

## ANNOUNCEMENT.

### THE AMERICAN GIRL.

As it is the fashion for almost every American Illustrated paper to publish a series of sketches of Typical American Girls, we do not intend to be behindhand.

A series of six striking sketches from living models, by Mr. A. G. Racey, who has traveled the United States and studied the ways of this wonderful and much drawn creature, commences this week.

The sketches are more nearly typical of the beauty of the American girl than any other similar art collection heretofore published on this continent.



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THE SOCIETY GIRL.

Sweet Sylvia, how your pa does slave  
To trap with cash some noble knave—  
For son-in-law.

Sweet Sylvia with the winking eye,  
And teeth just built for biting pie—  
And chewing gum.