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The Stranger's Grave. He sleeps within a nameless grave, Where spring's luxuriant blossoms wave.

No drooping mourners kneel beside That lonely grave at eventide.

The Old Mill. One hundred years the mill has stood: One hundred years the dashing flood.

And thus the world is still the same: The sunset clouds are turned to same; And while we live, and when we die,

And earth lies to fill our place: We sleep, and what we wake above

A General Herald War Imminent. The New York Herald gives the following history of the quarrel of the Servians and the Turks.

THE HISTORY OF THE QUARREL. The following brief review of the causes which have brought about this new conflict will be read with interest.

THE CONTENDING ARMIES. The forces that will open this Turkish-Servian war are so disproportioned in relative strength.

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flame into a conflagration that would envelop the entire Turkish Empire in Europe and drive the Moslems across the Bosphorus.

FILED AN OBJECTION. To the Russian programme and presented it at Constantinople, set in the grim framework of bristling cannon from the broadsides of her iron-clad fleets.

THE EFFECT OF THIS INFLUENCE ON THE progress of events has been to enable all parties interested to get ready for the arbitrament of war.

THIS STATE HAS BEEN HELD IN CHECK BY threats and promises until finally the Sultan has been obliged to give up the military frontier of Austria.

THE AID OF MONTENEGRO. A petty and impoverished little State, with an area of only 1,552 square miles, cannot be counted on to influence the struggle.

THE FORCE OF THE TURKISH ARMY. The Turkish army is twenty years of age, and has been recruited by the Sultan since the close of last year.

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What not to do in a Sick Room. Do not wear a starched garment, or anything that rustles.

How Tornadoes Operate. A terribly disastrous storm of wind recently swept over the Comango Valley, Pennsylvania.

Gambling at Monaco. A correspondent of the London Times, speaking of the gambling at Monaco, says: We beg respectfully to call your attention to one of the greatest evils that afflict our coast towns.

Troubles of the Late Sultan's Pianist. 'La Liberté' announces among its musical items the arrival in Paris of one Donizetti, professor of piano music to the late Sultan Abdul Aziz.

A Female Chemist. We often read of women who unsex themselves in appearance in order to engage in some masculine employment.

VEGETABLE SOUP. Take four potatoes, three turnips, one carrot and three onions; cut them into small pieces.

THE HAPPIEST PERIOD. Ever since the world began this has been a disputed question: ever since the world began the majority of the people have generally misjudged.

CHICKEN SALAD. Boil a chicken; do not chop very fine; cut up one bunch of celery in pieces the size of a cent.

BEAUTIFUL CAKE. Three cups of sugar, two of butter, six of flour, one of sour milk (or sweet), with a little cream, five eggs, and a few drops of fruit of any kind.

WHERE a dying man makes codicils to his will he is allowed to put on beads.

Never let the sick person see, smell, or hear about food before it is brought to him. Let each meal be in the shape of a pleasant surprise.

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