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A large audience greeted Mr. and Mrs. Russell at St. Mary's Hall last night and enjoyed the performance. Quite a neat sum of money was raised for the benefit of the church.

Mrs. R. P. Rubin, Mrs. Moran, N. D. Malolan, Jr., N. Y.; D. R. Brown and son, Pittsburg; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ryce, Mrs. A. E. Ryce, Escambia, Mich. are guests of The Des Pland.

Mrs. L. O. Rawson had the fire engine out yesterday afternoon, sprinkling the street and park in front of her residence on South Beach street. Many places need it far worse.

J. P. Browning, who has charge of building the new road south of Port Orange, brought up three enormous oyster shells picked at random from the big shell mound which has recently been opened up. Two of these shells are long and narrow and will measure 2 1/2 by 2 inches, while the other one is fully 3 inches each way. Mr. Browning says the shell mound is fully a mile long and has been opened up to a depth of 20 feet, how much deeper it goes he has no idea.

Freights May Be Cut.

The recent decision of the Florida Railroad Commission, which body has ordered a sweeping reduction in railroad tariff rates of freights, is considered a signal victory for the interior cities which did not enjoy the competition which seaboard towns with their steamer lines offered. For the past two years this matter has been under consideration, the dealers in those sections claiming that they were unjustly taxed with high rates. This move on the part of the commissioners is accepted with pleasure by the wholesale houses. It is likely to cause a call in the northern bound freights as the reduced rates from Cuba have tended to cause the shipments of freight from that place by a part steamboat transportation into the Florida shipments—Palm Beach News.

Frank Croker Left Fortune.

Frank Croker, killed in the automobile accident on the beach near Ormond a week ago, at the age of 27 years had piled up a fortune of \$1,000,000.

This fortune he made out of the Roebbing Roofing Company, at the same time managing all the business affairs in this country of his father. That he had made so much money on his own account was unknown even to Tammany men until John Fox, president of the Democratic Club and an intimate friend of young Croker, announced it last Saturday in New York.

"Fox men know," said Mr. Fox, "that Frank left a large private fortune. He was the active head of the Roebbing Roofing Company, with offices in the Flatiron building, and it was through his energy that the business was such a profitable one."

"I am reliably informed that he had made a fortune of \$1,000,000. The company has outstanding contracts for roofing on a large scale all over the country. Every cent of this fortune was made by Frank Croker himself, without aid from his father, and is a splendid memorial of what a young man of 27 can do, provided he applies himself to business."

The connection of Frank Croker with the Roebbing concern was one of the matters about which Richard Croker was questioned before the Muzet committee, an effort being made to show that the company had been shown favors by the Van Wyck administration. Richard Croker resented the implication, and one of his bitterest complaints against New York was that his sons could not go into business "without being hounded," as he put it.

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High School Items.

Next Friday is election of officers in Parliamentary Club and its high time the candidates were in the field advocating their merits.

Examinations are over once more and only the other fellow failed.

When we had \$50 in our High School treasury, we knew what to do with it, but now that we have only \$3 we are torn with devers' desires.

Write up your ad for the club paper.

Did we hear any one talking about that new school building for next year?

Motor Boat Races.

Trophies of beauty and great value will be contested for by the owners of motor boats as well as those who have fast boats in other classes at Palm Beach today. In one of the large show windows of Greenleaf & Crosby Company there is an exhibit of some of the magnificent cups. Several of the owners of boats have offered handsome loving cups of rare beauty, design and skill in silversmith's art.

The wharf at the Royal Poinciana grounds has been enlarged and improved and will be one of the important vantage points during the races. There will be tiers of elevated platforms on which will be grouped lawn benches.

The decorations of boats of all classes will add much grandeur and color to the events, each day's parade to be a panorama of beauty.

To accommodate the large crowd of patrons from the hotels provisions have been made by having auxiliary launches and boats from abroad, while there will be ample facilities for witnessing the races.

The houseboats will be in line with pretty decorations and will form a leading attraction, as they are so susceptible of elaborate treatment at the hands of the artistic decorators. Some of these boats will be floating gardens and at night they will be decorated with electric lights and many pretty and gorgeous Japanese lanterns.

SI Plunkard.

The rural Yankee comedy of the above name will be at the opera house Friday next. The comedy is in four acts, the scenes of which are laid in and around the New England country and New York City. The central figure of course is "SI Plunkard," a young Yankee farmer,

which part is looked after by Mr. J. C. Lewis.

Some of the leading characters seen may be mentioned: Dora Page, a young country lass in love with Si; Felix Smart, an inventive Dutchman; Robert Denny, a bogus stock speculator; Ezra Plunkard, an honest old farmer who does not understand speculation; and numerous country friends of the Plunkard family. The performance includes many specialties of an original and novel character by a company of comedians and the grand orchestra carried by the company will render the latest musical selections between the acts.

State Items

Lake City and Miami have refused to grant franchises to opposition telephone companies.

Watch for Florida's calamity liar.

W. Gould Brokaw's launch Challenge was slightly damaged while being launched to take part in the races at Palm Beach.

Entries for the Palm Beach races closed today. Over 60 boats are entered.

Tampa shipped 2,565,000 cigars for the week ending January 11.

Apalachicola ships more oysters than any other point in the State.

Lee county has shipped over 100,000 boxes of oranges, or over 25,000 more than ever before in one season.

The total number of boxes of oranges shipped from Zolfo this season is in the neighborhood of 83,000 or about 10,000 boxes more than last season.

The President has sent to the Senate the nomination of W. C. Eddy as postmaster at DeFuniak Springs, and Alexander Zipperer as postmaster at Madison.

Automobile Superstition.

The automobile is such a modern institution that it is hardly possible to imagine superstition being already connected with it. Among modern car drivers in England, however, there is a curious survival of an old bit of folklore. In many cars is suspended a perforated stone, usually a sea rolled flint with a natural bore. This stone is supposed to act as a protective amulet. To be efficacious in warding off evil the hole must be naturally or, as some people maintain, supernaturally forced, not artificially bored. Belief in this stone's power is widespread. It is supposed to confer safety on the fastest traveling motor car, and there is many a speedy driver who in his heart ascribes his immunity from accident to the strange power of the perforated pebble.

Her Worst Fear.

Willie—Oh, mamma, that cook par sent has red hair, scars all over her face, a breath that smells like whisky. She looks awful mad and says she wants to see you.

Mrs. Slimson—Oh, dear, I'm afraid she isn't going to stay!—Brooklyn Life.

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Women Who Marry Men to Reform Them

By Mrs. FRANK LESLIE



REFORMED rake makes the best of husbands," is an old saying and, like many other time honored assertions, is simply a VENERABLE fraud, and again, like many other often exposed frauds, it is just as effective for MISCHIEF today as when it started out in life, perhaps in the days of Cain, who may have been taken in hand by some antediluvian enthusiast who preferred the honor of converting him to the monotonous contemplation of Abel's virtues.

Generations on generations of women have tried the experiment and failed in it, but the generation of today is pursuing it with just the same credulous belief in its own powers that has led its predecessors astray, and THE RESULT IN THIS CASE WILL BE THE SAME AS IN THAT, just as thrusting the hand into the fire today burns in quite the same way that it did when Joan of Arc perished in the flames because she thought she could reform Charles VII. and his France.

One very singular point in this repetition of history is that men pick up the very same blunt old weapon that their fathers have thrown aside, and use it with exactly the same success as if it had been forged for their personal use and under their own patent, while the woman, accepting the man AT HIS OWN VALUATION, enters with the ardor of a discoverer or an inventor upon the well worn path of defeat and travels it to the very same bitter end achieved by thousands of women before her, and even then it is not often that she recognizes the fact that she has only been repeating history and has not the very LEAST LITTLE CLAIM to originality either in the idea of the campaign or in its disaster.

A BAD MAN IS IN SOME RESPECTS LIKE A BAD BOOK. YOU STUDY THE ONE OR THE OTHER, YOU ARE ALTOGETHER SHOCKED AND REPELLED, AND AT THE END YOU THROW THE BOOK ASIDE, BUT YOU CANNOT BY A MERE EFFORT OF WILL FORGET ALL THAT YOU HAVE READ. CERTAIN SCENES, CERTAIN PHRASES, CERTAIN DISCOVERIES OF HITHERTO UNSUSPECTED FORMS OF VICE, REMAIN IN YOUR MIND IN SPITE OF EVERY EFFORT, AND LIFE IS NEVER QUITE THE SAME AS WHILE YOU WERE IGNORANT OF THESE BLOTS UPON HUMANITY.

And in the end? Far be it from me to say that no bad man was ever reformed or that never a sinner has become a saint since the days of Peter and of Mary Magdalene, nor do I deny that many a man has been helped in his efforts at rehabilitation BY THE INFLUENCE OF THE WOMAN HE LOVED, but what I do most emphatically deny is that any woman can reform a man unless he earnestly wishes to be reformed. The cure must work from the inside out to the surface and cannot be spread over the outside with any hope of a RADICAL cure.

In other words, THE MAN MUST REFORM HIMSELF, and the woman may help him and make the process easier and more hopeful and comfortable, and in the end bestow the reward of her confidence and approval, but such a triumph as this has its foundations far below the flowery surface of sentiment, or the futile and foolish effort to muzzle a wild beast with a sash ribbon, or to cover unclean depths with a silken mantle and HIDE THEIR ODOORS by sprinkling it with attar of roses.

Fire Under Water.

Fire under water may be produced by placing some small pieces of phosphorus in a conical shaped tumbler and then covering them with the crystals of chlorate of potash. Next fill the glass with water and then add a few drops of sulphuric acid, the acid to be applied directly to the phosphorus and potash crystals by means of a long tube. If the experiment is properly carried out tongues of bright red flame can be seen flashing up through the water, the intense chemical heat produced by the action of the sulphuric acid on the potash and phosphorus being sufficient to inflame the latter, although entirely covered with water.

A Great Difference.

At a dinner given by Governor J. K. Vardaman of Mississippi the subject of toasts came up.

"A very good toast," said Governor Vardaman, "and one that comes home forcibly to all men in office, was once proposed by the learned Ashley Stockton of Montpelier. The occasion was a farewell banquet to the governor of Vermont, whose term of office was expiring."

"Here," said Ashley Stockton at this banquet, "is the health of all governors. They come in with a great deal of opposition, but they go out with none at all."

TRUE BLUE.

First Used as a Political Term by Scotch Presbyterians.

Blue is an emblem of fidelity, and in Britain for several centuries it has been so esteemed. Coventry was formerly famous for a blue dye that would neither change its color nor wash out, and thence the epithets "Coventry blue" and "true blue" were figuratively used to signify persons who would not change their party or principles on any consideration.

"True blue" is said to have been first used as a political term by the Presbyterians of Scotland against the Episcopal church. Butler, in "Hudibras," speaking of his hero, says:

For he was of that stubborn crew, Hight Presbyterian true blue.

Fox, we are told, wore in the house of commons a blue frock coat, and the expression "a true blue Whig" was in common use in his time, though, as one writer puts it, "blue must not be set down as emblematic of fidelity because this color was formerly adopted by the Whigs."—London Telegraph.

An Insinuation.

Miss Trill—I love to hear the birds sing. Jack Downright (warmly)—So do I. They never attempt a piece beyond their ability.



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