TYPEWRITER DOCTORS.

Men Who Go from Office to Office Repairing the Machines.

Through the Whimsicalities of Feminin Operators and the Carelessness of Office Boys, the Mechanical Physiclans Are Kept Busy.

The busiest professional men nowadays are the doctors of typewriters. These go about from office to office putting machines in repair, and the reason for their great activity this month is on account of the return of the regular operator from the summer vacation. All this sounds enigmatical. But it is true, says the New York Sun.

When a typewriter goes away upon her vacation she gets a substitute to sit in her place and do her work. The substitute appears promptly the first day, takes off the tin inclosure from the celluloid keys, gives a gentle "tap! tap!" and throws up her hands in horror. She cannot use a machine that works so hard. Where is the man who regulates typewriters, and will he not come to make the machine work easier? | princes on more than one occasion. This he does, and for two weeks all goes well. Then the regular operator comes home.

The regular operator is proud, nay, haughty. She feels that the machine must of necessity have been spoiled by the substitute, and her senses are keenly alert for faults in the machine. The he didn't like the family into which his first tap tells her that it works too son proposed to marry, why did he coneasily, and the second convinces her that the action is so light that she will ed invited controversy over what would machine back precisely as it was.

There is a large life insurance building up town where a regular call is left Letter. for the typewriter repairer. He appears usually at one o'clock and puts in the rest of his day regulating the machines. Sometimes he does not get around until the middle of the afternoon, and then there is a great call for him. Some one of the one hundred and fifty machines in the building is sure to be out of order, and the oper-ator must sit idle until the repairs are made. The repairer must carry ink ribbons and all the smaller parts of eight years, and it has never failed to type machines, for there is no telling what part may have yielded to the strain of vigorous hands. There are over one bundred menemployed in this type machines, for there is no telling strain of vigorous hands. There are over one hundred men employed in this way in New York city. For the most part they are in the pay of the typewriting establishments, and are sent out by them. A few work independent- the rounds regarding a gentleman who then very well, and they finally give it up and go in the employ of the large concerns.

the typewriters are as sensitive as hu- replied that "ns no ladies are to be man beings and know who is handling them. A good machine that has been properly treated "sulks" when new unskilled hands take hold of it, and sometimes it refuses to work. As soon as it feels the regular stroke of its own operator it is all right. This is a typewriter's superstition. And strange to say it turns out in accordance with actual fact.

them for the sweep woman to do her work. Occasionally they are experi-life had been saved by Chamberlain's

"Because they are obliged to do so 1,000 cases of tubercalosis have been EEP Sold by Druggiets, Tic.

A Match Broken Off Because Money and

Kank Run Aloul of Each Other The last London season is said to have been almost the worst on record for

matchmaking. The number of engagements publicly announced is surprisingly small, and one of the most interest ing, that of Lord Willoughby de Eres by, M. P., eldest son of the Earl of Ancaster, to Miss Muriel Wilson, the youngest daughter of Arthur Wilson of Tranby Croft, has been broken off for reasons unknown to the public at large. The lady's parents were the Prince of Wales' hosts at the time of the dreadful baccarat scandal. They are enormously wealthy, and their daughter is pretty and aminble, so that polite society is much worried as to the cause of the quarrel which has led to such a disastrous result. The fault is believed to rest mainly with the parents. Arthur Wilson, though a plebelan by birth and a shipowner by trade, thinks bimself as good as any earl living, and he is entitled to that faith in his social standing, seeing that he has hobmobbed with

On the other hand, the Earl of An-easter is not an ordinary peer. He holds the exalted post of lord great chamberhain and is the head of one of the most ancient families in this country, with a fine old fushioned contempt for upstart bourgeoise. But polite society neles, If sent to the match? The parties concern engagement and rupture alike have been announced .- New York Sun's London

A Household Teasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y. says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G.A. do all that is claime 1 for it. Why not

Shocking Until Explained.

An amusing little paragraph is going but the work does not pay them recently received an invitation to dinner at Marlborough House. He did not know what costume he ought to appear in, so he sent a note on the sly to the It is said by the machine doctors that private secretary. Sir Francis Knollys present trousers may be worn." At first sight this seems embarrassing if not positively shoching. The simple explanation of this dubious message, however, is that, as a rule, knee breeches are worn with evening dress at Marlborough House.-London Quiver.

A Cure For Croup.

When on a visit to Jowa, Mr. K. All sorts of things "happen" to type-writing machines. Sometimes they Kansas, called at the laboratory of fall on the floor as the office boy moves Chamberiain & Co., Des Moines, to

reason that the machines are valuable and that a new one means something like a one-hundred-dollar bill for the owner of the office. "Why do the typewriting machine companies keep repairers" was asked of a man who makes a business of keep ing a certain kind of machine in order. "Because they are obliged to do so to defend the reputation of their ma- located. Within two weeks 149 cattle tem, and all cattle brought into the state will be placed in quarautine and held until they have been inspected and pended upon in the examination of all paign. herds.

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A Log Far the Prince.

The Prince of Wales has received a curious present in the form of a log of make mistakes every minute. So the ordinarily be a purely private matter typewriter doctor is called to put the by the ostentations manner in which diameter. The sender is Prince Kucku Edukuma of west Africa, who has never met Albert Edward, but has heard faraway echoes of his fame as a soldier, statesman and what not. The log is a somewhat unwieldy sort of a gift, but it is understood that the Prince of Wales proposes to turn it into furniture.

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Matrimony In England.

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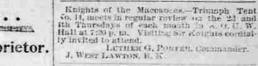
Great Expectations.

What is the little bit of news that is flying about concerning Mrs. Dr. William T. Bull, who was better known as Marie Nevins Blaine? The news scenas to be true, and every one will know of it before long. Meanwhile Dr. Bull is on tenterhooks .- New York Journal.

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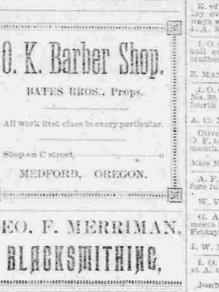
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WHIPPED HER DRESSMAKER.

An Exasperated Customer's Patience Worn Ont-Justified in Court.

A case was recently tried in a justice's court in Pittsburgh which, if established as a precedent, will lead to a notable reform, says the Washington Star. One woman employed another to matism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming peated calls and constant protestations degree, appetite fell away and he was that she had nothing to wear that did terribly reduced in flesh and strength. that she had nothing to wear that did not make her look like a perfect fricht, cured him. the dressmaker continued to delay the manufacture of the gown with that calm and superior scorn so many of the class affect. The customer at instruction of the standard seven boxes of the barries of anger sailed into the dressmalter and punished her physically in a hair-puliing, face-scratching, hysterical, wem- his leg, doctors said howas incurable, anly way. The assailant was arrented One bottle Electric Bitters and one anly way. The assailant was arrested and tried before a justice, who prompt-by dismissed the action. The persibil-him entirely. Sold at G. H. Huskins' ity that other courts may follow a similar course in similar cases awakens a glad tane of hope in the heart. When a woman can take out of her dressmaker or a man out of his tailor substantial repayment of soul for the vexation and disappointment incident upon the everinsting delay in finishing a the everinsting delay in finishing a dress or a suit the millenium will surely be getting close to its place in the calendar.

Consumption in the Adirondacks.

The assertion of physicians that con-sumption of the lungs' is infectious has been seized upon by some hotels in the Adirondacks as an excuse for denying admittance to consumptives. At such hotels the advent of a suspect is re-ceived by the proprietor with uneasy Town to Cairo" idea, while France sets inspection. When the proprietor is herself to expand across the continent sure as to the condition of the unwel- the other way, it is obvious that there come guest the latter is gently remind- is a point somewhere in the middle at ed that the hotel circular discriminates which the two must meet. And that against such as he. The result is that point has now been reached .- Pall Mall a single day is about the limit of stay Budget. in such cases.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with neuralgia and rheubottles of Electric Bitters

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill. had a running sere on his log of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of

drug store

Boat Propelled by a Turbine Wheel.

Several trials have been made on the Elbe with a boat propelled not by the ordinary screw, which replaced the pal dle wheel, but by means of a turbine obtained than with the screw, because the friction is much less. Three boats have already been constructed on this pattern .- Westminster Gazette,

A Meeting Point In Africa.

Africa is a big place. But it is not big enough to contain England, France,

Mme. Nordica, the op a slager, has arrived at New York.

Rains have fallen in Oklahoma and Kansas, breaking a drought of two months.

The annual report of Secretary Hoke Smith of the interior department deals largely with Indian affairs.

The Bimetallic lengue proposes to organize leagues all over the country and tested. The tuberculin test will be de- thoroughly prepare for a silver cum-

> Pine lumber has advanced 50 cents per thousand feet at San Francisco.

A remnant of the Canadian Cree Indians are committing depredations in Montana.

Prayers were offered for min at Dallas, Tex., recently. Artesian and rain water is being sold to private residences.

A Leavenworth (Kan.) cold-storage firm has shipped to England a carload of apples for the homes of British royalty.

American newspapers have been excluded from Turkey because of the extensive reports of the Armenian out-Inges

For doping the horses under their care Willis Duff, foreman, and Trainer Brien of Lucky Baldwin's stable have been ruled off the turf for life.

The New York shirtmakers have nocepted a 10 per cent reduction agreed to by arbitration, and the strike is ended. The National Bank of the Republic at New York lost \$5,000 Ly a dishonest CHTR Tetentiv.



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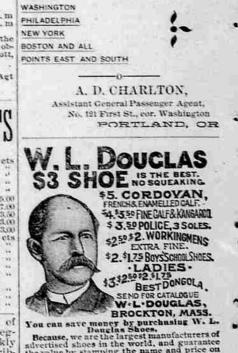
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