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### YOUTH AND SANE LIVING.

Dr. James Martin Peebles got home the other day from his fourth trip around the world. He liked it so well that he is going to make another. The fact that he is 81 years old is simply an incident. It doesn't disturb this hearty, white-crested, athletic old fellow of Battle Creek, Mich.

He doesn't defy nature. He has not drunk from the fountain of perpetual youth.

He has lived like a sane man, refused to offer insults to the furnace of the body, the stomach, has worked hard and refused to worry very much.

He is a young man today. His back is straight, his eyes sparkle and when he shakes hands, you feel it.

He goes to bed early and arises early. He eats at regular hours—of simple food, walks a great deal and breathes as much fresh air as possible. He doesn't use tobacco or drink whisky.

That is the extent of Dr. James Martin Peebles' rule, and you can live them if you will. They don't hinder a man from carrying a load or keeping a set of books.

The fellows who do not have health, as a rule, do not deserve it.

On a street car two tired, dragged-out young men were talking. "I feel tough," said one. "For a week I haven't gotten to bed before 8 a. m."

"Me, too," said the other. "I must cut it out. I just hate my work. What were you doing?"

Oh, just bumming about town," said No. 1.

At 50, if they ever reach that milestone, what kind of men will those young fellows be?

Poor specimens—as poor as they are today, with a few aches and pains added. Stand them up beside men who have lived like Dr. Peebles, men who want to enjoy their manhood up to the last day, and they will look like pygmies.

There are people who think that in every public school there should be a department of health and sane living and that its teachings should be drilled into every pupil from kindergarten to graduation. The idea is good.

### THE RICHEST GIRL IN THE WORLD.

It is going to be interesting to see what Fraulein Krupp does with her wealth.

The daughter of the gunmaker of Essen is the wealthiest woman in the world today.

Three generations have been piling up money for her, and the result is a plant that has made 30,000 cannons for the czar alone and has armed nations.

Bertha Krupp, a girl not yet of age, employs thousands of men, and has more power for good or ill than most kings.

What will she do with it?

There was a time when the world would have said to her: "Get a husband. What has a woman to do with the making of cannon? How can a concern prosper under petticoat government? Give your property, your heart and the control of your affairs to a man, and stick to home and domesticity. That is your sphere."

But now it is different.

The woman has proved that she can do all things well. She has stood shoulder to shoulder with the man in business, in politics, in professional life, and maintained her individuality and efficiency. She has proved that there is no sex in brains.

It will not be astonishing if Miss Krupp, some day, takes personal charge of the \$75,000,000 Krupp plant, and adds to its fame and prosperity by her wisdom and force of character. If cannon must be made, why shouldn't a woman make them?

And it will not be strange if, in the course of human events, a man with a heart full of love shall appear in the dreams of the gunmaker's daughter, and so fill her heart and her life that she will gladly bid good-by to fame and business, and find contentment and happiness in a husband's home.

When a woman loves well and deeply she doesn't count cost. She only wants to be happy.

Let's see what Bertha Krupp will do.

### DEATH OF THE BOYS' FRIEND.

In the passing of George A. Henty the boys of England and America lost a friend. He was 70 years old and had written 70 books. He served in the Crimean war, was a friend of King Edward and knew what boys like.

Of course, if you want to criticize closely you will say that there is a deadly sameness in Henty's books. There is always some fighting and thrills and the hero invariably marries the right girl in the closing chapter.

Why not?

In all of Henty's books virtue triumphs over villainy. The lad who is misunderstood and imposed upon rises by his own efforts and conquers destiny. The Henty books make pluck. They appeal to the aggressiveness in youth. They sing the lazy fellow to ambition. In a way they are good sermons, vigorous and heart-reaching.

Henty has done much for the boys of the world.

## COUNCILMAN FOSTER TELLS OF LILIENTHAL

It was rumored yesterday that Alderman Foster was looking for Mr. Lilienthal in order to bring the commissioner to task for some derogatory remarks that he is said to have passed.

The rumor gained current so rapidly that several people congregated around the city hall for about 20 minutes to witness the meeting of the two officials, but the case did not turn out as disastrously as was anticipated.

On being interviewed by a Press reporter Mr. Foster stated that the report was without foundation. "I proposes to go beyond his duty we don't want anything whatsoever to do with that gentleman," said the alderman. "He is trying to pose around here as a great reformer, but the reformations that he will be responsible for will never amount to much. He declares that he will have nothing more to do with the city council, and I can assure you that the city council is not desirous of retaining Mr. Lilienthal's friendship while he continues to act as he has been doing.

"Of course, the commissioner has done some good things. He is not a bad man altogether, but when he proposes to go beyond his duty we mean to call him to his senses."

## FROM HOUSEMAID TO ACTRESS AND ROTHCHILD FAVORITE.



MME. HELENE ODILON.

VIENNA, Dec. 11.—High pressure has marked the career of Mme. Helene Odillon, now the wife of a Hungarian nobleman. She sprang from an obscure housemaid onto the footlights with a bound. She soon became the wife of a popular actor, Girardi. Tiring of him, she and her lover, Baron Albert Rothschild, it is charged, attempted to kidnap her on the streets of Vienna for the purpose of confining him in a madhouse. The project, which failed, created immense excitement in December, 1896. She afterward divorced Girardi. She has a house and jewelry of fabulous value given her by Rothschild. She remains the most popular actress at the Vienna Volkstheater. She has toured in America.

### IN WOYDT'S HANDS.

The newly drafted ordinance regarding the revocation of the licenses of undesirable saloons, which Corporation Counsel Judson drew up, is in the hands of Councilman Woydt, chairman of the judiciary committee.

### TAILOR-MADE GOWN.



The fetching charm of this tailor-made costume is due to its collar, which is of velvet with appliques of cream lace. It is trimmed with black Persian lamb and a cluster of black silk tassels fasten it at the corsage. The material of the gown is hunter's green broadcloth.

## BAD INDIAN.

Louie Peone, Indian, was turned over to the jailer at headquarters by the Indian police. Louie is a bad red man who is being taken back to the reserve.

### DOUBLE NUPTIALS.

An elaborate wedding took place last evening at All Saints' cathedral and Spokane society attended in force, the occasion being the nuptials of Misses Margaret Lucille and Laura Elsie Nash, daughters of Judge L. B. Nash, to Paul T. Van Ness and Thomas Henry Jones respectively.

The Very Rev. Dean Perine conducted the service. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couples drove to Mr. and Mrs. Horace Kimball's residence, where a reception was given in their honor.

### INTERESTING ADDRESS.

At the meeting of the Joan of Arc lodge of the Catholic Order of Foresters, Mrs. F. Schmidt presented her report as delegate to the national convention held recently in Chicago.

Those who listened to Mrs. Schmidt's remarks say that a more interesting address was never before delivered in the lodge.

Salinas, Cal.—A tramp brutally assaulted Simon Graves, a prominent farmer, his wife, George Allen, a 14-year-old boy, and George Albright, a farm hand. Allen and Albright will die. The weapon used was a hatchet.

## ATHLETIC CLUB SHOWS REMARKABLE GROWTH

Just six years ago the Spokane Amateur Athletic club came into existence. In 1892 an organization of 15 wheelmen banded together as the Spokane Wheel club. W. G. Webb was its president and meetings were held in the tower of the Review building and afterward in the basement of the Western Union office in Temple Court.

The wheel club finally united with a billiard club and in a short time these were merged into an athletic club bearing the name of the present organization. This was in '98.

Frank Smith was made first president of the club and ruled through two years of prosperity. Then Al Ware, who has served for the past four years, took the reins, and his term has been decidedly prosperous and the club now has a reputation as a model organization.

Ike Cornthwait was the first manager, being succeeded by Al Moorman. The present manager is Frank Arnold, who is ably assisted by Eddie Quinn.

The club started with a membership of 49. Within two months the number was swelled to 300.

Through the kindness of John A. Finch the present quarters were

## MINING.

The famous Morning mine of the Coeur d'Alene district has resumed operations with a full crew of men.

Work has been resumed on the Walter Scott property near Northport. It had been idle for two months.

Dan Sieger of this city has sold his half interest in the Gold Bricks claim, near Murray, Idaho, to the Golden Chest Mining company.

The Homestake property in Evans Creek district, nine miles from Grant's Pass, Ore., has been bonded to an eastern syndicate for \$8000.

The Hampton mine in the Shoshone county during the week shipped 400 tons of ore to the Nelson (S. O.) smelter. The returns were phenomenally high.

The Banner and Bangs Mining company of Troy, Mont., has bonded its claims for one year to Larson & Greenough. The ores are silver, lead and zinc.

The new 20-stamp mill of the Greenback mine of Graves Creek district in Oregon is now completed and the property has added to the number of men employed and work is going on very satisfactorily.

The Tacoma Smelting company is defendant in a \$20,000 damage suit brought by Mrs. Catherine McLaughlin in the superior court at Tacoma. Mrs. McLaughlin sues for the death of her husband, who fell down an elevator shaft.

The first payment has been made on 1000 acres of placer ground on upper Libby creek by the Libby Placer company. An option was given to the new company a year ago for \$100,000 for three years, payable in yearly instalments.

The concentration plant being erected by the California company in the Cable Grove district of Oregon is nearly completed. A rich strike has been made in the Cove district on the Red Cliff mine. A contract was recently let to run a 1000-foot tunnel and a fine ledge has been encountered in drifting.

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8:45	EXPRESS—For Farmington, Colfax, Pullman, Moscow, Lewiston, Portland, San Francisco, Baker City, and all points EAST.	9:50
9:45	EXPRESS—From all points EAST to Spokane, Colfax, Gardfield and Farmington.	A. M.

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## TOYS THAT GO WILL BE ALL THE GO THIS YEAR.

FLYING MACHINES, AUTOMOBILES, BIRDS THAT FLY, WALKING CAMELS AND THE LIKE ARE LEADERS.

PARIS, Dec. 11.—The dreams that come from toyland seem to follow closely in the wake of the brains of scientific, commercial and industrial geniuses, at least that is the indication, judging from the style of children's playthings which the toymakers of Paris are putting on the market for the Christmas trade of 1902.

Every toy now turned out may be classed as strictly up-to-date, and as Paris supplies the world's toy market, the revolution in these trinkets here is interesting to note.

The old-fashioned toy tin horse that was pulled by a string, and never would move unless its master, the little boy, would pull it around, has been relegated. So has the doll with the painted face, that could not close its eyes or cry when put to bed.

The marked change in the nature of the toys is to make them automatic and supply their own power. Things that go are all the rage. Whenever a toy can be made to

carry hidden machinery that can be wound up and make the mechanical contrivance go through life-like evolutions, it is done, and these toys, the makers have learned, are the ones that appeal to the progressive youngsters of today.

The most popular toys, like the most popular inventions in the field of science today, are the automobile and the airship.

Autos of the type of the French racing machine and of the American patterns, with an automatic caufeur in the seat, are having the best showing among the advance orders, while air machines that will go whirling across the room like veritable Santos-Dumont affairs, are bound to have a universal vogue. Birds that fly, windmills that grind real corn, fish that swim, roosters that crow, camels that walk, acrobats that lift heavy weights and jow for applause, and tricycles ridden by animal figures are among some of the interesting contributions to the wonders of toydom this season.