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THE OLD GUARD'S HYSTERICS.

Calais, Roosevelt has the "old guard" of New York working for him and they do not awake to the fact that every cry of alarm they raise is a hurrah for Teddy that every hard knock from them is a boost for him.

SPEED MANIACS AT LARGE.

No pretence of enforcing the motor law of the state outside of cities and villages appears to be made. On the road from Narragansett Pier to Providence it is said that speeds of forty and fifty miles an hour are so common as to cause no comment.

THE IDEAL MAN.

The Philadelphia Times has just closed a prize contest in which hundreds of women have written letters descriptive of the man they would select as a husband, and it is of interest to all women to see the letter which a committee of men would award the first prize of \$100. This is what Miss Blair, the winner, says.

THE PUBLIC MILKED EVERY WAY.

After all the additional taxes the national government itself makes to the cost of living are not to be overlooked. The majority report of the Congressional commission on the cost of living declared that the tariff does not increase the cost of living, but nevertheless the commission does not put its finger on the actually guilty cause, leaving the public as much in need of enlightenment as before.

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HOMES FOR THE PEOPLE.

The Sage millions are figuring in all kinds of good work in behalf of the people; but no single project Mrs. Russell Sage is more interested in than the building of homes for the people.

The town that Mrs. Sage has planned will be beautiful and furnished with every adornment that a highly cultured taste might demand. The houses will be attractive in design and artistically spaced and disposed in a way to admit light and air to every room.

Rentals will be charged, and the town will probably be maintained on a revenue producing basis. And yet the rentals for these pleasant homes, it is expected, will be attractive to clerks and working people. It is a scheme which is being carried out in earnest.

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EDITORIAL NOTES. Roosevelt cordially believes in an eight-hour day and one day in seven for complete rest.

The census of 75 cities shows no loss for one of them. American cities are forging ahead.

Boston claims to be the home of the prettiest child, but other cities are disputing the claim.

To make Labor day like one great picnic is a laudable ambition. My great hope is that it will be a success.

All the attempts to make it appear that Taft and Roosevelt are not on good terms have failed.

Minnesota has beaten out the Twin trust with its convicts and really made the business profitable, too.

The stranger who called Roosevelt a liar escaped before he could be tossed over to an Ananias club.

Boston women marched in the Labor day parade and they were applauded for their fine appearance.

Holyoke, Mass., turns out more parade than any other place in the world. It is the proudest-feder of the nation.

Somerville, Mass., has a police officer who has been 43 years in the service, and he doesn't ask to be retired.

Happy thought for today: The second sober thought doesn't come to some people often than once in a life time.

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There is more handwriting on the wall just now than usual, and it is very likely to show up a lot of false prophets who are freely engaged in deciphering it.

"Supplies" For the Schools. If the average citizen ever a large-minded citizen should be told what "supplies" for the public school cost more than \$166,000 a year, he would probably gasp and stare.

Just as the wife would not presume to criticize his business methods, change the rules of his office or dismiss his clerks, so should he be careful not to interfere in household matters, but allow her to reign supreme in her own domain.

"He should be square with other men; gentle to all women and kind to little children and animals."

"He must be able to do something more in his wife than his housekeeper and the mother of his children. He must be interested in her mind and soul as well."

"Miss Blair's ideal is all right, and most every married woman, doubtless, thinks that she has captured him. No woman deserves less of a man than this, anyway."

Little Sam will not feel that politeness requires him to ask John Bull if he may fortify the Panama canal, any more than it required John Bull to ask permission to fortify the western coast of British America.

Harry Whitney has returned from the Arctic, but he has nothing to say about the peak or his record.

THE BULLETIN'S DAILY STORY

THE LADY FROM THE WEST

Aurora had begun her work of tinting the eastern sky, and when I peeped out of the window of the little bedroom I occupied on the northeast corner of the Thorne's boarding house and saw what was going on I once realized that it was time for me to be stirring in preparation for the business of the day.

Reaching the breakfast table and taking my accustomed seat, I felt to the attack of a piece of bovine laughter which had been passed to me in the guise of a slice of steak, and while thus engaged my attention was attracted to a conversation between Billings on the opposite side of the table from me, and Miss Belle Pleatley, the milliner, seated near the corner at the dinner end of the table. It may well be remarked, had been on very familiar terms, and it was generally presumed by those who had witnessed their manner toward each other that a single thought would answer for both and their two hearts would beat in unison with the strokes of the trip-hammer.

"By the way, Belle," remarked Billings, "Mrs. Thorne informs me that she expects a new boarder, a young lady from the west. She thinks she may come this afternoon."

"Indeed?" responded the milliner. "Did she give you the lady's name?"

"Yes, she says she is Miss Ruth Billing, but she has a fine, fine looking and well educated lady; writes poetry, paints pictures and plays the piano. She anticipates much pleasure from her company."

"With all those accomplishments," said Miss Pleatley, "she ought to be able to make things lively, and quite likely she will."

"I thought there was just a bit of asperity in the conclusion of this last speech."

By this time I had achieved the mastery of the so-called steak and was waiting for nothing more or less than the expected arrival from the west, but my departure for the scene of my day's labor.

At the dinner table the matter was not alluded to, but at night when all were seated I ran my eye furtively over the table and saw a strange face was visible. Presently Billings, who was never timid about asking questions, happened to see anything he wished to know, asked Mrs. Thorne, who was in her place at the head of the table, if the lady she had been expecting had arrived.

"No," she answered, "and I am very much disappointed. I told Walter to be at the station before he had time to bring her if she came; but he reports me that no lady got off the train."

"I happened to know something of the matter," said Mrs. Thorne, "but she was not at the train at all, so I held my peace."

After supper, as was my habit, I strolled down the street in quest of congenial companionship, and as usual had my eye on the clock and the door. It was not until I had reached the street that I noticed a little distance ahead of me, a lady who seemed at a loss which way to turn. As I came up to her she advanced toward me and said: "Excuse me, sir, but can you tell me where Myrtle street is?"

"Perhaps," she went on, "you can tell me where Mrs. Thorne's boarding house is?"

"The thought flashed upon me that here was the lady Mrs. Thorne was expecting from the west. "Is this Miss Harding?"

"It is," she replied. "My name is Chesterfield. I happen to be one of Mrs. Thorne's boarders, and if you wish to go there I shall be happy to escort you directly to her door."

"Thank you," she said, "it will be a great favor."

Portugal's Trouble. With Portugal as well as Spain in the throes of political strife, the Iberian Peninsula is in a ferment more violent than common. While Portugal and Spain are in a measure similar to those of Spain, the two cases are not exactly parallel. It is true that there is some contest between church and state in both countries, but the contest is allied with the clerical in opposition to the existing Liberal ministry, and the Liberal ministry is the dominant power in the land.

The Mining Gamble. If you want to raise a million dollars on a mining proposition and offer 10,000 shares at \$100 each you will not sell one. But if you offer a million dollars worth of shares at \$25 each, you will sell them all in a few days.

The Busy Colonels. There have been enough dull things lately to keep the two colonels listening.—Washington Post.

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It is not reasonable to suppose that a medicine that did so much for these girls will do the same for any other girl who is suffering with the same troubles?

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