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The valued St. Paul Globe discourses pessimistically on Christmas horrors. Nothing but neckties, match safes, pen wipers and smoking sets in its stocking this year?

That movement to eliminate the ragtime song may be worthy, but it is somewhat late. The world has passed the "Bedelia" stage and is now in the deadly embrace of "Teasing."

The economical New York editor who addressed a New Year's cable to the Emperor of Japan, "Mikado, Te-ilo," might have saved four bits more if he had cut "Mikado" down to "Mike."

Ninety years ago the first great battle of New Orleans was fought. Everybody will recall the fact that the second great battle of New Orleans was between Sullivan and Corbett, many years later.

Prof. Perrine of the Lick observatory has discovered a sixth satellite of Jupiter, but as a telescope of 10 to 12 inches in diameter is needed to observe it, comparatively few of us will ever see it.

Objection to the marriage of King Alfonso of Spain and Princess Victoria of England has been raised in some high places. This being the case, he is pretty sure to marry her if she will have him.

George Meredith comes out now with the discouraging declaration that America has never produced a great writer. And still America doesn't especially regret that George Meredith wasn't born over here.

Uncle Sam's experiments in the matter of world's fair postage stamps have convinced him that a busy people does not take kindly to the idea of licking an unnecessary area of mucilage when about to mail a letter.

It appears that Mrs. Chadwick smuggled over \$50,000 through the gates of the custom house at New York. This fact is likely to cause certain ladies who occupy high social positions to regard her with admiration rather than contempt.

"Gov. Pennypacker," says the Pittsburg Post, "will now show whether he is a man or a mouse." It must be gratifying to Mr. Pennypacker to know that there is, after the record he has made, a doubt on the man-or-mouse question as it relates to him.

Dr. A. Spitzka of Columbia university says there is no criminal type. By a curious coincidence the same paper that reported his remarks told of the Chicago creature that poured kerosene over seven horses and set fire to them.

Sir Walter Scott began to write his celebrated novels at 40. Milton began "Paradise Lost" at 50. When "East Lynne" appeared its author, Mrs. Henry Wood, was 45. We print this just to encourage those who hope that they are going to do something some time.

"I am a perfect model. My measurements are: Bust 37 1/2 inches, waist 25 inches, hips 43 inches, height 5 feet 8 inches," said a young lady called as a witness in a dressmaker's suit in a New York court. And the jury who looked at her agreed with her. Get out your tape measures, girls.

Dr. Chadwick says the public has misunderstood his wife. Irl Reynolds may have misunderstood her when he bought she said that package of brown paper was worth \$15,000,000.

## Pays for Stolen Vest.

Some months ago the vicar of Rogate, Sussex, received a letter from Australia asking him to try to find a man in his village who had had his waistcoat stolen thirty years ago. The vicar found the man and told his Australian correspondent. In due time he received a letter inclosing \$50 for the owner of the waistcoat. The writer said that with the \$2.50 he had found in the waistcoat he had gained a new start in life and was now well-to-do.

## Money Made by Beggars.

No beggar in New York makes less than \$5 a day, according to the New York Times. They receive contributions varying from one penny to \$25. Some of them are experts in their lines and play only for donations of \$5 and \$10 and upward, telling plausible stories of unpaid rents, dying wives and starving children, of funeral expenses, and other harrowing experiences that appeal to the sympathies of tender hearted humanity.

## Juryman's Truthful Excuse.

A juryman who appeared before Sir James Hannen in a London court room recently was in deep mourning and claimed exemption from service on the ground that he was interested in a funeral that day at which he desired to be present. "Oh, certainly," said the courteous judge, and the man went sad-facedly away. "Do you know the man you have exempted?" asked the clerk. "No," said Sir James. "He is an undertaker," was the reply.

## Savory Stew Was of Dog.

A few officers of a British ship were dining with a mandarin at Canton. One of the guests wished a second helping of a savory stew, which he thought was composed of duck. Not knowing a word of Chinese, he held up his plate to his host, saying, with smiling approval: "Quack, quack, quack!" The mandarin was an intelligent Chinaman. Shaking his head he pointed to the dish of stew and said: "Bow, bow, bow!"

## Robbed Hearse for Feathers.

Horace Walpole once told this story of Lady Ailsbury: On her return to London from abroad her ladyship found that the duchess of Devonshire had still the highest feathers. Upon this she tried to get one higher, without success, till she luckily thought of sending to an undertaker. He sent word that his hearses were all out, but they were expected home in a few days and then he hoped to accommodate her ladyship.

## Men Arranged Divorce Laws.

Although more wives obtain divorces than husband no authority for giving a woman a divorce will be found in either Buddhism, Taoism, Shintoism, Confucianism, Hindooism, Mohammedanism, Judaism or Christianity. But that part of the several faiths was arranged by the men for as a personal matter of their own.

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