

ART OF DRESSING.

The way to be artistically gowned is to discover one's best feature and then dress up to it.

The sheer waste in this country is appalling. Our working men get less comfort and enjoyment out of a given expenditure than the workmen of France.

An exchange calls attention to the fact that while sermons were being preached on tuberculosis in its hall-wick the churches themselves were filled with impure air and other phases of the white plague.

Another proof that the American girl is equal on every occasion. The young ladies who attend Wellesley college have organized a fire brigade.

As a result of the census Chicago is making a virtuous pose because 900,000 of the population are set down as "regular" church attendants.

The conquest of the air is not to be left in the sole possession of record-breaking laurels. One of the great steamships is to make the round trip to Europe and back in eleven days.

A college student in Minnesota, ordered to propose marriage to a number of young women as a condition of his admission into a college club.

The happiest woman we know of is the one who has twenty-one Christmas gifts bought already.

The good sense of the American people is attested by the compliance with which they submit to the will of the majority.

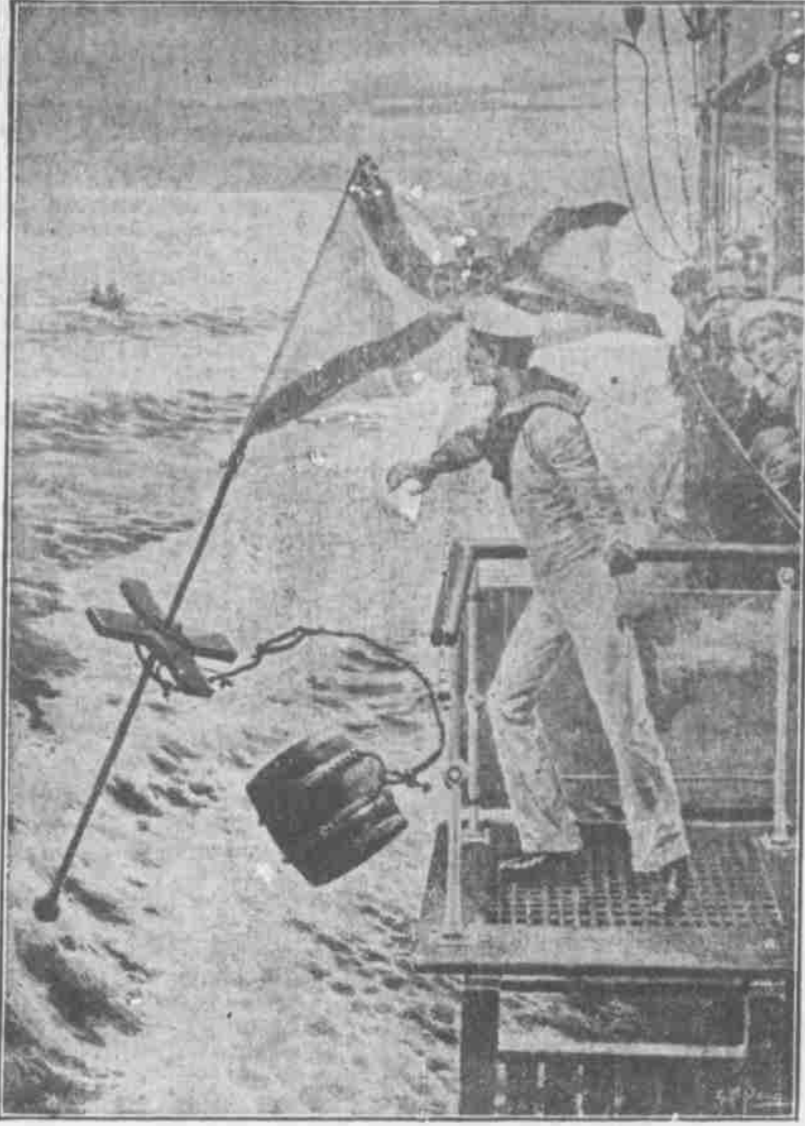
London has imported an edible monkey from Peru. New York will wait to see how London likes it before it imports one, too.

Are we returning to barbarism? English women have taken to wearing anklets.

MARVELS OF THE EARTH

CURIOUS, ODD AND INTERESTING OBJECTS AND PLACES

Mail for Fernando Noronha



There are few places on the globe so curiously situated as the little island of Fernando Noronha in the South Atlantic ocean.

PERSIAN TOWER OF SILENCE



The Parais, regarding earth, water and fire as sacred, have to dispose of their dead by other methods than burial or cremation.

WHALE STRANGLER ITSELF

The crew of a cable-repairing ship working in the Pacific recently brought back a remarkable story of a whale.

FAMOUS MAGPIE CEILING

Mention has frequently been made of late of the palace at Clutra, where the sovereigns took refuge after their flight from Lisbon.

GREYHOUND JOINS COYOTES

A greyhound, once owned by Martin Smith of Sandy, Ore., has become wild and now lives with the coyotes it used to chase in the surrounding hills.

MINERAL THAT IS LUMINOUS

It is a legend among the peasants of Cornwall that at night one sometimes sees a faintly shining material

voiced on the bottom of the ocean by fish. The crew of the cable ship hauled up an immense load of whalebone.

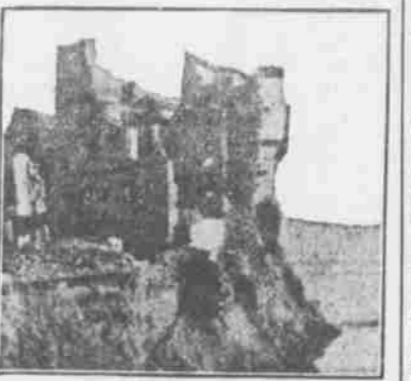
FREAK IN KITTEN TRIPLETS

Tigras, a large cat owned by James Albans of Middleport, N. Y., gave birth a few days ago to three kittens, which were all fastened along the length of their sides to one another.

RAT TRAP SAVES TWO LIVES

Awakened by the snap of a rat-trap and the squeal of a big rodent, Andrew Sullivan of New Jersey awoke at 1 o'clock in the morning to find his home in flames.

UNDERMINED BY THE INDUS



The once beautiful city of Dera Ghazi Khan in the Punjab has sustained incalculable damage by the overflowing of the river Indus.

Rebuilt After an Earthquake



The reconstruction of Kingston, Jamaica, on the reinforced concrete system has been completed with great rapidity since it was devastated by the terrible earthquake of January 14, 1907.

among the rocks rejected from the mines.

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ROOSTER THAT KILLS MICE

Monroe Behmer, a tenant farmer near Lancaster, Pa., has a curiosity in a mouse-killing rooster. He follows Behmer and his assistants to the corn field daily and remains with them all day.

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are necessary to children. City boys and girls, as compared with their country cousins, are raised under a restraint that works to their disadvantage.

DOINGS AT THE CAPITAL

Outclass Other Countries in Savings

WASHINGTON.—More than 9,000,000 depositors in the savings banks of the United States hold over \$4,000,000,000.

It is certain that not less than \$6,000,000 in bank deposits can fairly be counted as savings.

In Germany, for instance, there are more than 19,000,000 savings accounts, but the total amount represented by that multitude of deposits is only about \$2,400,000,000.

The contrast between these figures and the statistics which measure the savings of other countries is proof of the difference between the ability to save and the wide diffusion of prosperity in the United States.

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Harem Refugee Goes Back to Turkey

As Miss Baherion talked her voice was tense with emotion and her hands worked nervously, as she lived again the days that preceded her flight.

"My father went about among his people trying to convert them. He was warned to stop. He refused to heed the warnings. He must show his people the light. He was imprisoned at Alexandria, near Constantinople.

"Soon after my father had been taken from us my mother learned from friends that a wealthy Turk wanted me to join his harem. My mother refused to treat with him and he finally laid a trap to kidnap me.

"Finally Doctor George advised my mother to send me to America. Disguising as his servant, in boy's clothes, we went to Alexandria. After he had arrived at Alexandria everything was easy. Friends of Doctor George accompanied me to London. There I was turned over to the care of members of our church who were bound to New York.

White House Season Formally Opens

to the judiciary will take place, which a week later will be followed by the customary dinner to the members of the Supreme court.

The reception to the congressional circles will be on February 7, and as a dinner to these same people would be a practical impossibility at the White House, one is not given, but President and Mrs. Taft conceived the idea of giving a dinner in compliment to the speaker when they took possession of the White House, and last year the custom was inaugurated.

The following Tuesday, February 21, the state functions, which last a trifle over two months, will be concluded with the reception to the army and navy, an affair which has more brilliancy than any of the others.

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eliminated from the list of human activities, only rib-around-a-roxy would be left. Football would, of course, never be played again; baseball, riding, driving, swimming, boating, skating, flying in the air would soon be forgotten pleasures.

"It is that very element of danger in a sport that makes the sport an education in itself. It is the danger in the sport that educates youths and leads to be bold and fearless, and to be resourceful when beset with troublesome problems.

"The out-of-doors life of games, particularly of games of lusty activity, are necessary to children. City boys and girls, as compared with their country cousins, are raised under a restraint that works to their disadvantage.

People on farms are but a third of our population, Doctor Wiley said, but their sons are two-thirds of the men who attain eminence in professions and business and statecraft. They are always in the open air, nearly always active, both mentally and physically.

CURE THAT GOLD TODAY



"I would rather preserve the health of a nation than be its ruler."

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THE JOCLAR CLERK.



Customer (in grocery store)—Are those eggs on that counter fresh? Clerk—Yes, ma'am.

Customer—How long have they been laid? Clerk—I laid them there myself, ma'am, 20 minutes ago.

Does Your Cat Cough? Poor pussy! As if the immemorial charges against her of keeping us awake at night and of eating canary birds whenever she gets the chance were not enough, the doctors have just discovered that for years she has been responsible for the spread of diphtheria.

Chambermaid Repartes. First Chambermaid—Look! You let your pillow slip. Second Chambermaid—No; the coverlet it—Exchange.

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