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The systematic examination of more than 40,000 pairs of human ears in England and France has resulted in some interesting conclusions. For one thing, it is ascertained that the ear continues to grow in the later decades of life. In fact, it appears never to stop growing until death. If one will take the trouble to look around in any assemblage of people, as at a church, he will discover that the old folks have ears considerably larger than those of the middle aged. A woman who has small, shell-like ears at 20 years of age will be very apt to pos-

woman who has small, shell-like ears at 20 years of age will be very apt to possess medium sized ears at 40 years and large ears at 60. Why ears should go on growing all one's life any more than noses is a mystery. There are a good many other points about them that are instructive. their shapes being markedly persistent through heredity. An ear will be handed down, so to speak, from father to son for generation after generation with comparatively little modification. Some authorities on criminology assert that criminals are very apt to possess a pecul-iar kind of ear, which is recognizable by

an expert in such matters.

There is probably nobody in the world who has a pair of ears perfect, matched. In most people the two differ perceptibly not only in shape, but also in size. Frequently they are not placed precisely alike on the head. The age of a person may be judged with great accuracy by the ears, which after youth is past as-sume an increasing harshness of contour. A pretty woman whose first youth has departed may not show the fact in other ways, but these telltale features will surely tell the story of the flight of time. Then there is the little wrinkle that comes just in front of each ear during the thirties, a fatal and ineradicable sign. Near the top of each ear just within the down turned edge and slightly toward the back will be found, if one feels for it, a smail lump of cartilage. This is a remnant of what was originally the tip of the car when, ever so long ago, that organ in our remote ancestors had a point on it. Most of the apes today have pointed ears, but in human beings the upper edge of the organ has in the course of ages been folded over so as to cover.

THE TOILET ROOM.

the real tip.

A few drops of ammonia in the water

from the hands. Soft wash leather with which to rub the face after washing helps to keep the complexion smooth and white. Just a dash of eau de cologne or toilet vinegar thrown into the water before washing will make it much more re-

freshing when one is hot and tired. A lotion recommended for ordinary tan is made from a plat of rosewater, half an ounce of pulverized borax and an ounce of strained lemon juice. Bathe freely with it.

Keep a basin of oatmeal on the washstand and after washing the hands dry them in the meal. The skin will be kept white and smooth and less liable to chap

by this process. Almond meal, oatmeal and orris root in small bags placed in the bath water a few moments before you place yourself there will render the water milky and will have a softening and whitening effect on the skin. Bran or starch in the water is also good.

Two Passengers' Dislikes. A lady of truly masculine spirit, ac-companied by a small poodle, is said to have failed sadly the other day in an attempted reformatory movement. She en-tered the smoking car of a suburban train

tered the smoking car of a suburban train and sternly refused when approached by the conductor to go into another car, observing that her presence would keep the other occupants from smoking.

One thick skinned wretch, however, insensible to the claims of refinement and reform, began to enjoy his accustomed cigar, which was suddenly snatched from his lips, with the remark in a high treble: "If there is anything I do hate, it is tobacco smoking."

For a time the offender was motionless; then, gravely rising, amid the curiosity of the assembled smokers, he took that lit-tle poodle out of the lady's lap and gently threw him through the window, sighing, "If there is anything I do hate, it is a poodle."—Chicago Tribune.

Equal to the Occasion. "Colonel," she said when they were alone on the stairway, "father tells me you are a man who never fails. He says when you undertake to carry a point you carry it; that if you are sent to raise a siege you raise it, and he says he believes if you were sent out to find the north pole you would hoist the flag on it."

"Yes," said the bluff old soldier replied, that it may be a support to the says he believes if you would hoist the flag on it."

"that's me, and when I want to get out of a corner I escape. Excuse me; over there's a friend of mine that I want to see on particular business." Yachting is the most expensive sport in the world. It costs more to win a mug offered for a yacht race than to car-ry off a prize offered for competition in any other sport. Yachtsmen will spend thousands of dollars and take endless trouble to win a \$50 cup. No heavy stakes are raced for in yachting, and in this country the most successful yacht of the year will fall a long way short of winning enough to pay her expenses.

The Pilgrims. Nothing verbal could be much more de-leious than Joseph H. Choate's defini-tion of the dinners of the New England Society of New York as "those gatherings of an unhappy company of pilgrims who meet annually at Delmonico's to drown the sorrows and sufferings of their ancestors in the flowing bowl and to contemplate their own virtues in the m

No Guarantee Given. "What is the matter with those weather bulletins of yours?" asked the man who completins about what can't be help-

"My dear sir," answered the weather prophet, "those are merely predictions, not promises."

"You find spring water a very great advantage in dairying, I presume?"
"Ob, I don't know," said the milkman;
"the average person buying milk doesn't know the difference between spring wa-ter and any other kind."—Detroit Jour-

ON FIRE.

a blaze; a paragraph in the paper teing of horrible suffering from burn
Tragedy in this form moves a man
tears. But for
women who are
daily being conaumed by the
smouldering fire
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It is related that the hot air balloon had its origin in a petticoat. Mme. Montgolfier had washed her garment, intend-ing to wear it to a great festival the next day, and hung it over a chafing dish to dry. The hot air swelled out its folds dry. The hot air swelled out its folds and floated it up into the air. The lady, in astonishment, called her husband to see the sight. He at once grasped the idea and was not long in producing the hot air balloon.

One of the most curious perquisites connection with English coronations the right of one of the peers to claim the bed and bedding used by the heir apparent on the night preceding the coronation In olden times this was a perquisite of considerable value, as the "bedding" usu-ally consisted of richly embroidered coverlids of velvet or silk, with pricele hangings of cloth of silver and gold.

In making sizing dissolve half a pound of glue in a little hot water. Then pour on nearly a gallon of boiling water, stir-ring carefully all the time so that it may mix well. A little of this added to ordinary whitewash prevents the white from rubbing off on dresses, etc. Brushed while hot over a wall that is to be pay ed, it makes the paper stick better. A wall that has been whitewashed should

be brushed over with hot vinegar before papering, or the paper will not stick. Earning a Spanking. A lady who had company to tea re-proved her little son several times, speak-

proved her little son several times, speaking, however, very gently. At last, out
of patience with him, she said sharply:
"Jimmy, if you don't keep still I'll
send you away from the table!"
"Yes, that's what you always do when
there's company and there are not
enough cakes to go round!" was the reply of the gifted youth.

The Australian aborigines are not the only users of the boomerang, nor were they the first to use that missile. The Egyptians knew all about it, just as they seem to have known all about everything class.

"Papa, what does it mean to be blase?"
"My boy, it is getting tired of all the things that are not worth living for."—
Life.

This is what philosophy amounts to, "I do it, but you should not."—Atchison

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Now the last weary swallow wheels on high, A flash of silver on the rosy light; Soon the first star shall gleam in the still sky And earth be clasped by the cool arms of nig

Now the found notes of restless birds are dead,
Peace on the scented land and shimmering sea;
Now sorrow fades as fades the sunset red,
And with the tender night comes peace to me!
—Eleanor Norton in Harper's Magazine.

AS ÆSOP MIGHT HAVE TOLD IT. A Story of a Clever Trick Played by

Two Ravens on a Puppy. A Jerseyman, writing home from outhern Alaska, tells the following: "I happened to see with my own eye the other day a clever trick played by a pair of ravens, which carried me back to old Æsop and his fables, for here as I gazed was one of the venerable tale

acted out in real life. "A silly little pup was playing about when he came upon a nice, tasty bone. I was watching him worry the bone and was enjoying the pleasure he seemed to get out of it, when down dropped two ravens. They wanted that bone. It stuck out all over them, their desire, and their eyes shone with the lust of con

"They fluttered about for some time, but Jo, the pup, paid no attention. He wouldn't be fooled, and I could scarcely keep from laughing to see how adroit the ravens were and how stubborn the pup

was.
"Finally the raven sneaked behind Jo and scuttled quietly up until he was per-haps two feet from the pup's tail. The other raven remained in front, fluttering here and there, just enough to keep the dog's attention on him. When the raven in the rear had gained a proper position that is, had crept close enough—the wily old bird in front began to jump up and down. I was bewildered at first. I couldn't make out what the birds were up to for the longest while, and when the jumping process began I was more mys-tified than ever until the dog, distracted by the jumping process, stopped worry-ing the bone and looked up. Then I realized with an awesome feeling that those ravens were up to something pretty close to human. I confess it scared me a bit; it made the birds seem diabolical, and I found snatches of Poe's verses on the immortal birds of this feather

ning through my head. "Gradually the jumping bird drew nearer and nearer to Jo. Alas, for the pup's innocence! I held my breath as the sable charmer flopped closer and closer to Jo's smutty nose. Suddenly Jo's jaws clicked. Almost at the same instant there was a flutter, a plunge from the rear, and the bird behind the pup had

"It was done so quickly that my eyes could scarcely follow it. When the raven in front got too near, Jo raised his head could scarcely follow it. When the from the bone and snapped at the bird. He missed the raven and, forgetting the bene and everything else, made a plunge

for the bird. Then the raven in the rear got in his work.

"Of course the moment the rear maneuver had succeeded the light cavalry that had been demonstrating in front flew off. The noises those birds made were weird. As the bird in the rear grabbed the bone he let out a hoarse yell, precisely like laughter, jeering, taunting laughter. I could hear them, as they flew across the bay from Ketchikan, laughing and laughing as they went.

"Poor Jo! It took him an instant to

realize what had happened, and when he did you never saw a pup look mor sheepish. It was a mean trick, but a tar joke on Jo, just the same."

How Erin Was to Capture America. There can be no question that the emi-grants from our shores are physically of a more vigorous and fertile average than those who stay at home. We once had a striking reminder of this. Very many years ago we had the pleasure of a long nterview with a Roman Catholic priest in the poorest part of County Galway. He was very frank and plain spoken, but we allude here to only one of his remarks. The chapel he served was poor and primitive in the extreme. "Look at these peasants," he said, "whom you saw in chapel this morning. Barefooted and humble, as most of them are, they are bodily as sound as a bell. Go into any of your churches in England and you can hardly hear what is going on for coughing. You heard not a single cough this morning. What is the result? These vigorous, healthy people go out to America and marry there. They have families of from 15 to 18, while the home bred Yankee has only two or three. America in the poorest part of County Galway. Yankee has only two or three. America is ours as sure as fate!"-

The Blood In the Brain.

Too much blood in the brain is a frequent cause of headaches. Pains are felt all over the head, the face becomes fushed, the temples throb and strong light or noise causes excruciating pain. In cases of this kind the sufferer should be careful in diet and should not eat meat

be careful in diet and should not eat meat oftener than once a day.

Too little blood in the brain is another cause of headache. It is recognized by dizziness, noises in the ears and pains on top of the head. The best stimulant is a cup of strong tea or coffee or a bowl of soup. People who suffer with these headaches should sleep with their heads low.

"Oh!" gasped the beautiful woman as she fell back, clutching at her heart and permitting the telegram to flutter to the

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