The refinements of the ancients varied in almost every way from those of a modern age, except, perhaps, in some of the uses apportaining to the toilet, and the Scriptures, as well as other records of ancient customs, bear testimony that baths and clean linen, perfumes and sweet odors, were regarded quite as much of a luxury then as now. Few are, perhaps, aware that the origin of the use of manufactured perfumes had a sacred character, yet they were an invention of the priests who officiated at the sacrificial altars in the olden temples; and, doubtless, great necessity must have been the mother of invention, for from the slaughtered beasts must have arisen most noxious emanations, which all the water in the land would not have washed clean without the aid of the perfumes of Arabia.

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Opinions, says a writer in the Chucago Herald, differ about the use and abuse of sweet scents. Certainly there is an inconcruity in their use by men, but a woman who leaves behind her a subtle sense of redolence carries always a double charm. Strong, active, energetic natures are apt to secorn an indulgence in what is so grateful to their opposites—languid, luxury-loving people. Yet the natural odor of flowers about the house are grateful to all for their sweetness, as well as for their beauty, and to those flowers to which Mother Earth has refused a fragrance we give but half the care which is showered upon those that can gratify a double sense. To some poor unfortunates the seent of certain odors, and even of flowers, is distasteful, and not always from association. Even further than that, the disliked odors render some persons quite ill. With age the sense of smell is affected and, like the other senses, grows weak, and some elderly ladies, especially those who have been beautiful, worldly women, much flattered and admired, absolutely reek with the strong bouquet of some perfumery.

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remove. Since then any scent is distasteful to him.

Women generally have a habit of tucking little bags of sachet powder in their bureau drawers and pinning then in their dresses, but they as generally are indiscriminate in choosing the odors, sometimes buying heliotrope, sometimes violet and again rose. There is much more refinement and dantiness of feeling, beside a quaint and certanly sweet coquetry in keeping always a perfume of one's own; it becomes then almost a part of one's own; it becomes then almost a part of one's own being. If one is fond of the fragrance of the rose an investment in a few of the long, peculiar vials contaming attar of roses and keeping them in various places amid the possessions is a much more enduring way of perfuming than using sachet powder. However, the best way of using sachet powder is to make and trunk tray, of thin silk or cotton and one layer of cotton wadding, over which the sachet powder is sometime to the sachet powder is to make and trunk tray, of the faint-link over the the sachet powder is to make and trunk tray, of the faint-link gover which the sachet powder is to make the property of the faint-link cheese cloths which come now are very good for this purpose. If a dozen of these pads are casily renewed. The faint-tinted cheese cloths which come now are very good for this purpose. If a dozen of these pads are made at some leisure time the size of one's trunk they will be found extremely convenient to lay between drosses. It is also a good plan when a new dress comes heme to have a tiny bag of seent at once sewn into the waist. New beginners at concecting the potpourri for the rose-jars are apt to use too much spice; essential cilis are much better than any spices.

Our grandmothers well knew the delight of stealing the portume from the flowers,

one kind 4s it will covered, then strain off the fat and add more flowers, repeating the process every day for a week. The method of liberating this essence of flowers from the fat is very simple. Permit it to harden, cut it into small cubes and put into spirits of wine. The delicate odor immediately transfers/itself from the coarse fat to the spirituous solvent, and such a strength of perfume is procured with little trouble as would cost a great deal at a perfumer's.

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HOW TO SMELL SWEET.

Perfume a Good Thing If Not Used Too Liborally.

Was nearly white, and seemed to have no great wine character. In 1871 Mr. Rabello, had been done a present of several bottles of port wine of the vintage of 1793. Mr. Rabello had heard of the breaking up of an old Portugues family where, from father to son, a certain number of bottles of famous vintages had been handed down. I sent several of these aged wines to the late William Cullen Bryant, remarking that the bottle of 1793 was, and the men are at work.

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Be wise in time. You have too many gray hairs for one so young looking. Use Hall's Hair Renewer, the preparation of the wine, stated that it was his senior, and that he should look up to it with reverence.

The Nova Scotia sugar refinery has

senior, and that he should look up to it with reverence.

When I came to open my bottle of 1793, I found it (which once had the dark red of port) about the color of water, and the most insipid stuff. Up to the beginning of this century it was not the custom in any part of Europe to put a lot of fiery alcohol into any kind of wine, and when they did add spirit to port wine it was a little of which had been distilled from port. This 1793 wine had probably been thus treated, but with all the scaling wax and a once and tasteless as if it had been water dipped up from a pond and bottled. Therefore I doubt if the Bavarian wines so scallously advertised in England as those of 1540, 1690 and 1731 have any virtue in them, even if they be genuine wines of those dates. if they be genuine wines of those dates. They are really insipid stuff not worth a penny a gallon.

A FEMALE LOBBYIST

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How She Manages to Gather Honey from Every Honey-Bearing Flower.

"A fine figure of a woman," as Joe Gargery observes in "Great Expectations," passes by into the Capitol, sweeping undergarniture of silk and genuine seal fur with as broad spread of canvas as the yachts Puritan or Volunteer. Her age ranges probably between forty and forty-five, her figure is practically embonpoint, but her face is rosy with health and her features still preserve the stamp of beauty. Her eyes are big and gray, scintiliating under the flashes of dark eyelashes and brows, and were her attire less pronounced she would be styled elegant. This lady enters the reception room, and sends her card to several members, who at once respond, and soon she is surrounded by a coterie of conscript fathers, vieing with each other in playing that gallant. She jests and jokes with them all, mytting them to call at her residence, and, having played her cards adroitly, leaves the Capitol in a well-appointed coupe, with the driver in livery. Sometimes she is accompanied by her daughter, a pretty girl of eighteen, and a splendid type of the blonde.

This lady is a professional lobbyist, and

The best anodyne and expectorant for blonde.

This lady is a professional lobbyist, and plies her vocation with marked success. Whispers in the air are heard occasionally in criticism of her private character from those of her own sex, but, says the gallant correspondent of the Kansas Gity Times, neither man nor woman has ever brought forward an accusation direct and positive so far as it is generally known. She has had her fingers, however, in many a Congressional pie, whereof she received a slice of greater or lesser proportions, and no one is more thoroughly posted in the avenues and channels of legislation. She obtains a copy of every bill introduced and of the reports thereon, and if the game be worth the canelie, hunts up its history and parentage. Then when the case is thoroughly digested she offers to make or mar, as the case may be, wherever the best financial opportunity is presented, and her efforts are usually attended with success. She is shrewd, and gathers honey from every honey-bearing flower.

RATS CARRYING EGGS.

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An Omaha Man Watches the Performance and Describes II.

L. L. Cloud, of Omaha, in a Chicago paper gays: Last summer the girl kept complaining that she could never find any eggs in the barn. I did not think much of it at first, but finally when the complaint was repeated almost every day I began to think it was rather strange that we should not get more than three or four eggs when we had at teast five dozen hens, and so determined to look into the matter. It was more than a week, though, before I solved the mystery, and then it was merely by accident. I was standing in the barn one Sunday morning when a hen came cackling from her nest in the minger, and a few minutes after a big rat came from his hole, ran across the barn him, and was idly watching to see what he was defended into the manger. I could hear him, and was idly watching to see what he was defended in the the manger. I could hear him, and was idly watching to see what he was defended in the manger. I could hear him, and was idly watching to see what he was defended in the manger. I could hear him, and was idly watching to see what he was defended in the manger. I could hear him and climbed into the manger. I could hear him, and was idly watching to see what he was defended in the manger. I could hear him, and was idly watching to see what he was defended in the manger. I could hear him and climbed into the manger. I could hear him and was idly watching to see what he was defended in the manger. I could hear him and could be a was picked up off Nassua, was picked up off Nassua, was picked up off Nassua, has been up to depend upon it, that is what heave need.

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Mr. Gladstone's Library.

Mr. Gladstone's study at Hawardon Castle is rather curiously arranged. The walls are covered with books, and volumes are also massed in large shelves jutting out from the walls into the room. Between each partition of books there is room to walk; thus the saving of space in arranging the library in this manner is enormous. The stock of books, perhaps, exceeds 15,000 yolumes, and notwithstanding this large number Mr. Gladstone has little difficulty in placing his hand upon any volume that he may require. There are three writing-desks in the room; noe is chiefly reserved for correspondence of a political nature, and another is used by Mrs. Gladstone. Looking out of the study window the flower beds facing the castle present a picturesque appearance, while the heavily wooded grounds beyond stand out in bold relief and form a massive green background.

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So much mischief has been done by the foolish habit of keeping old letters, that it is wise to adopt the rule of destroying them at once. Their mission is ended, what are they good for 'I may like to read them while recovering from an illness,' says some one. Pshaw I as if these would be the tonic you needed at such a time. Better far a breath of pure air. We are all prone to brood too much as such times, and need no such help in that direction. Let this plea for the burning of letters be a strong one. Business letters should be filed and labeled. Have a blank book into which to copy such dates or extracts as may be of value in the future for references. This can be done when letters are answered. Then burn them and see the ashes. It is the sorrows instead of the joys that most letters ontain. They are the safety-valve for deep feeling from friend to friend, good in their time, but sometimes worse than uscless in the future. Every day brings now exportance. We are constantly changing, and in many cases would be ashamed of our own letters written ten years ago. Hern Nord. What are the real facts about old winest sake the Afferor. After fermentation, which is a process of decay, wine will indeteriorate masses the Afferor. After fermentation, which is a process of decay, wine will deteriorate masses as a process of decay, which is a process of decay, wine will deteriorate masses the Afferor. After fermentation, which is a process of decay, wine will deteriorate masses the Afferor. After fermentation, which is a process of decay, wine will deteriorate masses the after a preach of a color over temperature, the addition of alcohol, beiling (the vinum cottum of the Romans and the vine oothe of modern Italians), and the complete exclusion of the ordinary atmosphere by good corks, by sealing-wax or by oil. The most common it important the process of the p

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