

MY QUEST.

At early dawn I woke, I heard a robin and looked out; Beneath my window, where the roses bloomed, Love stood in blushing doubt.

Renan in His Old Age.

Ernest Renan, the religious historian and critic, has charming quarters at the College de France, of which he is rector.

Eight centuries of Breton life lie behind him, and he can today make out an honest, irreproachable pedigree which few aristocrats could equal.

Sunday on Boston Common.

One of the most striking things in the sight which is presented by Boston Common on Sunday afternoon. It is coming to be a grand rendezvous for cranks of all sorts.

A Good Manager.

A bareheaded woman, with a faded and ragged dress, solicited alms the other evening of a gentleman who was crossing the City Hall park.

"Is it for drink?" "No, sir, it's for food."

"But I don't know how you live. I have to practice economy in order to have money in my pocket. You may be recklessly extravagant for all I know. How much money have you spent today?"

Taking Up Indifferent Husbands.

A little man asking how it happened that many beautiful ladies took up with but indifferent husbands, after many fine offers, was thus aptly answered by a mountain maiden.

Writing Advertisements.

Writing advertisements has become a specialty and is one of the fine arts. Certain men in the business who have peculiar aptitude and experience make very handsome incomes.

A Wonderful Clock.

A new French clock contains a novel application of the magnet. The clock is shaped like a tambourine, with a circle of flowers painted on its head.

A Bara Avis.

A stranger in the city seeing an urchin on Broadway passed him on the head and said: "Can you tell me where Fourteenth street is, little boy?"

The manufacture of half silk gloria for dust and waterproof cloaks is increasing in the Gorlitz district of Silesia.

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A FEMALE LIVERYMAN.

SHE RUNS A BIG STABLE BETTER THAN MOST MEN COULD.

The Only Woman in the Business in New York City—She Drives Sharp Bargains, but She Holds Her Trade—How She Manages and How She Lives.

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The reporter did go and see for himself. It was early in the forenoon, and business was quiet, therefore Mrs. Childs was upstairs in her comfortable homelike apartments, making her baby a frock.

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She sat down quickly, and opened the conversation quite as gracefully as many ladies do in their own drawing rooms.

"Another branch of the business consists in selling vehicles for my customers who are abroad—in fact, I attend to everything in connection with the business, and have never yet been cheated in a single instance.

"I think the absence of tobacco smoke and dirt from my office has been a drawing card for my stable. It's rather pleasant, even for a man, don't you know, to sit down and give his order in a clean, quiet spot.

"And how about your home life, Mrs. Childs?" "Oh! it goes on beautifully. You don't think I'd sacrifice that to my business, do you?" "No, indeed. I have three little children and my husband, to provide comforts for, and I never neglect them.

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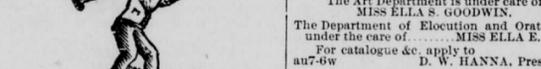
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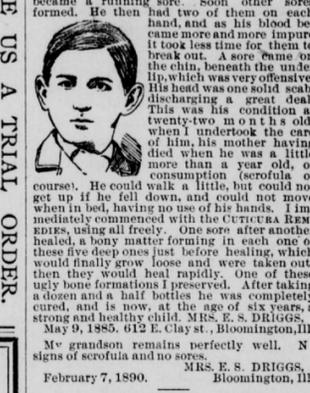
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