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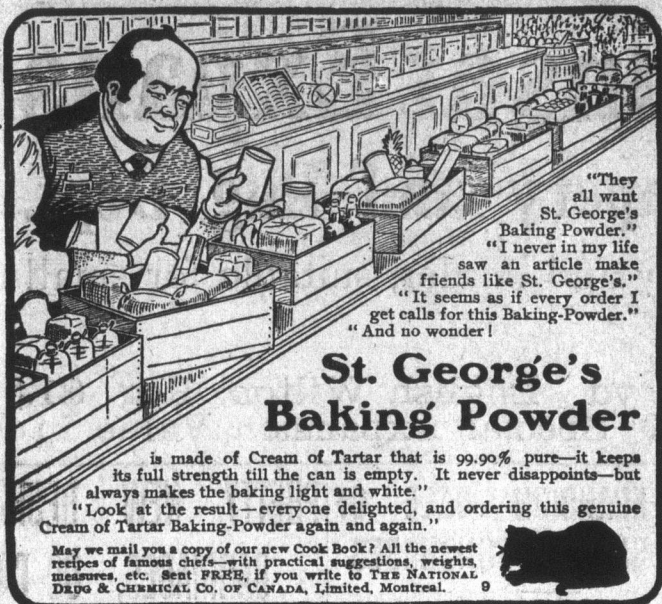
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There is no country where the matter of landing from American passenger ships is so easy and so expeditiously done as England, says the Travel Magazine. Of course it is a free trade country, the freest in the world. There are duties levied on tobacco and spirits, but travelers are allowed a half pound of tobacco in any shape and a half pint of spirits, which also includes perfume. Sugar is dutiable, whether in grain, sweets or in jam, but a small quantity is freely passed. In all cases, however, these goods must be the actual property of the passenger and be for his use and control. Cocos, coffee and tea are also dutiable, as are reprints of English books. Outside of these things, as named, passengers can bring in anything—motors, cycles, horses, but not dogs, which animals are not to exceed six months' quarantine swaths. Keep dogs on the American side. The customs officials are life appointments—under the civil service—and will be found most obliging and helpful. In fact, they are a model to the customs world. Tell the truth at all times to these officials and you will be all right. They are marvelously keen on spotting the supposedly smart liar. Lying doesn't pay "anyhow, Hinessey" at home or abroad.

TESTATORS' LAST WISHES.

Strange Requests Regarding the Arrangement of Funerals.

Sir James Colquhoun's desire to be buried in full evening dress costume recalls, says the London Standard, curious last wishes of other testators.

George Herring directed that his remains should lie beneath a sundial at the Haven of Rest, Maidenhead. Queen Victoria planned the entire programme for her funeral, even choosing the music to be played, the anthems to be sung.

A couple of months ago a young lady who died at Belgrave on the eve of her wedding was buried in her bridal dress, the friends who were to have been her bridesmaids attending the funeral in the gowns which they should have worn at the wedding and carrying in place of wreaths the wedding bouquets.

More singular was the funeral of Major General Algernon Stewart at Hascombe, Surrey. The coffin was drawn to the grave by the dead man's horse. The mourners walked, and the bearers wore old fashioned smocks, each with its collar adorned with a text. The same men appeared in their mourning garments at the church service on the following Sunday.

There are many things which can be forgotten without much loss.

Your Hair At Home?

Or has your comb run away with it? Better look out for what's left of it, and keep it home on your head, not in the comb. Ayer's Hair Vigor will act as "keeper." If you have a particle of doubt about using this splendid preparation, let your doctor decide for you. Ayer's Hair Vigor is the best of all our preparations.

Jubilee of Gretina Green.

Gretina Green keeps its jubilee as the Gretina Green at which the village blacksmith may no longer unite fleeing lovers in the bonds of matrimony. It was in 1857 that the Gretina Green marriages were made illegal. A glance at its registers may yet inspire the novelist of the future. One entry will be sure to puzzle. Twice within a few days occur the record of the marriage of Richard Brinsley Sheridan to Miss Grant. There was only one R. B. S., only one bride for the same gentleman. The double entries are not the result of any blunder on the part of the Rev. Mr. Vulcan. The parties were really twice married at Gretina Green. Arriving on a Sunday they were duly wedded, and sped away to Edinburgh. There,

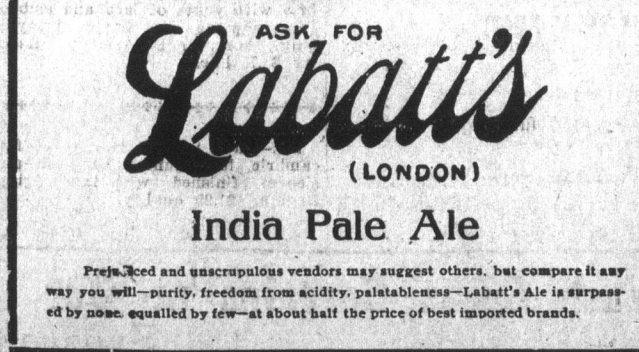
however, Sheridan chanced to glance at a newspaper in which appeared the indications of a lawyer. In these plainly stated was the fact that no contract executed on a Sunday is binding. Clearly, then, their wedding was not legal. Back to Gretina Green they hurried, to be remarried on a week-day and leave the dual record to perplex later generations of sympathetic searchers of the records.

CAUGHT.

George, she said, before we were married you were always giving me presents. Why don't you ever bring me anything now?

My dear, replied George, did you ever hear of a fisherman giving bait to a fish he had caught?

Then the kettle boiled over.



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SNAPPED AT LAST.

Miss Marie Corelli and the Photographer—An Amusing Scene.

Miss Marie Corelli's well-known antipathy to photographers was responsible for an amusing scene at Stratford-on-Avon church the other day.

The authoress of "The Sorrows of Satan" was just leaving, after having laid a floral tribute upon Shakespeare's grave in remembrance of the poet's birthday, when two photographers, who had been taking pictures of the church, noticed her.

Seizing their snap-shot cameras they crept out and stationed themselves in the churchyard path. Miss



Corelli, however, noticed them, and turned sharp round to the right, while a gentleman friend stood between her and the cameras. The manoeuvre was successful, and the lady walked quickly round the church till she met the sexton.

Novelist's Strategy.

She enlisted him in her service, and he walked before her, while the gentleman guarded the right flank. Meanwhile the snapshot artists hovered round, and made several futile attempts to get a front view of the lady. At last one of them sprang out from behind a buttress right in front of her, and secured a picture before she had time to turn away her face.

Here the popular novelist proved herself a strategist. Instead of railing at the man she walked up to him, and smilingly said, "I ask you, as a gentleman, to promise me that you will not publish that photograph."

The look of elation vanished from the photographer's face, but he granted the lady's request. Miss Corelli shook him by the hand; he raised his hat, and they parted.

Meanwhile the other artist had been focussing his camera on this little scene. He was caught in the act, however, and a similar promise was extracted from him.

Rhodes' Oxford Memorial.

The tablet shown in the cut was recently unveiled at Oxford by Lord Rosebery. It commemorates the foundation of the Rhodes' scholarships.



The late Cecil Rhodes was a student at Oriel College. In view of the fact that the Rhodes' scholarships are open to American competition the unveiling of this tablet is of especial interest.

Notorious Fenian Dead.

In Dublin, at the age of 77, John O'Leary, the famous leader of the Fenian brotherhood, has passed away. As an early age O'Leary joined the Young Ireland party, which, full of passion and fine poetical ideals, early drifted into rebellion. When in 1849, Queen Victoria visited Ireland, O'Leary joined James Fintan Lalor in a wild scheme to capture the Queen, convey her to some fastness in the Wicklow Mountains, and there hold her prisoner until ransom was paid, in the form of Irish freedom. Fortunately, this mad conspiracy was frustrated by the illness of Lalor, without whom the other plotters could not act.

In September, 1855, O'Leary, because editor of the "Irish People," and was arrested and sentenced to 20 years' penal servitude for treason. He was amnestied in 1870, and after passing the remainder of his sentence in exile in France, returned to Dublin, where he devoted himself to journalism and literature.

Agencies of Learning Golf.

The man who has achieved success in other forms of activity, such as trade, politics, painting, literature, or football, finds, to his horror, when he faces the tee-box that all his knowledge is a vain thing," writes James Douglas in M.A.P.

"He who would conquer the imp of golf must become a little child. He must abase his pride in the dust. He must expose his folly to the world. He must make a public laughing-stock of his grey hairs."

The eminent man who condemns himself to golf cannot hope to learn the dreadful sport in secret. He must perform his grotesque contortions in public. He must endure the furtive grin of the caddy, and the simulated gravity of the club verandah. He must not only make an ass of himself, but he must also feel an ass and an ass for months, and even years. Indeed, the worse you play the game, the more you enjoy it."

A Safe Investment

What Marshall Field Once Said

Real Estate in a good locality and in a growing village, town or city is the safest investment a poor man or woman can make. It cannot run away, bust up or cheat. My advice to a young man or woman who can spare \$5 or \$10 per month from his or her earnings is to put it into a small piece of mother earth. Even if it is only a small vacant lot. My first start in life was doing just what I now advise others to-day.

The above was the advice given by Marshall Field in an address given to young men and women on **How to Succeed in Life.**

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English Still Spreads.

Within 100 years the number of persons speaking the English language has grown from 20,000,000 to 125,000,000. During this time no other language has made the slightest advance. At the beginning of the last century the leading languages of Continental Europe were French, German and Spanish; the Spanish language at present is spoken by about 15,000,000 in Spain and 35,000,000 in America. German has held its own and is spoken by about 80,000,000 people. More than 20,000,000 persons speak the language outside of Germany.

Twice as many persons speak Portuguese outside of Portugal as in the country itself. French is the language of 44,000,000 persons outside of France. It is estimated that at the dawn of the twenty-fifth century the English language will be spoken by 300,000,000 persons in the United States, while a similar number will be added in India, where the learning of the language has become compulsory.

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No one can account for the universal desire to do those things which we know should not be done.

IN CASE OF FIRE

The Landlord Told His Literary Guest How to Get Out.

In the days before the dawn of his fame it was the practice of a certain well known author to wander up and down the land seeking what he might devour in the way of suggestion and local color. In this way he had drifted into Arkansas, "roughing it," and not, as he expresses it, presenting an appearance calculated to inspire a hotel proprietor with unlimited confidence.

The only hotel in the town, a frame structure, seemed to have been built upon the theory that there was plenty of room straight up, but that ground had to be bought, and the wanderer was shown to a room on the third floor, reached through many narrow and winding passages. From the one window it was a straight drop to the ground.

"Say, how would I get out of this place in case of fire?" he asked the landlord, who had brought up his grip. "The other eyed him coldly. "Waal," he drawled, "all yo' would have to do would be to show ther night watchman—the one with ther shotgun—a receipted bill foh yo' board an' lodgin' an' get him to tie up the bulldog."

A Mission That Failed.

The Sire de Joinville tells us in his "Histoire de St. Louis" how a certain Brother Yves of the preaching friars once met while crossing a street in Damascus at the time of the sixth crusade an aged woman who carried in her right hand a bowl of fire and in her left a bottle of water.

"Where are you going?" asked the Brother Yves.

"I go," said she, "to burn up heaven with the fire and put out hell with the water, and so I will make an end of both."

"And for why will you do this?" asked the friar.

"Because," said she, "I would that we did good neither for the joys of heaven nor for the fear of hell pain, but purely for the love of God, who deserves so well of us and who is able to deliver us from evil."

WHAT MADE THE DIFFERENCE.

Little boy, said the lady, how much do you sell this lemonade for?

This kind is 3 cents a glass, and that is 5 cents.

Why, what makes the difference in the price?

Well, you see, ma'am, me flog fell in the 3-cent kind.

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