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STOLEN SWEETNESS. How Girls with Much Forwardness Sponge Cologne. "Here they come!" The speaker was a Lexington street storekeeper. Two young women, with jaunty airs and good clothes, swept by the perfumery counter. There was a sort of mournful tone to the expression of the proprietor's face which was astonishing to behold. As most storekeepers would hail the coming of the bright-faced girls with joy and pleasant anticipations, the remark called for an explanation. "Just watch them," he said, in answer to an inquiry. "That is easy task enough. They are still at the perfumery counter. They chat and they smile and look appealingly at the clerk. They fondle the bottles. Ah, out comes a stopper; or tips a vial; handkerchiefs and muffs catch the sweet scented drops that bubble out. Then a merry word and away they go. Perfumed without money and without price."

"The old, old story." Thus remarked the storekeeper. "The young women have regular free cologne rooms, just as every old top has his free-lunch route. And the lunch tray isn't worked with any more thoroughness, either. It was unusual a year ago for a customer to come in and waste time over the perfumery bottles; they generally knew what they wanted and got it. Now the strange thing is when we don't have a hundred females a day waiting over to the cologne bottles to ask questions by the score and take a free bath, with never anything more than a suggestion of purchasing. Don't imagine that these are people who cannot afford to buy their perfumery. Young women who are known in all the fashionable circles of the city have got the mania, and one of those whom you have just seen is the daughter of a Charles Street man who pays taxes on over \$1,000,000 worth of property. Another woman who comes here to wet her handkerchief and scent her dress once a week at least is a leader in one of the most exclusive sets up in the city. It is humorous to see some of them disport themselves at the counter. They uncork every bottle within reach, sniff and sniff and sniff till long after every sense of smell is deadened, ask the price of this and the price of that, want to know who uses the one and who the other, where one was manufactured and where another, whether a certain odor is lasting, whether it is fashionable, whether—a hundred things, and then at the tail end over they tip some one of the bottles, sometimes more than one, and take their daily bath. Stand up? Of course we stand it. How can we help it?"

STORIES OF THE IMPROBABLE. A well-husbanded lady is now residing in the State of Arkansas. She is 65 years of age, and is living with a courageous man who has assumed the position of being her fourteenth husband. It is said that in the hall of her house there are thirteen pegs, upon each of which hangs a hat duly labeled as the property of one of the defunct husbands. A child with two tongues is said to be living in York. The second tongue has grown from the root and on top of the first. The mother first noticed it when the child was three days old. It was then quite small, but it is now nearly as large as the real tongue. The anterior part of the upper tongue looks natural, but the posterior part is constricted and round, giving the unnatural growth a pear shape. The child, now two years old, has never experienced any difficulty in swallowing its food or breathing, looks natural in every other way, and has always been healthy. Much interest has been caused by the discovery of a tank of a huge mastodon by W. Hazleton on Holland Creek, about five miles from Centerville. The recent rains caused the creek to wash out to a depth of twelve feet from the surface and exposed to view a tusk about six feet in length by nine inches in diameter in the shape of a semicircle. It was snugly imbedded in a stratum of cemented gravel. It is not petrified, but seems to be in its natural state, although when first exposed to the air it immediately broke into small pieces. A singular freak of nature is shown in the case of Mrs. Polly George, a lady well known to many citizens, who lives two miles from Milburn, in this county. Mrs. G. is 76 years old, the mother and the grandmother of a large family in this county. During her life she has cut and shed her teeth twice and now has commenced to cut her third set, having cut four teeth within the past month—two above and two below. She also, a little over a year ago, shed her vis, which was white with age, and it is now replaced by a suit of black hair with an occasional silver thread only. A rather singular incident occurred in St. Francis bottom lately. In crossing Tyronez River on a mule the rider, a negro, fell off and was drowned. The mule came safely to shore and was taken possession of by the "Squire." The river was dragged, the negro's body found and on it a pistol. He had been dead three days, but the "Squire" fined him \$50 and costs for carrying concealed weapons and confiscated mule and pistol to pay the same.

Scientific Miscellany. The seas of India and China now have twelve tidal observatories, each of which is moved to a new spot every fifth year. A writer from Fiji asserts that when flocks of tern and other sea fowl rest upon the sea the water becomes smooth, an effect which he ascribes to oil emitted by the birds. Evidence of the sanitary value of sunlight is afforded by the recent experiments in France of Mons. E. Duclaux, who finds that the light of the sun, in its action on germs, is fifty times as destructive as its heat. Distilled water saturated with oxygen is now prepared in Paris, and is rapidly gaining favor. Aside from its healthfulness for ordinary table use, it is said to be valuable in the treatment of diseases of the digestive organs. An opportunity of studying a case of leprosy has been afforded Dr. Guttman, who assures the Berlin Medical society that there can be no doubt that the living bacilli found in the system of leprosy patients are really the cause of the disease. The Dutch government has had collected the reports of 1,300 eye witnesses in order to prepare an accurate history of the Krakatoa volcanic eruption, which many suppose was the cause of the wonderful skyglows seen over a large part of the world. It is reported that Herr Palisa, of Vienna, the well-known discoverer of asteroids, wishes to sell for \$250 the right of naming small planet No. 244, the money to be applied by him to the fitting out of an expedition to observe the total eclipse of August, 1885. The conclusion has been reached by Mons. Foyal that the absorption of atmospheric oxygen by coal dust usually produces the rise in temperature to which spontaneous combustion is due. He finds that lignite is ignited at the low temperature of 300 degrees, anthracite at 375 degrees, and other varieties of coal, in powdered form, at intermediate temperatures. Fish in Warm Water.—An experiment has been made at South Kensington to determine the degree of heat which various fishes may endure. The water containing them was slowly warmed, when individuals of the several species were prostrated at the following temperatures: Perch, 82 degrees; roach, 82 1/2 degrees; salmon, 83 degrees; minnow, 85 degrees; gudgeon, 85 1/2 degrees; dace, 86 degrees; common tench, 88 degrees; golden tench, 88 degrees; carp, 91 degrees. Brandy—about which as a fish restorer much has lately been said—seemed to have good effect in restoring to animation the exhausted objects of the experiment.

Shape of the Earth's Orbit.—Proctor remarks that a common error is the supposition that the earth moves in an obviously elliptical path, whereas it really appears to travel in a circle. Taking the earth's orbit very nearly when its eccentricity was very nearly at its greatest—850,000 years ago—the numbers 325 and 324 represent the actual proportion between the greatest and shortest axes of the figure described by our planet's motion around the sun. So that if a circle is drawn with a radius of three and one-fourth inches it nowhere departs more than the hundredth part of an inch from the ellipse which would represent with perfect accuracy the orbit of the earth 850,000 years ago when it was so much more divergent from an exactly circular form than now. Plant Parasites.—Almost every sort of plant furnishes a living to its own peculiar species of aphid, or plant-louse, by which great destruction is occasionally wrought. Dr. J. Sibley Hicks, an English entomologist, states that the hop aphid caused a loss in 1882 amounting to nearly \$9,000,000. This enormous damage is explained by the fabulous rate of increase of the aphid, it being possible for a single female to see in her lifetime a progeny of over 4,500 million individuals. Another destructive species, known as American blight, occurs on apple trees, and was first observed in 1785 in an orchard near London. The vine aphid (phylloxera) has done immense damage in the vineyards of France, where it was first found in 1865. Fortunately, the aphides have numerous enemies, especially active ones being the caterpillars of the lady-bird, the lacewing fly, and its grub, and the ichneumon fly. A lady-bird caterpillar will devour forty or fifty daily.

A Stunner. Scene: Chicago. Small boy (to his sister): "Belle, are you going to Heaven when you die?" Belle: "I hope so." "Will you wear wings?" "I suppose so, Johnnie." "But Belle—" "Yes, Johnnie." "What'll you do with your feet?"

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