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Korea is probably more responsive to sionary effort than any oriental coun- A Methodist missionary writes: "It y honest conviction that had we the er missionary force Korea would be a stian nation in five or ten years."

ed seems to be the most popular national colors, if flags may be used criterions. Of the twenty-five lead- national flags nineteen have red in n. No other color is so much used.

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What It Is For.

Wife—Must you go to the club to- ht, dear?

Husband—It isn't absolutely neces- y, but I need the rest.—Life.

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"He's a very prominent member of our yacht club." "Indeed! What is his official capacity?" "Four gallons."—Life.

The Parental Voice—Maude, is that young man gone yet? The Daughter—Y-yes, papa; he says he is.—Cleveland Leader.

Mamma—Oh, children, why are you so naughty to-day? Children—Why, sister said if we were good she'd sing to us to-night!—Stray Stories.

Miss Screech—Yes, mamma has kept the wolf from the door for years by her singing—— Prof. Diggs—Hem—no wonder!—New York Globe.

She—I notice that it is the single men who are the most anxious to go to war. He (much married)—Yes. They don't know what war is.

"Jane," floated downward a voice, "if that's Mrs. Soandso, I'm not in." "It is Mrs. Soandso," floated upward a voice, "and she's glad to hear it."—Boston Traveler.

Towne—Yes, Muttley is married. Didn't you know that? Browne—No; why he told me he wouldn't marry the best woman on earth. Towne—Well, he didn't.—Philadelphia Press.

First Man—We have eleven kittens at our house, and I've named them all Peter Pan. Second Man—How's that? First Man—They are never going to live to grow up.—Brooklyn Life.

Teacher (after explaining the character of the Pharisee)—And now, what do we mean by a "hypocrite?" Pupil—Please, miss, a man wot says he is wot he isn't, but he ain't.—Punch.

"Yes," said Mrs. Mugley, "I always try to retire before midnight. I don't like to miss my beauty sleep." "Really," said Miss Knox, "you should try harder. You certainly don't get enough of it."—Stray Stories.

Lady (engaging cook)—Why did you leave your last place? Bridget Maloney—Whoi, mum, the mistress said she cudn't do widout me, so Oi came to the conclusion that Oi was worth more than she was givin' me, and Oi lift at wanst!—Pick-Me-Up.

Griggs—The idea of your letting your wife go round saying she made a man of you? You don't hear my wife saying that. Briggs—No, but I heard her telling my wife that she did her best.—Ally Sloper's Half-Holiday.

Redd—I see Browne's got an automobile. Greene—Yes; his rich uncle gave it to him. "Why, he told me he put all the money he had into it." "So he did. He bought a dollar's worth of gasoline for it."—Yonkers Statesman.

Doctor Griffin—I must say the world is very ungrateful toward our profession. How seldom one sees a public memorial erected to a doctor! Mrs. Golightly—How seldom! Oh, doctor, think of our cemeteries!—Stray Stories.

Indignant Citizen—Say! Your boy threw a stone at me just now and barely missed me. Mr. Grogan—Yez say he missed ye? Indignant Citizen—That's what I understood myself to remark. Mr. Grogan—It was not my b'y.—The New Century.

Doctor (to patient)—Your heart is rather irregular. Have you anything that is worrying you? Patient—Oh, not particularly. Only that just now when you put your hand in your pocket I thought you were going to give me your bill.—London Telegraph.

"Your husband stays out quite late every night," said the tactless woman. "Yes," answered the patient wife, "but I don't know that I blame him. You see, in our apartment house people are permitted to play the piano until half-past eleven."—Washington Star.

"What's your name, my poor man?" asked the benevolent housewife, as she brought out a saucer of stewed prunes. "Sandy Pikes, F. F. V.," replied the tattered wayfarer, doffing his brimless hat. "Gracious, and does the F. F. V. stand for 'first family of Virginia?'" "No, mum; it stands for 'fast freight veteran.'"—Chicago News.

"I don't mind telling you," said the pretty girl confidentially, "that I want to take a thorough course in cooking in order to fit myself to be a good wife." "You are doing the right thing, my dear," said the matron in charge of the cooking school. "May I ask how soon you expect to be married?" "How should I know?" rejoined the pretty girl, daintily rolling up her sleeves. "I haven't found the man yet."—Chicago Tribune.

"In writing up the burglary," said the excited caller, "you can say that the thieves in their hurry overlooked $750 worth of jewelry and solid silver plate in one of the cupboards." "Might that not bring the burglars to your house a second time?" suggested the editor. "I don't care if it does," exclaimed the other. "I don't want the public to get the impression that a gang of robbers can go through my house and only find $25 worth of stuff worth stealing."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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"He's in the insane asylum, Ruggles; in the insane asylum. A glimpse of the truth was too much for his modernized intellect."

Rocky.

Tenderfoot—I hear you have started up a new quartz mill. How are you doing with it?

Mine Owner—Gneissly, thank you.

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"Yes," said the old nag, "it is rather tough pulling them up to the parsonage, but it will be easier coming back."

"How so?" queried the friendly goose at the roadside.

"Why, can't you see that after leaving the parsonage two will be made one?"—Chicago News.

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THE DOLMAN.

Garment Worn by Hussars in Early Turkish Wars.

"What is the meaning," asks a correspondent, "of the garment called, I believe, a dolman—a sleeved tunic hung from the left shoulder—worn by the king of Spain at the Bourbon wedding? The bridegroom, too, I notice, was similarly overdressed." The immediate meaning of it was that the two personages mentioned were wearing the most spledid clothes they could find in their wardrobes. It signified in the second place that both of them were officers of hussars, to whom the dolman is peculiar. Regarded as a historic relic, the dolman means even more important things. In a sense it means the salvation of Christendom from the hordes of Islam.

For hussars were invented by Matthias Corvinus, king of Hungary, one of the great opponents of the Turk in his long struggle to break into Europe. Matthias raised a special force of light cavalry by enrolling one man out of every twenty in the villages of Hungary and "hiszar" means in Magyar "twentieth."

The world has always looked to Austria and Hungary for example in the matter of light horse, and hussars have come to be copied all over Europe without any thought of the meaning of the name. Great Britain, never quick to innovate, changed two light dragoon regiments to hussars only a hundred years ago and has since added eleven hussar regiments to these. Along with the name the distinctive details of the busby and dolman have been copied too.

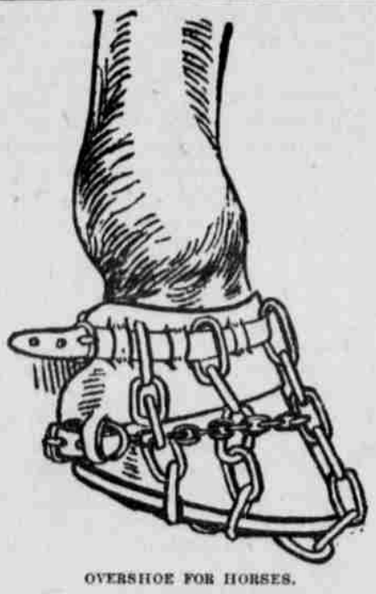
The dolman tells plainly of the Turkish war of the fifteenth century. The Hungarian troops had borrowed from their hostile neighbors the idea of the "dolama"—the word is Turkish—a sleeved robe worn over the other garments, probably for warmth. Whether it was Turk or Magyar who conceived the idea of casting it loose and going into action with it flying picturesquely on the breeze we do not know.

The hussar's busby, too, is Hungarian, the bag depending from the crown being a rudimentary form of a long stuffed bag that hung from the Magyar's busby to save his head and neck from sword cuts.—London Daily Mail.

OVERSHOES FOR HORSES.

Can Be Quickly Adjusted on Hoof in Case of Sudden Freeze.

Horses undoubtedly require an overshoe when the ground is snowy and coated with ice as much as the average human being. Drivers, although anxious to protect horses from injury by falling, have been unable to procure a practical and satisfactory overshoe. Those made of rubber prevent the



OVERSHOE FOR HORSES.

horse from slipping, but they wear out so quickly their cost is prohibitive. In the illustration is shown one which seems well fitted to serve the purpose, invented by a Massachusetts man. It is made along similar lines to the "gripper" chain placed on automobile ties. The tread is formed of a number of metallic links. When the overshoe is adjusted on the foot the links intervene between the hoof and the ground, affording a firm grip. This overshoe need not necessarily be worn on the horse all the time, but in case of sudden freeze can be quickly adjusted in position and removed when desired.—Philadelphia Record.

Thought He Knew Him.

A laborer was engaged in the grounds of an asylum and received instructions to pay no attention whatever to the remarks of the patients.

Some little time after he commenced work the governor of the asylum, a well-known doctor, looking at the progress of the work, mildly suggested one alteration. The workman dug steadily on and never lifted his head.

The doctor raised his voice, but the man, without answering, went on digging energetically. The doctor threatened, stormed, and finally thundered out:

"Do you know who I am?"

The laborer straightened his back, looked at him a minute, and, shaking his head, sorrowfully exclaimed:

"Poor chap! I am sorry for ye," and went on calmly with his work.—London Express.

Boy's Idea of Baby.

"Pop!"

"Yes, my son."

"Did the stork bring that new baby of ours?"

"Yes, my boy."

"Guess he was mighty glad to get rid of it; it cries so much!"—Yonkers Statesman.

SKIN DISEASES

HUMORS IN THE BLOOD

When the blood is pure, fresh and healthy, the skin will be soft, smooth and free from blemishes, but when some acid humor takes root in the circulation its presence is manifested by a skin eruption or disease. These humors get into the blood, generally because of an inactive or sluggish condition of the members of the body whose duty it is to collect and carry off the waste and refuse matter of the system. This unhealthy matter is left to sour and ferment and soon the circulation becomes charged with the acid poison. The blood begins to throw off the humors and acids through the pores and glands of the skin, producing Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum and skin eruptions of various kinds. Eczema appears, usually with a slight redness of the skin followed by pustules from which there flows a sticky fluid that dries and forms a crust, and the itching is intense. It is generally on the back, breast, face, arms and legs, though other parts of the body may be affected. In Tetter the skin dries, cracks and bleeds; the acid in the blood dries up the natural oils of the skin, which are intended to keep it soft and pliant, causing a dry, feverish condition and giving it a hard, leathery appearance. Acne makes its appearance on the face in the form of pimples and black heads, while Psoriasis comes in scaly patches on different parts of the body One of the worst forms of skin trouble is Salt Rheum; its favorite point of attack is the scalp, sometimes causing baldness. Poison Oak and Ivy are also disagreeable types of skin disease. The humor producing the trouble lies dormant in the blood through the Winter to break out and torment the sufferer with the return of Spring. The best treatment for all skin diseases is S. S. S. It neutralizes the acids and removes the humors so that the skin instead of being irritated and diseased, is nourished by a supply of fresh, healthy blood. External applications of salves, washes, lotions, etc., while they soothe the itching caused by skin affections, can never cure the trouble because they do not reach the blood. S. S. S. goes down into the circulation and forces out every particle of foreign matter and restores the blood to its normal, pure condition, thereby permanently curing every form of skin affection. Book on Skin Diseases and any medical advice desired sent free to all who write. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores.

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He Dodged.

"So Borroughs owes you money. Well, I think he'll pay you back some day, but you can't make him hurry."

"Don't you believe it. The mere sight of me walking along the street has made him hurry several times lately."—Philadelphia Press.

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"How did your husband get out of the building after he had located the gas leak?" asked the reporter.

"As nearly as he could remember it afterward," said the woman, "he went out through the roof."

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Name Had Escaped Her.

"Professor," said Mrs. Gaswell to the distinguished musician who had been engaged at a high price to entertain her guests, "what was that lovely selection you played just now?"

"That, madam," he answered, glaring at her, "was an improvisation."

"Ah, yes, I remember now. I knew it was an old favorite, but I couldn't think of the name of it, to save me."

Short-Sighted.

"Why don't you farmers do something to improve your roads?"

"What for?" asked the old settler.

"It would improve the value of your farms."

"Yes; and the more value we get up, the more taxes we might have to pay."—Washington Star.

Solicitude.

"Cyrus," hastily exclaimed Mrs. Jymes, "you ought to be careful how you let Fido eat out of your hand!"

"Why, there isn't a bit of danger," said Mr. Jymes. "He wouldn't harm a fly."

"O, I know there's no danger to you," impatiently rejoined his wife. "I was thinking of Fido."

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