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No other Building in America the Scene of More Thrilling Events. An alert boy of 12 or 13 years, visiting in Boston for the first time, was asked what historical building he would like to visit first, and he replied very promptly:

"The Old South Meeting-house. I like to see places in which there has been something doing in the past. They did things in the Old South Meeting-house, both before and during the Revolution, didn't they?"

Indeed they did! No building in America has been the scene of more thrilling events than has this ancient house of worship.

Had this boy, who was eager to see the Old South Meeting-house because of all that it stands for, been in Boston on the 29th day of last April, he might have gone into the time-honored old building in company with hundreds of other boys, and a great many girls, who came from all parts of the city to be present at the "Children's Hour" in the "Old South." This is a semi-yearly event in Boston. It is a part of what is called the "Old South Work," which is a good work, having for its chief purpose the bringing of the young people of Boston and America into an intimate knowledge of early American history.

On this 29th day of April the Old South Meeting-house was packed with boys and girls from the public schools, to hear about William Blackstone, the first settler in the city of Boston. A large orchestra of boys and girls from one of the public schools played patriotic airs, and I remember that at one "Children's Hour" in the Old South two hundred school girls sang the ode which was composed and sung when President George Washington visited Boston in 1789. You see that they still "do things" of a patriotic nature in this old meeting-house—hallowed, as it is, by memories of Washington and Adams and Otis and Hancock and all the good men and true who helped to give our country its most valued possession—Independence.—St. Nicholas.

Shells filled with oil, intended to calm a stormy sea when fired into it, have been invented in France.

It is usually safe to judge a woman by the things she doesn't say.

Women have a queer way of doing things and men have a queer way of not doing them.

He that reigns within himself, and rules his passions, desires and fears, is more than a king.—Milton.

Many a man's winning ways are due to the way he deals the cards.

Disguise our bondage as we will, 'tis woman, woman, rules us still.—Moore.

Many a lawyer has discovered that a wife's word is law.

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SALE OF GOODS.

State Law Provides Protection for the Creditor.

Portland—The Portland Association of Credit Men, one of the state's oldest and strongest commercial bodies, has taken up the matter of purchasing goods without the buyer knowing whether or not there is any indebtedness against the same. A law on the statute books of Oregon, covering this question, follows:

SALE OF GOODS IN BULK.

It shall be the duty of any person who shall purchase any stock of goods in bulk, for cash or credit, to demand and receive from the vendor, at least five days before the consummation of such purchase, and at least five days before paying or delivering to the vendor, any part of the purchase price, a written statement under oath, containing the names and addresses of all of the creditors of said vendor, with the amount of indebtedness due and owing, or to become due or owing to each of such creditors, and if there be no such creditors, a written statement under oath to that effect; and it shall be the duty of such vendor to furnish such statement at least five days before such sale. After receiving said written statement, the vendee shall at least five days before the consummation of such purchase, and at least five days before paying any part of the purchase price, in good faith notify personally or by wire or by registered letter, each of the creditors of the vendor named in said statement, of the proposed purchase by him of such stock of goods; and whenever any person shall purchase any stock of goods in bulk, without having first demanded and received from his vendor, the statement herein provided for, and without having also notified all of the creditors of the vendor named in such statement, such purchase, sale or transfer shall, as to any and all creditors of the vendor, be conclusively presumed fraudulent and void. Any vendor of a stock of goods in bulk, who shall knowingly and wilfully make or deliver, or cause to be made or delivered, any false statement, or shall fail to include the names of all of his creditors in any such statement, shall be deemed guilty of perjury. Any sale or transfer of a stock of goods, wares or merchandise out of the usual or ordinary course of the business or trade of the vendor, or whenever thereby substantially the entire business or trade theretofore conducted by the vendor shall be sold or conveyed or attempted to be sold or

conveyed, shall be deemed a sale or transfer in bulk, in contemplation of this act; provided, that nothing contained in this act shall apply to sales by executors, administrators, receivers, or any public officer acting under judicial process.

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Reimburse His Only Capital.

The clothing of a sailor is practically his complete outfit for work, and without this he is unable to join his vessel properly equipped for duty.

Because of this fact Congress passed a law providing a penalty for refusing to give up the clothes of a seaman whenever he demands them. This law was not as effective as it should have been, and a new law has been passed recently which provides that a person who shall keep any seaman's clothing, when demanded, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be imprisoned not more than six months or fined not more than \$500, or both.

A seaman, not a deserter, in any part of the United States has a right to demand his clothes at any time, and if he does not receive them he can call upon any United States district attorney, who will secure them for him and inflict a penalty upon the person detaining them.

A small boy's idea of greatness is to be able to lick another boy a size larger.

RHEUMATISM CAN NOT BE RUBBED AWAY

When the joints are sore and swollen, and the muscles throbbing with the pain of Rheumatism, relief must be had at once, and it is natural to rub the affected parts with liniments, oils, etc. This treatment does good in a way, by temporarily relieving the pain and reducing the inflammation, but has no effect on the disease itself, because Rheumatism is more than skin deep; it is in the blood and cannot be rubbed away. Rheumatism is brought on by indigestion, weak kidneys, poor bowel action, stomach troubles and a general sluggish condition of the system. The refuse and waste matters, which should be carried off through the natural avenues of bodily waste, are left to sour and form uric acid and other irritating poisons which are absorbed by the blood, making it thin, weak and acid. Then instead of nourishing the different nerves, muscles, joints and tissues it fills them with poison to produce the aches, pains and other disagreeable symptoms of the disease. Rheumatism is usually worse in Winter for the reason that cold and dampness are exciting causes. The nerves become excited and sting with pain, the muscles are sore and drawn, the joints swollen and stiff and the sufferer lives in intense agony; and if the disease is not checked it often leaves its victims helpless cripples for life. Rheumatism cannot be rubbed away but it can be driven from the blood by S. S. S. Being a perfect blood purifier this great remedy soon produces a complete change in the entire circulation; the thin, acid blood through the body nourishes and soothes the irritated nerves, eases the throbbing muscles, and dissolves and carries off of the system the irritating particles in the joints which are keeping up the pain and inflammation. S. S. S. cures Rheumatism permanently, and in addition tones up the digestion and stimulates the different members of the body to their full duty so there is no cause for another attack. Do not waste time trying to rub Rheumatism away, but get it out of the blood with S. S. S. so that the cold and dampness of Winter will not keep you in continual pain and agony. Special Book on Rheumatism and any medical advice will be given free.

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WARRIORS AT PLAY.

The first anniversary of the victory of the Yalu was celebrated by General Kuroki's men in a most remarkable manner, which, says a London Times correspondent who was with the First Japanese Army, involved work nearly as hard as that required to win the victory. Not being able to go to Japan, they brought Japan to Manchuria. A whole corps that had been in the field for more than a year set out to create in a bare valley overlooked by bare hillsides an illusion of Japan at spring-tide, all green and park-like.

In Japan carp swim up cataraacts—in fables. When they reach the top they become beautiful dragons. That is the national example of the reward for perseverance which takes the place of the story of Robert Bruce and the spider.

One of the brigades, as its part in the battle of deception, built both the carp and the waterfall. For more than a mile, and then up the steep slope which was the scene of their composition, they brought pine boughs to form the sides of the channels, the overhanging verdure of crags and of rocky islets. The foaming torrent was made by bolts of cotton laid in waves that half-submerged the leaping fish, seventy-five feet long, which had cotton creosets for its scales. A mile away the illusion was excellent, especially if you half-closed your Occidental eyes, which are always seeing scaffolding and the prompter's box.

You had to do the same with the dragon-fly on the next hill—a dragon-fly with wings fifty feet long and beaten-out rattan-meat tins for its gigantic eyes. You had to do the same in order to realize the Big Lion (properly spelled with capitals). The holes of his nostrils, some fifteen feet wide, were made with matting. Their fleshy part was soldier's red blankets, for he was a fierce Japanese lion, just now in a red fury. His mane was made of evergreens on the summit of a rocky escarpment. Five hundred yards away more evergreens were formed into a lashing tail.

General Fujii, the chief, and the other members of the staff entered into the plan of the effects and the organization of the fete with the same gusto with which they have outmaneuvered the Russians on many fields. Young forests of pines and of wild cherry-trees were literally transplanted, and walks and arbors set among them. A gentle slope was leveled for the approach to the altar. Beyond it a statue of General Kuroki on horseback—a good imitation of bronze—looked down on the scene, with a hanging iris garden at his feet. From the altar led two avenues—even provided with conduits where they crossed gullies—leveled with as much care as if they were meant for a generation's traffic instead of a day's merry-making.

One of the avenues led into the little village of Plau-chi-tun, which had been Kuroki's headquarters since the Battle of Mukden. It had a garlanded bridge, a huge evergreen arch, and what takes the place of an arch in Japan, a torii, which in this instance was formed of Chinese matting covered with cotton cloth. Lining both avenues were alternate pine and cherry trees, and set between them transparencies made by soldier artists. Venerable Fujiyama, the most painted mountain in the world, was there, of course, and scenes both at home and at the front.

On the plain, out of the earth of the dreary kaoliang fields, whose never-ending stubble is as the sands of the desert, had sprung little Japanese gardens, such as you see from one end of Japan to the other. Miniature lakes were set in miniature landscapes, and a fountain played among the beds of imitation iris.

The night before the fete millions of imitation paper flowers, which had been fashioned in the leisure hours of camp with the skillfulness of Parisian shop-girls, were brought in great baskets and fastened to the twigs of the transplanted trees.

The strangest part of it all is that it is as natural for the soldiers of the Japanese army to do these things as it is for them to fight. That same skill which was devoted to making waterfalls and paper flowers, that trick of ready improvisation which brought Japan to Manchuria, was turned the next day into scouting the dead spaces in front of the enemy's works and to desperate charges in the night.

Danger of Realism.

David Belasco was talking about stage realism.

"It may go too far," he said. "It is a dangerous thing."

He smiled.

"A stage manager," he said, "once had a subordinate with realistic ideas. The manager was producing a play containing a snowstorm and the subordinate had charge of the snow."

"'Confound you!' said the manager, at the end of the snowstorm scene. 'What on earth did you mean by making the snow out of brown paper?'"

"'Ain't the scene laid in London?' asked the other."

"'Yes, but what of that?'"

"'Well, that's the color of London snow.'"—Philadelphia Bulletin.

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No Cause for Alarm.

"I see there are a couple of oil magnates in the audience," said the minister to the doorkeeper at the lecture; "give them back their money. I won't have any tainted money."

"You needn't worry," replied the doorkeeper; "they both came in on free passes!"

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Numerous Pictures.

Bacon—I see the Baron has two oil paintings in one of his rooms.

Egbert—They are his ancestors, I suppose.

"But in another one close by there are hundreds of pictures."

"Yes, no doubt they are his creditors."

Back to Chicago.

Dearborn—And did you shake the dust from your feet when you left New York?

Wabash—Well, I don't know that I shook it from my feet exactly, but I know I got rid of all the dust I had, all right.

Believes Heaven Filled with Men.

In Moncure Conway's "Reminiscences" is a story told by Helen Taylor, the step-daughter of John Stuart Mill. Once, in Scotland, she called on a poor woman who had lost her little son. The mother was inconsolable and said:

"What troubles me is, they be all men folk up there in heaven and won't know how to do for him."

An Ancient Life-Saver.

The first verse of the fifty-first Psalm is called the "neck verse," for the reason that in former times a man condemned to death sometimes had a chance to save his life by proving that he could read, and this verse was used as a test.

Music to Him.

"What do you think of the quartet?"

"I am delighted with it."

"What?"

"Tut, tut, man. I am a bitter enemy of one of the singers."—Detroit News.

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The usual remedy for this delayed passage (called Constipation) is to take a big dose of Castor Oil.

This merely makes slippery the passage for unloading the current cargo.

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Another remedy is to take a strong Cathartic, like Salts, Calomel, Jalap, Phosphates of Sodium, Aperient Water, or any of these mixed.

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