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The Finest Baking Powder in the World.

A batch of glowing in the hand of a man in more danger than the hand of a woman. The latter dunks every available article into the water in the name of freshness.

But fashions change as capriciously, and this in the name of high art. We have watched with a shudder the fine old English splint bottomed chairs brought from the attic to be dressed in a coat of imitation gold. We have seen, all sorts of incongruous articles, including rolling pins and potato mashers, filling their plebeian pores with this outward and visible sign of the Edsley cure. And now the depths are literally summered—fishers' nets are dragged from the sea and gilded.

Not that all cheap effects are mean any more than all mean effects are cheap. The gilding only adds to the expense of a thing, but the really popular with artistic folk, "in its natural state" because of its soft gray coloring and its inclination to hang gracefully. It is a charming acquisition to the list of inexpensive draperies.—New York Times.

Almost Anybody Can Do This.

A young woman who is altogether independent, but who has the very small income of \$600 a year, suddenly resolved last fall to go abroad for the first time. She engaged a second class passage on a fast steamer and paid \$55, besides \$3 to the steward, for a large room and most excellent fare. Her companions on the vessel were for her very agreeable people, genteel folk like herself. She went directly to Turkey, where she found board for \$3 a week and where she spent every morning in the morning in London, Paris with a little Frenchwoman. The latter excursion cost her exactly \$25. She arrived home in the middle of May, not having overdrawn her income. Delighted with her eight months in Europe and determined to do the whole thing over again.—Philadelphia Press.

Trouble in the St. Clair Tunnel.

Great trouble is being experienced in ventilating the St. Clair tunnel, which was opened last year. Owing to the steep grades very heavy engines are used for working the tunnel section, and such quantities of smoke come from these engines that it is difficult to get men who are willing to run them. It is now proposed fitting smoke consumers to the engines with a view of mitigating the annoyance.—New York Times.

Mummy Embalmed.

Mummies taken from the Egyptian tombs, beaten into a fine powder and mixed with oil for paint is one of the latest industries of Cairo. The color of this brownish red paint is a rich brown of iraly tone.—St. Louis Republic.

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RAIN AND TEARS.

I wait the coming of a tarry train.

And while I wait the leaves of thought unfold.

The day is bright and the wind is cold.

The shadow of the waiting train is long.

And I, a lone figure on the platform stand.

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—William Rice lives in New York City.

BROTHERS.

Two Nice Girls Talk Over Their Cases and Wives.

"Brothers are very useful sometimes," remarked the girl with the roses in her hair.

"Very," answered the girl with the blue silk gown, "but sometimes they are a little trying—I am angry with Phil just now."

"What has he done?" eagerly asked the girl with the roses in her hair.

"Having a brother myself I think I can sympathize with you." "I know," said the girl with the blue silk gown, "but you see it is this way: Young Charles likes me, I know, but he is so awfully bashful that he could not get up the courage to call, and having a brother of my own, I knew it would be simply tantamount to get up an intimacy with his brother."

"So you talked your brother to call and to come," said the girl with the roses in her hair.

"Of course, I talked Phil to do it by getting Louise an invitation to Aunt Kate's garden party."

"Well, he did it, and she got to be great friends—I didn't just want that, you know, for every time I would get a letter from Louise, she would come and stay with us, and I would come and stay with her."

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GLENDALOUGH.

Wicklow has been very aptly termed the garden of Ireland; its prominent feature is, indeed, its natural beauty, healthful and refreshing, among its high and bleak mountains, are numerous lakes and fertile valleys, irregularly wooded, and its shores, fringed by its lovely streams, a series of cascades. Its natural graces are enhanced in value, because they are invariably encountered after the eye and mind have wandered from gazing upon a rule and unsullied district, covered with past, upon the waxy heritage of which the small sheep can scarcely find pasture.

It is in this peculiar feature—richly adorned bushes and the rugged character of its interior—that Donn's career, which he lived the country to a "friend man" (friend of the people) a name which signifies "friend of the people," was given to it. Donn, who was the son of an alderman, was founded early in the Sixth century. Here in this strath the saint laid the foundation of his monastic establishment, and it was the beginning of a city, which, by the learning, a college of religion, a monastery for holy men, a sanctuary for the oppressed, an asylum for the poor, a hospital for the sick and here he lived and expiated it for nearly a century, having completed the foundation at the age of one hundred and twenty years.

The vicinity of the county of Wicklow to the Irish metropolis is of prehistoric advantage to those who, in a populous city, feel a need for a change of air, and a nature, either as a relaxation or an enjoyment. And perhaps there are few countries in the world so advantageously situated as this in its natural beauty.

Our atmosphere is composed of air in mixture of several parts by weight of nitrogen and one part of oxygen, with various proportions of carbonic acid, aqueous vapors and ammonia, the latter in exceedingly small quantities.

How it came here and where its origin may be, is a question which has puzzled philosophers and the sage of the East.

At present little is known concerning the composition of the atmosphere of those far off globes. The spectroscope is, however, beginning to reveal something of their true character. It is generally held that the moon has an atmosphere, the theory being that the solar and volcanic gases absorbed the air and water of that planet millions of years ago.—St. Louis Republic.

Mountains of British Columbia.

British Columbia has a length of 800 miles and averages 600 miles in width. To whoever crosses the country it seems the scene of a vast earth distance, over which mountains are scattered without system. In fact, however, the Cordillera is a series of ranges, the highest of which forming the eastern boundary, then the Gold range, then the Coast range, and, last of all, that partially submerged chain whose upland parts form Vanouver and the other mountainous islands near the coast.

Her Folks Were Methodists.

One of our leading physicians encountered this incident in the family of one of his patients. The father was a girl, a little girl some religious instructions, when she interrupted him with:

"Why do you feel so?"

"I hate 'em, because they hated Jesus so bad."

"But, my child," said the father, "Jesus was a Jew himself."

"Why, I didn't know that," said the little one in astonishment. "I always thought he was a Methodist."

Case for Grief.

Mrs. Binks—Why so unhappy?  
Mrs. Binks—I hate that Mrs. Nextdoor with a deadly hate, and I'm perfectly miserable over it.

Mrs. Binks—She doesn't know it.  
Mrs. Binks—That's why I'm unhappy.—New York Weekly.

Not On.

Police Commissioner—Officer Mulvaney, you are charged with being asleep while on post and on duty.

Officer Mulvaney, sir, I was off post at the time.—Raymond's Monthlies.

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