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**WOMEN CAB DRIVERS**  
**START WELL IN PARIS**

**SAYS BEBEL DRANK CHAMPAGNE AT BAR**

**First Day at Actual Work Brings Generous "Fares" and Plenty of Money.**

**Market Women Greet Them With Good-Humored Chaff, But Experience is Not Unpleasant.**

PARIS, March 11.—Paris' first two cabwomen, Mlle. Charrier and Mme. Duffaut, have had their first day out, telegraphs our correspondent. They had only been out on previous days, but already were pleasant in appearance. Starting at 8 o'clock from M. Rabier's cabstand, 94 Rue Amelot, they were becomingly dressed in low-crowned, black-glazed hats, very full box-colored coats with metal buttons, and a wide mantle over their shoulders. Mlle. Charrier wore a pair of ample knickerbockers, not unlike those lady cyclists used to wear, which can be converted in a few seconds into a skirt reaching down to the ankles.

A crowd of hostess and cabmen had assembled to see the new women start out. There were many shouts and cries of "Good luck!" as the two cabwomen drove out of the yard, and they were immediately pelted upon by scores of photographers.

On approaching the central market the traffic was so great that it was necessary to go at a walking pace. The market women simply poured chaff on the unfortunate cabwomen. A big, brawny vegetable dealer shouted out: "So your husband mends your stockings now, I suppose! Another: 'She can't whip her old man, so that's why she's taken to driving a cab.' A market porter gave a flourish to his white hat as Mme. Duffaut drove by. "Don't go to the left, madame," he shouted, "it's the side on which the heart is placed."

Mme. Duffaut thus related her morning's experience: "I am very pleased with my first morning's work. I started to ply for hire on the Place de l'Opera, and I was immediately hailed by a gentleman who simply called the first cab at hand. He asked me to take him to the Eiffel Tower. I picked up a woman cabby! He paid me most generously. My second fare, too, paid me considerably over my fare and it is going to be like this every day. I think I have struck a soft thing."

The cabwomen were in great request all afternoon, the public taking to them most kindly as to something new and amusing. The probable result will be a great number of applications for licenses from would-be women cab drivers.

**FOUND DEAD IN SNOW WITH GUN AT SHOULDER**

**Shot of Sportsman in Alps Starts Avalanche Which Kills His Brother.**

GENEVA, March 11.—Several serious accidents have been caused by avalanches, which are slipping in all the mountainous districts.

The Misses Irving, two London women, had a narrow escape while trying to ascend the Muthorn attended by two guides, Fritz and Hans Kaufman.

They had not gone far when they were overwhelmed by an avalanche, which swept the party sixty yards down the mountain. They were able, in spite of severe bruises, to make their way to Lauterbrunnen, whence they took train to Grindelwald. The two women and Hans Kaufman are much better today, but Fritz Kaufman is confined to his bed.

Gabrielle and Antoine Chapellier, two wealthy landowners, were shot yesterday on the mountains above the village of Montsalvo, in the Haute Savoie. A shot fired by Gabrielle brought down an avalanche, and both men were swept away.

Gabrielle, although severely injured, succeeded in reaching the village, sending a rescue party, who, after ten hours' digging, found Antoine dead, but standing upright, with his gun to his shoulder.

An avalanche fell last night on an express train near Neuchatel. The heavy coaches were overturned and buried in snow, but no one was injured.

**STINGY**

A lawyer was pleading a case before a jury the other day. The party on the other side had a reputation for stinginess. "Why, gentlemen of the jury," said the lawyer, "if an ant would carry a grain of sand off that fellow's arm he would law him clear to the supreme court and back."

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**Socialist Leader Accused of High Living, While Poor Colleagues Can't Buy Meat**

**Bebel Stamps Statement as False, But Newspaper Insists on Its Truth.**

BERLIN, March 11.—The amenities of German political life are illustrated by a controversy regarding Herr Singer and Bebel, which is largely overlooked by a number of political journals in Berlin and the provinces.

Shortly after the Kaiser's birthday, on January 27, a press agency, called the "Information," announced that on the evening of that anniversary one of their reporters saw the two Socialist leaders in a restaurant, engaged in drinking champagne with a third individual unknown to him. The Nationalist Press pounced on this as a tasty bit of news, dressed it up epically, and remarked on the strangeness of the circumstance that leaders of socialism should drink champagne in expensive restaurants while so many of their poorer comrades were unable to buy meat for their families. Was this champagne drinking compatible with socialism?

In the Vorwaerts, Herr Bebel angrily rejoined that there was not a word of truth in the story, and that it was the invention of an enemy. The "Information" now categorically asserts that its reporter was not mistaken, and that he adheres to his statement. He knows the appearance of Herr Bebel and Singer quite well, and asserts that they were drinking champagne in a restaurant named the name of which he gives.

Herr Bebel's further reply is eagerly awaited.

**MINISTER MUST FIGHT OR BE RANKED A COWARD**

**Anti-Duelist in a Dilemma, One End of Which Involves Social Ostracism.**

BERLIN, March 11.—The Magerburger Zeitung, which is invariably well informed of doings behind the scenes, reports that the former Colonial Secretary, Dr. Stuebel, has challenged the present chief of the Colonial Department, Herr Dernburg, to a duel.

Dr. Stuebel considers himself insulted, because Herr Dernburg, since taking office, has publicly uttered scathing criticisms of the former regime.

The challenge is almost unprecedented, and there is much curiosity as to Herr Dernburg's attitude. He is an anti-duelist, but dueling is an essential feature in the code of honor of those in the high official circles into which the ex-bank director has now entered.

If Herr Dernburg refuses to fight, his feudal detractors, who detest his reforming energy and mistrust his businesslike methods, will probably attempt to boycott him socially as a coward.

**STUDENTS REFUSE ALL FOOD IN PRISON**

**Declare They Will Starve to Death as a Protest Against Incarceration.**

VIENNA, March 11.—Seventy-nine Ruthenian students in Lemberg Prison started a hunger strike this morning to protest against their detention. They were arrested for rioting at the University because they were not allowed to take the matriculation oath in the Ruthenian instead of the Polish language, and have been kept in prison for three weeks awaiting trial.

The students, who have formed the authorities that they will starve to death if not released, have received a reply that the ordinary course of justice cannot be interfered with.

A telegram has been sent by the Austrian Minister of Justice urging a speedy conclusion of the examination, but the Polish authorities, who are practically independent, are not likely to be influenced by this appeal.

**RELATED.**

"Ma," asked the little goosling, "are the big things without horses that honk so any relation to us?" "No, my child," replied the wise old bird fowl; "but the people in them are."

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**HER WANTS WERE FEW.** (Washington Post.)

A little girl stood for some time in a meat market waiting for someone to attend to her wants. Finally the proprietor approached her and asked: "Is there anything you would like, little girl?"

"Oh, yes, sir, please, I want a diamond ring and a scalin' racket, a real nobleman and a pug dog and a box at the opera, and on ever so many things; but all ma wants is a dime's worth of bologna sausage."

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LOST—Fair Gold Rimmed Spectacles, February 17th, Exmouth street to Cathedral. Kindly leave with Star. 6-3-1f

LOST—A gold foil-chain with Newfoundland charm attached, for family of three adults. Sheriff and Ann streets. Finder will please leave at the Star office. 12-3-2

LOST—A bitch hound, color black and white. Any person keeping her after this notice will be severely prosecuted. Finder will please return to BEDFORD MCCORMICK, 20-24 Water street. 12-3-2

LOST—On Monday March 11, between St. George street, W. E., and Harding street, Fairview, pocket book containing keys and sum of money, property of poor widow. Anyone finding same will confer great favor by returning to MRS. M. KIERSTAD, care Geo. W. Nelson, 159 St. George street, W. E. 12-3-2

**CALVARY CLOVER.**

Calvary clover, a flower strangely symbolic of the principles of Christianity, flourishes in Palestine. Calvary clover leaves, like those of other clovers, are trefoil, embodying the doctrine of the Trinity, the central truth of Christianity. Soon after the plant begins to appear above the ground a deep spot of red like blood appears upon each division of the leaf, but this disappears after a few weeks.

During the day the tiny leaflets form themselves into the shape of a cross, and as the sun sinks to rest the leaves again fold together, as has been suggested, as if in prayer. In due time the blossom becomes a small yellow flower, and then a spiral pod covered with thorns is ripening the flowers interlace and in their peculiar positions many persons think they can detect the outline of a cross. Tradition says that it is good fortune to plant the seed of the Calvary clover on Good Friday.

**MOATED HOUSES IN ENGLAND.**

Helmington Hall is the seat of Lord Tolleran in Suffolk. The existing drawbridge has been raised every night for over 200 years, and the present owner does not allow the castle to become obsolete. Another fine example of a moated house is Leeds castle, about three miles southeast of London, in Kent, which is surrounded by its moat, forms almost a lake crossed by a single bridge. There is a fine moat at Wells, in Somersetshire, where the original palace, an ancient castellated mansion, is surrounded with walls enclosing nearly seven acres of ground. This moat is supplied with water from St. Andrew's well—London Standard.



**Married Life.**

Mrs. Groves: "Oh! it is there any thing I haven't been through since I married you?"

Mr. Groves: (feeling in his empty pockets)—Nothing that I can think of.

**WATER NO DRINK.**

(Pa.hance.)

At one time the ballist in charge of a "without meat, drink, or fire." It was Justice Maule who gave the clause reply to the ballist who inquired whether he might want a juryman's request for a glass of water. "Well, it is not meat, and I should not call it drink. Yes, you may."

Arnold Reed, Kenney Brittan, Edward Dawson, John Hogn and Edward Duncan have been reported for being disorderly and throwing can-balls on the corner of Acadia and Portland streets. John MacCreary, C. Smith and J. L. Campbell are also named.