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NOTE AND COMMENT

If Roumania hesitates much longer she may not be welcome within the triumphant circle of the Entente. Friends who join only when they see a man winning are not considered over valuable.

"I don't want to hear any more talk about England muddling through. They have done in two years all that the Germans took forty years to do and then they have the navy which needs no comment." This terse summing up of the whole situation by Reverend C. E. Jenkins, returned chaplain, is cordially commended to the arm chair critic.—Montreal Star.

The United States expeditionary force, which went into Mexico with the intention of punishing Villa and his marauders, is about to be withdrawn, it is reported. The troops had a difficult time of it at first and were attacked on more than one occasion, not to mention the skirmish they had with the Villa band. Villa is still uncaptured, but the situation is more promising than when the Americans crossed the boundary. Each country may consider itself lucky that the peculiar conditions did not lead to a long and costly war.

We are prone to talk about women being slaves to fashion, and when ones notes the knee-length skirts and barber pole stripes that have been the vogue this summer, there seems to be some ground for it. And, yet, what ought we to think of our own sex when we see them sweating in a coat and collar and tie, when the thermometer is 96 in the shade?

Tame Silk.
There is more silk in the world than the silkworm ever knew. As a matter of fact, much of the "silk" which is worn is merely cotton dissolved in a new dress. It is merely cotton dissolved in a bath of nitric acid, kept water free by the strongest vitriol. The jelly-like result is then forced through very minute tubes, and the fine threads so produced are dropped into water and rendered innocuous by ammonium sulphide. This "tame silk" has a fine luster and has all the flexibility of the worms' work. In fact, so close is the resemblance that it needs an expert to distinguish them.—London Chronicle.

She Liked Gloom.
It is a matter of thankfulness that widows of this generation are more sensible than the dowager Countess of Buchan, who passed away in the year 1786.

On the death of her husband she dressed herself out in black crape, engaged two black servants to wait upon her, ate nothing but black puddings and drank for one whole year nothing but black cherry brandy. Yet she survived this gloomy diet twenty-one years before the grim reaper gathered her in.—T. P.'s London Weekly.

Blunt.
Jones' opinion of himself as a golfer was very much greater than his skill warranted, and he had been invited to play on a certain famous Scottish ground as a visitor. Armed to the teeth with clubs of all sorts and sizes, he set off and, followed by a caddy, proceeded to play.

He buried his ball in every bunker, gully and bit of rough grass on the landscape and muttered naughtily. After half an hour of it he turned to his silent caddy.

"Really," he murmured ingratiatingly, "this is the most difficult course I have ever played on."
"Hoo did ye ken?" replied the lad, in scorn. "Ye hevna played on it yet!"

Rodin and His Models.
It is one of the peculiarities of M. Rodin, the famous sculptor, that he never poses a model. When a model enters his studio he engages her in conversation upon a subject foreign to art and thus encourages her to forget herself. Meanwhile his attention appears to be engrossed elsewhere, but he is watching her keenly. When the model unconsciously assumes a pose or an expression which he believes would be effective he bids her hold that position, while he gets to work. By this method he believes he avoids stilted and studied poses.

Doubly Criminal.
Mr. Grimes (with great indignation)—I've finished with that fellow Skinner, absolutely finished with him. He's a bad one. He has a lying tongue in his head. Mrs. Grimes (sympathetically)—Dear me! And only yesterday his wife told me that he had false teeth.

Resemblance.
"I consider my own health and comfort," remarked the intensely self concerned person, "Public opinion means nothing to me."
"Well," replied Uncle Eben pensively, "dar is sumpin' jes' about like dat de matter wif my nule."

Innocence Abroad.
Young Actress—Will you tell me one thing about your lovely newspaper work? Interviewer—Certainly. What do you want to know? Young Actress—Is it the makeup man who writes all the fiction tales?

Exasperating.
"That man irritates me!"
"Why?"
"He knows so much that isn't so, and he can prove all his statements."—Judge.

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A Forest Ranger's Method of Preparing Baked Chicken.

One summer day, while laboriously picking a sage hen, a friendly forest ranger approached, smiling, and offered to show me an easier way.

He lifted a bird as yet untouched by my hands and deftly cleaned but did not pick it. Then he sifted some dirt from the ground into a big mixing pan half filled with water. With these ingredients he mixed a paste of soft mud. Now he cut a slab of bacon, which he placed inside the hen, with a good sprinkling of pepper and salt, at last stuffing feathers into the opening to keep the meat clean. This done, he covered the chicken with the mud paste.

Now he dug a hole deep enough to put the bird in. In the hole he built a fire and waited until there was a thick coating of coals on the sides and bottom. Next he carefully placed the mud coated chicken on top. All this he covered with shovels of dirt until the hole was airtight. Now he turned to me and said, "It will be cooked in one hour from now."

With that he went his way. At the end of the hour he came again and, throwing back the soil, drew forth the chicken, quickly skinned it and laid before us a delicately browned chicken with a wholesome odor about it.—Outing.

FANTASTIC GOLDFISH.

Some Curious Shapes Produced by the Experts of Japan.

Japanese fish breeders took advantage of one of nature's pranks to obtain this much decorated goldfish. Years ago a Jap found in his aquarium a fish with two tails. He was so well pleased with the novelty that he undertook to make it the basis of a new type. Thus the one accident by nature became the grandfather of a race of two tailed fish. We call them Japanese fantails.

Not satisfied with the double tail, the breeders next set about molding the bodies of their fish into round balls. Breeders first picked out the fish with the shortest bodies and bred them every year by painstaking selection. Fish with shorter and shorter bodies were produced until today the accepted type of Japanese fantail has a body as round as a ball.

Not all fantails are alike. One with the ends of the tail cut off flat is called the square tail. Another with a slight inward curve to the edges of the tail is called veil tail. A third, with a deep cut out tail, is named the ribbon tail. All these varieties have long tails and fins. You will recognize them instantly when you see them in an aquarium floating about like bits of lace in the water.

A Delayed Execution.
An eighteenth century execution on Kennington common was stopped for a time owing to a strange cause. On Aug. 19, 1763, two days before the date of the execution, a heavy fog came over London, accompanied by thunder and lightning and torrents of rain. These conditions lasted for nearly forty-eight hours, and many people believed that the last day had arrived. When the time fixed for the execution arrived the assembled crowd cried shame on the sheriff for hanging a man when the world was coming to an end. As he persisted in his preparations, they burst through the barriers and stopped the proceedings, shouting that the culprit might as well wait a few minutes, when the grand summons would come to all. The sheriff had to obtain the assistance of a force of soldiers before the execution could be carried out.

A Shabby Coat Collar.
Very often the collar of a coat begins to look shabby when the coat is in good order, and it is wonderful what a difference a thorough cleaning will make. First take a piece of clean cloth and dip it in spirits of turpentine and rub the collar thoroughly with it. Leave it for ten minutes, then rub it again with the turpentine and scrape it carefully to remove any loose dirt. Next sponge the collar with a little alcohol and keep wiping it until it is dry. Hang it up in an airy place for an hour or two and it will look as good as new.

Serious Oversight.
"Yes," remarked Farmer Cornstossel, "Josh knows a heap. He can tell me all the scientific names of what I'm tryin' to raise an' what injures the crops. But there's one thing he never investigated. If he had studied a little deeper Josh wouldn't have got all mussed up while out walkin' in his Sunday clothes."
"What did he omit?"
"He never investigated the psychological effect of a red necktie on a bull."

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