

Assessment No. 152—Luke Ryan, owner or reputed owner. Part of Lots 2, 3, 6 and 7, Block 3, described in Volume 6, page 701, and Volume 89, page 327, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$65.70.

Assessment No. 153—W. T. Bailey, owner or reputed owner. Lots 4 and 8, and part of Lots 3 and 7, Block 3, described in Volume 80, page 309, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 154—Chas. H. Bayse, owner or reputed owner. Lot 1, Block 4. Amount \$37.76.

Assessment No. 155—James M. Cronemiller, owner or reputed owner. Lots 2, 5 and 6, and west 2-3 of Lot 2, Block 4. Amount \$141.98.

Assessment No. 156—Mrs. E. J. Kubli, owner or reputed owner. South 80 feet of Lot 4, and South 80 feet of the east 1-3 of Lot 3, Block 4. Amount \$46.78.

Assessment No. 157—Stella Levy, owner or reputed owner. Lots 7 and 8, and north 20 feet of Lot 4, in Block 4. Amount \$83.07.

Assessment No. 158—M. Menor, owner or reputed owner. Lots 1 and 2, Block 5. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 159—E. Armstrong, owner or reputed owner. Lots 3, 4, 7 and 8, Block 5. Amount \$151.04.

Assessment No. 160—D. W. Bagshaw, owner or reputed owner. Lots 5 and 6, Block 5. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 161—Presbyterian Church of Jacksonville, Oregon, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting 100 feet on north side of California street, extending back along east side of Sixth street 200 feet and abutting 100 feet on south side of "C" street. Amount \$151.04.

Assessment No. 162—C. C. Beckman, owner or reputed owner. Lot fronting 100 feet on north side of California street and 100 feet on "C" street. Described in Volume 50, page 538, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$151.04.

Assessment No. 163—Mrs. W. A. Jones, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting 100 feet on north side of California street and 150 feet on south side of "C" street. Described in Volume 66, page 189, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$188.80.

Assessment No. 164—Mrs. M. L. Nelson, owner or reputed owner. Lot fronting 50 feet on north side of California street and extending back at right angles thereto, 100 feet. Described in Volume 45, page 137, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$37.76.

Assessment No. 165—W. T. Grieve, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting 125 1/2 feet on north side of California street, extending back to and fronting 125 1/2 feet on south side of "C" street. Being described in Volume 68, page 518, and in Volume 76, page 551, of the Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$188.80.

Assessment No. 166—Laura O. Gould, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting 190 feet on north side of California street and 190 feet on the south side of "C" street. Described in Volume 90, page 392, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$286.98.

Assessment No. 167—Mrs. J. Klippel, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting 50 feet on north side of California street, extending back along Eighth street and fronting 50 feet on south side of "C" street. Described in Volume 10, page 68, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 168—Mrs. R. L. Parker, owner or reputed owner. All of Block 64. Amount \$302.08.

Assessment No. 169—Joseph Kitto, administrator, estate of W. C. Kitto, deceased, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting about 250 feet on north side of C street and five feet on the east side of Sixth street, lying between C street and R. R. V. Ry. right of way, described in Volume 60, page 567, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$135.94.

Assessment No. 170—M. F. Wilson, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting 100 feet on south side of "D" street and 100 feet on east side of Sixth street. Described in Volume 14, page 350, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 171—Joseph Kitto, administrator, estate of W. C. Kitto, deceased, owner or reputed owner. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in Block 63. Amount \$188.80.

Assessment No. 172—Jackson County, Oregon, owner or reputed owner. All of Block 19. Amount \$302.08.

Assessment No. 173—Jacksonville Catholic Church, owner or reputed owner. Lots 1, 2, 5, 6, 7 and 8, Block 18. Amount \$226.56.

Assessment No. 174—Luke Ryan, owner or reputed owner. North 1/2 of Lots 3 and 4, Block 18. Amount \$37.76.

Assessment No. 175—J. R. Neil, owner or reputed owner. South 1/2 of Lots 2 and 4, Block 18. Amount \$37.76.

Assessment No. 176—Luke Ryan, owner or reputed owner. South 1/2 of lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Block 17. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 177—E. S. Wilson,

owner or reputed owner. North 1/2 of Lots 1 and 2, Block 17. Amount \$37.76.

Assessment No. 178—Mrs. S. P. Jones, owner or reputed owner. North 1/2 of Lots 3 and 4, Block 17. Amount \$37.76.

Assessment No. 179—Luke Ryan, owner or reputed owner. South 1/2 of Lots 7 and 8, Block 17. Amount \$37.76.

Assessment No. 180—Mrs. R. Kenney, owner or reputed owner. Lots 5 and 6, and north 1/2 of Lots 7 and 8, Block 17. Amount \$113.28.

Assessment No. 181—Mrs. P. Hines, owner or reputed owner. South 80 feet of Lots 1 and 2, Block 16. Amount \$60.42.

Assessment No. 182—Mrs. P. Hines, owner or reputed owner. North 40 feet of Lots 3 and 4, Block 16. Amount \$34.74.

Assessment No. 183—Fred J. Fick, owner or reputed owner. South 54 feet of Lot 4, Block 16. Amount \$20.39.

Assessment No. 184—G. S. Epperson, owner or reputed owner. Lots 5 and 6, and north 20 feet of Lots 1 and 2, Block 16. Amount \$90.63.

Assessment No. 185—Joseph Applebaker, owner or reputed owner. Lots 7 and 8, Block 16. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 186—Bertha Barnum, owner or reputed owner. Lots 3 and 4, Block 15. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 187—T. B. Kent, owner or reputed owner. Lots 7 and 8, in Block 15. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 188—Kate Hoffman, owner or reputed owner. Lots 3 and 4, Block 20. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 189—Iowa Lumber & Box Co., owner or reputed owner. Lots 7 and 8, Block 20. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 190—Claude Ennis, owner or reputed owner. Lots 1 and 2, Block 21. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 191—Owner Unknown. South 1/2 of Lots 3 and 4, Block 21. Amount \$37.76.

Assessment No. 192—Solomon Humphrey, owner or reputed owner. North 1/2 of Lots 3 and 4, Block 21. Amount \$37.76.

Assessment No. 193—Minnie Obenchain Lewis, owner or reputed owner. South 1/2 of Lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, Block 21. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 194—Luke Ryan, owner or reputed owner. North 1/2 of Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, in Block 21. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 195—M. O. Lewis, owner or reputed owner. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, in block 22; amount \$226.56.

Assessment No. 196—Jacksonville J. E. Church, owner or reputed owner. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and south 1/2 of Lots 7 and 8, Block 23. Amount \$188.80.

Assessment No. 197—Mrs. S. C. Wilcox, owner or reputed owner. South 1/2 of Lots 5 and 6, Block 23. Amount \$37.76.

Assessment No. 198—Luke Ryan, owner or reputed owner. North 1/2 of Lots 5 and 6, Block 23. Amount \$37.76.

Assessment No. 199—Eva Hockenow, owner or reputed owner. North 1/2 of Lots 7 and 8, Block 23. Amount \$37.76.

Assessment No. 200—Joseph Kitto, administrator of estate of W. C. Kitto, deceased, owner or reputed owner. Lots 1 and 2, and south 25 feet of Lots 5 and 6, in Block 24. Amount \$47.58.

Assessment No. 201—Mrs. E. Maeky, owner or reputed owner. South 32 feet of Lots 3 and 4, Block 24. Amount \$46.82.

Assessment No. 202—Mrs. M. E. Junnington, owner or reputed owner. North 75 feet of Lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, Block 24. Amount \$113.28.

Assessment No. 203—Mrs. C. Reuter, owner or reputed owner. North 80 feet of Block 67. Amount \$120.83.

Assessment No. 204—George McDonough, owner or reputed owner. South 120 feet of Block 67. Described in Deed Records of Jackson County, Volume 10, at page 131. Amount \$158.59.

Assessment No. 205—Samuel Walsh, owner or reputed owner. Lots 1 and 2, Block 68. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 206—C. C. Beckman, owner or reputed owner. Lots 3, 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10, block 68. Amount \$226.56.

Assessment No. 207—George McDonough, owner or reputed owner. Lots 6 and 7, block 68. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 208—C. C. Beckman, owner or reputed owner. All of block 69. Amount \$302.08.

Assessment No. 209—Joseph Kitto, administrator of estate of W. C. Kitto, deceased, and J. Hartman, owners or reputed owners. Lots 7 and 8, block 39. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 210—Roy Ulrich, owner or reputed owner. Lots 3 and 4, block 39. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 211—Alpha Hartman, owner or reputed owner. Lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 40. Amount \$151.04.

Assessment No. 212—T. T. Shaw, owner or reputed owner. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, block 40. Amount \$151.04.

Assessment No. 214—G. Elksnat, owner or reputed owner. Block 73. Amount \$417.06.

Assessment No. 215—J. Loudon, owner or reputed owner. All of block 76. Amount \$151.04.

Assessment No. 216—Issie McCully, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting 52 feet on south side of valley road, or Fifth street, described in Volume 62, page 231, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount, \$39.27.

Assessment No. 217—F. M. Tungate, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting 132 feet on south side of Valley road, or Fifth street, and described in Volume 48, page 28, and in Volume 68, page 516, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount, \$99.69.

Assessment No. 218—A. Elmer, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting on south side of Valley road or Fifth street, and extending southerly along Blackstone alley, being described in Volume 40, page 25, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount, \$135.18.

Assessment No. 219—Ruby Stout, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting on south side of Valley road or Fifth street, and described in Volume 56, page 598, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount, \$74.01.

Assessment No. 220—Mrs. A. Pool, owner or reputed owner. Lot 1 and part of lot 2, in block 71, described in Volume 87 at page 335, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount, \$37.76.

Assessment No. 221—Luke Ryan, owner or reputed owner. Part of block 71, fronting on east side of Blackstone alley and south side of Academy street, described in Volume 58, at page 229, of the Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount, \$52.87.

Assessment No. 222—Henry Wendt, owner or reputed owner. Lots 5 and 6, in block 77. Amount, \$75.52.

Assessment No. 223—M. H. Roundtree, owner or reputed owner. Tract extending along the east side of Sixth street from the north boundary of "E" street to south boundary of "F" street, described in Volume 3, page 142, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount, \$120.83.

Assessment No. 224—Jacksonville School District No. 1, owner or reputed owner. Tract situated on west side of Park street and fronting on south side of Academy street, described in Volume 4, page 421, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount, \$60.16.

Assessment No. 225—Mrs. O. Keegan, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting on the north side of Academy street and described in Volume 41, page 628, and in Volume 42, page 259, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$151.04.

Assessment No. 226—Dora Harbough, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting 100 feet on north side of Academy street, described in Volume 15, page 3, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 227—M. L. Norris, owner or reputed owner. Tract situated along east side of Blackstone alley and fronting on north side of Academy street, described in Volume 57, page 545, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount, \$135.18.

Assessment No. 228—A. E. Reames, owner or reputed owner. A triangular tract abutting on north side of R. R. V. Ry. Co.'s right of way, described as follows: Beginning at a point on the south line of "D" street 100 feet eastwardly from the east line of Sixth street, and running thence eastwardly along said south line of "D" street about 135 feet to right of way of the R. R. V. Ry., thence westerly along said right of way to the east line of the M. F. Wilson lot; thence along east line of said M. F. Wilson lot to the point of beginning. Amount \$52.87.

Assessment No. 229—M. F. Wilson, owner or reputed owner. A triangular tract fronting 68 feet on east side of Sixth street, bounded on the north by lot described in Volume 14, page 330, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon, and on south by right of way of the R. R. V. Ry. Co. Amount, \$25.68.

Assessment No. 230—A. E. Reames, owner or reputed owner. East 100 feet of tract fronting on west side of Valley road or Fifth street, described in Volume 49, page 242, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount, \$209.94.

Assessment No. 231—H. Klippel, owner or reputed owner. South 100 feet of a tract fronting on north side of Valley road or Fifth street, described in Volume 2, page 550, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount, \$173.70.

Assessment No. 232—Peter N. Fick, owner or reputed owner. Tract described as follows: Beginning at a point on the north line of Valley road or Fifth street at the intersection of said north line of Valley road with a line running northwesterly through the center of blocks 75 and 77, and running thence northwesterly and at right angles to north line of said Valley road, 100 feet; thence southwesterly and parallel with said north line of Valley road, 230 feet; thence

south to north line of Valley road; thence northeasterly along north line of Valley road, 300 feet to point of beginning. Amount, \$130.65.

Assessment No. 233—Hattie Neuber, owner or reputed owner. Tract described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the north boundary line of F street with the east boundary line of Fifth street, and running thence along said east line of Fifth street northerly and northeasterly to the west line of Blackstone alley; thence along west boundary line of Blackstone alley, south to the north boundary line of F street; thence along north boundary line of F street to the place of beginning. Amount, \$302.08.

Assessment No. 234—R. A. Miller, owner or reputed owner. Tract fronting on north side of Valley road or Fifth street, described in Volume 24 at page 494, Deed Records of Jackson County, Oregon. Amount, \$80.81.

Assessment No. 235—George E. Neuber owner or reputed owner. Lots 5 and 6 in block 22; amount \$75.52.

Assessment No. 236—Mrs. A. Johnston owner or reputed owner. Tract lying and being situate along west end of lots 9 and 10 in block 3, Lundgren's Subdivision fronting on Laurel street water main 40 feet and extending back therefrom 100 feet; amount \$30.21.

Assessment No. 237—L. Reynolds owner or reputed owner. Tract adjoining west end of lot 7, block 1, Lundgren's Subdivision, being 47 feet in depth and fronting 50 feet on Applegate Road line of water pipe; amount \$17.75.

Section II. Pursuant to Section 119, Chapter XIV of the City Charter the City Recorder is hereby directed to enter in the docket of city liens a statement of the assessment declared by said council, containing the following matter in relation to special benefit assessments for local improvements: The date of the entry, a description of the lot or lots or part of lot or parcel of land, the sum assessed on each lot or part thereof, or tract of land, and the name of the owner, or reputed owner or that the owner is unknown.

Section III. The City Recorder is further hereby directed to give notice of the assessment declared by this ordinance in time and manner as prescribed by Section 125, Chapter XIV of the City Charter.

Section IV. And inasmuch as this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of the peace, health and safety of the city and its inhabitants, in this, that unless this ordinance goes into effect immediately the city will not be able to collect the amounts assessed for the costs of said improvement before said city will be in default in the payment to its contractor who has constructed the water system of said city whereby said city will be enabled to secure and adequate supply of pure and wholesome water and the said water system will not, in such event, be turned over to said city, and the city will thereby be deprived of and without a good and sufficient supply of pure and wholesome water; Now, therefore, an emergency is hereby declared, and this ordinance shall go into force and effect from and after its approval by the mayor.

The foregoing Ordinance No. 175 was passed by the City Council of the City of Jacksonville, Jackson County, State of Oregon, at a meeting thereupon on the 25th day of July, 1912, the same being an adjourned meeting of the meeting of July 20th, 1912, by the following vote: Yeas—Britt, Fick, McIntire, Ulrich.

Submitted to the Mayor July 25th, 1912.

Approved by the Mayor this 25th day of July, 1912.

T. T. SHAW, Mayor.

Attest: HENRY G. D. X, Recorder.

Notice of the assessment levied and declared by the foregoing Ordinance is given by the publication of said Ordinance in two consecutive issues of the Jacksonville Post, and by mailing a notice of said assessment to the owners or reputed owners whose postoffice address is known.

HENRY G. D. X, City Recorder.

WILDS OF ENGLAND.

Devonshire's Rolling Slopes Are a Wilderness in Winter.

The western quarter of England has a set of literary associations second to no other district, not even the far famed lakes of Cumberland and Westmoreland. The "Quiller-Couch country," which is Cornwall; the "Blackmore country," which is North Devon; the "Kingsley country," which is all Devonshire, and the "Hardy country," which is Dorset, will be found underrated rather than overrated in beauty and interest, which are greatly increased by their associations with "Lorna Doone" or "Tess of the d'Urbervilles."

The two great Devonshire towns Exmoor and Dartmoor are particularly beautiful and offer a happy hunting ground to the artist. It seems strange that spaces of such wildness exist within the restrained and highly cultivated boundaries of southern England. The casual visitor would find it difficult to believe that on these splendid rolling slopes, purple with heather in August, people go astray and die of starvation every winter.

No visitor to England can afford to miss a visit to Devonshire, which around May especially is one of the most beautiful bits of country in Europe.—Exchange.

UNWRITTEN COOKS.

Thackeray and Conan Doyle Both Found Themselves Forestalled.

How strange are literary coincidences occasionally is illustrated in the case of Thackeray and Conan Doyle. Thackeray says: "I came near writing a book on the same subject, 'Les Trois Mousquetaires,' and taking M. d'Artagnan for my hero. D'Artagnan was a real character of the age of Louis XIV, and I wrote his own memoirs. I remember picking up a dingy copy of them on an old bookstall in London, price six pence, and intended to make something of it. But Conan got ahead of me. He snaps up everything."

A coincidence quite as remarkable occurred with Sir Conan Doyle for central figure. He learned while spending a holiday in a mountain inn in Switzerland that during the winter months for some reason two men remained in occupation. For four or five months they were isolated from the rest of the world. Suppose one of them went mad or committed suicide or—The possibilities were endless. He forthwith determined to embody the idea in a story. On his way home he happened to pick up a book of tales by Maupassant. There, in it, under the title "L'Auberge," he found himself forestalled in every particular.

An Old London Dining Club.

An old London dining club, the Dilettanti, was founded in 1733. This at one time was an extremely wealthy club, for, in addition to their subscription, members had to pay a fine when any money was bequeathed them. In 1799 the Dilettanti had £10,000 in hand. Soon after its foundation Horace Walpole wrote that "the qualification for the Dilettanti is having been in Italy and the real one being drunk." It has grown respectable with years, but even now, when a new member is balloted, all the members have to make a complete circuit of the dining table before placing the ball in the box. And a rule still survives that "every member who shall produce on the table a dish of tea or coffee must pay into the general fund a guinea for every such drink.—London Spectator.

St. Paul's, London.

London's great downtown cathedral, between Fleet street and Cheapside, stands like a huge rock fair amid the seas of traffic that wash up Ludgate hill from the Strand and on the east to the Bank of England; different from the Abbey, which stands remote at Westminster. St. Paul's was rebuilt by Sir Christopher Wren after the great fire of 1666. It is 516 feet long and 219 feet wide; took twenty-two years to build until the time of opening and thirteen years more for completion. St. Paul's is the tomb of many great men. Over the north door is the inscription, "Lector si monumentum requiris, circumspice"—"Reader, if you seek this monument, look about you."

Willing to Be One.

"What!" began the father explosively. "You want to marry my daughter? You, who haven't a penny on earth? You, who aren't worth a penny?"

"You? Sir, let me ask you this: Don't you know that my daughter is accustomed to all the luxuries of wealth?"

"Yes, sir," replied the suitor, miserably. "But ain't I one of 'em?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Mean Thing.

"No," said Miss Passay. "I don't like the photos Kramer made for me. They make me look like a woman of forty."

"Well," replied Miss Pepprey, "you should have told him not to touch them up if you didn't want them to look so youthful!"—Philadelphia Press.

Painful Proof.

"What are you crying about, Willie?"

"One of the boys called me 'tea-her's pet' an' I went an' told her, an' she licked me to prove I wasn't."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Too Much Light.

Daughter—I love him. He is the light of my life. Father—Well, that's all right, but I object to having my house lit up by him after midnight.

Harsh counsels have no effect. They are the hammers which are always repulsed by the anvil.—Helvetius.

SLIDING DOWN A ROPE.

It is Both Easy and Safe When Done in Sailor Style.

Sliding down a rope is not so simple as it seems. Few know how to do it properly. If you try to descend by letting the rope slide through your hands the friction will burn the palms so that you will have to let go after a few feet. If you try to lower your weight from one hand hold to another you are sure to become tired and will be forced to drop. You cannot slide with the rope between your knees, for the swaying of your body will jerk the rope out of the clutch of your knees, and then you are likely to fall.

The easiest and safest method you can employ is that used by firemen and sailors. Standing upright, throw out your right leg and give it a turn around the rope. Next put the rope in the crook of your right elbow and clasp it tightly, not in your hand, but in your arm.

In that way you can slide to safety without the slightest trouble. The rope does not touch any part of the body that is not protected by clothing, and your speed can be regulated by either straightening or cramping your leg. Once learned this method of sliding down a rope may prove in an emergency the means of saving your life or the lives of other persons.—Youth's Companion.

ALPINE LIFE LINES.

The Ropes Are Selected For Strength, Flexibility and Lightness.

The ropes used by Alpine climbers are of special manufacture, combining as far as possible the differing qualities of strength, flexibility and lightness.

Three qualities are in general use, being made from sisal, Italian and Manila hemps respectively, and occasionally, when cost is not a consideration, of silk. The latter, though very light and strong, is not so durable as the others. A hat which finds most favor among British mountaineers is known as Buckingham's Alpine rope. It is made of the best Manilla hemp.

In the year 1864, Mr. McLeish recalls, a committee of the Alpine club made tests upon a number of ropes suitable for mountaineering. Of the two that were approved one was made of Italian hemp and the other of Manila. They both had a breaking strain of two tons and sustained the weight of a twelve stone man after falling from a height of ten feet.

Nonmountaineers have sometimes considered this insufficient, but it is highly problematical whether the human anatomy could survive the sudden compression of a thin rope arising from any greater fall.—Fry's Magazine.

Help With a String to It.

In an office on upper Wall street, where they make a specialty of the "coppers," a young cousin of the head of the firm, after several bad "brunks," found his balance reduced to a very low figure. The Wall street man felt bad about it and offered to take the account in hand himself, the relative naturally agreeing. The first transaction was the short sale of a lot of Reading. Before 3 o'clock that day the stock had jumped up six points and the account was wiped out.

It reminds one of what happened on an East river ferryboat the other day when a passenger fell overboard. The man was strong and well able to swim—that is, he was well able to swim until a well meaning but excited deck hand threw a twenty pound life belt down on the top of his head.—Puck.

Tailors as Literary Men.

One does not look for literary men among tailors, but none the less the trade can claim some illustrious names. John Stow, the antiquary and author of the "Survey of London," for instance, began life as a tailor, and another famous tailoring antiquary was John Speed, one of England's early map makers and member of the Society of Antiquaries. And then there was Robert Hill, "the learned tailor" of Birmingham, who contrived to teach himself Greek and Hebrew and became famous as a writer of theological treatises. And George Meredith was born over a tailor's shop.—London Globe.

Placing Himself.

A man who was much in need of sleep rolled out of bed during the night. The jar did not awake him thoroughly, and his hand wandered in exploration. He encountered the mesh of some protruding springs and a sturdy iron corner post. "In jail at last," he murmured as he went off into another deep sleep.

The Baseball Courtship.

"How do I stand with you, little girl?" inquired the ardent fan.

"You have a percentage of about .786 just now," answered the lady fan, "and lead the league."

"I'm glad to hear that. I was afraid I was in the second division."—Kansas City Journal.

Man Worships Something.

Man always worships something. Always he sees the infinite shadowed forth in something finite, and, indeed, can and must so see it in any finite thing, once tempt him well to fix his eyes thereon.—Carlyle.

Cause and Effect.

Mrs. Navior: You seem rather bored this morning, dear. Mrs. Lush: Well, my husband came home rather late last night.

Slap an extinguisher upon your irony if you are unhappily blessed with a vein of IL.—Lamb.

MODELED FROM MEMORY.

Danton Was a Wonder, Though He Did Once Mix His Subjects.

Danton, the celebrated caricaturist, had a wonderful power of modeling from memory. After one long look at his subject he could go to his studio and make a bust quite perfect in its resemblance.

One day a young man came to him, saying that his sister was ill and about to die and that, although the family wished her bust modeled, they dared not excite her by mentioning it. Would he undertake to reproduce her features after seeing her once? Danton agreed, and next day the brother informed his sister that he intended to present her with some jewelry and that a young man would bring some specimens for her approval.

Danton brought in the jewels and, going home, modeled a bust of striking resemblance. Next year an old gentleman, the father of the young woman, came to order a bust of the brother, who also had died. This, too, was a marvellous success.

The result of such planning, however, was not always as satisfactory to his patrons as in these cases. A gentleman who could not persuade his wife to sit asked Danton to enter a certain omnibus one day and fix in his memory the features of the lady opposite him.

He did so, modeled a beautiful bust and sent it home. It proved, however, to be not the mistress, but the maid, who had also taken the trip in the omnibus.