

PLAYING BADMINTON.

A TWO HOURS' FROLIC FOR NEW YORK'S SOCIETY YOUNG FOLKS.

Arrival of the Biggest Swell of the Dandies—After an Elaborate Course of Thought—Sixty Thousand a Year and the Results Thereof.

People who imagine that the young men and women of New York society are stiff and formal in their manners would have been somewhat surprised at the crowd of young people who met together one afternoon to play badminton in a queer little Fourth Avenue building. It didn't take a very shrewd observer to discover that badminton, as played in New York, consists of conversation to a very large extent, interspersed with a few cursory bits of hit and mislay with the racquets. There were no chaperones at all at this game, and it amounted to a merry sort of a frolic for two hours in the middle of the day. It was amusing to listen to the talk, for the English accent, which is affected, so laboriously by some of the society people, was picked up and dropped precisely as fancy dictated by the gorgeously attired people, who made badminton an excuse for meeting without being oppressed by the presence of chaperone duennas.

A DEEP AND LOGICAL CONCLUSION.
The biggest swell of the dandies arrived an hour before time. He was a small man with prominent teeth, rather a pallid face, and a pair of shadowy side whiskers. He pranced up to the door of the flimsy frame structure and nodded carelessly to a stolid Englishman who stood by the door with a straw in his mouth and his hands in his pockets.

"Good mornin', Fowbes," said the newcomer, screwing a single glass into one of his weak eyes, and glaring hard at the attendant, "is any one heah?"

"Not yet, sir," said the attendant, respectfully.

"Aw," muttered the young man, complacently; "I am the first one then." Having arrived at this deep and logical conclusion, after an elaborate course of thought, he cast a ghostly and transparent smile at Forbes and drifted through the doorway into the barn-like structure. Here he cast a critical view at a net which extended across the floor, went to one of a series of small lockers and took therefrom a racquet. Then he ascended the small stairway to a gallery, where there were a few dressing-rooms, and presently emerged in all the glory of white flannel knickerbockers and shirt, with long red stockings, a blue and white silk Norfolk jacket, and a blue worsted Tom O'Shanti cap perched artfully upon his rather peculiar-looking head. Around one of his slim wrists there was a broad leather band clasped with four buckles—a scheme by which champion badminton and tennis players strengthen wrists that have been strained by overplay. The single glass now hung over his breast. He danced about for a moment to limber up his legs, and then, stepping out into the inclosure across which the net was placed, he slipped off his silk jacket, produced a little cube, into which was inserted a rim of feathers, and tossed it in the air. When it came diving forward, with bullet-like directness, he caught it deftly on the end of his racquet and sent it into the air again.

A HOWLING SWELL OF HIGH ORDER.
The solitary young badminton player who was romping so joyously was a howling swell of a very high order. He didn't look like a man of great importance, but socially his position is enviable. A man who at the age of 28 spends \$60,000 a year without earning the reputation of being a spendthrift or a fool, must necessarily amount to something in the world of society. He seemed as happy as a clam at high tide, battling away there skillfully, when a brougham drove up to the door and a young woman and her maid bustled in to give a yell of greeting that was quite undignified, and reminded one strongly of a street Arab.

"Late again, Miss Agatha," he chirped happily. "Pon me soul it is quite heart-rending for a man of my conscientious and trustful nature to receive these disappointments every play-day."

"Indeed you are a paragon," said the girl, smiling brightly, and tossing her wraps to the maid. "It was the fault of mamma this morning. She was desperately blue when she got out of bed, and so she climbed back again. Then she insisted upon my reading to her until she felt more composed, and there you are."

She had scarcely finished speaking when there was a great chatter and hustle about, and a half-dozen people hurried in. Two of the girls were in full tennis rig, and when one of the men slipped off his long ulster he revealed the fact that he, too, had put on his play-day togs before starting from home.—Clara Belle in Cincinnati Enquirer.

Hot Water and Beefsteak Diet.
After a diet of six weeks upon hot water and beefsteak, a corpulent gentleman announces a remarkable change in mental and bodily condition. He is six inches less in girth, indigestion has vanished; he wears gloves and shoes a size smaller; he has lost the tendency to take cold, and his muscles are daily hardening.—Chicago Times.

Photographs of the Sun's Corona.
Photographs have been taken of the corona of the sun when the sun was visible. Heretofore they have only been secured when the sun was in eclipse.—Chicago Ledger.

A "S. P. C. B." Is the Latest Notion.
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