

HEROIC DEEDS

It is just as easy to praise an old woman as a young one, and it does an old woman twice as much good.

We are told "the evening wore on," but we are never told what the evening wore on that occasion. Was it the close of a Summer's day?

There are some diseases that can be cured by laying on hands. For instance, a boy can be cured of the harmful propensity to eat jam by a proper treatment in that line.

"I'm not in mourning," said a young lady frankly to a quaker, "but as the widows are getting all the offers nowadays, we poor girls must do something to protect ourselves."

If birds of a feather flock together, why is it that the first doctor who reaches a man who has fallen on the street has no sweet smile of welcome for the second who comes rushing up?

A Zulu cannot marry a girl until he has whipped all her brothers and given her father an "upset," if demanded, in addition. There is a great scratching around in Zululand to find only children and orphans.

"Why, Farmer Brown, you've been thinking out your grove, haven't you? Your ash trees appear to be abundant, but your oak and maples are all gone."

"Yes, it's about so, Mr. Jones; I am literally reduced to ashes."

"I guess you must be better to-day," said Farmer Hodges to a sickly neighbor when he found rustication in his strawberry patch.

"Oh, I'm picking up a little," was the reply as the invalid bent over to gather in a red nugget or so.

Two brothers who were very successful dentists built a large and handsome house, the appearance of which was thought to resemble a large molar tooth.

It was a common remark, "See what brothers can do when they pull together?"

A young man in a train was making fun of a lady's hat to an elderly gentleman in the seat with him. "Yes," said his seat mate, "that's my wife, and I told her if she wore that bonnet that some fool would make fun of it."

The young man alid out.

A little bit of a girl living near one of the cities ran into her mother from the roadside with some early Spring blooms in her hands, and full of the outside glow, exclaimed: "Oh, mamma, how nice it is to live where somebody doesn't own everything."

"Doctor," says the patient, meeting him on the street, "I want you to tell me what is the matter with me. When I wake up in the morning I feel dull—stupid as an idiot."

"Humph! And how did you feel when you went to bed the night before, eh?"

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DOG'S TOILETS IN PARIS.

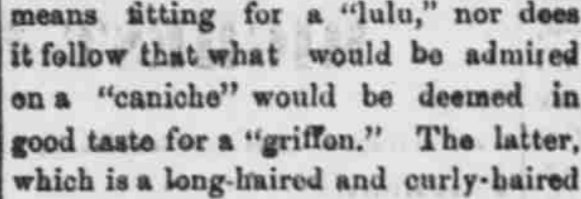
There are 1,809 work people, male and female, who assist in Paris by making personal decorations and habiliments for pet dogs or otherwise paying attention to the canine race. The trade done by them is estimated at a total of 4,000,000 to 6,000,000 francs, or nearly £250,000, that it may be easily guessed how great a commotion is caused among this section of society as often as the dog days come around and the inflexible rules of the French police as to muzzling these animals are again put in force against their owners.

The rage for dressing up canine pets has long prevailed in France to a much greater extent than on this side of the channel, and has assumed extravagant proportions. The *Figaro* gives some examples of the most notable fashions now to be observed among the fair owners. Almost every variety of dog has its own proper toilet, besides its own special toilet case containing the brushes, combs, sponges, and other appliances for enabling it to be washed and dressed. The ornaments suitable for a "boule-dogue" would be by no means fitting for a "Julu," nor does it follow that what would be admitted on a "caniche" would be deemed in good taste for a "griffon."

The latter, which is a long-haired and curly-haired dog much prized by all French women, is pined and despised at this time of the year if he is not close shaven over the body, leaving the lion-like mane which locks so particularly ridiculous to the English eye. Smooth terriers, who cannot be thus embellished or disfigured are often adorned with a little plain gold bracelet soldered above the forefoot and surmounted with a monogram; but it is essential that the leg encircled with this metal should be the left and not the right.

Rough terriers have, on the other hand, a collar of bright metal, having a medallion or clasp upon it, sometimes with the photograph of the owner or of some particular friend of her, inclosed. The best breed "bulls," again, ought to wear the collar known as the "officier," with a colored ribbon—red or blue for outdoor show, and white for the drawing room. Every dog having any claims to be well cared for must wear collars or tall boots when he goes out walking, and these should be of dooskin, fastened with rings of India rubber.—*London Globe.*

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Salvator would not curry favor with his brother artists, and therefore when at the height of his fame, was denied admittance to the Academia at Rome.

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