Beats Bellamy's Time.

Utopia seemed a step nearer for automobilists in Chicago, when plans were announced for an apartment building in which every flat will have its own garage. Dwellers in these unique apartments can step directly from their living rooms into their motor cars, be conveyed to the street by a mammoth elevator, and drive away serenely, without having lifted a foot since they entered the automobile. This plan is announced in behalf of Laverne W. Noyes of the Aeromoter company. The structure is to be at Elm street and the Lake Shore drive.

From the bottom to the top of the structure, which is designed to be seven stories high, with each floor devoted to a single suite, will run the elevator, large enough to accommodate the largest of aufomobiles for private use.

Civilization vs. Football.

It is stated that the gift of $150,000 recently received by Columbia University was given as the result of the university's action in abolishing football. The money was given by Mrs. Maria H. Williamson of New York City to endow a chair for instruction in the origin and development of civilization.

A lazy man's idea of success is to be unable to find work.

Fools rush in where angels fear to wed.

"You say that you made some good New Year's resolutions. What bad habits did you decide to quit?" "Only one, I resolved to quit being a quitter."

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When Answering Advertisements Kindly Mention This Paper.

TOO LATE ON THE LAST DAY.

Horrible Thought That Occurred to Procrastinating Individual.

Senator Frye was wont to tell this one on ex-Senator Howard of Lewiston, Me., explaining that in the early days of his business career his fondness for sleep was almost the cause of his undoing.

It was Howard's invariable rule to take "another wink" after being called in the morning, and almost as invariably did he arrive at business from thirty minutes to one hour late.

On sundry occasions he was known to stay out with "the boys," and on one particular occasion was induced to partake of the grape juice to such an extent that his companions decided to play a very practical joke on him, by placing him in an undertaker's shop to sleep in a casket.

In the early dawn Mr. Howard awoke, stretched and sat up. In horror he beheld the empty caskets about him, and in a fleeting second his past career passed before his mental vision, till, raising his hands aloft, he exclaimed, while beads of perspiration stood on his ghastly brow: "For the last time too late—too late for the resurrection."

CATS TRAINED AS RETRIEVERS.

Proof That Ancient Egyptians So Used Their Pets.

"It is claimed," said a Chicago antiquary, "that cats may be trained as retrievers—trained to swim to your slain birds, and bring them back to you in their mouths. The thing sounds incredible. But look here."

He held up the photograph of an ancient Egyptian painting. Men with spears rode on the Nile. In some of the boats large cats sat on their haunches in the stern, while toward others several cats swam with dead birds in their mouths.

"This picture," said the antiquary, "proves that the Egyptians used cats for hunting dogs. If they, why not we? The original of the picture is in the British museum, where there are also several pieces of carving that display the cat in the role of a retriever."

Tricks of Autograph Hunters.

Some autograph hunters' tricks are revealed in the Connoisseur. George Eliot was taken in by a lady who enlisted her sympathy in fictitious social work. Another wrote to Ruskin a touching letter of supplication which elicited no reply. She wrote again in a tone of almost piteous entreaty, but still silence. Then she adopted another name and address, became the bogus secretary of an imaginary art club for young students in a provincial town, and invited Mr. Ruskin to come down and deliver an address. The simple-minded author wrote back a long, delightful letter, asking to be excused from giving an address until the club had made some progress but imparting much admirable counsel and useful rules of guidance.

"Esplanade" and "Boulevard."

Both "esplanade" and "boulevard" are military terms by origin. The original "boulevard" was a bulwark of horizontal part of the rampart and an "esplanade" was originally the glacis or slope of the counterscarp of a fortified place. A writer 200 years ago noted that the word boulevard was "now chiefly taken for the void space between the glacis of a citadel and the first houses of a town." Hence its extension to other "void spaces" suitable for promenading. The old French "esplanade" was defined by Cotgrave as "a planing, leveling, evening of ways," from Latin "explanare," to smooth or flatten out, whence the English words "explain" and "explanation."

Heroines, Old and New.

Most modern heroines are married women, whereas the nice ones in Shakespeare and in novels before 1890 were almost always unwedded maids. You like Beatrice and Portia and, above all things, Rosalind. You do not lose your heart to Lady Macbeth (though a fine figure of a woman) and you do not desire to compete with Othello in the affections of Desdemona. This may be a too nice morality, but to Victorian tastes even widows, in novels at least, come under the ban of the elder Mr. Weller. Nobody but Col. Esmond ever cared for Lady Castlewood and Dobbin is alone in his passion for Amelia. —London Post.

An Alarming Blunder.

A young lady living in Paris recently visited her sister's family and left them in perfect health. The next day a letter arrived from the Bicha: Hospital announcing her death at that institution, and caused deep grief among her relatives, who thought she had met with a fatal accident. That evening, however, the supposed deceased appeared at the house safe and sound. It appears that she had been under treatment at the hospital some time ago, and her name, through an error, was given to another patient, who subsequently died.

Most Ancient Coins.

The Parian Chronicle ascribes the first coinage of copper and silver money to Pheidon, king of Argos in Aegina, 895 B. C., which Aelian corroborates; and the best numismatic antiquaries agree in considering the coins of Aegina, from their archaic form and appearance, as the most ancient known. The coins of Lydia probably come next in antiquity, and then the early Dorics of the Persian kings, which occur both in gold and silver, and bear a strong resemblance to the coins of Aegina.

DEATH SEEMED NEAR.

How a Chicago Woman Found Help When Hope Was Fast Fading Away.

Mrs. E. T. Gould, 914 W. Lake Street, Chicago, Ill., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are all that saved me from death of Bright's Disease, that I know. I had eye trouble, backache, catches when lying abed or when bending over, was languid and often dizzy and had sick headaches and bearing down pains. The kidney secretions were to copious and frequent, and very bad in appearance. It was in 1903 that Doan's Kidney Pills helped me so quickly and cured me of those troubles and I've been well ever since."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

According to the statement of Mrs. Williamson she considers the abolishing of football one of the greatest steps in the interest of civilization that have been taken in many years.

WILD WITH ITCHING HUMOR.

Eruption Broke Out in Spots All Over Body—Cured at Expense of Only $1.25—Thanks Cuticura.

The Cuticura Remedies cured me of my skin disease, and I am very thankful to you. My trouble was eruption of the skin, which broke out in spots all over my body, and caused a continual itching which nearly drove me wild at times. I got medicine of a doctor, but it did not cure me, and when I saw in a paper your ad, I sent to you for the Cuticura book and I studied my case in it. I then went to the drug store and bought one cake of Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura Ointment and one vial of Cuticura Pills. From the first application I received relief. I used the first set and two extra cakes of Cuticura Soap, and was completely cured. I had suffered for two years, and I again thank Cuticura for my cure. Claude N. Johnson, Maple Grove Farm, R. F. D. 2, Walnut, Kan., June 15, 1905."

It may be all right for a girl to learn skating from a teacher in a correspondence school 1,000 miles away, but a young man with a strong right arm right here at home is better.

MILLIONS OF TROUT

Streams Stocked by Denver & Rio Grande Railroad.

Fishing is going to be unusually good along the lines of the Denver & Rio Grande railroad in the next two or three years. It is good every summer, because for some years past the streams have been systematically stocked all over the state, but it is bound to be better. More was done in that direction in 1905 than ever before. Maj. S. K. Hooper has been having some figures made showing the number of fish put out. In the year 1904 the road transported and helped place 6,326,000 young trout in the streams. Of these 3,930,000 came from the state hatchery.

Last year the Denver & Rio Grande distributed 7,669,000 young fish in Colorado and Utah. Of these 2,967,000 came from the state hatcheries and 4,702,000 came from the government hatchery at Leadville. The fish are put in when about two inches long and big enough to care for themselves. They were about equally divided as between native, brook and rainbow trout. The distribution in the streams was as follows:

COLORADO.	
Headwaters Arkansas river and tributaries	1,106,000
Gunnison river and tributaries	1,525,000
Tributaries of the Grand near Glenwood	682,000
Eagle river	437,000
Rio Grande and tributaries	1,068,000
South Arkansas west of Salida	255,000
Dolores and tributaries	286,000
Uncompahgre and tributaries	204,000
San Juan and tributaries	572,000
Animas	235,000
Grand Mesa lakes	145,000
Miscellaneous	145,000
UTAH.	
Provo river and various Utah streams	454,000
Total	7,669,000

A BOY'S BREAKFAST

There's a Natural Food That Makes Its Own Way.

There's a boy up in Hoosick Falls, N. Y., who is growing into sturdy manhood on Grape-Nuts breakfasts. It might have been different with him, as his mother explains:

"My 11-year-old boy is large, well developed and active, and has been made so by his fondness for Grape-Nuts food. At five years he was a very nervous child and was subject to frequent attacks of indigestion which used to rob him of his strength and were very troublesome to deal with. He never seemed to care for anything for his breakfast until I tried Grape-Nuts, and I have never had to change from that. He makes his entire breakfast of Grape-Nuts food. It is always relished by him and he says that it satisfies him better than the ordinary kind of a meal.

"Better than all he is no longer troubled with indigestion or nervousness, and has got to be a splendidly developed fellow since he began to use Grape-Nuts food." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

A man's first wife may be his ideal, but his second is apt to be a better cook.

Kisses cannot be copyrighted—which is fortunate for those who print them.

Some men work an empty honor for all there is in it.

Almost every man has an untried get-rich-quick scheme that looks as easy as getting money from home in a letter.

A bartender doesn't have to be a marine artist to draw a schooner.

Many a silver wedding is really a silver-plated one.

"The first cigar I smoked cost me twenty cents." "You must have had an awfully cheap doctor."

It's impossible to convince a girl that exercise at a washtub improves the complexion.