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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

L. S. Flournoy of Jolly Bay is registered at the Merchants to-day.

J. H. Fletcher, a prominent saw mill man of Andalusia, is a guest at the Merchants.

Wm. B. Farley of Marianna arrived here last night and registered at the Merchants.

R. M. Bushnell has been appointed by Governor Bloxham to be a notary public for the state at large.

M. Lindsey, a prominent saw mill man of Morriston, is in the city on business. He is a guest at the Merchants.

The dance and medal drill of the Chipley Light Infantry at the armory to-night should be liberally patronized.

The Heine orchestra will play at the Scandinavian church on South Palafox street tonight for the benefit of the sailors.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Torney of Birmingham arrived in the city last night on their bridal tour. They left this morning for Jacksonville, from whence they will go to St. Augustine and other southern cities.

IN MEMORIAM.

Resolutions Adopted by the Teachers of the City Schools.

Whereas, It has pleased God in his wisdom to remove from our loved friend and co-worker, Miss Helen M. Fisher, therefore be it

Resolved, by the body of teachers assembled, That we love to pay this tribute to her memory; Teachers and pupils have sustained a great loss. To her fellow teachers she was ever ready to offer sympathy and encouragement. Her pupils have lost a wise, kind and sympathetic teacher. If troubles of any kind came to her pupils, she pitied and encouraged them as would a gentle mother, while no pains were spared by her to instil into their minds principles of right.

Resolved, That while we deeply regret her early death, we rejoice in the thought that her sufferings are over and that "at evening time there was light."

Resolved, That we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family and intimate friends, assuring them that their grief is our own. We commend them to the mercy of God, who alone can comfort in this sad hour.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, and a copy sent for publication to each of the daily papers.

BESSIE E. SAMPEY,
ETHEL SUTER
BELLE NORTHINGTON,
Committee.

Mystery of the Rubber Bands.

A mackerel with a rubber band around its body was taken from a net at Provincetown by John P. Woods. Several mackerel handed in a similar manner were taken by net fishermen on the New England coast four or five years ago, and fishermen generally were puzzled to account for the band. That the bands were placed upon the fish when small was evident, for in every instance the rubber had sunk deeply into the body of the mackerel. The mackerel captured by Woods had worn its band for a long time, as evidenced by the depth of the fissure. When taken from the water, the body of the fish collapsed at the point encircled by the band, the upper end inclining at an angle with the tail portion, yet the skin was not broken.—Boston Globe

Duty Calls.

The duty calls of a man are much the same as the duty calls of a woman. With both sexes a call is obligatory after an evening party, a luncheon, a dinner, a supper, a theater party, and should be promptly made whether the invitation has been accepted or not. Personal calls must be paid the newly married, and should be made on their reception days, if they have sent out cards. A personal call is due the bride's parents if you have been invited to the wedding reception. A personal call should be made on a young lady and her mother after the announcement of the engagement of the former. After a death in the family of a friend a call should be made by intimate friends within ten days of the death. Those who are less intimate call within a month. Such calls mean simply the leaving of a card, and no effort is made to see the members of the family in mourning. After a long absence from home, friends, of course, call as soon as possible.—Leah Lanceford in Woman's Home Companion.

Paper That Will Not Burn.

It has been found possible to make a thin, smooth and strong paper of asbestus, which can be employed in the manufacture of paper lanterns and other articles which need to be at the same time light and fireproof. The asbestus paper can also be made waterproof. It is prepared with the same machinery used for making ordinary paper.—Youth's Companion.

The Boers' Advantage.

The ability of a race of brave marksmen, behind intrenchments, to make a formidable resistance to assault by the very best veteran soldiery is a fact familiar to all persons of historical intelligence. The repulse of the British regulars twice by our embattled farmers' line at Bunker Hill; the dreadful repuse of Wellington's seasoned "Peninsular war" veterans, 14,000 strong, under Pakenham, by 5,000 Kentucky and Tennessee hunters and Indian fighters at New Orleans; the destruction wrought by Hofer and his riflemen in the ranks of Marshal Lefebre's corps of Napoleon's army in the defiles of the Tyrolese mountains; the successful resistance to the Russian army offered by the Turks under English officers at Plevna, are cases in point.—Portland Oregonian.

Evanescence.

"You haven't had any lynchings in a good while," said the visitor at Crimson Gulch.

"No," answered Broncho Bob nonchalantly. "All these here fads seem to die out sooner or later."—Washington Star.

If He'd Only Go.

Mrs. Gabbie—I'm surprised to hear you're having trouble to get money out of Mr. Starboard. He always boasted that he paid as he went.

Mrs. Bordem. Maybe he does, but I can't get him to go.—Philadelphia Press.

Taken at Her Word.

Hans objects to eating his soup.

"Many a poor boy," says his mother, "would be glad if he had only half of that soup."

"So would I," replied Hans.—Fliegende Blatter.

Overdoing It.

He (fishing for loving protestations)—My angel, I do not believe I am worthy to be your husband.

She (thoughtfully)—That's just what my mother says. New York Weekly

A Common Form of Cruelty.

"Yes, he claimed his wife pinched him severely whenever she asked him for money."

"Well, he needn't flatter himself that he is the only man who has been pinched for money."—Cleveland Plain Dealer

MAN AND HIS MONEY.

THE VARIOUS WAYS IN WHICH BILLS ARE CARRIED.

How the Man Who Uses a Rubber Band Around His Wad Fixes Up His Roll—Coin Cranks, Who Like to Handle New Money—Wealth In Every Pocket.

A great many men have cranky ideas about preparing their bills for ready handling. One plan is to fold each bill separately, keeping the denominations apart in the various divisions of their pocketbooks. This method facilitates the search for the desired sum when making a purchase. This is almost a sure guard against passing out a bill of the wrong denomination.

Then there are men who make a neat roll of all their bills. The first is rolled by itself to about the size of a lead pencil, the next is lapped about it, and so on to the end. Then a rubber band is placed about the entire lot. When it is desired to use one of the bills, the rubber is removed and the end of the first bill caught between the thumb and forefinger of the right hand while the roll is held between the thumb and forefinger of the left hand. Then the bill is quickly unwound, none of the others being disturbed.

A great many men never carry a pocketbook. One reason for this is that a well worn purse more easily slips from the pocket than a roll of bills. Then, again, the bulk of a pocketbook is annoying. It takes up too much room, especially where the pantaloons are made snug. When pocketbooks are not carried, a favorite receptacle is the watch pocket. When this is used, the bills are made up into a little, hard bunch. Their presence is always felt against the body. In a crowd there is no danger of losing them, and when traveling with any considerable sum this is a safe depository.

Some men have a fad of carrying a lot of new bills in an envelope that is kept in one of the inside pockets. Now and then a man is found who keeps a few bills in every pocket. He goes on the theory that if he is robbed of one lot a sufficient amount will remain to last him until he reaches home. He starts out feeling that he is going to be robbed and makes provision to meet every possible emergency. He usually makes three folds of his bills and tucks them away in the corners of his pockets with extreme care. He does not feel surprised if he finds upon making an inventory after arriving home that a part of his funds has disappeared, as he expected to be robbed.

Any number of men are found who keep only a little working capital in their trousers pockets, the bulk of their funds being concealed in broad, flat wallets in the inside pocket of their waistcoats. These bills are always of large denominations and folded once. When a man brings forth his reserve funds, it will be found that all the bills have a smooth, bright appearance. They have been with him so long that they are as flat as a sheet from a letter press.

Very few men in this country carry coins in purses. In England purses are common. The material is generally pigskin, but undressed kid is also used extensively. The former have two compartments, one for small gold coins and the other for silver. It is sometimes amusing to watch a man with a little undressed kid bag pay his fare on the street cars, especially if he is wearing thick dogskin gloves. Only conductors with great patience can watch the proceeding with complacency. A woman can pick out five pennies from beneath a roll of bills in considerably less time than it takes the man with the kid purse to bring forth a nickel. One reason that the kid purse is not popular is because it feels like the half of a small dumbbell in the pocket when fairly well filled. In London it is the proper thing to carry a pigskin owing to the large circulation of sovereigns. It is essential to keep the gold and silver separate in order to avoid mistakes.

There are coin cranks as well as paper money cranks. Some years ago there lived a little, round faced man over in the Back Bay who came into the business district every week day morning at precisely 9 o'clock. In paying his fare he always passed up a bright, new nickel that looked as if it had come to him fresh from the mint. Where or how he got them was a mystery to the conductor, but he finally decided that his customer was connected with some banking institution and that the new money was used to escape the chances of contracting disease through the handling of money that had been in common use.

There are any number of people who cannot let go a new coin without experiencing a pang. They will hold on to a new half dollar until the last extremity. Then there are those who visit the subtreasury every few days and get a pocketful of new 10 cent pieces. They experience a special delight in passing them out, as they feel that those who receive them will wonder "who that man is."—Boston Herald.

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