an appearance. But this day is rough, and 500 meals are more or less wasted. Doesn't this come of the boarding-house system, and that system the worst that can be applied to passengers at sea? The best part of the ship is sacrificed to accommodate 200 persons at table. At the best they appear there for an hour in the morning and an hour at dinner-time. If the restaurant system were established there would be fewer people in the saloon at a time, a smaller saloon would be sufficient, and better service insured.—The Arena.

No water is so refreshing as that of a mountain spring, and one reason of this is that its temperature is just right. It is well to take hints that are given by nature, and the hint that the best temperature of drinking water is about 50 degrees Fahrenheit is a good one, and worth following. I would suggest—and I am sure that everyone who tries it will be more than satisfied—that the filtered water be caught in stoppered carafes, or, what is just as good, carefully cleaned sherry bottles stoppered with new, clean corks, and that these bottles filled with water and carefully stoppered be placed in the refrigerator for several hours. By putting half a dozen such bottles filled with water in the refrigerator and replacing them with others as they are taken out, a supply of clean, filtered water of a satisfactory and safe degree of coolness may be kept continually on hand.—English Mechanic.

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