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Cuffing an Evil Doer.

All through the east it seems to be tacitly understood that everybody has a right to strike his inferiors, and that it would be unparliamentary presumption in the inferior to strike back.

Pastry as Wholesome as Toast.

People will eat hot buttered toast, and give it to children and invalids, who will tell you that they are quite careful about diet, and never think of touching pastry.

Rather Hard of Hearing.

"Carrie! Carrie! Come and see this pretty little ring with a stone in it Uncle George has brought you.

Telephones for Hospital Patients.

In some English hospitals telephones have been attached near the beds, enabling the patients, without any great exertion or derangement, to receive private messages from and to talk to their friends at a distance.

Scared by Rifle Balls.

Trees long retired the scars inflicted upon them by rifle balls, and trees are standing on the old Indian battle ground near Dawson, Ga., that still bear the scars of the rifle balls fired into them during the fight of July, 1836.

A Shining Example.

There seems to be a fascination about the newspaper business that some men cannot resist, although they may have to devote fourteen hours daily to work, and run in debt.

An Instructive Interpretation.

Sunday School Teacher—What does it mean, Johnny, in the prayer where it says, "Lead us not into temptation?"

For the Reading Room.

A motto suggested for the reading room of a popular library is: "Toile, aperit, recita, ne laedas, claude, reponet!"

A Masseuse's Experience.

A masseuse who has had considerable service in wealthy families, was heard to say that in many years she had administered massage to only one woman whose ribs were not displaced by corset wearing.

The phat fifty-four years Great Britain

has trebled her wealth, France has nearly quadrupled hers, while the United States since 1850 has multiplied in riches sixfold.

The human heart has to do as much work

in twenty-four hours as a machine would lift 125 tons of iron.

Paper treated with a mixture of camphor

oil and linseed oil becomes waterproof.

Queen Sophie, of Sweden, reads the newspapers from every European country

after breakfast each day. Queen Victoria is afflicted with insomnia. She is sometimes put to sleep by having her brows stroked gently with a camel's hair brush.

Mrs. Oscar Wilde is fond of yellowish green—not to say greenery yallery—gowns, and looks charming in them.

Mrs. J. A. Ansley, of Decatur, Ga., has a pair of Indian moccasins donated to her grandfather by Gen. Andrew Jackson, who obtained them in Florida during some of the earlier conflicts of the government with the Seminole Indians.

Mme. Modjeska flew in the face of tradition at the Wallack testimonial performance in New York by going mad, as Ophelia, in a sage green gown. It is against all the customs of the stage, operatic or dramatic, for a mad scene to be enacted in any but white garments.

Ex-Queen Isabella, of Spain, who will visit England for the first time this season,

has an income of \$1,000,000 a year, but is always in debt. She maintains no house at Paris, but always resides at a hotel. She spends vast sums on horses. Her executive ability is clearly shown by the ease with which she constantly spends more than her enormous income amounts to.

Friends of Mrs. Gen. Logan say that she has recovered almost entirely from the effects of the accident by which she was thrown from her carriage. She will never be able, however, to raise her right hand above her head. She is bound up now in the completion of a memorial room in her house at Washington, in which she has brought together all the mementoes of her husband in her possession.

Women lawyers are becoming a power in the land.

Michigan university has already sent out twenty-four young women holding the degree of LL. D. This year a young woman from the Sandwich Islands, Miss Alma Hitchcock, will make the twenty-fifth. In England there is a club of woman lawyers. It is mainly a correspondence club, yearly letters from the members being printed and circulated. Mrs. Belva Lockwood and Miss Waugh, from the law school in Chicago, are among the members. The motto of the club is: "All the Allies of Each."

The trousseau of the future empress of China is a-making in Vienna.

The principal court dress is of very rich blue velvet. On the front there is an embroidered eagle, the wings of which are ornamented with over 300 small and five very large pearls. The hat to match this dress is of folded velvet; between the folds there are bows of diamonds, so that the head dress has the appearance of a diamond crown. There are besides three gala dresses made of Chinese satin, one of sky blue, one in purple blue and the third of a dark indigo shade. The fronts of these gowns are embellished with mottoes in the Chinese language, worked in gold. One has "Wan-fu" (eternal happiness), another "Wan-shou" (eternal life) and the third "Wan-car" (eternal love).

Imagines Himself a Teapot.

There passed Palatka not long ago a man of forty winters who was an object of pity, and yet, with all that, was somewhat amusing. He was sane on all subjects but one, and that—he imagined himself a teapot. He would put himself into the shape of a teapot by rounding one arm to represent the spout and the other to represent the handle. While in that shape he became very uneasy if any one came near, fearing they might break off the handle or spout. He would not speak, but would make a danger signal with his mouth to represent the escaping steam. Then he would walk around, sway to and fro among those about him, fully satisfied that he was a teapot.

Progress in the Indian School.

The Pipe of Peace reports great progress in the Genoa Indian school. A genuine native poet has matured seven stanzas on "The Horn," and turned them loose on the tribe. Seventy dresses and an equal number of skirts have been tucked away for the summer picnic season. The seventy girls in the school attend to their knitting with uncommon diligence, and boastfully declare that there is not a hole in the stocking of schoolboys, 100 in number.

Example of Conscientiousness.

The matron at Castle Garden has set a good example of conscientiousness by resigning her position because she had little to do beyond drawing her salary. Those who aim to work as little for as great pay as possible might be interested in this new interpretation of business.

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