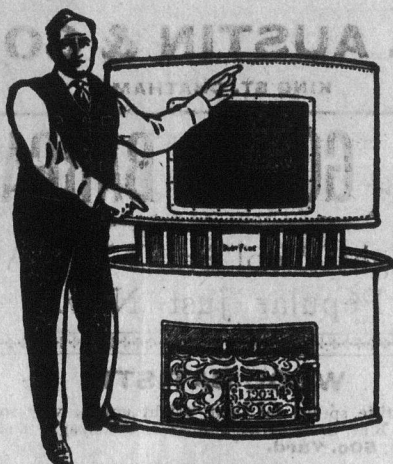


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Queer Names.

There are some queer nooks and corners in the state of Maine, and many of the titles of the smaller towns and localities are worthy of special mention. Near Otisfield is a certain picturesque retreat located near Raymond. Dog Corner, Hencoop cove, is a well known place in Winthrop, while out on the Coon road strange things have sometimes happened. A mile long is Pin Hole hill, the steepest ever, and all the way up are little rests "to hang the pins on," people say. Over Poland way is the hunger inspiring name of Beeftown, while highly suggestive of negligence was the old name of Saccarappa. One does not have to die to pass through Purgatory, and some of the most prominent men in the state have hailed from this sinful region. Neither are the gates of Eden closed to all mortals, but nowadays one journeys via an ancient toll bridge that leads the traveler straight to this enchanted land.

The First Armored Ship.

According to the best authorities on curiosities of the navy and warfare in general, the first armored vessel was launched in the year 1530. It was one of the fleet manned by the Knights of St. John and was entirely covered with sheets of lead. The accounts of the times leave us in darkness as to the thickness of this lead armor, but they are very positive in the statement that they were of sufficient strength to "successfully resist all the shots of that day." At the siege of Gibraltar in 1782 the French and Spaniards used war vessels which were armored with "light iron boom proofing over their decks and to the water's edge." The very first practical use of wrought iron plates as a defense for the sides of vessels was by the French in the Crimean war in 1853.

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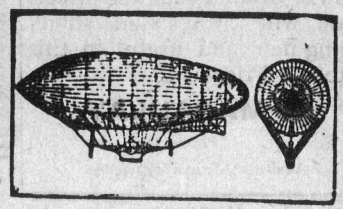
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GONE FOR NORTH POLE

WELLMAN AND THE ARCTIC TRIP OF THE AIRSHIP AMERICA.

Plans for the Start From Dane Island and the Equipment of the Expedition—The Steel Car Which the Balloon Will Carry and Its Freight—Chicago Newspaper Finances the Expedition.

All over the world there is keen interest in the Wellman polar expedition, which is now making ready for the start from Spitzbergen in the airship America. The airship, which has been built in Paris, is the largest ever constructed. It is so large that it could not be inflated in the French capital, as there was no balloon shed big enough for it. Everything about it has been fitted to withstand icy use. Indeed, the expedition as a whole is being fitted out in such a manner as to insure the greatest likelihood of success, for Vi-

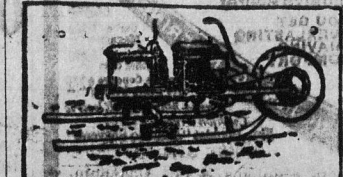


THE AIRSHIP AMERICA.

tor Lawson of the Chicago Record-Herald, who is financing the project, has placed ample funds at Mr. Wellman's disposal, and the latter has employed the best engineers to assist him in equipping the ship and supplying the incidentals necessary to the voyage. Tromsø, Norway, was selected as the place of rendezvous for the expedition, and Spitzbergen, or, to speak accurately, a small island to the north of it, called Dane Island, was chosen as the point from which to begin the voyage in the airship. On this trip only five persons will go, but there will be about thirty-five in the party which will meet at Dane Island. The first section of the polar excursionists sailed from Norway for Dane Island a few days ago, and Mr. Wellman will soon sail himself for the point of rendezvous, taking with him the airship.

Major Henry B. Hersey of the United States weather bureau, who was detailed to represent the United States Government on the expedition, will be in command at the headquarters on Dane Island until the arrival of Mr. Wellman and will superintend the construction of machine shops, gas plant and balloon shed, in order to inflate the airship. It is necessary to send to Dane Island 100 tons of sulphuric acid and 60 tons of iron filings. The balloon is elliptical in shape, 164 feet long and 52 feet in diameter, and requires 224,000 cubic feet of hydrogen for its inflation. The outer surface is smooth, there being no ribs or cords to hold ice or snow. The cover consists of four thicknesses of a material composed of silk and rubber. Perhaps the most interesting part of this strange craft is the steel car hanging beneath the balloon. It is very unlike the round basket employed by ordinary aeronauts and consists of a strong frame of steel tubing, having a total weight of 725 pounds without motors or other machinery. The length of the car is fifty-two feet and its diameter six feet. It is roofed, and the space from roof to floor is about six feet six inches, giving the occupants, even Mr. Wellman, who is quite tall, room to move about conveniently. In many respects the most important compartment of the car is the engine room, over eleven feet in length, containing three gasoline motors with a total of eighty horsepower, which propel the ship at a speed of twelve miles an hour, a ventilator or blower and the wireless telegraph apparatus, consisting of dynamo, transformer, etc. The dynamo or generator is to be belted to one or the other of the large motors when the establishment of wireless communication is desired. Wire will be unrolled beneath the car instead of being strung above the balloon for antenna.

Underneath the car will also hang the lightest and strongest boat ever built, sixteen and one-half feet long, noncapable, and noninkable and capable of carrying over a ton. Two motor sledges are carried on the deck for use on the ice in case of emergency. Each sled has a large wheel in front which grips the ice with each revolution and behind are skis which support it in the main the weight carried. It will be seen that the cargo which the ship is to sustain is a complete one. Besides all the things mentioned there is the gasoline for fuel for the motors, two and a half tons of which will be taken. Then there will be tools, scientific instruments and food for several



WELLMAN'S AUTOMOBILE SLEDGE.

five days. Those who are to travel with Mr. Wellman from Dane Island toward the pole in the airship are Major Hersey, Gaston Hervey, aeronaut; A. Liwentaal, engineer, and Maxwell J. Smith, wireless operator. Only two of the five members of the crew will be able to go to sleep at a time.

The wireless station on the airship will be known as No. 3 and will be in charge of Mr. Smith. There will be another station at Dane Island and another on the mainland, so that by relaying messages may be sent through to the great centres of population and to the world in general kept informed as to the progress of the expedition. In case the pole is discovered the fact will be announced in this way.

His Diplomatic Style.

Stella: You say Jack stutters when he writes?

Bella: Yes; he gets off a good many letters before he says anything.—New York Sun.

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A Woman and \$10.

You give a woman \$10 and then borrow 72 cents from her and see what will happen. Two days later you casually inquire what has become of the \$10. She tells you she has not had \$10. You waive the question whether she ever had \$10 and ask her if she has \$10 now, and finally get a reluctant admission that she is penniless. Then you follow up the inquiry and discover that she has bought nothing. Then you are ready with the final charge. "What, then, did you do with the \$10?" and that blessed woman will come back at you like this: "You gave me \$10 and then borrowed it back." That is the way your 72 cents becomes a boomerang that smashes you and your \$10 to smithereens. And yet, in spite of all, that same woman will hang on to 99 cents and get more out of it and make it do more things and spread it round over more clothes and keep it simmering like a bubbling spring—in short, take her all in all, a woman is the master financier of the world.

Treating Wrong Disease.

Many times women call on their family physicians, suffering as they imagine, one from dyspepsia, another from heart disease, another from nervous exhaustion or prostration, another with pain here and there, and in this way they all present alike to themselves and their easy-going and indifferent, or over-busy doctor, a complicated and distinct disease, for which he, assuming them to be such, prescribes his pills and potions. In reality they are all suffering from the same disease, the disease of suffering, encourages this practice until large bills are made. The suffering patient gets no better, but probably worse, by reason of the delay, wrong treatment and consequent complications. A proper medicine like Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, directed to the cause would have entirely removed the disease, thereby dispelling all those distressing symptoms, and instituting comfort instead of prolonged misery. It has been well said, that "a disease known is half cured."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a scientific medicine, carefully devised by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to woman's delicate system. It is made of native medicinal roots and is perfectly harmless in its effects in any condition of the system.

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Rice daintily prepared with the addition of a few spoonfuls of whipped



MOLDED RICE WITH STIRRED FRUIT.

cream and served with stewed fruit is both attractive and wholesome. Condensed peaches is a dessert much affected by the French and, like all their culinary efforts, is a distinct success. It is nothing more than rice perfectly cooked and put on the ice until thoroughly chilled. In the meanwhile peaches should be stewed, and just before serving the rice is formed into a ring and the center filled with the hot stewed peaches. A little of the rich sirup is then poured over the dessert.

Another novelty created by a celebrated New York chef is the serving of Jenny Lind or any small cantaloupe filled with a thick chocolate dished with raspberry juice or a little sherry. Half a melon is served as a portion, and the chocolate has a plentiful supply of whipped cream on top. To vary this the melon may be filled with vanilla ice cream, but the chocolate sauce is something decidedly unique in the recipe world.

Frozen cream is delicious. Cut petals from rose pink paper and with library paste attach five to small crimped paper cases which can be purchased at the caterer's; fill with strawberry ice cream and lemon ice. Grapes a la neige make a delightful fruit course for luncheon, but one that is expensive if ordered from a caterer. They may be prepared quite easily at home with little cost. The large Malaga or Tokay grapes are used, preferably the former. Small clusters of a dozen grapes are cut for each person and carefully washed and drained. Each is dipped in the beaten white of egg, then in



FROZEN CREAM.

maraschino and finally sprinkled with sugar. The clusters are then laid carefully in a tin mold or freezer and packed in ice for two hours. This chills, but does not freeze them. Serve on a small plate covered with a dainty dolly. If one wishes the effect to be particularly attractive a narrow ribbon matching the table decorations may be tied around the stems.

To Cultivate Wavy Hair.

A girl whose hair is only slightly wavy naturally can increase the effect by her arrangement of it at night. Dampness makes the wave. Before going to bed brush the hair thoroughly and then braid it loosely. With a damp, soft, wide nailbrush reserved for the purpose lightly brush over the whole head and then raise the braid from the neck to remove the weight of it from the roots. With the fingers then pat the waves into place and with three pins hold the braid at the back of the head. The braid itself is still down, but instead of hanging from the neck it is at the back of the head. In the morning the hair is in deep waves that brush out as it is done up, but reappearance when dampened.

A Home Missionary.

"It dawned upon me after I had been married twelve years that every one in my house had a day off except my wife," said the married man. "I always had Sundays, the children had Saturdays and Sundays, and the servants had Thursdays. So I talked it over with her, and after a good deal of argument on her part we decided that once every week the family should shift for itself, while my wife went shopping, visiting or did anything else she liked without bothering her head about the dinner or the children. The plan works like a charm, and we have a lot of fun trying to show her how much better we can run things without her."

Newest Fancies In Footgear.

Women seem to have gone mad on the subject of shoes this season, their requirements being beyond those of a well shod centipede. Of course they must have shoes to match each gown, but the newest fancies in this line are summery looking canvas pumps with white so called pin stripes of different colors to "go" with duck or linen skirts. The stripes, the flat bow on the toe and the narrow binding about the top correspond in color. They come in varying shades, and it must be admitted they set off the immaculate whiteness of the skirt and lingerie blouse. Generally a tie and belt of the same shade as the stripes in the shoe are worn.



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Leather Breeches.

A hundred and fifty years ago the farm hands and house servants of England were clothed in leather. A good pair of leather breeches was said to pass from father to son as an heirloom. Then a boy went to school as well protected as an armored cruiser. The author of "Disbury in the '45" offers some observations upon these articles of common wear: The test of a good pair was to try if they would stand upright of themselves when nobody was in them. If they would do so they were good, strong stuff and likely to last for many years. My father remembered a prentice lad coming to his father, whose fond mother had provided him with such a pair, and they were the means of a "vast of fun" in a game that is unknown in these days—that is, for the boys to set the breeches upright and then jump into them without touching them with their hands. It was probably a pair of such leather breeches that the Windsor boy was wearing when George III. asked him if he did not know that the man before him was the king.

"Yes," said the boy.

"Then why don't you go on your knees, and you might kiss the king's hand," said the king.

"Because I'd spoil my breeches."

Doing good is, perhaps, the only enterprise in which there is positive, ly no element of risk.

When he was hauled out again he took a solemn oath never again to raise his hand against a woman. Similar offenders will in future be treated in a like manner.

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