

Achison Ogle Signs.

The wittiest article a man finds in a newspaper is the personal announcing his whereabouts.

Every woman probably believes that in borrowing from her neighbor, she gets a little the worst of.

We would hate to be a preacher. Every woman gives them chicken, and they must be awfully tired of it.

Lettuce is so easily raised and so worthless. We refuse to be grateful at this office for presents of lettuce.

Shake Into Your Shoes.

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It cures painful, swollen, smarting feet, and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight-fitting or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25 cents, in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Self respect is the backbone of mankind.

Don't talk about a "free salvation" when you mean a cheap salvation.

A city's righteous men do more to preserve peace than its police.

Baldness is either hereditary or caused by sickness, mental exhaustion, wearing tight-fitting hats, and by over-work and trouble. Hall's Renewer will prevent it.

The congregation needs to stick close to the text as the preacher.

Piso's Cure for Consumption has been a family medicine with us since 1825. J. R. Mac, 20, 2469 42d Ave., Chicago, Ill.

The man who would lead others must have the courage to step off alone.

FITS Permanently Cured. No other remedy after first day of fits. Kidney, Liver, Stomach, etc. Send for FREE 20c trial bottle and treatise. Dr. H. Kline, Ltd., 20 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

A man with splendid abilities that are not consecrated to God is like a first class fiddle unstrung.

Hall's Catarrh Cure

Is taken internally. Price 75 cents.

People who don't believe in revival of religion can't consistently believe in wash days or house-cleaning.

These miseries, rheumatism and the gout, are ruined hair and whisker due to heat, sun, etc.

It is a waste of breath for the mother to warn her boys against cigarette smoking while their father is puffing away at a pipe.

WANTED Man or Woman, good church standing, to learn our business, then set up a Merriam & Son Correspondent there. Salary \$600. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. A. P. T. Eider, Mgr., 278 Michigan Avenue, Chicago.



About Typewriters.

One of the oldest stenographers in Chicago says: "It used to be accepted as a matter of course that a typewriter letter or document, if not very carefully executed, would be blurred and nasty, and carbon copies were much worse than the original." Little's Typewriter Ribbon has revolutionized the art and with their new ribbon, "as clear and bright as the finest print." By using Little's Cobweb Carbon Paper your copies will be just as clean and handsome. These goods are for sale by the

NEBRASKA NEWSPAPER UNION, YORK, NEBRASKA.

Who also carry a full line of Typewriter supplies. Ribbons, Carbon Paper, Type Writer Oil, Reporters' Pens and -vite Books, and Typewriter Paper of all kinds. Prices as low as the lowest. Mail orders promptly filled.

2,000,000 Strawberry Plants \$1.50

per thousand and up. 1,000 Peach Trees \$1.50 and up. Orange, Orange Hedges, \$1.00 per plant and Ash Seedling 50¢ per thousand. A large supply of all kinds of seeds well-rooted, true to name, and of the best quality.

BOHEMIAN NURSERY, Reynolds New Freight Paid on orders of 2,000 sq. ft. of Boarding or Wall and Ceiling Manila. Write for samples and prices. The Fay Manila Lining Company, Camden, N. J.

Sweetness and Light.

Put a pill in the pulpit if you want practical preaching for the physical man; then put the pill in the pillory if it does not practice what it preaches. There's a whole gospel in Ayer's Sugar Coated Pills; a "gospel of sweetness and light." People used to value their physic, as they did their religion,—by its bitterness. The more bitter the dose the better the doctor. We've got over that. We take "sugar in our" gospel or physic—now-a-days. It's possible to please and to purge at the same time. There may be power in a pleasant pill. That is the gospel of

Ayer's Cathartic Pills.

More pill particulars in Ayer's Catalogue, page 5. Sent free. J. G. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

A City Pasture.

New York city from a point a little above Williamsburg clear up to Woodlawn, along the edge of the Bronx, is an unbroken pasture. Here feed cattle and horses, ducks and geese, upon grass perpetually green from the near presence of the water. At certain times you see the horses and cattle knee deep in the stream, with naked boys washing the former. The whole scene is a delightful country panorama, as viewed from the railway train at rush past

HANDS TELL A STORY.

Palmistry Will Reveal Many Secrets of Character.

"A person has but to open his hand and he opens the history of his life to a person well versed in palmistry," said a professor of the art. "The palm reveals more of a person's true character and disposition than could be learned in a life-long friendship. A person's peculiarities are written there as plainly as in a book; each line is full of meaning. Chronic diseases as well as acute ailments leave their marks upon the palm. I have known instances where diseases that have nonplussed learned doctors have been correctly diagnosed by persons knowing nothing of medicine or physiology, who formed their opinion from the appearance and condition of the hand alone. The moisture, color and condition of the cuticle and nails are just as important to the palmist in determining disease and condition of the system as the lines upon the hand."

"Malformations of the body are reflected in the hand. So far is this true that Rice, the promoter of so many spectacular productions, selects his chorus girls who are to appear in tights by looking at their hands, and that his system is not a faulty one is evidenced by the appearance of the girls on the stage. I have never known a case where the hand of a criminal or thief has not shown just what he was. In examining the hands of people who come to me just for the sport of the thing I have frequently seen the line of the thief well developed in hands whose owners are away up in the social world. Naturally, I watch with interest the careers of such people, but only in one instance have I ever discovered a proof of what the palm revealed. I have no doubt the thief existed in the life of the others just as in this man's life, but undiscovered.

"The case I refer to was a bright society man of Gotham who moved in the best circles. About three years after I examined his hand a theft of tens of thousands of dollars from a bank in which he was employed was hushed up, but not before rumor had given it to the winds among his friends.

"So firm is my faith in the psychometry of the hand that I believe suspicious characters could be judged by a well-informed palmist so that crimes could be prevented by the detection of such parties. Bankers selecting their clerks and business men their trusted men would have a test for honesty as sure as any acid in the requirements of chemistry. The life of the street car spotter would be at an end, for none but honest men would obtain positions. If the science of palmistry develops in coming years as it has in the past ten, the time may not be very far distant when every well regulated business house will have a palmist in its employ as it now has a typewriter."

A Street Crowd.

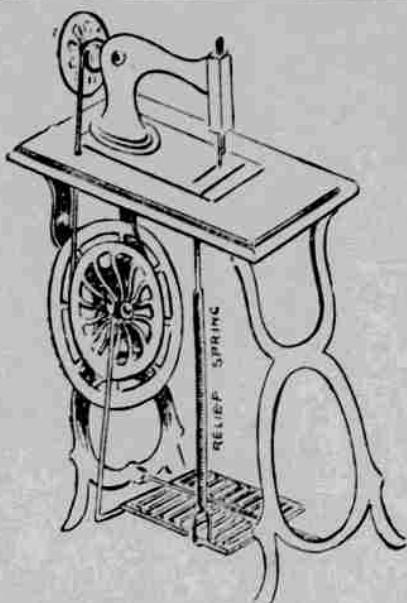
The easiest thing on the face of the earth to entertain is a street crowd. Everything but enclosity in such a motley jam is forgotten. Rich and poor, ignorant and learned, stand elbow to elbow with craned necks and open mouths. Just such a crowd as this blocked the way on Tremont street yesterday at frequently recurring intervals. Every time a very solemn-looking man appeared in the show window there was a scramble to see whose nose would be fastened on the plate glass first. All the solemn-looking man did was to open a couch and proceed to make it into a bed by turning the plush cover mattress side up and putting on a pair of pillows. When the pillows were squared up the crowd was so great that a policeman had to compel the outer layer of spectators to move on. They did so, grumblingly.

Then the bed was unmade, and a parlor couch greeted the people, who smiled and departed. In a few minutes this scene was again enacted. The bed-making man never once relaxed his countenance or hastened his laborious movements.—Boston Advertiser.



SPRING SAVES ACHING BACKS.

A USEFUL attachment for a sewing machine is a "relief spring" attached to the pedals and under part of the table. It saves much labor and many a backache by doing the hardest of the work of running the machine. The pressure of the toes downward is the only motion neces-



THE SPRING SAVES WORK.

sary, as the spring brings the treadle back again, saving the heel motion. This latter is what causes all the backaches, and with the spring is done away with entirely. This spring can be attached to any machine. It is obvious that this arrangement will prove a great relief to every woman who sews. It does half the work.

Laughter Causes Wrinkles.

It has long been a popular belief that wrinkles are chiefly caused by sorrow and care. It is now claimed that this is not always the case—in fact it is said that merry folk are far oftener afflicted with them than are the sorrowful, and that laughter more frequently furrows the face than tears. There is an art in laughter, and to know how to laugh is really quite as important as to know when to do so. If you laugh with the sides of your face the skin will work loose in time, and wrinkles will form in exact accordance with the kind of laugh you indulge in. The man who always wears a snarl will have a series of semicircular wrinkles covering his cheeks. A gambler who is accustomed to suppress his feelings generally has a deep line running from each side of his nose to the upper corner of his mouth, which in time extends to the chin, forming the shape of a full moon. A cadaverous person is usually marked with two wrinkles, one on the jaw and the other under the eye, meeting at right angles at the check bones. The student's wrinkles form on the brow, while those of the schemer round his eyes and resemble the spokes of a wheel.

A LUCKY Bride.



Mrs. Berry was married last year and went with her husband to spend the honeymoon in the gold fields of Alaska. When they were married they were poor, now they have \$130,000 in gold. So much for love, pluck and luck.

Aprons Again in Favor.

Aprons, for so many years regarded as the distinguishing mark of serving women, promise to be the rage in the smart set in London. The apron of the future, however, will differ from that of the past which our grandmothers used to wear. In the days gone by, it was a somber affair of black silk or alpaca sometimes set off by a few dainty tucks or rows of herring-bone stitching and a little very fine lace. Now the very cheapest aprons are made of the finest white linens and muslins and batistes, and are puffed and frilled with lace and trimmed with ribbons until the old ladies of a hundred years ago would never dream that they were aprons. The finest aprons are made of real lace, and are well worth passing down from generation to generation.

Business Ability of Women.

It is said that through the medium of clubs women are developing business ability, executive capacity, tolerance for the opinions and views of other people and a broad sense of charity and loyalty toward the world, which will materially strengthen her entire

simple S. A. C.

A drop of creosote will stop the bleeding of a cut.

For cramps or pains in the stomach try a few drops of camphor.

Nothing as promptly cuts short a congestion of the lungs, sore throat or rheumatism as hot water, when applied east in the case and thoroughly.

Sufferers from neuralgia are warned by a medical writer not to drink tea, to drink freely of coffee into which the juice of a lemon has been squeezed.

Love sets courage on fire.

Some families have good home-made bread and bad home-made manners.

Justice and Love are Siamese twins—we can not have one without the other.

... evil of our friends are more dangerous than those of our enemies.

It is our business to do right, it is

... business to see that we come off well.

The fellow who is always straining

be great, wears him off smaller a

smaller.

... signatures are not won

the ink it takes to make them.

... says that "the

... and we are

... man's capacity for making a fool of

... man's development.

One Post at a Time.

Inquiry at the Boston postoffice shows that there is one place in Boston and unless one or more in New York, etc., at a price nearly double, foreign mail can be had to enclose in letters sent abroad for return postage. One would think in these days of international reciprocity that the respective governments of the old and the new world could make some official arrangements for the accommodation of their citizens in this matter.

Sheep are sometimes taken over a bad road to a good pasture.

It is easier for water to run up hill than for a selfish man to be happy.

Happy the man who finds and recites the particular cause of his misfortune.

The preacher who would hear sinners

... sin to pray, must first get his church

... knees.

You can never tell what a man will do

... trade by the length of his

... war horse of the Duke of

Wellington was named Copenhagen.

... ruler will sit if he has influence.

... money.

... man's capacity for making a fool of

... man's development.

AN OPEN LETTER To MOTHERS.

WE ARE ASSERTING IN THE COURTS OUR RIGHT TO THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD "CASTORIA," AND "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," AS OUR TRADE MARK.

I, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*, on every *Pitcher's Castoria* wrapper. This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," which has been used in the homes of the mothers of America for over thirty years. LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is the kind you have always bought and has the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* on the wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except the Centaur Company of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President.

March 8, 1897.

General Pitcher, M.D.

Do Not Be Deceived.

Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting a cheap substitute which some druggist may offer you (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the ingredients of which even he does not know.

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Costs Less than ONE CENT a cup.

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(Established 1780.)

Washes for Fair Hair.

Takes the latest of borax, and the same quantity of salt; two ounces each of spirits of wine and ammonia water; two drachms of tincture of camphor, and four ounces each of rose water and distilled water. If the hair is naturally dry, a little almond oil may be added. Or take one ounce of borax and half an ounce of emphor, and dissolve them in one quart of boiling water. When cool, says the London Star this will be ready for use.

Frog Skins for Gloves.