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THE WORLD'S CIRCULATION FOR AUGUST

AVERAGE PER WEEK-DAY

487,421.

AVERAGE PER SUNDAY

324,691.

Gain per Sunday in One Year

74,197.

Gain per Sunday Over Three Years Ago

93,879.

"Excelsior" is the word, Mr. Goff.

Go up higher when you begin again.

Ferdinand Ward does not shine in kidnapping as he did in financing.

What if Diver's memory should turn as yellow as the October leaves, Mr. Goff?

It is feared that Mr. Goff will prove to hot a pacemaker for the Police Board.

A Lexow subpoena should catch Mr. Croker before malaria gets a chance in October.

"Tammany making ready." For the inevitable? Advocates of a better New York trust so.

The motto of last night's Republican primaries was, "The Voice of the Boss is the Supreme Law."

Has Mr. Fassett remained first in the heart of Chemung County, only to be second on the State ticket?

Gradually the anti-Platt hope that it might be "Chauncey Dewey and Fassett, too," is fading away.

If Gov. Flower's veto had prevailed, the things revealed in the Lexow inquiry would still be hidden.

Spare no rotten tree, Woodman Goff, in all the police force. New York wants only sturdy oaks there.

Is it merely a coincidence that six witnesses before the Lexow Committee have been arrested since they gave their testimony?

There is a new ocean queen. Hurrah for the Lucania! And shall we make ready to greet the five-day boat to Queenstown?

Far from being a fight, it appears from present prospects that there won't even be a case of sparring for wind at Saratoga on Tuesday.

Miltholland will carry his fight to Saratoga. Then it is probable that he will be on the spot when the sound of a dull thud will proceed.

In the competition for uptown extensions of street railway franchises we hear no hint of extending accommodations to the point of giving a seat for a fare.

There is no party division over the question of protecting the State forests. This is a matter of vital importance to the whole Commonwealth. The Constitutional Convention did well to pass an amendment designed to protect and preserve those forests forever.

It is not an extreme demand, nor is it a demand for an impossibility, that the Evening World's voices in calling for a seat for every fare on the street cars. The companies can grant the aid and they should do so, not as a favor to the public, but as a public right.

Not being able to make up points on the New York by playing ball, the Bostonians have peevishly resorted to a silly protest, based on flimsy technicalities, to throw out a Giant victory. The fallen champions should really brace up and try to take their reverses manfully.

The Broadway Cable Company has the side of the car. All it lacks is the disposition to use them so as to accommodate its passengers. Trainers and relay cars could be so used along the road from the Battery to Fifty-ninth street that the people who get on downtown would never be forced to ride smothered under the crowds gathered in from uptown points.

The Lexow inquiry, under Mr. Goff's direction, is no "flash and all" over affairs. It is a sustained and powerful assault on established officials of corrup-

tion. Nothing can now stem the tide of revelation and disgrace that is overtaking the officials of the Police Department, and the citizens of New York, while deploring the existence of such rotteness as is being made known, must rejoice that the exposure has come. And to those earnest men who are working for a better New York, not a point should be lost in the proceedings that can be utilized to bring about the cleansing and purifying of the municipal government in general. To these men the revelations going on cannot appear as a demonstration of maladministration in the Police Department alone. All indications point "up higher."

HOW THE CITIES ARE TREATED.

Country legislators are never unwilling to assail New York as a corrupt and wicked city, and never hesitate to regard themselves as better qualified than the citizens themselves to judge what legislation is best for the metropolis.

Yet what would the rest of the State do without the cities of New York and Brooklyn? The State has a population in round numbers of 6,200,000, of which the two cities are 2,800,000. The rest of the State has 3,400,000.

For the State care of the insane the entire State is taxed \$1,300,000. Of this, New York alone is called upon to pay \$630,000, or within a fraction of one-half the entire tax. Yet New York pays, in addition to the whole cost of the care of its own insane, and not a dollar of the expense falls on the State fund.

Senator Murphy follows Croker. While the Republican party is confirming Platt's leadership by electing delegates to the State Convention to carry out that boss's orders as to the State nominations, the Democracy is preparing the way for a marked change in the State machine.

A FUMIFYING FEMALE ON PARADE. A young woman was arrested on Broadway Wednesday night because she was smoking a cigarette. She sauntered up and down the street, leaning against a column at the entrance to the Fifth Avenue Hotel, and asked him for a light. He was vigorously keeping up a draught at one end of a big cigar, and after he got over the stun which the request gave him he handed her the "smoker," which she held aloft and puffed away at with a look of "coffin nail." Then puffing like a toy top she joined the Broadway procession.

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DIDN'T BLOW OUT THE GAS. This Countryman Brought a Candle and Set His Bed Afire. BALTIMORE, Sept. 14.—A countryman, wearing a dusty sombrero and heavy boots, stepped ashore from the steamer H. S. Ford and registered at the Fountain Hotel, Pratt and Calvert streets, last night. He had heard about the result of blowing out the gas and had not been brought with him a candle. While moving about in the hotel with the lighted candle in his hand he ran into the mosquito netting. It blew to the ceiling and set the bed and bedding on fire. There were cries of fire and a rush for water, and the flames were extinguished with great difficulty.

17,484 SICK BABIES.

The Number Treated This Summer by the Free Doctors.

I Took 206,514 Visits to Find All These Ailing Tot.

Yesterday's Contributions Increase the Fund to \$23,984.43.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes The Subscriptions, Moore's Mills, N. Y., Entertainment, and various individuals.

The free doctors maintained by the Sick Babies' Fund, who visit from tenement to tenement daily and inquire at every door, are doing a noble work this summer. The chief of the corps reports, up to this morning: 206,514 families visited, 17,484 little patients treated, 6,125 revivits made, 6,173 families furnished with medicine free.

The Hawk-Eye Club's Benefit. The entertainment and reception held at Everett Hall on Sunday evening was a grand success. The net receipts were \$1,200.00, of which \$1,000.00 was for the Hawk-Eye Club, composed of young ladies and young men, ranging in ages between seventeen and twenty-one.

A Harlem Entertainment. An entertainment was given Aug. 16 at 42 E. 10th St. One hundred and thirty-five of the children taking part were babies themselves. We include \$130.00, receipts. 20 cents, obtained from a girl's sale.

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Fluffy Bodies.

Gauze-like materials in silk, wool and linen will be worn all year, indoors, of course. Chiffon is first choice. It is as clean as a linen cloth; modern improvements facilitate the work and contribute to personal comfort, and the food is of excellent quality, perfectly cooked and served with a touch of the dainty grace peculiar to the nation.

Little French Lessons. (Terms used in cooking.) Compliments—Sweet French raised cake with fruit. Compotes—Fruits stewed in syrup. Confitures—Sweetmeats of sugar. Consomme—A strong, clear liquid obtained from meat.

Croutades—A kind of paste or cake. Croustades—Known as Dresden patties—minced meat incased in paste in fancy moulds. Croustades—Forms of fried bread on which to serve meats.

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Dariole—A sweet pate baked in a mould. Faisan—An oval stewpan. Dessous—To bone. Triandise—A dainty bit.

Lunch for Brain-Workers. Grapes. Oatmeal with Apple Sauce. Brown Bread and Butter. Hot Lemonade.

To Reduce the Waist Line. A man can be forgiven for losing his waist line, but one hates to see the female form divine muffled up in fat. An authority on superfluous flesh says that the lady matter can be gotten rid of by giving twenty minutes a day to the simplest calisthenic exercise.

To Clean Various Articles. Lace-work stockings in white and delicate tints may be cleaned with benzine or naphtha instead of soap. Some of the operations of the laundry process of washing. They should be turned inside out, shaken free from dust, laid flat in a dish and covered with the fluid. After a violent stirring, they should be laid, the other side down, in clean naphtha. Then they should be hung in the air until all odor disappears.

Sun Baths. Pale-faced children and bilious-yellow, cold-blooded women need sunshine bathing. There are two ways of taking it—on foot and horseback. The best is the saddle, but unfortunately, horseback is too precious for beggars to ride. Given the opportunity, any able-bodied child will play its little self strong and pretty. Any woman who wishes can walk in beauty. It is only a question of will. A walk from 4 A. M. to 7 A. M. will put the foot on the ground, and the consequence, many times to walk home in the tired bread-winner more good than her dinner, for the physical fatigue will produce deep sleep, and the prophets said, "Sleep is as good as a feast."

Salad, Cheese and Fruit. Salad is laxative, hence its value after heavy dinner courses. Cheese is stimulating. People who live on cheese and butter live under a dinner without a cube of cheese imperfect. Fruit is aperient in its action. It disagrees only with a diseased or overloaded stomach. Half a pound of grapes or any juicy fruit will digest a full dinner; if it is too big, the gutton must be broken up. Feeding is a good deal like fire making. The engineer learns to keep a good fire without wasting coal by filling the grate or fuel-holder. There must be room for the circulation of the element of combustion.

Fine Art of Growing Old. To resist with success the frigidity of old age one must combine the body, the mind and the heart. To keep these in parallel vigor one must exercise, study, love. There is a woman, Bostonian, who writes: "If a woman sits down and grieves over the first wrinkle or the first gray hair, two will gather to keep it company. If sorrow for the 'something sweet that followed youth with flying feet,' is allowed to tug at her heart, she will not only be old in a hurry, but ugly as well."

Plain Soup Stock. To two and one-half quarts of water add one ounce of beef extract, one medium-sized onion, four cloves stuck in the same, one carrot, one turnip, and one root stalk of celery, eight pepper corns, one bay-leaf, and one even tablespoonful of salt. Boil from twenty to twenty-five minutes on a slow fire. Strain out the vegetables and use the stock as a foundation for all soups and sauces. Two quarts will be the result of this preparation, as the one pint of water will evaporate during the process of cooking.

Oyster Cocktails. The following recipe was furnished by the chef of a prominent New York club, so is probably a good one. For every 100 small oysters take four tablespoonfuls of tomato catsup, one tablespoonful of Worcestershire sauce, the juice of two lemons, two or three drops of Tabasco sauce and one cup of oyster liquor. Drain the oysters free from their liquor, and strain the required amount before using. Mix the cocktail fully half an hour before serving and thoroughly chill.

Municipal Refuse of Paris. There is nothing in New York to compare with the Refuse Ouvroir Municipale of Paris. It is a regular harbor for women in distress. There are three departments: One for night lodgers, one for contagious cases and one for maternity cases. Any sort or kind of woman, out of employment, can go to the



Refuge, do enough domestic work to pay for her keep, and have the privilege of going and coming until suitable employment is obtained. The home is as clean as a linen cloth; modern improvements facilitate the work and contribute to personal comfort, and the food is of excellent quality, perfectly cooked and served with a touch of the dainty grace peculiar to the nation. All that is expected of the French girl is good behavior, industry and sufficient interest in the establishment to cancel her indebtedness. The home is four years old, and the average enrolment is 1,000 per year. One source of revenue is the washing for the Police Department, which averaged 19,983 pieces per month last year, and pays three cents a piece.

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