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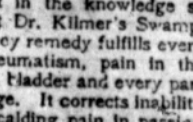

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The Use of Electricity in "Doctoring" Gold Pieces.

Galvanic Batteries Employed in the Process of Removing Gold from Coins—The Immense Loss Through Abrasion.

Short-weight gold coins are becoming annoyingly common, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. Bankers and others are frequently coming across light pieces. The discovery a few days ago of nearly $300 in light $2.50 gold pieces tendered in payment of custom duties by a prominent importer has led to the detection of numerous pieces short in weight, showing that there is in operation a systematic scheme for robbing the Government by means of stealing metal from coins. Officers of the United States secret service are now at work in this city endeavoring to trace the coins through different hands and find the offenders.

The process of robbery, which is familiarly known as "sweating" coins, was formerly practiced to a large extent, but of late years few instances of it have come to the attention of the authorities. It is not highly profitable, and at best, under the old methods of extracting the metal, it did not afford much more than a living.

From a careful examination of the light pieces which are now being found, it is evident that the thief is not doing his work by the old hand method of shaking the coins in a bag and then gathering the dust by means of quicksilver, but that he has brought into requisition the rapid agency of electricity. The service of an ordinary galvanic battery and some cheap acid is all that is necessary to conduct the operation by the electric process. The scheme is similar to that employed in plating with gold by electricity. The coin is placed in the fluid, and attached to it are wires from the poles to the battery leading to another piece of metal prepared to receive, in the form of plating, the metal to be removed from the coin. The battery being set in motion, sufficient gold to form a plating is quickly transferred, and as it is removed uniformly from all parts of the coin the liability of disfigurement is reduced to a minimum. The only effect is to blur the characters slightly.

An authority at the mint has estimated that about 50 cents' worth of gold can be removed in this way from a $10 gold piece without exciting the suspicion of the casual observer. To the skilled eye of an expert, however, the effect is generally apparent at a glance, and it does not always require the scales to determine whether the coin is correct or not. In the New York subtreasury there is one man, Tandy by name, who, by years of experience in the handling of coin, has become so expert in his judgment that he can tell by mere touch with closed eyes whether a piece is of spurious metal or whether it is a genuine coin that has been tampered with. In this respect he is not approached by any other person in the world.

Mrs. Whittler's Strategy

By TOM MASSON

"DON'T you think, dear, that it would be nice to spend our Christmas in Florida?"

Mr. and Mrs. Whittler were sitting in their cozy back parlor. As she spoke Mrs. Whittler turned to her husband with an anxious look of interrogation.

"Never," exclaimed Whittler. "Why, we couldn't afford it. What an idea! I couldn't dream of such a thing. Florida! I should say not!"

"I merely mentioned the matter," said Mrs. Whittler, seeing her error. "It is of no special consequence."

At the same time she eyed sadly a package of time tables and steamboat circulars that for the past week she had been surreptitiously collecting. To go to Florida had been the dream of months. And now it was ruthlessly shattered.

Still, Mrs. Whittler did not despair. "Well, if we don't do that," she said at last, "we must have a nice Christmas dinner, mustn't we?"

The thought of a dinner brought Whittler to himself instantly.

"You bet!" he said, rubbing his hands. "We'll have the best the country can afford."

"I sometimes wish," said Mrs. Whittler, after a moment, "that we had a houseful of children. It seems a pity to sit down to a Christmas dinner all alone."

"Well, why should we?" said Whittler. "Can't we ask some one in?"

Mrs. Whittler looked off into space with her eyebrows closely knit, as if the problem were too great for her to master on the instant. At last she said slowly:

"How would it do for you to ask Aunt Jane? She's getting along in years, and it may be our last chance to pay her any attention."

Whittler thought a moment.

"I guess you're right," he said at last. "I was looking forward to a Christmas dinner by ourselves. Still, Aunt Jane is a good old soul, and I guess we'd better ask her. But there's Cousin Emily, I suppose she'll have to come, too."

"Yes," responded Mrs. Whittler. "We shall, of course, have to ask Emily. We couldn't ask one without the other."

There was a pause. Finally Whittler spoke again.

"I suppose," he said, "if we ask Aunt Jane and Emily, that Uncle Henry and Georgiana will feel it."

"I had thought of that," replied Mrs. Whittler. "They've both been kind to us, and it would never do to offend them. Then, of course, the children—"

"Of course the children," interposed Whittler; "they'll have to come with their parents. Well, we'll have to do it, that's all. I guess we can stand it for once."

There was another pause. Mrs. Whittler at last looked meekly up.

"There's another thing, dear," she said, "that had occurred to me."

"What's that?"

"Well, you know there's my Aunt Sally. Aunt Sally is so sensitive. If she hears that your side of the family is coming, she'll feel it."

Whittler sighed. But the justice of the argument appealed to him.

"Yes," he said at last. "I suppose that's so. It's nothing more than fair. If my people come, that yours should, too. But you have a Cousin Rufus, and an Uncle William, haven't you?"

It was Mrs. Whittler's turn to sigh.

"More than that," she said. "Don't you remember Aunt and Uncle Rubyton and their children?"

Whittler got up nervously and paced the floor.

"Good heavens!" he exclaimed at last. "What are we going to do? It's awful to dwell upon. We simply have got to ask them all. Why, it will cost a mint to entertain all this crowd."

He grew more excited.

"It's a fearful thing," he said, "to have relatives. We're in for it, I guess. We can't lop any of 'em off. Well!" he cried, turning to Mrs. Whittler, "have you nothing to suggest? You got us into it. Can't you get us out?"

Mrs. Whittler waited a moment before she replied.

"We might go to Florida," she said finally.

Whittler slapped his hands on his knee.

"Just the thing!" he cried. "Why didn't you say so before?"—Town Topics.

Crystallized Tears.

A tear from the eye of a white person is composed of water, salt, soda, phosphate of soda and mucus. From the eye of an African the elements composing the tear are found to be the same as that of a white, with the single exception of the phosphate of soda, and with the addition of a slight trace of ammonia. Eskimos and Finns seldom shed tears, but when they do chemists say they are exceedingly salty. It is interesting to know that the chemical elements in the Caucasian tear arrange themselves into particles that look like fish bones under a microscope, those from a negro's tear form a rude cross, while the same process of evaporation leaves the chemicals in an Eskimo's tear in the shape of a bow.

Economical Eskimos.

The Eskimo wastes nothing, says the World's Work. The careless white man drops a nail or throws away a broken tool or empty tobacco can. These are seized with avidity by the Eskimos, who convert them into articles more or less useful

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WOMEN'S CLUBS' ODD NAMES.

A Number of Titles Which Are Rather Enigmatic and Difficult to Pronounce.

The woman's club movement has assumed such an extent that it has attracted the attention of the United States department of labor, which has recently issued an elaborate report on the attitude of women's clubs toward social economics, says the Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph. Accompanying the article are some statistics which indicate that there are few settlements of any size in our glorious country without a woman's club. The name, location and purpose of each of 1,283 women's clubs are given in detail, and it appears that this by no means exhausts the list. An examination of the list shows that next to the local title of woman's club Shakespeare's name is a favorite one.

There are a number of titles which are rather enigmatic. What, for instance, is the meaning of "the Leaheche," the name of a club at Dalton, Ga.? Then there is the "Nike" of Chicago, the "Theristrial" of Marion, Ia.; the "Anarkrisians" of Sioux City, the "Ammoncongin" of Cumberland Mills, Me.; the "Methebesic" of Rockland, Me.; the "Heptorean" of Somerville, Mass.; the "Alsbice" of Grand Rapids, the "Chiropean" and the "Photerone," both of Brooklyn, and the "Ardirhebriah" of Providence. Such names as "Tekeosnow" and "So-go-ye-wat-ha" are perhaps of Indian origin. There is a frankness in the title of "Old Maids' Social club" of Woonsocket, which inspires respect. It is, however, doubtful whether anything descriptive is meant by the title of the "Nashaway" club of Nashua, N. H. There is an Anthony club, but no Cleopatra club.

HONOR DUE TO CANADA.

The First Vessel to Cross the Ocean by Steam Power Sailed from Quebec.

An interesting but little known bit of history in connection with early steam navigation on the ocean was brought to public attention in the recent address of the venerable Kivas Tully on his election to the presidency of the recently organized Engineers' club of Toronto, says the Engineering News.

This was to the effect that to the province of Quebec belongs the credit of having built the first steamship that crossed the Atlantic from either side. The steamship was called the Royal William, commanded by Capt. McDougall, and sailed from Quebec on August 5, 1833, arriving at Gravesend on September 11, having steamed the whole distance.

This seems at first sight to contradict the well-known claims to priority made for the Savannah as the first steamship to cross the Atlantic. The Savannah, however, on her memorable voyage from Savannah to Liverpool (May 26, 1819, to June 20, 1819) used her engines during 18 days and progressed under sail the remainder of the time, the paddlewheels being hoisted on board when not in use.

The Royal William, therefore, appears to have been the first vessel to make the vayoge using steam for the whole distance.

SWEATBOX CONFESSIONS.

Recent Court Ruling on This Method of Compelling Accused Persons to Tell What They Know.

Here is a recent court decision in the court of appeals of the District of Columbia, West vs. United States, which shows what a violation of the legal rights of accused persons the so-called "sweatbox" methods of the police are:

Where an officer, having a prisoner in custody, said to him: "You have been telling me a pack of lies; now, you had better tell the truth," whereupon the prisoner made a confession, it was held that the confession was involuntary, and it was error to admit it in evidence and to submit to the jury the question whether or not it was voluntary. Under the law, as properly administered, a confession, if forced, cannot be used against a person charged with the commission of crime. The sweatbox method of obtaining confessions to be used against the parties making them is not sanctioned by the court. The court said that words of exhortation to a confession seemed often to be innocent enough, and cited the following, all of which had been held sufficient to vitiate the confessions. "You are under suspicion and you had better tell all you know," "It would be better for you to speak out," "You had better tell the truth" and "You had as well tell all about it."

PLEASURES OF MINING.

There Is a Fascination in Digging Out the Golden Ore.

An old miner of Cripple Creek, Col., who for years has been engaged in prospecting in the Rocky mountains, while talking to a party of friends the other day, gave the following interesting description of gold mining in the far west: "It's the prettiest work I ever did," he said. "It's the fascination of it; when you have struck it pretty rich and see your gold right in front of you, when you are piling it up every hour of the day, with a nugget now and then as big as a bullet to cheer you. And then, when evening comes, you count it up and you find it worth hundreds of dollars, just picked up out of the earth in one day—well, I tell you, there is nothing like it. Then, when you don't strike it, you always think you are going to the next day; and it is just as exciting hearing other men tell in the evening what they pulled out during the day as in counting your own. Why, I have gone for months at a time without making a dollar, and without a cent in my pocket, but the excitement of the work don't give a man time to realize how hard up he is."