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Cramped Quarters.

A country paper lays down these rules of etiquette: "When a lady and gentleman are walking in the street the lady should walk inside of the gentleman."

America's Gateway.

Ellis Island, in New York bay, is the great gateway for aliens coming to America, and an average of 2,414 of them pass through it every day in the year.

Improved Land Here and Abroad.

The percentage of improved land—that is, land under crops and grass—is in this country 23; in England it is 76, in Germany about 60.

An Old Habit.

The physician who attributes the dying habit to the use of cigarettes forgets that the habit antedates the manufacture of the "coffin nail."

World's Largest School.

The largest school in the world is the Jews' free school of Spitalfields, England, which has a daily attendance of more than 3,000 pupil

Plain Truth About Diet.

Two things are pretty well agreed upon by the best authorities; namely, that a mixed diet is best, and that more trouble comes from over-eating than from eating many things, though either fault is bad enough.

Necessity for Thought.

Thought is the steering gear of speech. You can't sail a boat without a rudder or talk intelligently without thinking.

Opinion and Fact.

It is bad enough to put too great a value on an opinion, which is only the product of the individual, while fact is a part of the universe.

NEW POWER IN FINANCIAL WORLD.

J. W. Longyear, who is associated with James J. Hill in the $1,000,000,000 lease of ore lands to the United States Steel Corporation, formerly resided at Marquette, Mich. He is heavily interested in northwestern ore lands and it is estimated will receive $25,000,000 as his share of the lease. His name is a new one to Wall street, but a familiar one in the iron district of the northwest.

PARIS HAS BALLOON FAD.

New "Sport" a Favorite in the French Capital.

"It is impossible, on a fine day, to look up into the sky above Paris without seeing two or three balloons, like red or green moons, afloat against the blue."

The speaker, a member of the Aero club, resumed:

"On a September Sunday, standing by the Arc de Triomphe, I counted nine balloons afloat above my head. They were beautiful in color—scarlet, blue, gold, green, white—and nobody watched them, for they were an ordinary spectacle, like a horse or a peddler.

"The balloons, keeping together, floated past the Eiffel Tower. Then a gust of wind seized them, and they rushed with incredible rapidity towards Montmartre. You could see them dropping sand. It looked like a rope made of cloud, a rope that quietly melted against the blue sky.

"Ladies run balloons in Paris. Children go up in them. But for the expense, I believe that every Parisian would take a Sunday balloon ride."

Old Man Made a Guess.

Prof. Brander Matthews, along with his belief in spelling reform, believes in short words and in simple constructions. The simplicity of his prose style as it is manifested in his books is only equaled by its grace. Apropos of simplicity, Prof. Matthews said the other day: "In my youth I once passed the summer in the country. One of my friends, an elderly farm hand, visited New York during my country visit and on his return I said to him, employing a word needlessly complex and long: "Well, Jabez, how did you like the metropolis?"

"Wot say?" asked the old man.

"How did you like the metropolis?" I repeated.

"Twa'n't open," said he.

THE DEMAND OF LABOR.

Request That Seemed at First to Savor of Extortion.

It was formerly the custom of a paper mill in Massachusetts to pay the workers semi-monthly, and, the operatives having found the practice somewhat inconvenient from their standpoint, it was decided to send a delegate to the head of the firm to state their grievance. An Irishman, rather well known for his sagacity and persuasive powers, was selected for the task. He duly waited on the "boss," who said: "Well, Michael, what can I do for you?"

"If ye plase, sor," said Mike, "I've been sint as a dilligate by the workers to ask a favor of ye regardin' the payment of our wages."

"What do they want?"

"Sor, it is the desire of meself an' every other man in the establishment that we receive our semi-monthly pay every week."—Lippincott's.

WAY TO TELL A DIAMOND.

Useful Hint for Lovers of These Beautiful Stones.

The jeweler made a small dot, like a period, on a piece of white paper with a lead pencil. Then he held a large diamond over the dot.

"Look through this," he said.

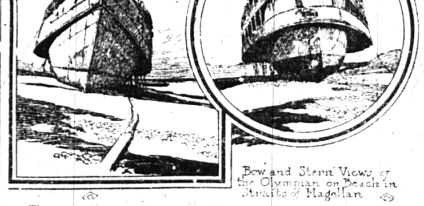
Through the diamond the dot looked precisely the same as before.

"Now look through this," he said, taking up another stone.

Through the second stone the dot was transformed to three dots.

"There," the jeweler said, "is an easy way for the average man to tell a real diamond from an imitation. A dot on a piece of paper, looked at through a real diamond, is the same as before; but, looked at through a fake, it shows double or triple, or it appears blurred, scattered."

GOES TO RESCUE OF SISTER SHIP.



Bow and Stern Views of the Olympian on Beach in Straits of Magellan

The steamship Olympian is high and dry on a sandy shore in the Straits of Magellan, near the extreme southern point of South America, more than 8,000 miles from New York. The steamship Amelia is being fitted out with all the latest wrecking appliances and will soon set out in an attempt to release the Olympian and bring her to the port of New York. The Olympian is valued at $600,000.

Ignorance at a Premium.

Education, according to commander Gambler, was not valued in the British navy in the '50s. The future commander began his life at sea aboard the Retribution with an education which included Greek, an acquirement of which "our second master, who had joined the navy straight out of a merchant ship," made light. "We don't want none of this bore kind of hogwash at sea," said my friend. I also quickly discovered that to know anything about music—beyond being able to sing a comic song or play a hornpipe on a tin whistle—was likewise an offense; while the crowning infamy was to be able to talk French or any foreign tongue."

Reason for Madness.

Richard Mansfield at a dinner party in New York contributed an anecdote to the old question of the sanity of Hamlet.

"One morning in the west," he said, "I met a young friend of mine and asked him where he had been the night before."

"'I went,' my young friend replied, 'to see So-and-so's Hamlet.'

"'Aha, did you?' said I. 'Now, tell me—do you think Hamlet was mad?'

"'I certainly do,' said he. 'There wasn't $100 in the house.'"

Love.

"Yes," said the Chicago girl, "I'm engaged to Mr. Rocks. It was really hard to decide because I like Mr. Bullion quite as well and they're equally wealthy."

"What decided the thing?" asked her friend.

"Well, Mr. Rocks promised me the most alimony if such a thing should become necessary."

The Supreme Test.

"I have here a letter from a man saying that he was anxious to be loved without his sweetheart's being influenced by any knowledge of his circumstances, good or bad."

"Well?"

"So he wrote me an anonymous letter, asking me to marry him."

Hertzean Waves at Sea.

A German scientist has invented an automatic mechanism for preventing collisions at sea, based upon the use of Hertzean waves. Miniature wireless telegraphy plants are to be installed on vessels, effective within a thousand yards radius. Two vessels fitted with apparatus approaching each other in a fog and with the mechanism set would at 1,000 yards give mutual and automatic warning by acting upon each other's signal, which would, in its turn, automatically stop the engines.

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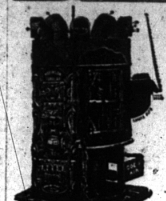

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Poor Squires.

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German Higher Education.

A recent convention of learned men at Berlin advised the government to establish two kinds of lyceums for girls—one of eight years, corresponding to a high school in this country, and another, with a supplementary course of four years, preparatory to the university.

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This Kaffir story is true. A Christian Zulu-Kaffir was heard recounting to another Kaffir a vision of heaven which he had had in a dream. "And saw you any Kaffirs there?" inquired his listener. The teller of the story pondered awhile, and then "No," said he, "for I did not look into the kitchen."

Camel Not a Swimmer.

The camel cannot swim. The moment it loses its footing in a stream, it turns on its side, and makes no effort to save itself from drowning.

The English Jokes.

The worst thing about the simple spelling is the Engli.h jokes it has provoked.

High Reverence of the Lowly.

Reverence the highest, have patience with the lowest. Let this day's performance of the meanest duty be thy religion. Are the stones too distant, pick up the pebble that lies at thy feet, and from it learn the all.—Margaret Fuller Ossoli.

One-Legged Football Player.

One of the players in a football match at Leicester, England, recently was a young man with one leg. He was able with the aid of a crutch to run as fast as most of the other players.