

WARY WOMEN'S WAY.

FACTS AND FICTION FOR FAIR FEMALES.

What One Woman Has Done—A Sound Body—A Story of a Social Belle—Woman Rules Us All.



HOW TO secure good health is one of the first problems for this generation of women.

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on her studies still further in England, but she was unfortunately a little over the prescribed age and the scholarship has been awarded to a male student of less attainments.

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great deal of money; but who ever heard of a woman, trained up to be a coquette. From the time that I could stand I was fully aware of the value of my white skin, my deep, dark eyes, and that attached to the wonderful red hair that made a gorgeous framing for my finely cut face.

"At 18 years of age I was brought out, but for three months before that my mother had taught me exactly who among the men were eligible who were not, what women were to be cultivated, what ones to be civil to and what ones to ignore."

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Daughter—Yes, indeed. You ought to hear him cough.—Smith & Street's Good News.

HERE'S A PICTURE FOR YOU.

The most unappreciated book of recent times concerning America has been laid before the Norwegian public by Knut Hamsun.

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TYPES IN FICTION.

How Some American Authors Have Profited by "Bab Ballada."

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Edward Coke, the English jurist, was of the opinion that "A man's house is his castle."

When Greeks joined Greeks then was the tug of war," was written by Nathaniel Lee in 1692.

ILLINOIS LAW-MAKERS.

In the Senate, on the 28th, bills were introduced to place municipal funds at interest, the income to go to the cities; to allow compromise by litigants before verdict is given; to allow active drawing in navigable streams and tributaries; to reimburse fees of Alexander Bruce for work on Coopera.

Every member of the joint assembly was present on the 29th, and four ballots—the forty-fourth, forty-fifth, forty-sixth, forty-seventh—were taken with no change. At five, Mr. Van Praeg of the Democratic side, "that after the next ballot the two candidates receiving the lowest number of votes be dropped from the contest."

The proceedings of the joint assembly were taken on the 30th. Two ballots were taken with no change—Palmer, 101; Oglesby, 100; Streeter, 3. "It seems to me," said Senator Fuller, "that having taken an even vote, the subject is closed."

A DOZEN bills were introduced in both houses the 3d. Tom Ferns contributed a measure making the keeping of a gambling-house a felony. Mr. Brooks wants to provide relief from discriminations by life insurance companies. Mr. Faires favors taxing notes and mortgages, and Mr. Whitehead has a resolution providing for the submission of a question of a constitutional convention to the people at the next general election.

There are 3,064 languages in the world, and its inhabitants profess more than 1,000 religions.

The number of men is about equal to the number of women. The average age of the human race is 33 years. One quarter die previous to the age of 17. To every 1,000 persons only one reaches 100 years of life. To every 100 only six reach the age of 65, and not more than one in 500 lives to 80 years of age.

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ITEMS GATHERED FROM VARIOUS SOURCES.

What Our Neighbors Are Doing—Matters of General and Local Interest—Marriages and Deaths—Accidents and Crimes—Personal Points.

A BRUTE named Hasset is locked up in Chicago for assaulting his aged mother. She will probably die. She had no money to give him and he beat her.

The body of Mrs. Catherine Sully, who disappeared from her home in Chicago six weeks ago, has been found in the river.

GEX. C. W. NORBON, the distinguished authority on world's fairs, died at the Palmer House, Chicago, of paralysis.

TWO YEARS ago John Graham and Duane John on were suitors for the hand of a lady, and Johnson was successful. They met at a dance at Russellville the other night, and Graham used insulting language.

JAMES ROBBINS, who robbed railroads at Denver of over \$60,000 worth of freight, is in jail at Chicago.

FOR robbing the United States Express Company of \$10,000 John Ehret, of Chicago, got three years in prison.

The accidental discharge of his own revolver in the hands of W. J. Mills may end the life of Officer Michael Walsh, of Chicago.

ROPOLD ADKING, a Hollander, was killed, and six people were injured by a collision on the C. and E. road at Chicago.

In jumping from a street car Christian Knutsen, of Chicago, was killed. In an endeavor to beat the conductor out of his fare he sprang from the car and struck on his head.

JAMES PATRICK WALSH, Jr., 14-year-old son of ex-Adm. James P. Walsh, Chicago, accidentally killed himself with a pistol.

At Chicago a man supposed to be Alexander Taylor was struck by a passenger train of the Northwestern railroad. The body was cut completely in half.

EMILE KATSER, a Chicago waiter, died of hemorrhage of the lungs in the county agent's office while asking pecuniary assistance.

The State game law is now in effect. For this season, at least, it will be a misdemeanor to buy, sell or kill quail, grouse, turkeys and prairie chickens.

A vigorous effort will be made, it is said, to have the game warden rigidly enforce the law. Under the Illinois law some of the game enumerated has been out of season for weeks past, but a provision in the law allowed game killed in other States to be sold here until Feb. 1. It is now proposed to see that this is also stopped.

At Chicago Alson F. Peet was awarded \$5,000 damages against the Pinkerton National Detective Agency.

As old man, unknown, was robbed of \$1,000, while on a Chicago street car.

Mrs. MARY SAMSON, 16 years old, formerly Mary Singer, sues for a divorce. She claims that at a prayer meeting held at her father's house, everybody got drunk, and that her parents induced her to marry Philip Sampson, an utter stranger to her.

BROGLAS cracked the safe in Fay & Co.'s office, Chicago, and secured \$5,000 in cash.

DR. N. WRIGHT, one of the oldest physicians in Sangamon County, died at his home in Chatham.

LEWIS ELLERBROOK, a young German, was found dead in the woods near Metropolis. His death was the result of a gunshot wound, but whether intentional or accidental is not known.

The date of the opening of the Fat Stock Show has been changed by the State Board of Agriculture from Nov. 4 to 11.

EDWIN J. BOWE, of Cooperstown, was found dead in Kansas City by a bullet-hole in the forehead. Papers found in his pocket prove insanity and suicide.

An investigation in the car shops of the Rock Island Road in the Town of Lake shows that employes have been using material for their private purposes, and that the road has been a steady loser.

At Wheeling, W. Va., S. A. Shaw, wanted by the Illinois authorities for a murder, has been arrested, and is held to await advice from Illinois. Shaw boasts that he killed a negro at Hinton, in West Virginia.

JOSEPH EDES, a Chicago printer, shot himself and died. He was 54 years old. Dependancy over his wife's death caused it.

GEORGE HARRIS, of Newbern, who, demented by illness, is suiciding by starvation, is still alive, at the thirty-first day of his abstinence closed with no marked change in his condition.

Thinking to deceive him, his attendant gave him some extract of beef in water. He took two spoonfuls before discovering the deception, when he pruned it and has taken nothing since.

The nourishment in his stomach produced the colic, which threw him into convulsions, but he finally passed into a restless sleep. His friends have given up hope, and are preparing for what they know must soon come. The man's body now is little more than a skeleton, and every bone protrudes with ghastly prominence. The feet are beginning to chill, and undeniable signs of death are plainly visible.

Mrs. WILSON, a colored woman of Chicago, fell dead on the street. Heart disease.

PASTOR WILLIAMS and his congregation at Englewood are having trouble. He is requested to resign.

PAUL MARTIN, an old soldier, who was thirteen months a prisoner in Andersonville, was put off a train at Chicago last Saturday, after having been robbed of his railroad ticket and purse. His home is at Montreal, and the police held him forward.

ABRAHAM JEFFE, a Chicago grocer, was fatally hurt by a grip car.