A Faithful Love.

They relate to us from Boulogne sur Mer, in France, a remarkable incident of fidelity. A Danish princess, one of those fairy beauties of the north who seem to draw their peculiar charm from the melancholic splendor of their climate, one of those Ophelias, with limpid eyes as the bluish crystal of the Scandinavian lakes, had a friend, faithful, devoted, loving, patient, whom she has deserted in a moment of forgetfulness. Leaving suddenly, when ascending the outside bridge to the steamer, she forgot her friend, the most faithful companion of her youth, a splendid black dog, with beautiful dark shining hair; from that time the poor animal, standing erect over the fences of the mole, barks furiously after the waves, jumping joyously as soon as can be perceived afar the smoking shaft of a steamer, which he always thinks will bring back ashore his beloved owner.

He is always waiting, hopeful and above all true and faithful, though consolated and petted by the gloved hand of the beautiful and romantic English misses who gave him sweet names, calling him "Oh, you dear, faithful friend Sweet boy." And over there, afar, afar in the north, the fairy Scandinavian feels some inexplicable want. Something is missing to her; she does not know what it is; it is the unconscious regret of the faithful companion deserted afar.—Baltimore America

Subscribed or Superscribed

Many are the pitfalls which lie in the path of the man who sits down to make his will. In a case recently tried in the probate court the witnesses were stated in the usual words to have "hereunto subscribed their names," but it happened that these witnesses' signatures were written in the margin and somewhat higher than these attesting words. Hence arose the grave question, Could a signature be said to be subscribed when, strictly speaking, it was superscribed? It is easy to conceive a judge of rigidly logical tendencies who would have decided that there had been in this case no proper attestation.

Fortunately Sir C. Parker Butt, fortified by a decision of Lord Campbell, decided that, though it might seem a strange interpretation to put upon the word "subscribe," to hold that writing the witnesses' names above the testator's signature in the margins was a compliance with the act, yet in the eye of the law the word "subscribe" "simply means signing the name without any reference to its position on the document."—London News.

Boston's Fast Speaking Preacher.

Two hundred and forty words a minute, four words every second, is a rate of speed which seems almost beyond the power of articulation, yet that was the measure of the torrent of eloquent exposition and appeal poured forth in St. Paul's church Monday by the Rev. Dr. Phillips Brooks. Try to equal it reading from a printed page in a conversational tone, and then imagine the immensely increased difficulty of the task in a large church, before a great congregation, and without the guidance even of a written note. The business men, for whom the service was especially designed, had been assured that the discourse would be short, and so it was in time, for it was finished in twenty-five minutes, but the report made by two stenographic reporters covered 6,000 words and gave the extraordinary averages with which this paragraph opens.—Boston Journal.

Novel Bird Story.

When Mr. Andrew Young returned from Alaska last fall he went out to his ranch on Young's river to dig his potatoes. Passing a hollow tree he noticed several bushels already gathered. He looked around the patch, but saw no signs of anyone having disturbed the ground, and to solve the mystery watched the tree. He was soon rewarded by seeing a flock of bluejays alight on the tree, and each bird had a potato in its bill, which was dropped into an opening in a limb and passed on down to the ground. He procured sacks, and as fast as one was filled another was put at the place, and in this way the birds harvested fifty bushels of potatoes for him from various patches around the country.—Astoria (Ore.) Express.

A Muskrat Trap.

Jim Candee, an old Lyme trapper, has caught an unprecedented number of muskrats this year. He sinks a half barrel near the runs of the rats to the level of the ground, half fills it with water, and then on floating pieces of boards in the tub places small pieces of carrots. When the muskrat jumps in after the bait he can't get out, and he leaves the trap set for another victim. Mr. Candee has caught as many as six rats in a single barrel in one night.—Hartford Times.

Waked from His Winter's Sleep.

A Ledyard boy on Monday discovered a woodchuck in a heap of leaves in an old tree and pulled him out. He was curled up, with both forepaws pressed closely over his eyes. When his paws were pulled off his eyes he did not open them, but yawned and gaped as a heavy sleeper might be expected to do. The animal could not be aroused from his dormant condition until he had been in a warm room for several hours.—New London Telegraph.

A Homekeeping Youth.

Mr. David Hembree, Jr., son of Mr. David R. Hembree, of Crossville District, Millen county, is 18 years old, and has lived all his life within four miles of the Chattahoochie, but has never seen the river. He is the best working boy in the district, and has all his life staid at home and worked.—Alpharetta (Ga.) Free Press.

In Rome the Easter eggs are taken to the parish priest, who blesses and sprinkles thme with holy water, and the nuns afterward paint and sell them. They must be placed on the table with the flowers and other decorations, and eaten as the first course for the Easter dinner

Making Salad Dressing Between Courses.

The pretty fashion of making the salad dressing on the table obtains among fashionable people at small informal dinners. Before the preceding course has been removed the servant brings the hostess a shallow silver bowl, into which are broken the yolks of two eggs. Before her are also placed the oil decanter, two tiny silver pepper boxes holding white and cayenne pepper, a small mustard pot with the unmixed mordant, and a bit of lemon on a plate or a second miniature decanter of tarragon vinegar, as the taste of the hostess prefers.

Then, while the plates are being changed, the mayonnaise is concocted. Into the unbeaten yolks are carefully measured first a saltspoon of salt and another of dry mustard, a good pinch of cayenne and a better one of white pepper, then with a silver fork the stirring process begins. Drop by drop the amber oil does its work till, thick, golden and velvety, the mayonnaise is ready for the touch of acid from lemon or vinegar, and afterward to be sent around the table as the salad is served. It is a graceful office for deft fingers.—Her Point of View in New York Times.

James Russell Lowell's Birthday.

If I had been asked a few weeks ago to name the two most interesting men in America, I should have answered without hesitation, "Mr. Lowell and Gen. Sherman"—or "Gen. Sherman and Mr. Lowell," for the order of the names would have mattered little. The general's strong yet childlike nature, his varied and well remembered experience, his extensive reading, and his readiness and skill in expressing himself on a thousand topics, made him a fascinating talker, whether he were addressing two or twenty people.

On the other hand, Mr. Lowell's poetic imagination and keen yet kindly wit, his intimate acquaintance with the best thoughts of the best minds of all time his familiarity with the history of the past and his personal connection with the historic happenings of his own day combine to make him one of the half dozen living men whom it were best worth while to know. Like Gen. Sherman and George Washington, Mr. Lowell was a February child, and was 72 years old on Washington's birthday. Gen. Sherman reached his seventy-first birthday on Feb. 8, and died on the 14th.—Critic

A Large Price for a Flower.

I saw a new variety of plant for parlor decoration in a florist's window the other day, the price being marked at the modest figure of $100. In the passion for this sort of display, which is now rampant here in Boston, I am told that the money expended is out of all proportion to the intrinsic value or beauty of the product, some rare specimens being sought for in preference to one in which the attractions of form and color are conspicuous. This sort of interest recalls the Dutch tulip mania, and though there is perhaps no danger that our Yankee flower fanciers will lose their heads, as the old Hollanders did, yet it is worth remembering that the latter were hard headed, matter of fact people, and it is such, by the way, who are apt to be most unsettled by a gust of excitement.—Boston Post.

Lack of Men Who Dance.

The complaint is made that the dancing men in society are scarcely beyond the age of knickerbockers, and a call has gone out for more men of years, weight and discretion who are willing to make themselves generally useful at the small dances of society. There has never been a year in the history of New York when balls occurred in private houses so frequently as this season. Two or three dances a night have been the rule. As a majority of the men in society are also in business, it is difficult to see how they can be expected to sit up until 4 o'clock in the morning every night in the week and still go to their offices at the accustomed time. Apparently there is another long felt want in society which the conditions of New York life make it impossible for men to fulfill.—New York World.

Wanted to Complete His Trade.

Charles Drum, 20 years of age, who pleaded guilty to snatching a purse from a lady on Jackson street, got three years and a half in the penitentiary. The judge was about to sentence him to the reformatory when Drum spoke up and informed the court that he had once before been convicted, the first time for burglary. Drum's counsel let the cat out of the bag by saying that his client preferred Stillwater to St. Cloud because he desired to complete his trade, that of a tinsmith. The court did not appear to be much swayed by the defendant's preferences, and made it state prison on his admission of a former conviction.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Good Day for Whales.

A Brazilian bark which arrived in New York the other day reports seeing eighty-four whales in one day. Some of the monsters were two or three miles away, but others came so close to the vessel that the fishy odor made the sailors sick. At this season of the year we see no reason to doubt the story.—Detroit Free Press.

The question of a change in the position of the earth's axis has led to some special refinements in the methods of observing astronomical latitudes, and expeditions are about being fitted out in different countries for the purpose of making a series of latitude observations. The scientists from this country will go to the Hawaiian islands.

A newly patented egg boiler combines the sandglass arrangement with an automatic "alarm" when the egg is cooked, which would seem to be an invitation rather than an alarm, as an ingenious device lifts it out of the water, so that all the cook has to do is to eat it.

Professor John Tyndall, the famous British scientist, did not marry until he was 63, when he wedded Lord Hamilton's eldest daughter. He is now in his eightieth year.

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