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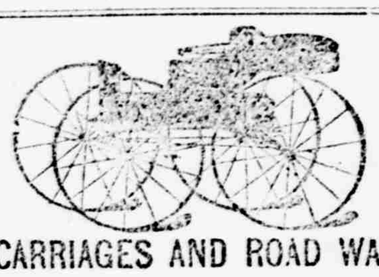

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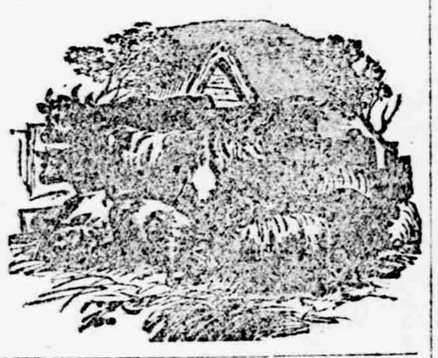

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FRIDAY, DEC. 5, 1884.

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Chinese Burial Grounds.

As you walk around Shanghai you think that about half the land is waste. You fancy it is left, as large cemeteries and heather-clad heath are left where game-preserving flourishes; but if you look closer, you see turf-covered mounds. It is a burial ground. Nowhere else in that neighborhood will you see a square yard of land that is not under tillage. Half our little wars with the Chinese came from trespassing on these cemeteries. The French at Shanghai had what threatened to be a big row when they wanted to drive a road through one of them. They are "taboo." Sometimes of an evening you may see the village elder walking around and explaining to the youngsters that their ancestors of a hundred years ago are buried here, and that five mounds off lies that happy father who was raised to the rank of a marquis because his son came out first classic and senior wrangler in the final examination. I am speaking of an old burial ground. In the new ones you see the solid, highly-varnished coffins (often carved) lying on the surface. There they are left for a year or two, after which they are thatched or bricked over, according to the wealth of the family, the result being a mausoleum like those set up to several of our royal family. This soon gets grown over with grass and weeds, and ends by becoming a mound, still hallowed in the recollection of the elders, still visited on anniversaries with the appointed offerings. The thing to remember is that in China all is above ground; there is no digging of graves; simply laying down the coffins and covering them by and by.

In old times they used to bury beside their dead gold and precious stones of all kinds. They are more economical nowadays; one remembers how they burn horses, and birds, and furniture, etc., cut out of gold and red paper, instead of the old offerings, which have grown too costly. In their present state of mind, the Chinese are not likely to take to cremation or to let their grave fields be desecrated by plough or spade; therefore they are bound to go in for sewage, and if our people out there want to make life pleasanter, let them try to get an imperial edict for deodorising. Our residents can not complain much about the unhealthfulness of the present system. The Chinese are on, the whole, a healthy people.—*All the Year Round.*

Nails in Decorations.

Round-headed brass nails may of themselves be extensively used in decorating chests, etc. It is well known in repousse or sheet-brass work that a very important point consists of introducing at regular intervals bosses, or round studs, of such a nature that they shall attract the eye by reflecting light. Thus, in the days when every room had its salvers and plates of hammered brass, favorite subjects were oranges, grapes, and other round fruits, whose hemispherical and rounded surfaces gave a brilliant reflect of light. Accordingly, a very favorite subject for a brass platter was the spies returning from Canaan, bearing between them an immense bunch of grapes. During three hundred years there were so many salvers made with this subject as all others combined. In fact, the employment of the boss, or knob, or circle, in art is as old as art itself; it was common among the earliest races, and an article which I have read declares that the white dots in a blue ground which form the undying "polka-dot pattern" in cravats is the survival of the heads of the rivets in ancient armor. It is as curious as instructive to observe how, for instance in Romanesque dress, very good effects were produced by simple circlets, surrounded at times by dots. These are seen, too, not only on old Anglo-Saxon and Gaulish dresses, but on all objects where it was desirable to produce the most ornamental effect in the easiest manner. Nails can be had at the brass furnisher's in great variety and of every pattern, from one or two inches in diameter down to the tiniest tacks.—*Charles G. Leland.*

Dr. Forbes Winslow tells a story of how presence of mind saved his own life on one occasion in his lunatic asylum at Hammersmith. He had gone into the room of a lady who had displayed strong homicidal tendencies, and somewhat incautiously closed the door behind him. He asked the patient a few questions, when she suddenly interrupted the conversation, producing a knife and, remarking that it was well sharpened, said: "I must really kill you, doctor. I am very sorry, but it can't be helped, can it?" Not unnaturally, the doctor was taken a little aback, for the lady was abnormally strong and had already advanced to execute her purpose. "Just one moment," he said quietly. "Don't you think it would be a shame to spill the blood on this new carpet? Just let me call for a basin." "Perhaps it would, but be as quick as you can." So the doctor slipped out unhurt, but a little scared.

The Fascination of Ballooning.

Explorers of the air and earth are strangely alike in two respects—individually they seldom weary of their self-imposed struggles, and collectively they make little progress. A first plunge into Africa or the Arctic is almost certainly followed by a return trip, if the first be survived. Yet a lady's finger-tip can cover all of the polar circle yet charted, and Africa is still the unknown continent. Five hundred ascents are credited to Professor Wise and Godard left the clouds beneath him at least 800 times. Their perseverance can hardly be surpassed, and modern skill and science were exhausted in their appliances. Yet they went little higher or further or longer than did the bold men who tested Montgolfiers discovery a century ago. The fascination of ballooning is akin to that of gambling. There is a glorious uncertainty whether th[illegible] to be foted[illegible] ence, or w[illegible] this [illegible] they propose to [illegible] people. Call and see them [illegible] buying. Remember that they will have a $10,000 dollar stock to select from, [illegible]