

THE BELTED PLAID.

This Was the Original Dress of the Scottish Highlander.

The original dress of the Highlander was the belted plaid. This was a piece of tartan cloth, two yards broad and four long, which was drawn around the waist in nicely adjusted folds and tightly buckled with a belt.

PRAIRIE DOGS.

Choked Up a River While Traveling From Oklahoma to Texas.

The prairie dog migration from Oklahoma to southwestern Texas during July, 1874, eclipsed anything of that sort witnessed by white men in this country.

The Pin in England.

The date of the first manufacture of pins in England is shrouded in uncertainty, but it is authentically recorded that as early as 1464, when money was "tight," extensive cloth workers compelled their laborers to accept in payment for their work "pins, girdles and other unprofitable wares instead of money."

Wild Flowers of Alaska.

Up in "Kroon Alaska," as John Burroughs found it, the predominating color of the wild flowers is blue. The wild geranium is blue and tinges the slopes as daisies and buttercups do with us.

Fish Out of Water.

Many people think that fish when taken out of water die because air has a fatal effect on them. The real reason, however, is that their delicate gill filaments or membranes become dry and stick together, so that no air can pass between them.

Soft.

"Don't you think the custom of throwing rice at a newly married couple is idiotic?" asked the fluffy-haired maid.

"Sure," answered the savage old bachelor. "Mush would be a great deal more appropriate."—Chicago News.

Genealogy.

Small Boy (Just home from school)—Mamma, Miss Stimpson says I'm descended from a monkey. His Mother (glancing severely at her husband)—Not on my side, darling.—Harper's Weekly.

INFORMATION FOR YOUNG WOMEN

At the time of the Centennial in Philadelphia, in 1876, the Young Women's Christian Association, then six years old, sent out circulars to warn girls against coming to see the Exposition with the idea of getting work.

Desiring to meet these conditions we make the following suggestions: 1. See to it that you have money enough for an emergency and for your return home.

2. See to it that before leaving home you learn from a reliable source that your destination in Portland is a safe one. 3. See to it that you accept no directions from either men or women on trains, if unknown to you, and that you report to the conductor any advances made.

4. See to it that you have an authorized Traveller's Aid card of identification. 5. See to it that you apply for the cards to your Organization, Society or Guild. 6. See to it that before accepting employment in Portland, through advertisement or otherwise, that the Exposition Traveller's Aid Committee endorses it.

EAR OF DIONYSIUS.

One of the Famous Whispering Places of the World.

Among the notable whispering places of the world is the "Ear of Dionysius" of ancient Syracuse. It is in the shape of a parabolic curve, ending in an elliptical arch, with sides parallel to its axis, perfectly smooth and covered with a slight stucco incrustation that renders its repercussions amazingly sonorous.

A like effect takes place in a less degree when sound ascends from the bottom of a deep well or when words are uttered at one extremity of a long corridor or passage in a building. If a pin be dropped into a well the sound produced when it strikes the water is distinctly heard at the mouth or the sounds of words spoken near the surface of any well is similarly augmented.

A FAMOUS STAR GROUP.

The Constellation Orion in Legend and Literature.

The constellation Orion is mentioned in the literature of all ages. In Egypt it represented Horus, the young of the sun, in a boat surmounted by stars, closely followed by Sirius, which was shown as a cow. It has also been found sculptured on the walls of Thebes 5,000 years ago.

From the days of the early Indians to the present the constellation has for some reason borne always a stormy character. Allusions to its direful influence are found everywhere among the classic writers. Thus Milton wrote:

When with her friends Orion arrived Hath vexed the Red Sea coast. The loss of the Roman squadron in the first Punic war was ascribed to the heets having sailed just after the rising of Orion. The group has also been employed as a calendar sign, its morning rising indicating the beginning of summer, its midnight rising the season of grape gathering and its early evening rising the arrival of winter, with its attendant storms. In recent times the group has always represented a great hunter or warrior. Its present title came into Greek gastronomy from the Euphrates and originally signified the light of heaven.

You can't afford to use a pool-plop. Oliver Chilled Plops are the right kind. Sold complete or in duplicate parts by Wynne Hardware Co.

Dr. Darrin At Work

The Celebrated Specialist at the Hotel Smeede

Eugene Guard.

Dr. Darrin, the celebrated specialist, and Mrs. Darrin arrived in this place Sunday and have offices at Hotel Smeede, where the doctor will administer treatment to the afflicted. Dr. Darrin needs no recommendation, for the wonderful cures effected by him throughout the state during his many years of practice in Portland speak for themselves and are living testimonials of his superior skill and success in treatment and cure of the most stubborn and aggravated cases and chronic diseases.

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Among those successfully treated may be mentioned ex-senator George Chandler's son of Baker City, who had heart trouble and general debility; cured and gained 30 pounds.

J. A. Lindsay, news agent of the Southern Pacific, residence Mt. Tabor, Oregon, is happy over the cure of consumption, bronchitis and catarrh, performed by Dr. Darrin eight years ago. He gained 21 pounds and has kept it ever since.

Mrs. P. Hayes' daughter on 20th street, Portland, is happy over the cure of a large goitre (large neck) of several years standing. It was restored by Dr. Darrin's electrical treatment many years ago.

Mrs. T. B. Hatfield's son, 214 11th street, Portland, was cured six years ago by Dr. Darrin. His trouble was discharging ears and deafness.

H. A. Kirts, 311 Church street, Salem, considers himself perfectly cured of deafness by Dr. Darrin.

Fred Nickerman, of 110 State street, Salem, is very enthusiastic over his relief from an eye trouble, catarrh and pain in the head and eyeballs, by Dr. Darrin.

C. R. Rurfee, of Shaw, Oregon, reports his cure of deafness for 25 years by Dr. Darrin as complete. His daughter, Miss Durfee, has had no recurrence of her deafness and granulated eye trouble, cured by Dr. Darrin.

Mrs. Al Hudson, formerly of La Grande, Oregon, now residing at 569 Salmon street, Portland, partial paralysis of the face and diseases peculiar to her sex cured nine years ago by Dr. Darrin.

Mrs. Abbie Wareham, Montaville, Oregon, epilepsy 26 years, cured by electricity and medicine 15 years ago and never had a return of the symptoms.

Something for Your Eastern Friends.

The 1905 issue of the publication "Oregon, Washington and Idaho and Their Resources," issued by the Passenger Department of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, is now ready for distribution.

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Gave Him Away.

Was you frightened when the holdups told you to throw up your hands? No. I was very much embarrassed, though. Embarrassed, and why? Well, you know I had Miss Old-gold the heiress with me, and I didn't have a cent.

An Easy One.

Overheard in an art gallery. An old man and woman are standing in front of a marble statue. Old Lady—Say, Si, what be the? Old Man—Sh, Mandy. Don't show yer ignorance. That's a petrified man.

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