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The branches are then cut off, and after removing as much of the wax as possible by hand they are put in a kettle of hot water, when the remaining wax floats on the surface and the insects finish their term of usefulness by going to the bottom.

Formation of Dew.

Ground a little below the surface is always warmer than the air above it. So long as the surface of the ground is above the dew point vapor must rise and pass from the earth into the air.

The moist air so formed will mingle with the air above it, and its moisture will be condensed, forming dew wherever it comes in contact with a surface cooled below the dew point. In fact, dew rises from the ground.

But how is the dew formed on bodies high up in the air?

Dew does not rise in particles, as it was once considered to fall in particles like fine rain. It rises in vapor. Some is caught by what is on the surface of the earth, but the rest ascends in vapor form until it comes in contact with a much colder surface to condense it into moisture.

The vapor does now flow upward in a uniform stream, but is mixed in the air by eddies and wind currents and carried to bodies far from where it rose. In fact, dew may be deposited, even though the country for many miles all around be dry and incapable of yielding any vapor. In such cases the supply of vapor to form that dew would depend on the evaporation of the dew and on what was wafted over by the winds.

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One curious incident in the siege of Badajoz may be related. The day after the assault two Spanish ladies, the younger a beautiful girl of 14, appealed for help to two officers of the rifles, who were passing through one of the streets of the town. Their dresses were torn, their ears, from which rings had been roughly snatched, were bleeding, and to escape outrage or death they cast themselves on the protection of the first British officers they met. One of the officers was Captain Harry Smith of the rifles. Two years later he married the girl he had saved in a scene so wild. Captain Harry Smith in after years served at the Cape as Sir Harry, and this Spanish girl, as Lady Smith, gave her name to the historic town which Sir George White defended with such stubborn valor—"Wellington's Men."

They Were Attentive.

A clergyman preaching in a country church for the first time was delighted to find the congregation very attentive and told the vergor so after the service.

The vergor replied, "Lor' bless you, sir, we was all looking for you to disappear!"

"Why, what do you mean?" said the clergyman.

"Well, sir, you see, the pulpit is rotten and hasn't been preached in this ten year or more."—Pearson's Weekly.

Some Odd Mistakes.

An urban chemist advertised in his shop window: "Artificial eyes. Open all night." Away down south in front of the postoffice in an inland town may have been seen this legend, "Post here letters too late for the next mail." In a picture of the departure of the pilgrims from Delft Haven the artist placed a large steamer in the distance leaving the harbor under full steam.

All of.

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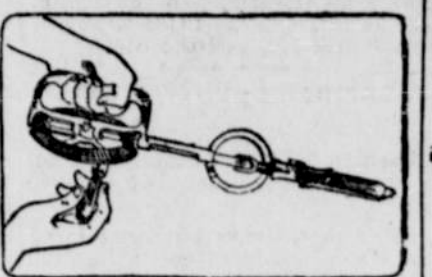
The only time I resented newspaper chatter was when I had my spectacles stolen. They were snatched from my belt, the case I wore being torn away. I spoke of it to Mr. Dorney, and the story went round the theater. Somehow the reporters got hold of it, and they made a great deal of it. It was really too bad of them. I felt it the more because I had managed to keep a much more serious theft an absolute secret. That was at the time when so much fun was being made of the "robbery of jewels" form of the theatrical advertisement. I had a very valuable pair of earrings taken from my pocket most cleverly, and I was on my way to play for a charity too! However, I kept my loss quite to myself. And then to be brought before a sympathetic public as the loser of a pair of spectacles!—From "The Stage Reminiscences of Mrs. Gilbert" in Scribner's.

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