THE CALCULUS OF PROBABILITY.

HOW TO REASON. HANDS.

The basis of calculation between cause and chance is to be reckoned so far as mathematics can figure out a result upon data like the following. The rules being of course the recognized mathematical ones that the chance of the concurrence of two independent events is the product of their separate probabilities. We know there is more or less frequency of [illegible] have a fixed average, then [illegible] the probability there is [illegible] case in work. The chance of one or the other of two phenomena happening [illegible] two a third [illegible] different [illegible] the [illegible] Fairchild [illegible] supposed [illegible] called [illegible] less. [illegible] She [illegible] doctors [illegible] in [illegible] No [illegible] W. W. [illegible] [illegible] events [illegible] Out of the [illegible] not [illegible] the [illegible] slight [illegible] cases [illegible] found [illegible] applied [illegible] are [illegible] marvelous [illegible] affect [illegible] and are [illegible] it will [illegible]

"Cribbed, Cabined and Confined."

What enemy of a race, dependent for stamina and stability upon the health of its women, invented and ordained our evening dresses? The long-pointed bodice—what there is of it hits like a kid glove; a wreath of roses cast on the left shoulder, droops low below the bud until it finds satisfactory lodgment on the presentant right hip. Folds of tulle meeting the garland in "surplice" style far below the breast, hence are confined on the right shoulder by a bow of ribbon. Sleeves there are none, unless the obsolete article is indicated by the bow on one shoulder and the flowers on the other. The V shaped exposure of the chest is corroborated at the back by a vacancy between the shoulder blades which lets the spinal column as a visible center. Long gloves strain in paroxysmal modesty, to reach the ribbon knots, and roses and fall by four inches of tender flesh.

It is winter, and underwest of merino or sanitary flannel was stripped from shoulders, chest and arms before the wearer "dressed" for the ball. She is padded and pinioned, and her skirts are tied painfully back over short ribs that outlear a satin and tulle train. In this rig "cribbed, cabined and confined" she is to enjoy invigorating exercise, the pleasures of motion, in a room heated by furnaces and a crowd of steaming human bodies, the medium of air for which her stays have room to her lungs will be breathed this time next year, before her turn comes [illegible]

Brown's Imperial Crown.

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Spring Season

Has opened. Hand. If you want to get the latest styles out our various departments should be visited before you make your selection, our white goods department is balm full of novelties and the sales this week will disclose some very cheap goods. And a large assortment of exclusive patterns in satteens. SANGER BROS.

For Sale.

Norman, Clydesdale and Hambletonian stallions. Registered short horn bulls. Will sell at bargains. Winans & Grant, Brookside Farm, Lorena, Texas.

C. A. Schroeder

Does plumbing and gas fitting on short notice and guarantees satisfaction. Gas machines put in at private residences.

Coals and Coke.

Hard and soft, best varieties, prompt delivery, for cash only. Waco Coal Yard, John Farley, proprietor.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. [illegible] writing his memoirs.

Count von Moltke [illegible] 92.

Rear Adm. Yamada has [illegible] command.

The case is about [illegible] Keeler to Finland.

Lord Beaconsfield's [illegible] Mr. C. K. Darnell, died at age of [illegible]

Buffalo Bill has been presented with a gold watch and chain by some of his admirers.

Henry James, the novelist, prides himself on his resemblance to the Prince of Wales.

John Ellis, Miss Abbott's alleged son, has requested an unsupposed mother's [illegible]

Barnum's the Kansas is advertising the female pugilist with the pallid in Utah [illegible]

Prince Bismarck is said to recently have presented the widow of the famed Bismarck [illegible]

The Prince of Naples, the only son of the King of Italy, is to be married to a German Princess.

Mr. W. H. H. Murray is going on a tour of [illegible] the extreme north of British America.

[illegible] Vanderbilt [illegible] fortune [illegible]

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