



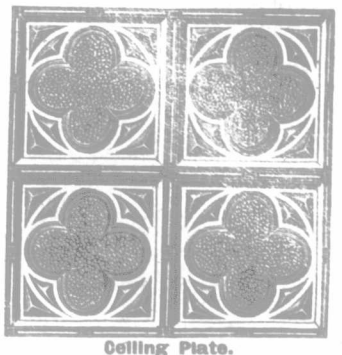
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### A WOMAN'S PAPER IN PEKIN.

"Since the raising of the siege and the coming of the allies and the conquest of the Russian army by the Japanese, China has thrown to the winds her former resolve to have none of the West. She is now absorbing, as rapidly as possible, all that is necessary for her to learn from the West in order to place herself abreast of modern nations. Her statesmen at once declare, "Our women must be educated," and not only put girls and women into school, but also give them the news of the day and instruction, through the columns of a paper established for their sole edification. Not only is there a paper for the women, but the Chinese have established reading rooms where, at certain hours appointed readers read the papers that all may hear, and thus provide that even those who do not know how

to read may have the benefit. Discussions follow the reading." Mrs. Whiting, writing from Pekin to the *Woman's Work*, the organ of the Presbyterian Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, says: "The paper already has a large circulation. It is not a missionary enterprise, not Christian, but it is strongly in favor of progress and reform. Within a few days it has printed articles on "Evils of Obtaining Evidence by Torture"; "Proof That the World is Round"; "Proof That the World Moves"; "Care of Children"; "Importance of Truth-telling"; "Kindness to Animals"; "Evils of Opium Taking"; "Importance of Education"; "Love of Country." Each edition contains the latest telegrams, and advertises schools, sewing machines and fire-extinguishers. "On page two is an article headed, 'Woman's World News.' This article

in a recent issue, gives an account of a meeting of a woman's association in the premises of the Congregational Mission in Pekin. The meeting was held in honor of a princess who, with her husband, had brought a party of school girls from Mongolia, and was in Pekin to learn more about the conduct of the girls' schools, in order to perfect a school which they had already established in Mongolia.

"The girls from the school in Mongolia sang two songs in their own language, and the Christian girls from the mission schools of Pekin sang patriotic songs in Chinese. The princess delivered an address on "Advancing the Education of Women."

"The paper contains paragraphs against suicide and against foot-binding.

"The appearance of a paper for wo-

men has caused a widespread effort on the part of women to learn to read, in order that they may read for themselves the news of the day and other interesting matter.

"The Peking "Woman's Journal" is delivered daily at the door of each subscriber for 15 cents a month."—*Christian Advocate*.

### WHERE GLADSTONE ERRED.

Mr. Gladstone hated any appearance of idleness, and in this connection the *Manchester Guardian* relates a characteristic story. Years ago he met the then Duchess of Abercorn in a country house. She was accompanied by her son, Lord George Hamilton, at that time a school boy. Not many mornings had elapsed before Mr. Gladstone said to her: "Duchess, don't you think it is a pity that your son should spend his holidays in entire idleness? I should be delighted to give him an hour's Homer every morning." The offer was accepted, and the foundation of Lord George's life-long hostility to the Liberal leader was securely laid.—*London Evening Standard*.

### SKINS OF VARMINTS.

An Episcopal minister was going through the mountain district of North Carolina. He stopped at the door of a humble dwelling and knocked. The door was opened by a yellow-faced woman. She nodded. (It is a peculiarity of these mountain people not to speak unless spoken to.)

"My good woman," said the clergyman, "can you tell me if there are any Episcopalians around here?"

"My son kills all them kinds of varmints," she said, "and their skins is all hangin' up on the back porch. You kin go out there and see if you kin find one er them."

One night in camp President Roosevelt told us the story of one of his rough riders who had just written him from some place in Arizona. The rough riders, wherever they are now, look to him in time of trouble. This one had come to grief in Arizona. He was in jail. So he wrote the President, and his letter ran something like this:

"Dear Colonel: I am in trouble, I shot a lady in the eye, but I did not intend to hit the lady; I was shooting at my wife."

And the Presidential laughter rang out over the tree tops.

To another rough rider who was in jail, accused of horse-stealing, he had loaned \$200 to pay counsel on his trial, and, to his surprise, in due time the money came back. The ex-rough wrote that his trial never came off, "We elected our district attorney," and the laughter again sounded and drowned the noise of the brook near by.—*John Burroughs, in the Atlantic*.

A little Cheyenne boy was being reproved by his mother. "Charlie," she said, "if you behave like this, you know, you won't go to heaven." The child thought a little and then said: "Well, I've been to two circuses and to 'Uncle Tom's Cabin,' and I can't expect to go everywhere!"—*Laramie Republican*.

### CHEERFUL.

"Some men would complain on losing a leg, but links didn't."

"How did he take it?"

"Said he had been thinking some of reducing his weight."—*Louisville Courier Journal*.

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