

**No Reverence for Antiquity.**  
Ambassador Lloyd Griscom, at a dinner that he gave to a party of Philadelphians visiting Rome, praised the well-known American veneration for antiquity.

"It is seldom enough," said Mr. Griscom, "that we find an American phlegmatic before the treasures of Rome's past. I have only found one such person. He is a southerner, and I gave a day to showing him about. The first church we visited was, I think, the Ara Coeli on the Capitoline Hill.

"This church, Calhoun," said I, is 800 years old."  
"Humph," said he, "it smells a lot older."

**TEN YEARS OF PAIN.**

**Unable to Do Even Housework Because of Kidney Troubles.**

Mrs. Margaret Emmerich, of Clinton St., Napoleon, O., says: "For fifteen years I was a great sufferer from kidney troubles. My back pained me terribly. Every turn or move caused sharp, shooting pains. My eyesight was poor, dark spots appeared before me, and I had dizzy spells. For ten years I could not do housework, and for two years did not get out of the house. The kidney secretions were irregular, and doctors were not helping me. Doan's Kidney Pills brought me the quick relief, and finally cured me. They saved my life."

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

**An Awakener.**

"Good gracious, what an early riser that Mrs. Gadd is!"  
"There must be a bargain sale somewhere."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**RASH ALL OVER BODY.**

**Awful, Crusted, Weeping Eczema on Little Sufferer—A Score of Treatments Prove Dismal Failures—Cure Achieved by Cuticura.**  
"My little boy had an awful rash all over his body and the doctor said it was eczema. It was terrible and used to water awfully. Any place the water went it would form another sore and it would become crusted. A score or more physicians failed utterly and dismally in their efforts to remove the trouble. Then I was told to use the Cuticura Remedies. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent, and before we had used half the Resolvent I could see a change in him. In about two months he was entirely well. George L. Lambert, 139 West Centre St., Mahanoy City, Pa., Sept. 29 and Nov. 4, 1907."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props. of Cuticura Remedies, Boston.

**Trains of a Campaign.**  
Miss Mayne (on vacation)—O, auntie, it's such a luxury to have nothing to do but just lie in a hammock with my precious Shelley or even the "Vicar of Wakefield!"  
Elderly Relative—Child, if I hear of any more such scandalous doings I shall write to your mother!—Chicago Tribune.

**Many a Day Is Spoiled.**

By a cough which cannot be broken by ordinary remedies. But why not try a medicine that will cure any cough that any medicine can cure? That is Kemp's Balsam. It is recommended by doctors and nurses, and it costs only 25 cents at any druggist's or dealer's. Keep a bottle always in the house and you will always be prepared to treat a cold or cough before it causes any suffering at all.

**Involuntary Contributions.**

Ordinary Individual—I see President Roosevelt has been offered a dollar a word for the story of his hunting adventures in Africa next year. If he had been paid at that rate for his message to Congress—gee!

Predatory Trust Magnate—Huh! They cost a lot of us a good deal more than a dollar a word!

**You Can Get Allen's Foot-Ease FREE.**

Write today to Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y., for a FREE sample of Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to shake into your shoes. It cures tired, sweating, hot, swollen, aching feet. It makes new or tight shoes easy. A certain cure for Corns and Bunions. All Druggists and Shoe Stores sell it. 25c.

**An Expensive Fire.**

She was a splendid servant, but she didn't know anything about gas to cook with, so he went to the kitchen with her to explain about the range. So that she could see how it was operated he lit each of the many burners. While still explaining a message called him from the kitchen and he left her saying, "I guess you will find that it will work all right now, Martha."

He didn't see the cook again for four or five days, then, upon entering the kitchen, he said, "Well, Martha, how's that range doing?"  
To his utter consternation she replied:  
"Good, sir, that's the best stove I ever did see. That fire what you kindled for me four days ago is still a-burning, and it ain't even lowered once."

**Four Perish in Hotel Fire.**

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**ABDUL HAMID DEPOSED AND BROTHER REIGNS**

"Red Sultan" Formally Removed and Reshad Effendi Made Ruler by Order of Assembly.

**EX-MONARCH IS TAKEN AWAY.**

Reported to Have Been Transported to Asia Minor—101 Guns Sound End of His Reign.

Abdul Hamid II, Sultan of Turkey, has been deposed from the throne of the Ottoman Empire by his subjects for his interference with the progress of popular government under the constitution granted by him last July, and his brother, Mehmed Reshad Effendi, now occupies the throne. This decided change was decided upon Tuesday by the national assembly without a dissenting voice and it was carried out with the utmost rapidity. The Sultan is now a prisoner in the hands of the young Turks and carefully guarded by his captors.

The formal decree removing Abdul Hamid from all power of the Turkish Empire was issued by the Shiek-ul-Islam, the head of the church, in the regular form prescribed by the tenets of the Mohammedan faith. The city of Constantinople was alive with excitement, and throngs of the populace filled the streets. A number of arrests were made, but the change of sovereigns was effected without disorder of any kind. A salute of 101 guns announcing the end of the reign of Abdul Hamid and the beginning of that of Mehmed Reshad Effendi was fired. The Yildiz garrison surrendered Sunday to the constitutional forces in Constantinople. The commanders of these battalions began sending in their submission to Mahmud Scheffer Pasha Saturday night and the whole of the troops protecting the palace gave their formal and unconditional surrender shortly after dawn.

Sultan Abdul Hamid had been permitted to remain within the walls of the Yildiz Kiosk, where Saturday, in company with his ministers, he waited for the outcome of the struggle between his loyal troops and the army of investment, each hour bringing to him word of a fresh disaster. His army of defense, whipped, slaughtered and scattered, has vanished and the constitutionalists rule the capital city of Turkey and its 1,500,000 inhabitants.

After a day of carnage—in which fully one thousand soldiers were killed and many times that number wounded, the streets for hours echoing the roar of artillery, the rattle of rifle bullets and the clash of sabers, while walls of masonry crumbled to dust, battered down by the shells of big guns—Constantinople Saturday night was at peace. Calmness and confidence not known in weeks prevailed, showing popular belief in the ability of the victors to keep their pledges of restoring order.

Mukstar Bey, leader of the force which invaded the city, was killed fighting, and it is certain other brave men of the constitutionalist forces will be counted with the dead. Three Americans, two of them correspondents, were wounded during the battle, they having ventured too near the scene of combat. All Americans and other foreigners, with these exceptions, escaped harm.

**FIGHT FOR THE PENNANTS.**

Standing of Clubs in the Principal Base Ball Leagues.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
	W.	L.	P.
Chicago	4	4	6
Boston	6	4	5
Philadelphia	5	4	6
Cincinnati	7	6	5

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
	W.	L.	P.
Detroit	9	3	5
New York	7	4	7
Chicago	6	5	8
Boston	6	5	7

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.			
	W.	L.	P.
Milwaukee	9	2	6
Louisville	10	4	6
Indianapolis	8	6	3
Toledo	7	7	3

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**THE TURKISH BATH.**



"BY THE BEARD OF THE PROPHET, IT'S TOO HOT FOR ME!" —Baltimore Sun.

**HELD AS SLAYER OF GIRLS.**

Man Said to Have Admitted Crime—Arrest May Clear Many Crimes.

Elmer Carr, declared to be the murderer of Mary Forschner and Lizzie Fulhart, has been placed under arrest in Dayton, Ohio, at the instance of H. H. Hollenbeck, assistant State fire marshal, and Bert Hullinger, a deputy fire marshal.

So strong is the web of evidence in which both Hollenbeck and Hullinger believe they have twined Carr that Hollenbeck was given instructions to proceed to Dayton and file affidavits against Carr for murder and arson.

This arrest, while having no direct connection with the Dona Gilman crime, it is firmly believed by the authorities, who have been ceaselessly working on the murders of young girls in Dayton, that Carr may be able to explain how Dona Gilman was killed.

Mrs. Carrie Middlestetter was being examined by officers of the Fire Marshal's office relative to the destruction of a house belonging to a relative of hers, and during her testimony she said that Carr had confessed to her that he had killed Elizabeth Fulhart. Mary Forschner's body was discovered by her stepfather on Jan. 23 in North Dayton. One arrest followed another, but nothing came of them. On Feb. 5, or about two weeks later, the body of Elizabeth Fulhart was found in a cistern in the rear of a house on West Jefferson street, Dayton.

Again many arrests took place, but no prosecutions were instituted because of the inability of the police to get the proper evidence.

Recently a fire destroyed a house belonging to Joseph Voges, a relative of Mrs. Middlestetter, near Dayton, and the inquiry held adduced the following testimony: That Carr had brought the Fulhart girl to a room in Mrs. Middlestetter's house. The following Sunday the same program was carried out, but that was the last seen of her. The dress which she wore that day, as described by the Middlestetter woman, and the dress which she wore when her body was recovered are identical.

The next Monday, Mrs. Middlestetter says, Carr confidentially asked her if she had seen anything in the newspapers regarding the disappearance of any young girl. She replied that she had not. "Well, you will," he is said to have replied, according to her testimony. On the following Friday the discovery was made, and although she was taken before the court during the coroner's inquest, Mrs. Middlestetter states that she did not dare to tell what she knew of the case through fear of Carr. Carr was arrested and held as a suspect, but later released because of lack of evidence. Carr is said to have known Dona Gilman, who was also slain.

**P. F. COLLIER DROPS DEAD.**

Publisher Was Attending Horse Show at Riding Club.

Peter Fenelon Collier, founder of Collier's Weekly, famous as a polo player and follower of the hounds, dropped dead in the riding club at 7 East 58th street, New York, shortly before 1 o'clock Saturday morning. Mr. Collier had been attending the twentieth annual horse show under the auspices of this club and had several horses entered. Scores of society people were in attendance and after the exhibition the guests went to the third floor, where a banquet was served. During the evening Mr. Collier seemed to be in the best of health and chatted merrily with his friends. As every one was leaving the table and making their way to the elevators Mr. Collier suddenly put his hand to his heart and with a groan fell forward on the floor.

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**TURKEY'S NEW SULTAN, 29TH OF OTTHMANS, LACKS CRAFT.**



MEHMEED RESHAD EFFENDI.

Reshad is 65 years old, and next to the deposed sultan, is the oldest male descendant of the house of Othman, the founder of the dynasty. He is the twenty-ninth sultan to take the throne since the conquest of Constantinople in 1451.

Abdul's nephew, Yussef Izzedin, was preferred by many as his successor, but his selection would have violated the Turkish law that the succession shall go to the oldest male descendant of Othman. Otherwise, Yussef would have been chosen, as Reshad is considered a man of weak qualities.

Reshad has had no experience in governmental affairs. For twenty-five years he has been almost a prisoner in the Yildiz Kiosk. It is conceded that he will do whatever the Young Turks demand, as he is lacking in the craftiness and initiative of Abdul.



The Canadian government has removed the foot and mouth quarantine on cattle from all States except Pennsylvania.

The Philippine assembly, by a vote of 47 to 9, refused to concur in the resolution of insular commission in support of the Payne tariff bill.

Arrangements have been completed for Wilbur Wright to give a series of aeroplane flights at Cherbourg, France. The date has not been fixed.

As a result of the frequent landing of German balloons in France, the French government has decided to collect in the future a duty of \$120 on every balloon.

In the Socialist Congress at St. Etienne, France, the moderate counsels of M. Jaures have been rejected and the more radical leader, Guesde, has been given full rein.

Mechanics have signed a new agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway, the company and the unions having arrived at a satisfactory arrangement for the new schedule.

Americans engaged in relief work at Messina have built 250 houses for earthquake sufferers, and have arranged for the completion of 1,250 more. The houses are built of American lumber provided with the relief fund raised in this country.

At Paris the diplomatic representatives of France and Germany signed a document of far-reaching importance to the nations directly concerned and to the world at large, it being nothing less than an agreement as to French and German interests in Morocco, which have been in dispute for four years. It means that Germany and France are at last in full accord and that the war nightmare is at an end in this part of the world.

**KEEP UP MASSACRE; PEOPLE ALL DESPAIR**

Atrocities in Asiatic Turkey Continue and Starvation Claims Many.

**SURVIVORS ARE IN DEEP MISERY**

War Ships of Powers Land Marines but Little Progress Is Made Toward Order.

The situation in Asiatic Turkey is one of extreme gravity. How many thousands have been massacred cannot even be estimated, because the disturbances have been so widespread that it is impossible to secure details of the happenings of the last ten days. The latest estimates of the number killed in the vilayet of Adana reaches approximately 25,000, and thousands have been done to death in the towns of other districts. The state of siege which several of the places are undergoing has brought the inhabitants to the verge of starvation, and each day brings its tales of further atrocities and the depths of misery and despair to which the savagery of the fanatics has brought the people. Several warships are now in the waters of the disturbed territory, but the disorders are so far-reaching that the efforts of the powers to restore normal conditions have as yet hardly been felt. A British warship has been ordered from Alexandria to Suedia, where conditions have become worse. All the property of the Christians at Djebel Bereket has been destroyed. The total loss is unknown, but it will be enormous.

At the town of Adana more than 100 girls are missing. It is known that twenty-one native pastors have been killed. Fears are entertained that other American missionaries than those whose deaths have been reported have been murdered. There are 15,000 refugees in Adana and Tarsus and 5,000 at Mersina. A messenger, dispatched for relief by Miss Lambert, the American missionary, who two days previous sent an appeal to Constantinople, was killed in the streets. A second messenger, a soldier, was shot at. The val has given assurances of the safety of Americans.

According to the latest information from the country around Alexandretta, the Armenian village of Kessab has been burned and many persons have been killed there. The women and children of Kessab are fugitives in the surrounding mountains, exposed to hunger and violence. No news has been received from Hadjin, where five American women missionaries were reported to be in danger of violence at the hands of infuriated tribesmen.

**POWERS' EYES WATCH TURKEY.**

All European Nations Interested in Fate of Ottoman State.

Turkey for many years has been the bete noir of European governments because her name symbolizes that enduring bugbear of old world chancelleries—the eastern question. What nations are to divide the territory of Turkey in Europe should the Ottoman Empire crumble? Is Russia to occupy Constantinople? Is the Anglo-Saxon or the Slav to be champion of occidentalism in the twentieth century? These are three of the chief questions which, taken together, constitute the famous eastern question of which so much has been written.

England and Russia are the powers which chiefly stand face to face on the question. British diplomacy on the near eastern question has been mainly aimed at checking the attempts of Russia to extend her empire and strengthen her strategic position by absorption of part of the Turkish territory. Whenever any phase of the eastern question is opened the whole world becomes concerned. Russia is interested because the question affects her route to the sea and her relations with England, the United States and the other great powers. Austria is concerned because the question affects her prospects in the Balkan states. France is concerned because it affects her commercial ambitions in the far East, her claims in Africa and her route to the orient.

**BIBLES HIDE SMUGGLING.**

Customs Officials Seize Costly Goods on Mission Boat.

Three customs inspectors confiscated a truckload of costly Asiatic goods from a missionary boat at New York. Among Bibles and hymn books were found enough rare china, lacquer and bronzes to properly equip a commodious Fifth avenue hotel. Inspector Sawyer on patrol along the South Brooklyn shore Wednesday night heard music. It was the chanting of a hymn brought to land by a chance turn of the wind. He went down to the end of a pier and found the church ship Sentinel. Sawyer became suspicious when he saw a number of boxes and barrels being loaded aboard the Sentinel and boarded her. He found that the packages labeled "prayer books" held Oriental goods worth a fortune.

**School Is to Teach Thrift.**

The school board of Oakland City is planning a school banking system to teach pupils the principles of thrift. The money is to be placed in a general fund until each pupil has at least \$1, after which an individual account may be opened.

**MADE WELL AND STRONG**

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Bardstown, Ky.—"I suffered from ulceration and other female troubles for a long time. Doctors had failed to help me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended, and I decided to try it. It cured my trouble and made me well and strong, so that I can do all my own work." Mrs. JOSEPH HALL, Bardstown, Ky.

**Another Woman Cured.**

Christiana, Tenn.—"I suffered from the worst form of female trouble so that at times I thought I could not live, and my nerves were in a dreadful condition. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me, and made me feel like a different woman. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is worth its weight in gold to suffering women."—Mrs. MARY WOOD, R.F.D. 3.

If you belong to that countless army of women who suffer from some form of female ills, don't hesitate to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs. For thirty years this famous remedy has been the standard for all forms of female ills, and has cured thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, fibroid tumors, ulceration, inflammation, irregularities, backache, and nervous prostration.

If you want special advice write for it to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. It is free and always helpful.

**Henry VIII's Anthems Sung by Cathedral Choirs.**

"The first of the English sovereigns who won fame as a composer was Henry VIII. Many of his anthems are sung to-day by cathedral choirs. He also wrote a melodious effusion. 'Now Fayre, Fayrest off Every Fayre,' to quote the original title, for the marriage of his sister, Margaret, with James IV of Scotland," said Miss Alys Lorraine, in the London Chronicle.

"Charles I was another composer, and I am including in my program his effective setting of Thomas Carew's poem 'Mark How the Blushful Morn'."

"I think everybody knows that Queen Victoria was a fine singer and a good pianist, and the late Prince Consort was most zealous in popularizing the art in this country. The majority of Prince Albert's compositions have been collected and published. Of the present members of the royal family the most distinguished as a composer is Princess Henry of Bottenberg."

"Turning aside to foreign courts, the German emperor has won some fame for his 'Song of Aegir,' which is included in my program. The late Duke broeth tipforeceirn cmf rhrpanhtp brother of the prince consort, composed several operas.

"Marie Antoinette will be represented in the program by her setting of Florian's 'C'est Mon Ami,' and from the many works of the Saxon monarch Anthony the Good, who died in 1836, I have chosen a song he composed in celebration of the birth of his nephew, Prince Clement.

"Who was the greatest royal composer? Well, I should think that honor might fall to the nephew of Frederick the Great, Prince Louis Ferdinand of Prussia, who was killed at the battle of Saalfeld."

**Its Family Construction.**

"I was away up in front," Mrs. Lapsing was saying, "and yet I couldn't hear half the actors said. I tell you there's something wrong with the acoustic properties of that theater."—Chicago Tribune.

**OLD SOAKERS**

**Get Saturated with Caffeine.**

"When a person has used coffee for a number of years and gradually declined in health, it is time the coffee should be left off in order to see whether or not that has been the cause of the trouble.

A lady in Huntsville, Ala., says she used coffee for about 40 years, and for the past 20 years was troubled with stomach trouble.

"I have been treated by many physicians but all in vain. Everything failed to perfect a cure. I was prostrated for some time, and came near dying. When I recovered sufficiently to partake of food and drink I tried coffee again and it soured on my stomach.

"I finally concluded coffee was the cause of my troubles and stopped using it. I tried tea and then milk in its place, but neither agreed with me, then I commenced using Postum. I had it properly made and it was very pleasing to the taste.

"I have now used it four months, and my health is so greatly improved that I can eat almost anything I want and can sleep well, whereas, before, I suffered for years with insomnia.

"I have found the cause of my troubles and a way to get rid of them. You can depend upon it I appreciate Postum."

"There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

