

For and About Women Folks

Crusade Against Impure Candy.

ALL WOMEN are interested in candy, even those who have lost the "sweet tooth" have an interest in the subject, as it affects the pure food problem so important to the well being of every family.

all the dolls that they could make that season. In 1892 a collection was entered for sale in the children's building at the Columbian exposition.

Up to the fall of 1898 the mother and two daughters constituted the working force. Shortly afterward Miss Emma Adams, the pioneer of the enterprise, died suddenly.

Several years ago the dolls attracted the attention of Mrs. E. B. Horton of Boston, a great doll fancier.

These things are widely scattered throughout the European countries and many are to be found in the collections of children of royalty.

Collectors of Bad Debts.

"For persistent persuasive bill collecting give me a woman every time," said a dunning creditor of the Philadelphia Record.

Two Girls Start New Industry.

From a plaything designed to amuse two children originated an industry which has attained a remarkable growth and become famous throughout the world.

The business conducted by Miss Marietta Adams, originally for pleasure, has continued for profit. Although still a home industry, it has become an established business of not a little commercial importance.

There were two sisters in the beginning who started the work. One, Miss Emma Adams, was at the time a successful crayon and oil artist; the other, Miss Marietta, was a stenographer for a large western business house.

The incident which led up to an independent business career for the two girls occurred while visiting friends in Chicago. Just to give pleasure to some little folk several dolls were made.

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A Skin of Beauty is a Joy Forever.

DR. T. Felix Gouraud's Oriental Cream or Medical Beautifier. Removes Tan, Pimples, Freckles, Moth Patches, and every blemish on the face.

ICEBAGS

We sell all kinds of Rubber Ice Bags—made of rubber, or cloth, or silk, or cotton, or wool, or fur, or any other material.

The "Kantstooop" Shoulder Brace and Suspender. Strong, Effective, Simple.

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Producing the most salutary effect so much desired. Positively cures the habit of stooping.

Women's, Misses' \$1.00 and Boys', all sizes, \$1.25

FOR SALE BY

J. H. MERCHANT, 12th and Howard Sts., THE BELL DRUG CO., 12th and Douglas Sts., 12th and Farnam Sts.

SCHAEFFER'S DRUG STORES, Cor. 16th and Chicago Sts., 5th and N. Omaha, Cor. 5th Ave. and Main St., Council Bluffs.

MYERS-DILLON DRUG CO., 16th and Farnam Sts., BOSTON STORE DRUG DEPT., 16th and Douglas Sts., H. J. PENFOLD & CO., 16th and Farnam Sts.

January Mark-Down Sale

Monday Morning, January 22, We Record the Commencement of a Most Interesting Sale of Furniture, Carpets and Draperies

The most successful season we have ever experienced prompts us to share with our CUSTOMERS in this SALE, which is the largest we have ever had at this season of the year.

Furniture Department This is the season of the year when we take losses to make room for spring arrivals. We have in our stock about one hundred ROCKERS, PARLOR CHAIRS AND MORRIS CHAIRS, in all the popular styles, wood and their various finishes.

CARPET DEPARTMENT If you are in need of a CARPET now, or in the near future, take advantage of the MARK-DOWN SALE. Wilton Velvet Carpets—Thirty patterns of Wilton Velvet Carpet, some with borders, some without, these we never sold for less than \$1.25 per yard; will be placed on sale this week at 97c

OUR DRAPERY DEPARTMENT This section is the most interesting to the person of artistic taste, containing all the dainty effect and novelties in LACE CURTAINS and FINE FABRICS for DOOR and WINDOW DRAPERY.

MILLER, STEWART & BEATON

1315-17-19 FARNAM STREET

ness on her horse, leads her delivery wagon

and is soon ready for her daily journey. The route covers a distance of about thirty-

first horse trainer and wants to see the

harness or colt that she cannot break to

harness or saddle. As her daily trips are

largely before dawn she always protects

herself by carrying a revolver.

A Romance.

The doctor shook his gray head, reports the Cleveland Plaindealer.

"Can't you rouse her?" he hoarsely whis-

pered. Again the doctor shook his head.

"You try," he murmured.

The young husband bent lower.

"Jane," he called, "Jane, dear, I see that

Slingby & Co. are offering some remarkable

bargains today in left over holiday

goods. Fifty per cent discount on every-

thing. "Bring me my hat," said Jane.

Woman's Last Wish Gratified.

Mrs. William Astor, leader of New York's "Four Hundred," has cause for

much gratification today in knowing that

one of her acts of kindness brought ex-

treme joy to an aged friend a few days

ago, the possibility to extend it had

vanished.

Miss Mary Noonan, 70 years old, died

January 7 at her little home in Red Bank,

N. J., but she died happy in realization of

a lifetime's longing. For a full week re-

cently she was the guest of Mrs. Astor

and shared in the many brilliant func-

tions in the Astor mansion at 842 Fifth

avenue, she had no share in them other

than as a worker. During these long years

she often said she was perfectly content

but for lacking personal participation in

the gayeties she witnessed.

Age came upon Miss Noonan. She was

retired, much to Mrs. Astor's distress, a

few years ago. Her small savings enabled

her to live in comfort near a sister, Mrs.

Thomas Clusey, in Red Bank. But the

ambition of her life was not yet attained.

Memories of the grand times she had wit-

nessed gathered about her and distressed

her. One thing alone she craved—a bit of

experience in being a "grand lady."

As her age increased so did her infirmities.

Mrs. Astor never forgot Miss

Noonan's services and friendship, and

many a box of remembrances found its

way from Fifth avenue to the Red Bank

cottage. In an effort to learn if she could

do anything more to make Miss Noonan's

last days easier and happier, Mrs. Astor

consulted with Mrs. Clusey about Christ-

mas time. Then she learned of her aged

friend's one great desire.

Mrs. Astor determined that personal in-

Nicholas Pulled Alice's Hair.

Mrs. Roosevelt told a pretty little story

about the first meeting of Representative

Longworth and Miss Alice to the cabinet

women the other day. Mr. Longworth, she

explained, was perfectly honest when he

dated his meeting with his fiancée to the

autumn of 1902, but that event really oc-

curred fourteen years ago, when the pres-

ident and his family were living here. One

day Judge Longworth and his son, young

Nicholas, then a Harvard student, came to

call, and Miss Alice, in short frocks and

plaited plaits, was practicing scales on the

parlor piano. The young man pulled these

afraid pigtails and jokingly wagged

with the little miss that she could not play

"Yankee Doodle," not even if he whistled

it for her. Miss Alice walked out of the

room with much dignity, without making

an effort, and for years she spoke in terms

of withering contempt of that "smart"

Harvard man. The president, Mrs. Roose-

velt and Mr. Longworth recall the circum-

stance readily, but Mr. Longworth avers

that, happily for him, every vestige of its

memory has vanished from Miss Alice's

mind. Luckily, Mr. Roosevelt has the

hair to speak of, in case his bride did con-

template reprisals.

Test of a Perfect Foot.

A test for the perfect foot, according to

the London Mail, is made as follows: Dip

your feet in water or flour, then walk

quickly and naturally across a bare floor.

Now turn and examine the few lines

which are left. If they are straight, but

if they show the outer rim of the foot

straight, but the inner line breaking, leav-

ing a strong heel mark and a strong im-

pression of the ball of the foot, with a

break in the line on the inner side where

the hollow of the foot escapes the floor

of the shoe, the foot is not perfect, and

you should use your best endeavors to keep

it so by wearing good and well-made shoe

leather.

If, on the other hand, the inner border

shows a continuous line, as does the outer,

all is not well and measures should be

taken to alleviate that which is wrong,

either in the shoe leather worn or in the

habit of walking.

Leaves from Fashion's Notebook.

Some good-looking lightweight wooleen-

checks of the new season, in green, blue,

or brown and black—make attractive morn-

ing shirtwaists, and as attractive shirtwaist

collars.

Chat About Women.

Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, who before

her marriage was Gertrude Vanderbilt and

who has for several years been a very

notable social sculptor, has accepted from

the firm of Warren & Wetmore, who have

been in charge of the interior decoration

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Labor and Industry

About 3 per cent of the people in the

world gain their living directly from the

sea. According to statistics just made public,

17,900 men have been killed or maimed in

the Allegheny (Pa.) mills during the last

year. The Electrical World estimates that

the production of electrical apparatus in 1905

amounted to \$20,000,000, of which over \$15,-

000,000 was exported. There are 800 shoe factories in this

country using the union stamp, according to a

report recently issued. These factories give

employment to 40,000 union shoemakers.

On agricultural lines, both in England

and Ireland the co-operative idea, has

found successful adoption. In Ireland the

agricultural co-operative societies number

about 800, with 99,000 members and control-

ling a trade of \$7,200,000.

With a view to establishing a pension

system, officials of the Baltimore & Ohio

reporting a census made of all employees

in every department of that system, it is

said that a full list of the men employed

to do the work of the Baltimore & Ohio

has never been compiled, but a rough es-

timate places the total at 65,000.

According to the figures obtained by the

Labor Gazette of Canada, changes in

wages and hours of labor in Canada dur-

ing April, May and June affected an ap-

proximate total of 13,750 men and the final

result of the changes involved a total in-

crease of \$1,815,000 and a total decrease of

\$825,000, leaving a net increase of \$990,000.

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