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Roman Marriage.

When Rome became the master state of the Mediterranean world, and especially during the last century of the republic, woman, aside from a few slight limitations of form rather than of substance, had already acquired legal and economic independence, the condition necessary for social and moral equality. As to marriage, the affianced pair could at that time choose between two different legal family regimes; marriage with manus, the older form, in which all the goods of the wife passed to the ownership of the husband, so that she could no longer possess anything in her own name; or marriage without manus, in which only the dowry became the property of the husband, and the wife remained mistress of all her other belongings and all that she might acquire.

Except in some cases, and for special reasons, in all the families of the aristocracy, by common consent, marriages, during the last centuries of the republic, were contracted in the later form; so that at the time married women directly and openly had gained economic independence.

Origin of the Semaphore.

From the earliest times and among savage nations beacon fires and interrupted columns of smoke have been used to give warning of the approach of an enemy or the news of victory or defeat. Signalling by combinations of flags is another early method, and is still used at sea. However, it was not until 1795, when Lord George Murray introduced his semaphore system, that anything like an efficient means of telegraphic communication was established. The admiralty at the time, seeing the advantages of such a system, caused semaphore stations to be established on all the highest points from London to Dover, Deal, and Portsmouth. So effectual was the system that a message could be, in favorable circumstances, transmitted from London to Deal, Dover to Portsmouth, and a reply received back in London in seven and a half minutes. The operation was performed by three men in each station, two of whom were on the lookout, while the third was employed in working the six shutters, which were placed over the building in two vertical frames in such a way that 63 distinct signals could be formed.

The Order of the Bath.

The Most Honorable Order of the Bath is one of the best known of English distinctions. It had its origin in the ceremonial bathing anciently required as symbolic of purity at the inauguration of a knight. The order of knighthood was instituted by Henry IV. at his coronation, when he made 56 esquires into knights. The order was at first purely a military one, and the distinction was conferred by the sovereign from time to time at great ceremonies. Charles II. invested 68 Knights of the Bath at his coronation. After that the custom seemed to fall into desuetude. In the year 1725 George I. revived the order as a military body with the monarch as sovereign, a prince of the blood royal as grand master, and 36 knights. The order was extended in 1847 to embrace civilians on whom it was desired to confer distinction. The insignia of the order includes a gold collar and badge, a crimson silk ribbon and star, also a mantle surcoat, under habits, and cap.

Garments of Fishes' Skins.

Among the unique and wonderful garments worn at the present day are the curious fish-skin dresses of the wealthy women of the Gold Coast, living along the Amur river, East Siberia. Though they can neither read nor write, yet these people are producing astonishing ornaments, designs and embroidery work. The dress is composed of several layers of fish-skin, the undermost representing the skin of the garment proper, the uppermost showing the ornaments of their cut-out forms. Between these two layers is inserted a middle layer, which serves as a background, throwing out distinctly all parts of the ornaments. The pieces of fish-skin forming the ornaments are generally colored blue. The front and back of the dress is adorned with these cut-out pieces of fish-skin, sewed with fish-skin thread.

Mount Etna.

Mount Etna is one of the great volcanoes of the north. It is great in size, great in activity, great in beauty. In size it would cover the entire metropolitan counties. Its height is 11,000 feet above sea level. As to its power, one of these eruptions some centuries ago killed eighty thousand people, which is probably more than Vesuvius has ever done in all its existence as a volcano, not excepting the great eruption of 79 A. D., which destroyed the cities of Herculaneum and Pompeii. As to its beauty, this is also very difficult to describe. It is also very difficult to describe. It is also very difficult to describe. It is also very difficult to describe.

Fumigating the Sick Room.

Close doors and windows and remove everything removable. Use either sulphur candles or saucers of chloride of lime. The fumes of sulphur are poisonous, so see that the children are removed to a place of safety. In serious diseases use formaldehyde. Caring for the walls, scrubbing the floors with hot soapsuds and a strong mixture of carbolic acid is important. The carpets must be sent to cleaners or cleaned thoroughly at home. Curtains should be washed and boiled.

CAP and BELLS



EGGS KEPT IN COLD STORAGE

Expert Witness Testifies That Everything Depends on Owner—One Lot Kept Two Years.

"Mr. Harker," the attorney said, "this is a suit against the owners of a cold storage warehouse. Do you know anything concerning the matter in dispute, or are you acquainted either with the plaintiff or defendant?"

"No, sir," answered the witness. "I believe I have been summoned as an expert."

"Just so. Have you had any experience in the cold storage business?"

"Yes, sir."

"In what capacity, may I ask?"

"For several years I was one of the proprietors of a cold storage warehouse."

"You know, then, how long any food article of a perishable nature may be kept in one of those houses, I presume?"

"Yes, sir; I think so."

"Take eggs, for instance. Please tell the jury how long eggs can be kept in cold storage warehouses."

"Well, sir," the witness said, "that depends entirely on the owner. I once knew a man who kept 1,000 dozen on hand for about two years before he succeeded in working 'em off."

Very Careless.

"Did you hear about the awful way in which Mrs. Newport Sett was stung?"

"Mercy, no. Tell me."

"Why, she married an immensely wealthy contractor without making any investigation of his finances and didn't find out he was hopelessly involved until she asked for alimony."

"Mercy! How careless!"

Similar in Appearance.

"I tell you I'm down on these motors," said the Kansas farmer.

"Bother you much?" asked the tourist.

"Well, I sh'd say so. When a feller sees a funnel-shaped cloud a comin' a whoopin', he don't know whether to run for a fun or a cyclone cellar!"

—Ram's Horn.

IT MADE A DIFFERENCE.



Mike—Don't yez hate to hov' th' alarm clock wake yez up mornings?

Pat—That depends on whether Ol've been dreaming av me mother-in-law or beating the races!

Men and Books.

"Of course," said Lord Luvvus, "you will admit that there is a fascination about a distinguished name or a uniform trimmed with gold braid."

"Perhaps," replied Miss Cayenne; "but after all a man is like a book, not to be judged by the title or the binding."

The Head Man.

"I want to see the head man," said the man in the drug store.

"Won't some other man be able to wait on you?"

"Nope. I want the head man."

"Anything special?"

"Yep; I want some hair restorer."

Turned It to Account.

"What did he do when the egg hit him on the head in the last act?"

"Retired to his dressing room and gave himself an egg shampoo."

—Exchange.

Her Costume.

She—Mabelle has a pair of slippers for every gown she wears.

He—Indeed! Isn't she extravagant?

She—Oh, no! You see it's the same pair.—Judge.

Housework Drudgery

Housework is drudgery for the weak woman. She brushes, dusts and scrubs, or is on her feet all day attending to the many details of the household, her back aching, her temples throbbing, nerves quivering under the stress of pain, possibly dizzy feelings. Sometimes rest in bed is not refreshing, because the poor tired nerves do not permit of refreshing sleep. The real need of weak, nervous women is satisfied by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

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