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Austin Ed Stella.
Boyd, Tom, Somerset.
Beard, Zuenna, Somerset.
Brown, Wm., Somerset.
Brown, Frank, Somerset.
Broadway, Pearl Somerset.
Bloomer, Alex, Somerset.
Banks, Clarence, Somerset.
Baldwin, Tom, Woodburn.
Brown, A. S., E. Clifton.
Boyd, Ed, Stella.
Brown, Mose, Afton.
Collins, Arthur, Somerset.
Chapman, Monroe, Somerset.
Chase, Jerry, Somerset.
Chase, Ed, Somerset.
Clark, Henry, Somerset.
Campbell, Lee, Somerset.
Collins, Scott, Somerset.
Collins Rube, Somerset.
Carter, James, E. Clifton.
Chester, Peter, Nebraska.
Degrate, Jesse, Somerset.
Davis, Jeff, Somerset.
Davis, Wm., Somerset.
Davis, Willis, Somerset.
Davis, Louis, Somerset.
Davis, Dave, Somerset.
Daniels, George, Somerset.
Douglass, Willie, Somerset.
Dotson, Sam, Woodburn.
Dixon, Jno., Woodburn.
Edwards, Ben, Somerset.
Evans, W. J., Woodburn.
Evans, Chas., Afton.
Forbs, Peter, Somerset.
Flowers, Judge, Somerset.
Franklin, Ben, Somerset.
Gibson, W. S., Somerset.
Green, Festus, Somerset.
Gillespie, Robt., Somerset.
Gaines, Parker, Woodburn.
Hamer, W. D., Somerset.
Harris, Jake, Somerset.
Henderson, Horace, Somerset.
Harper, Wm., Somerset.
Harper, Henry, Somerset.
Hines, Wm., Somerset.
Henderson, Cent, Ion.
Hall, Louis, Stelia.
Harris, Allen, Stelia.
Hampton, Ozark, Afton.
Henderson, Gordon, Afton.
Hollis, James, Afton.
Howard, Judge, Nebraska.
Isaacs, Jno., Somerset.
James, Clarence, Somerset.
James, Hugh T., Somerset.
Johnson, Lot, Somerset.
Jones, Mose, Woodburn.
Kinstra Steve, Somerset.
Knight, Joe, Somerset.
Littleton, Ross., Somerset.
Littleton, Jno., Somerset.
Lawson, Jim, Somerset.
Lane, Powell Somerset.
Lot Richard, Somerset.
Lakes, Maxwell, Somerset.
Long, Richard, Somerset.
Moseby, Junius, Somerset.
Middleton, Ulis, Somerset.
Marshall, Lige, Somerset.
Marshall, Chas, Afton.
Newman, Josh, Somerset.
Nichols, Andrew, Somerset.
Nesby, Isaac, Nebraska.
Nelson, Mose E. Clifton.
O'Kelley, D. H., Somerset.
Patterson, Vance, Somerset.
Prince, Ricahrd, Somerset.
Patterson, Alonzo, Afton.
Rodgers, Joe, Somerset.
Riggs, Peter, Somerset.
Riley, Joe, Somerset.
Rodgers, Squire, Somerset.
Riggs, Arthur, Somerset.
Rose, Kyle, Stelia.
Redmond, Aaron, Stelia.
Robinson, Jas. Hapaka.
Sanders, Watson, Somerset.
Shepherd, Martin, Somerset.
Sullivan, Wm., Somerset.
Shad, Ned, Somerset.
Sutton, Alonzo, Somerset.
Sanders, Aaron Somerset.
Smith, Robt., Woodburn.
Senis, Lane, Stelia.
Thompson, Ed, Somerset.
Thomas, Jake, Nebraska.
Thomas, Alex, Afton.
Thornton, Jno., E. Clifton.
Turner, Doc., Richland.
Williams, Clem, Somerset.
Williams, Joe, Somerset.
Witherspoon, Oscar, Somerset.
Wade, Jim, Woodburn.
Wilson, Jim, Squedunk.
Wise, L., Stelia.
Williams, Eph., Leona.
Williams, Richard, Afton.
Worthy, Doc., Afton.
Winfield, Bell., Afton.
Webster, Jake, Afton.
White, Albert, Afton.
White, Reuben, Afton.
Young, Chas., Somerset.

SIXTH WARD.

Arnell, Ed, Barcelona.
Allen, Henry, Waterproof.
Allen, Ed, Shanty.
Anderson, Ed, Donegal.
Adams, Sam, Melwood.
Adams, Goldman, Midway.
Adams, Henry, Sr., Charlton Hall.
Adams, Lucien, Charlton Hall.
Adams, Henry, Jr., Charlton Hall.
Addison, Henry, Waterproof.
Alexander, West, Waterproof.
Brown, Ed, Locust Ridge.
Barber, Eddie, Miller Field.
Bailey, Wm., Myrtle Grove.
Blake, David, Crescent Home.
Brown, Jerry, Bombay.
Blackman, Mark, Midway.
Brooks, Richard, Midway.
Bell Dennis, Midway.
Brown, Obediah, Newfoundland
Blair, Ike, Newfoundland.
Bates, Henry, Fish Pond.
Brown, Wm. Waterproof.
Barber, Mark, Waterproof.
Bell, Antony Waterproof.
Beverly, Chas., Bantz.
Buckner, Robt., Consuello.
Buckner, Gibson, Consuello.
Bowman, Ed Jr., Arcola.
Carroll, David, Newfoundland.
Carroll, Nat, Teacony.
Carroll, Walker, Midway.
Cole, Tom, Bombay.
Campbell, Fred, Caroline.
Clay, Buck, Melwood.
Carter, Ben, Moro.
Carter Wash, Moro.
Carodine, Ben, Consuello.
Campbell, Felden, Waterproof.
Cambridge, Willie, Providence.
Congo, Albert, Providence.
Dreyfus, Norman, Waterproof.
Davis, Jeff Waterproof.
Dagg, George, Melwood.
Davis, Oscar, Moro.
Davis, Lee, Argyle.
Davis, Ed, Argyle.
Davis, Alf., Newfoundland.
Davis, Will, Newfoundland.
Delmo, Will, St. Jos.
Dixon, Zack, Holly Park.
Evans, Chas., Argyle.
Evans, George, Argyle.
Evans, Mack, Melwood.
Early, Chas., Waterproof.
Elliott, Dan, Barcelona.
Foster, Jim, St. Peter.
Foley, Stuart, Holly Park.
Ford, Clinton, Newfoundland.
Ford, James, Melwood.
Freeman, Geo., Aqueena.
Forrest, Milton, Barcelona.
Glasscock, Will, Waterproof.
Giles, Guy, Barcelona.
Goldman, Thurston, Teacony.
Grandison, Chas., Newfoundland.
Ganies, Josh, Newfoundland.
Grayham, Anusted, Moro.
Green, Jake, Consuello.
Holmes, London, Argyle.
Hilton, Louis, Providence.
Hill, Mose, Providence.
Harper, Abe, Aqucena.
Hunter, Wm., Bantz.
Hawkins, Noah, Barcelona.
Hall, Dan, St. Peter.
Hines, Warren, Consuello.
Humphries, Tom, Fish Pond.
Hines, Chas., Midway.
Hardman, Geo., Waterproof.
Holmes, Ed, Waterproof.
Humphries, Henry, Waterproof.
Hines, Dason, Myrtle Grove.
Harris, Geo., Locust Ridge.
Harden, Frank, Newfoundland.
Henderson, Ananias, Newfoundland.
Hayde, Willis, Bombay.
Hill, Willie, Bombay.
Holmes, Jno., Bombay.
Hudson, Monroe, Moro.
Ireland, Arthur, Waterproof.
Jackson, Anderson, Aqucena.
Jackson, Richard, Aqucena.
Jefferson, Jake, Midway.
Jones, D. C., Bantz.
Jones, Jake, St. John.
Jacobs, Geo., Teacony.
Jackson, Beverly, Argyle.
Jackson, Jesse, Argyle.
Jackson, Jake, Crescent House.
Jackson, Howard, Waterproof.
Jones, Will, Waterproof.
Johnson, Henry 2, Myrtle Grove.
Johnson, Henry, Myrtle Grove.
Johnson, Isaiah, Waterproof.
Jenkins, London, Waterproof.
Johnson, Lutsey, Waterproof.
Jones, Chas. Waterproof.
Jackson, Henry, Waterproof.
Johnson, West, Waterproof.
Jones, Taylor, Waterproof.
Jackson, Sam, Barcelona.
Johnson, Ernest, St. Peter.
Johnson Roy St. Peter.
Knox, Israel, Miller Field.
Kitchens, Mose, Clinton Hall.
Knapper, Jno., Caroline.
Kauffman, M. S., Waterproof.
Lightfoot, Mat, Moro.
Lightfoot, Sam Moro.
Lewis, Tom, Newfoundland.
Lewis, Richard Mrytle Grove.
Loyd Robert Bombay.
Lamb J. R. Locust Ridge.
Moore Sandy Caroline.
McFerguson Pleas Bantz.
McGraw Gen. Bombay.
Miller Barnette Aqucena.
Moss, Sam, Aqucena.
Mitchell, Henry, Newfoundland.
McTier, Jesse, Newfoundland.
Marshall, Dave, Myrtle Grove.
Miles, Sam, Myrtle Grove.
May, H. W., Waterproof.
Marks, Henry, Waterproo.
Marks Abe Waterprof.
Marron J. E. Waterproof.
Marron Emmitt Waterproof.
McTee, Will, Waterproof.
Montgomery, Dr., J. N., Argyle.
Mason, Tom, Teacony.
Mathews, Mose, Goldman.
Norris, Geo., Midway.
Nelson, Jesse, Donegal.
Nelson, Chas., Waterproof.
Nelson, Elias, Waterproof.
Nelson, Wallace Myrtle Grove.
Nelson, Wm., Waterproof.
Price, Milton, Barcelona.
Nelson Henry, Barcelona.
Perkins, Cap, Myrtle Grove.
Perry, Dave, Waterproof.
Postlewaite, Andrew, Waterproof.
Perkins, Allen, Waterproof.
Parker, Phil, Waterproof.
Parks, Willis, Midway.
Parks, Ike, Midway.
Postlewaite, Link, Midway.
Pearce, Steve, Argyle.
Pearce, Ben, Argyle.
Prayter, Norris Melwood.
Pennington, Israel, Melwood.
Robinson, Lee, Melwood.
Robison, Willie, Melwood.
Rollins, Ed Jr., Teacony.
Red, Chas., Waterproof.
Reynolds, Alf., Myrtle Greve.
Ribbler, Nat, Bantz.
Ribbler, Chas., Bantz.
Scott, Floyd, Barcelona.
Sprague, Mat, Euola.
Scott, Jerry, Myrtle Grove.
Scott, Jno., Waterproof.
Simpson, Guy, Waterproof.
Skinner, Steve, Waterproof.
Scott, Tom Teacony.
Smith Brice, Teacony.
Smith, Josh, Caroline.
Strange, Wm., Providence.
Smith Tom, New Hope.
Snowden, Isaiah, Bombay.
Scott, Henry, St. John.
Stafford, Tobe, Bantz.
Shaw, Robt., Locust Ridge.
Turner, Isaiah, Milwood.
Turner, Chas., Locust Ridge.
Truman, Jno., Barcelona.
Thomas, Dave, Bombay.
Tresvan, Bolden, Bombay.
Valentine, Henry, Euola.
Williams, Jno., St. Peter.
Washington, Gilbert, Mrytle Grove.
Washingtonfi Shed, Myrtle Grove.
Washington, Ben, Myrtle Grove.
Washington Womack, M. Grove.
Wichware, Horace, Myrtle Grove.
Washington, Harris, M. Grove.
Wills, Thos., Soudan.
Williams, Chas., Soudan.
Webb, Simon Burn.
Washington, Walter, Burn.
Walker, Noah, Barcelona.
Williams, Henry Bombay.
Wiley Geo., Midway.
Williams, Jno., Midway.
Wiley, Grafton, Charlton Hall.
Watkins, Henry, Shanty.
Walker, Sam, Holly Park.
Winder, Levy, Arcola.
Williams Henry, Caroline.
Whiteapple, Isham, Providence.
White, Jerry, Providence.
Watson, J. T., Jr., Waterproof.
Wilson, Mose, Waterproof.
Wright C. E., Waterproof.
Ward, Joe, Waterproof.
Williams Wade, Waterproof.
Young, Eugene, Burn.
Young, Mose, Barcelona.
Young, Gus, Melwood.

SEVENTH WARD.

Addison, Peter, Monticello.
Alexander, Jake, Stonewall.
Blair, Willie, Wavertree.
Barnes Geo, Wavertree.
Brown, Jas., Wavertree.
Bell, G. W., Live Oak.
Brooks, Wm., Live Oak.
Boston, Emanuel, Richland.
Boston, Ed., Richland.
Booker, Henry Richland.
Booker, Andrew, Richland.
Brown, Ben, Highland.
Burley, Jno., Highland.
Bucanan, Wm., Dixie.
Berryman, Sullivan, Dixie.
Bird, Lawyer, Monclora.
Broks, Elias, Monclora.
Burth David, Newtonia.
Brooks, Elias Monclora.
Brown, Monroe, Monticello.
Brown, Lorenzo, Monticello.
Butler, Dary, Jr., Holly Ridge.
Brown, Leven, Holly Ridge.
Bell, Alex, Glenwood.
Bullet, Carrol, Locust Ridge.
Bradford, Henry, Locust Ridge.
Baker, Tom, La Troun.
Cage, Harry, Wavertree.
Coleman, E. D., Live Oak.
Carter, Anderson, Richland.
Claiborne, Dave, Highland.
Campbell, Evans, Dona.
Calvin, Jim, Belle Ella.
Carrol, Leroy, Belle Ella.
Cage, Marshall, Monticello.
Campbell Jim, Stillwater.
Clark, Isaac, Stillwater.
Carey, Wm., Holly Ridge.
Cain, Moses, Holly Ridge.
Clinton, Abe Eldershade.
Cole, Gus, La Troun.
Caston, Ben, Loamland.
Davis, D., Troy.
Davis, Lon, Newtonia.
Davis, Emanuel, Highland.
Donald, Doc, Richland.
Donaldson, Geo., Belle Ella.
Donald, Dennis, Carroll
Dixon, Geo., Eldershade.
Daniels, Jim, Stillwater.
Daniels, Friedler, La Troure.
Ellis, Elijah, Monticello.
Ellis, David, Monticello.
Frazier, Chas., Newtonia.
Freeland, Mose, Richland.
Freeland, Felix, Richland.
Finney, David, Live Oak.
Finney, Sebron, Live Oak.
Finney, Alex, Scottland.
Ferguson, Remy, Monticello.
Ferguson, Sam, Locust Ridge.
Gregory, Israel, Richland.
Gardner, Geo., Highland.
Green, Emanuel, Belle Ella.
Gardner, Andrew, Linwood.
Gardner, Tony, Loamland.
Hill, Tom, Wavertree.
Hill, Geo., Wavertree.
Hill, Chas., Wavertree.
Hubbard, Wm., Belle Ella.
Hubbard, Dave, Belle Ella.
Holmes, Isham, Tullonia.
Holland, Ihsam, Troy.
Houser, Warren, Newtonia.
Halton, Clem, Fonclora.
Harris, Ananias, Monclora.
Humphries, Denny, Glenwood.
Honeywood, Levi, Eureka.
Holmes, Claib, Scottland.
Ingraham, Andrew, Highland.
Ingraham, Sol, Helena.
Ingraham Tom, Helena.
Ingraham, Chas., Monticello.
Jordan, Hillery, Holly Ridge.
Johnson, Jack, Monclora.
Johnson, Orich, Highland.
Johnson, Jackson, Tullonia.
Jackson, Willie, Glendale.
Jackson, Cornelius, Euraka.
Jackson, Cornelius, Eureka.
Johnson, Solomon, Eureka.
Johnson, Wash, Newtonia.
Johnson, Dan, Newtonia.
Johnson, R. B., Locust Ridge.
Jordan, Sim, Locust Ridge.
Kelley, Jno., Belle Ella.
King, Robt., Belle Ella.
Kempe, Ben, Monticello.
Kempe, Sherman, Monticello.
King, Gabe, Jr., La Troure.
King, Joe, La Troure.
Loyd, Jim, Scottland.
Lee, Ike, Monclora.
Lee, Bat, La Troure.
Lee, Andy, La Troure.
Lee, Bill, La Troure.
Morris, Alex, Wavertree.
Morris, Dug, Wavertree.
Martien, W. J., Belle Ella.
Moss, Arthur, Belle Ella.
Moore, Horace, Glendale.
Morgan, Allen, Newtonia.
Morgan, Henry, Newtonia.
Morgan, Nathan, Newtonia.
Mathews Archie, Newtonia.
Moore, Walter, Stonewall.
Moore, Jno., Jr. Holly Ridge.
More, Bill, Holly Ridge.
Mason, Jno., Monclora.
Pearson, Wilford, Belle Ella.
Proctor, Bemis, Richland.
Robinson, Chas., Wavertree.
Robinson, Geo., Dixie.
Risper, Owen, Dixie.
Revere, Chas., Live Oak.
Robinson, Caleb, Richland.
Raynard, Gilliard, Carrolton.
Smith, Cornelius, Monclora.
Sargent, Napoleon, Monclora.
Shad, Cal., Dixie.
Shad, Geo., Dixie.
Shad Lawrence, Dixie.
Scott, Wilkerson, Richland.
Spott, Paus, Highland.
Street, Willie, Highland.
Scott, Willie, Belle Ella.
Scott, Phil, Belle Ella.
Scott Felton, Belle Ella.
Simmons Jim, Monticello.
Strange, Sam, Live Oak.
Smith, Corneal, Holly Ridge.
Shaifer, Sam, La Troure.
Smith, Geo., La Troure.
Singleton, Claib., Locust Ridge.
Smith, Alex, Loamland.
Thomas, Jesse, Highland.
Thomas Henry, Highland.
Turner, Henry, Jr., Dixie.
Tennessee, Tom, Anderson.
Walker, Clark, Troy.
Williams, Lemon, Eureka.
Washington, Geo, Holly Ridge.
Williams, Junius, Dixie.
Williams, Elijah, Dixie.
Williams, Horace, Dixie.
Wiley, Hezekiah, Richland.
Wiley, Sam, Richland.
Wiley, Ben, Richland.
Wiley, Sidney.
Warfield, Andrew, Highland.
Wood, Henry, Highland.
Wetlington, Geo., Highland.
Warfield, Geo., Highland.
Weathers Colombus, Highland.
White, Jim, Belle Ella.
Webb, Phil, Belle Ella.
Webb, Sam, Jr., Belle Ella.
Webb, Ernest, Belle Ella.
Williams, Phil, Monticello.
Williams, Leopold, Monticello.
Williams, Reese, Gretna Green.
Williams, Walter, Jr., G. Green.
Williams, Jackson, Gretna Green.
Washnigton, Wm., Monclora.
Williams, Ben, Eldershade.
Williams, Grant, Elededshade.
White, Henry, Tullinia.
Winters, Jas., Oakdale.
Watson, Jno., Glendale.
Watson, Silas, Linwood.
Williams, Amas, La Troure.

JOHN HUGHES,
Sheriff and Tax Collector, Tensas Parish, La.
St. Joseph, La., Nov. 30, 1908.

Separated.

"A regiment of soldiers were recently drawn up one Sunday for church parade, but the church was being repaired and could only hold half of them.

"Sergeant-major," shouted the colonel, "tell all the men who don't want to go to church to fall out on the reverse flank."

Of course, a large number quickly and gladly availed themselves of the privilege.

"Now, sergeant-major," said the colonel, "dismiss all the men who did not fall out and march the others to church—they need it most."

Heard From His Note in a Bottle.

While on his way to Germany about a year ago Edward Reese wrote his name and address on a card, which he placed in a bottle, and after carefully sealing threw the bottle into the ocean about midway between the two continents.

A day or two ago he received a letter from Theodore Schultz, dated at Brookings, S. D., in which Schultz informed him that he was the finder of the bottle. Schultz before coming to America resided on the coast of Denmark, and one day while strolling along the coast of that country discovered and took possession of the bottle, which had floated ashore from midocean.—Platt correspondence Minneapolis Journal.

It may be that milk which conforms to the established standards is the best kind of milk, though many who have had experience deny that it is best for some purposes. But nature, insists the Boston Transcript, will not be coerced. There is more nourishment and less waste in a bushel of fair sized potatoes than in a bushel of small ones, but if the influences of rain and sunshine have been so unevenly distributed that only small potatoes have grown we must be content. No potato standard would change the results and to prohibit the sale of them would work general hardship. The cases are not exactly parallel, but it would perhaps be as easy to override natural forces by legislative enactment in one case as in the other.

THOSE TIES.

"I didn't know young Snobberly really took any interest in politics."

"Nonsense. He doesn't."

"But I just heard him talking for the past ten minutes about 'party ties.'"

"Oh! He means white lawn bows."
—Catholic Standard and Times.

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Babies are the vict[redacted] like their elders. Whatever happens to be the namephase of the period in which they made their advent, to that are they doomed. Just now Elizabeths and Jameses are being literally christened by dozens, and Peters are alarmingly prevalent.—Lady's Pictorial.

The Era of Woman.

"If I were a man!" is surely a very unnecessary cry these days. The epoch of the man is past; the twentieth century is the era of woman. There is, with a few very slight exceptions, nothing that a woman, as a woman, cannot do, and do every bit as well as if she were a man.—From P. T. O.

Stitchery.

The buyers of fine embroideries have been predicting a famine in hand needlework for several seasons. A multitude of new industries in France have opened in recent years and shown the French girls more lucrative means of livelihood than the old patient stitchery for which they are famous.—Philadelphia Record.

Marriage Age Increased.

It is generally admitted that the marriageable age of women has advanced considerably of recent years. Many a bride has long felt girlhood behind her before she exchanges her vows at the altar, and there seem to be few young men nowadays who care to assume the responsibilities of married life until they are in the financial position usually associated with middle age.—Philadelphia Record.

Norway's Versatile Queen.

Queen Maud of Norway has innumerable hobbies and recreations, many of them being of a very useful and practical nature. She devotes many hours to sewing, wood carving, and bookbinding, and in regard to the latter work has turned out some really beautiful specimens of the craft. Like Queen Alexandra, her mother, Queen Maud is very skilful with the camera, while such is her skill in outdoor sports that she is her husband's constant companion when his majesty indulges in skating, skiing, motoring, and cycling excursions. At billiards Queen Maud can easily beat King Haakon, while King Edward, himself a very skilful whist player, has confessed that he could not teach his daughter much in regard to the game. —From Tit-Bits.

Two-Headed Hatpins Are Needed.

Have you noticed it? But no, of course you haven't. You never could get a chance to see both sides of a huge hat at once. Hence the hatpin with two heads has not impressed you so far with the idea that you are seeing double. On one of the new double-ender hatpins the extra end screws on and off, thus insuring absolute safety in the hat's position. These are only for medium-sized hats, however. Since the beehive hats appeared, women have been at their wits-end to find pins to keep them on. "No hatpin has been made long enough to take in both sides of the large beehive crown," says a London jeweler. "Many are the devices resorted to in order that the new hat may not slip out of position. Small pads to pass the pins through are worn. Another device is the introduction of a narrow netting, with a tiny pincushion suspended from the centre of the crown. A pin from the right and another from the left passed into this materially help to keep the hat in place.—New York Press.

Hoods Worn in London.

Milliners in London are going in for a new branch of business; they are making hoods. Whether the wearing of hoods will ever become at all general remains to be seen, but they are having a fair trial. The specimens shown are very dainty and not at all unbecoming.

The prettiest are certainly those shaped like a frair's cowl, and they are also the most convenient, as they roll up small and can be tucked into the pocket of a theatre wrap or stowed away in a traveling bag.

Those run in with whalebone are more cumbersome, and this setting out from the face does not improve their appearance much, if at all. Both kinds are made of soft taffeta lined with satin and trimmed about the front and around the neck with ruffles of lace. Sometimes they are bordered with small flowers, which is a mistaken notion; a few knots of ribbon and the lace are all that is necessary.

Hoods are worn only when going to and from the theatre or other evening entertainment and when traveling. Some women have taken to them most kindly, and will immediately doff their hats and put on hoods on boarding a railway car, retaining them even when lunching or dining in the restaurant.—Millinery Trade Review.

Opposed to Cremation.

"The American people, particularly the American women, will never favor the idea of cremation of the dead," remarked Mrs. Wingate Rice, of Toledo, to the New York Telegram.

"We are to impressionable and highly strung. In this respect we are like the French, who have never taken kindly to the burning of their dead. [redacted] much discour[redacted] anti-cremation agitation.

"The society was organized for the purpose of making cremation popular, but it cannot bring the average man and woman to see that it is better to be incinerated than placed in the ground. Almost every person who is cremated goes that way because of an expressed desire before death to be disposed of in a crematory after the visit of the grim monster. Those left behind seldom dispose of their dead in this way voluntarily.

"The society is doing its utmost to induce the French people to burn rather than to bury their dead. Owing to its efforts the number of incinerations is growing from year to year, but the increase is hardly perceptible.

"Cremation has never been popular among the people of the South. This may be because it is necessary to send bodies such a great distance to be cremated. Crematories are expensive things, and they cannot be erected in a community where there is not sufficient sentiment in favor of cremation to keep them busy."

Removal by Law.

Everything comes to him who waits, and the Parisians—masculine—who have groaned so long beneath the tyranny of the theatre hat are now to get their rights. Either no ladies' hats, or a few exciting rows—but more probably both hats and rows—may be expected in Paris theatres when the season opens again. The ever thorough and thoughtful Prefect of Police, as the Telegraph correspondent tells us, has just issued a new draft of regulations for places of entertainment. In the mass of new regulations one stands out. It says that no person may obstruct the view of any spectator during a performance, and if so offending may be compelled to remove the obstruction, or his or her self.

Henceforth the arm of the law may be called in to remove the obstructing hat. Relieved of the odium of being rude to the ladies, one can lay all the blame on superior authority.

However, the taking off of a hat from a lady's head by the brawny arm of a uniformed municipal guard will not be a spectacle without incident, crisis, and denouement. Of course, no one expects the ladies themselves to forestall the fiat by wearing small hats. On the contrary, milliners, according to our authority, are exercising an almost diabolical ingenuity in their long-laid schemes for next winter. For many years past it has been impossible to see over a Parisienne's hat, but one could sometimes see under it, and catch glimpses of the right and left wing of the stage, the centre being intercepted by the nape of a neck billowing with coils and curls. The milliners have now decided that one shall not even see under the new hat. It will be as high as its predecessors, but the improvement will be that it will come down lower on both sides. To witness municipal guards, with swashbuckling ferocity, tearing off this new hat will be a terrible sight.—London Daily News.

Fashion Notes.

French and Italian costumers have been.

Cedar showing reddish tones will be a leading shade.

The tailored suit is taking the same lines as the linen suits.

Green and blue seem to be as popular a combination as ever.

The separate coat of velvet will be one of the features of the season.

Picturesque effects prevail among evening and even daytime toilettes.

Ruffs grow higher and deeper with each passing day; also more betrimmed.

Sleeves are longer and flatter, and they closely follow the lines of the arm.

Street skirts are but a trifle longer than the last season's dresses have been.

There are lots of turn-down collars fastened with horseshoes or rhinestones.

The linen coat costume is smarter than ever, and will hold late in the season.

Narrow plaited ruffles seem to be almost as much a feature of gowns as buttons are.

The black cloth dresses are made with flat pressed seams and without any trimming whatsoever.

So numerous are the different shades of brown that this color will find favor during the next season.

French and Italian costumers have introduced brilliant riding costumes, but they have failed of vogue in this country.

The under side of the wide felt hat brim is very likely to be black when the hat itself is of color, or it is faced with black velvet.

An old-time plan back in fashion is for running the ruffle about four inches up the sleeve, the seam of which is slit to accommodate the quilling.

Dead black and dead white are used together to produce startling effects. An immense hat of white silk has for trimming a band and a large bow of black ribbon velvet. It is bizarre, but effective.