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ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

E. S. H., Rose Avenue.—Sorry to say we do not find any of the matter good enough to be accepted, printed or paid for.

E. E. L., Lansdowne Ave.—Accepted. Will appear in next number.

W. H. G., Chicago.—Have written you privately.

A. A., City.—Poem "His Mother," declined with thanks.

H. S. S., Stratford.—We do not undertake to return rejected MSS., unless stamps are enclosed for the purpose.

W. J. C., Chicago.—Copies sent as requested. SUNDY SELLERS Colborne.—Not found available.

TOUSY, City.—Not bad as suggestions, but won't pass as finished drawings. Will return as requested.

W. C. T., Junction.—Design won't pass at all. "Free handling" should not be confounded with careless slap-dash.

SUNDY ARTISTS.—Contributors who have sent in pen or pencil sketches which have not appeared in GRIP nor been returned to the senders, are notified that the same have been preserved, and now await the wishes of their senders.

WOULDN'T this be a good time for those who have not paid for GRIP for 1894 to do so? We have sent them the paper for six months at considerable cost for paper, printing and engraving. It would be a great accommodation for us, and we trust an easement of their own consciences, if they would now enclose us a couple of dollars. These are hard times, and a newspaper cannot be run without cash. We would like still to add a large number of new names at \$1 for the remainder of the year. Our contemporaries say GRIP is better than ever. Try a half year's subscription and see. Won't our friends recommend it wherever they can?

MR. A. ANDERSON, of this city, who is making a business trip to the towns along the Canadian Pacific Railway between Toronto and Victoria, B. C., is authorized to represent GRIP and to take subscriptions and grant receipts in our name. We trust he will receive a cordial reception from GRIP's friends and be able to add many new names to our list.

AMONG the topics of international interest treated in "The Progress of the World" department of the July Review of Reviews are the following: The Ministers' Conference at Berlin, the fall of the Casimir-Perier Ministry in France, the Anglo-Belgian Agreement and the objections of France, the resignation Stambouloff in Bulgaria, the problem of the British House of Lords, Ministerial changes in England, and the Inter-Colonial Conference at Ottawa.

THE July "Cosmopolitan" marks the close of the first year since the announcement was made that the price of that magazine, already low, had been cut to one half of three dollars a year. The magazine printed, for the six months embraced in Volume XVI, one million four hundred and nineteen thousand copies, an entirely unapproached record, and has doubled its already large plant of presses and binding machinery. The walls of the magazine's new home are rapidly rising at Irvington on the Hudson. The new building, with its eight great porticos, will be 279 feet long by 76 feet wide, and one of the most perfectly lighted buildings in the world.

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CHEAPEST AND BEST
THE NAME TELLS
THE STORY . . .
E. B. EDDY'S MATCHES

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 - No. 3—Gent's rolled gold scarf pins, unique designs, 50 cents each.
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 - No. 5—Gent's rolled gold watch charms, latest styles, 50 cents each.
 - No. 6—Ladies' 11kt gold filled fob chains with pendant charm attachment, newest patterns, \$1.50 each.
 - No. 7—Ladies' rolled gold brooches, beautifully designed, 50 cents each.
 - No. 8—Ladies' solid gold front lace pins, 50 cents per pair.
 - No. 9—"Baby" pins with solid gold fronts, 25 cents each.
 - No. 10—"Baby" solid gold pins set with one real diamond, \$1 each.
 - No. 11—Ladies' sterling silver stick or lace pins with bangle, 25 cents each.
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