

The Song of the Hair

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Queen Maud has the reputation of being the wit of King Edward's family. On one occasion she was with her sisters at a public function and noticed a curious pressman gazing at their every movement, says the London Tatler. Accordingly, she wrote something on a piece of paper and, making a pretense of handing it to one of her sisters, dropped it. The reporter, of course, in great glee picked it up, expecting to get a great scoop for his paper. Imagine his chagrin when he found written on it the commonplace remark: "My new boots pinch me horribly."

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Dennis—What's all this fuss they're makin' about the pa-ackers? My Larry—a lot o' cranks is star-tin' a fad fr' clane mate.—Chicago Tribune.

Keeping It in the Family.

"Confound it all," said the elderly gentleman who was dining with a chorus lady, "the youngster with that address at the corner table is my grandson. The young puppy!" "Oh, it's all right," retorted the fair damsel. "He's with my grandmother."—Pittsburg Post.

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Mother Goose Amended.

The cow had jumped over the moon. "That's a little the highest," she said, "that beef has gone since the trust was organized."

At this point the little dog went.

In Kansas.

"What's the pay?" asked the prospective hired man. "Well," answered the farmer, "ye kin have \$6 a day an' three of my darter's kisses, or \$3 a day and six kisses. Suit yourself. As far as I'm concerned ye kin take it all out in kisses if ye've a mind to."—Houston Chronicle.

FADED TO A SHADOW.

Worn Down by Five Years of Suffering from Kidney Complaint.

Mrs. Remette Myers, of 180 South Tenth St., Izonton, O., says: "I have worked hard in my time and have been exposed again and again to changes of weather. It is no wonder my kidneys gave out and I went all to pieces at last. For five years I was fading away and finally so weak that for six months I could not get out of the house. I was nervous, restless and sleepless at night, and lame and sore in the morning. Sometimes everything would whirl and blur before me. I bloated so badly I could not wear tight clothing, and had to put on shoes two sizes larger than usual. The urine was disordered and passages were dreadfully frequent. I got help from the first box of Doan's Kidney Pills, however, and by the time I had taken four boxes the pain and bloating was gone. I have been in good health ever since."

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The Tour of Europe

The first place in London which the American visits is almost invariably the tower of London. This structure is the germ of the modern city. The building is black, with a blue dome and a gleaming gold ball that crowns its lantern. A narrow, winding staircase leads to the room where the little princes died so pitifully. Here is the spot where Anne Boleyn, wife of England's "bluebeard," was executed, and Katherine Howard likewise, her equally unfortunate successor, and where the lovely and lovely Jane Grey was beheaded, a martyr to political intrigue and royal jealousy. Here is the traitor's gate, and the little cemetery which Macaulay declared to be the saddest spot on earth.

Next in point of interest comes the cathedral of St. Paul, with its monuments of heroes, a blue dome overhead, where organ tones roll amply, wide aisles from whose mute walls Crime's battered banners speak of glory. There is, however, no monument in London which Americans so dearly love as the beautiful abbey church of Westminster. All who boast of English blood feel that this Valhalla of Great Britain is a racial inheritance. All in the abbey is beautiful, with a beauty consecrated both by the holiness of man's high faith and by the peaceful, noble, reconsecrating touch of time. In spite of the many tombs, Westminster's atmosphere is not depressing. An air of reverence but not one of sadness overlies "the silent meeting place of eight dead centuries."

There are lessons taught by this great sculptured tomb of kings and nobles. High purposes and high resolves surround the mind, and teach in the vaulted quiet of this sacred sepulcher, peopled so plentifully with inspirations, truths of life and love learned more slowly in the busy, lonely streets outside.

The tourist who wishes to take in at a glance how big and how important is London, should go and stand on London bridge, where can be seen the continuous throng crossing the river, the great part of the Thames crowded as far as the eye can reach with docks and river craft, and the bustling forests of masts. Here centralizes the thought of the vast relation of London to the rest of the world. It is not merely the biggest city—it is by all manner of means the greatest. It is both the commercial and the financial center of affairs. Its port, the largest in the world, extends way down the Thames on both banks as far as the sea, so

VINDICATION OF DREYFUS.

Cour's Verdict Closes a Long Chapter of Injustice.

When the supreme court of France announced its decision annulling the condemnation of Dreyfus without a retrial, it completely vindicated Dreyfus, restoring him to his rank in the army as though he had never been accused and making him a chief of squadron of artillery. Together with him Picquart was also reinstated and made a brigadier general. This closes a long chapter of injustice which, perhaps, has no



DREYFUS THEN AND NOW.

parallel in the nineteenth century. The Dreyfus case exemplifies two extremes of human conduct—unthinkable infamy and the loftiest sense of justice. The criminal expedients employed in the original conviction of the unhappy officer; the savage tortures to which he was subjected, especially during his life in that cage on Devil's Island, and the entire drift of conduct of the bureaucrats that were opposed to him, mark the outermost limit of hatred and cowardice. But Dreyfus is now vindicated. Guilt has been brought home to the guilty and the innocent has been rehabilitated in the garments of innocence. The highest court in the French republic has declared that the accusation, the farcical trial, the inhuman sentence, the heart-breaking public degradation of an officer of the army, whose honor was dearer than life, the breaking up of a tender family relation, the suffering that was laid upon a devoted wife and adoring children because

that it forms a harbor that is sixty miles long. All ocean telegraphs converge here. And people from every quarter of the earth come to London, either to sojourn for a while or merely to pass through the city en route for some place else. And these dingy looking dock warehouses below contain untold wealth, the greatest treasure probably that ever has been collected in one place in all the world. People speak with justice of "Father Thames," for the river is mainly responsible for London's greatness.

Whitehall is superb. On both sides of the road are palatial masses of architecture. Near by is Scotland Yard and the admiralty, and then the Horse Guards, the headquarters of the British army. The name is taken from the household troops always on duty here. The site of the place is that of the ancient till yard of Westminster, which was so renowned for its jousts during the Tudor reign. Sir Philip Sidney used to tilt here, the Earl of Leicester, too, and that brave old Sir Henry Lee who is celebrated in British history for having lived eighty years and served five English monarchs.

Opposite to the Horse Guards is the Whitehall banqueting hall, out of the window of which Charles I. stepped to the scaffold. To-day it is in the possession of the Lighted Royal Service commission, having been given over to it by Queen Victoria. Any one who wears a sailor's blue jacket or a soldier's uniform is admitted free to its important naval and military library and museum.

Richmond terrace is lined with handsome edifices, and the visitor passes by the government offices through what is known as the principal avenue in London, and comes to an intersection of four roads which form the center of a group of important buildings. Beyond are Westminster hall and the houses of parliament.

In the former building, which is now the entrance of the latter, the first English Parliament sat. It has been, besides, the scene of splendid royal festivities, of those coronation banquets of olden time when the champions of England rode into the hall and threw down the glove in challenge against all comers. Charles I. was tried and condemned here, and Cromwell, magnificently attired in ermine and in purple, was proclaimed lord protector. It was only a few years later that his head was exposed at this same place on the point of a pike.

Why He Was Sad.

One of the Washington correspondents has worn a face of deep grief for several days, but has refused all offers to pour his woes on friendly bosoms until to-day. He went this afternoon and said: "Well, if you must know, it's this: When the president consented to the Allison amendment I was filled with deep grief, for at heart I am a patriot and am with the common people. I wrote a dispatch so hot that it shaked. I showed wherein the president had fallen from that high plane whereon he had been enshrined, and as a climax I wound up with a paragraph in which I said with bitter irony: 'His action has given great satisfaction to all the conspirators and corruptionists here.'"

"The next day I picked up my paper, and what do you think it read? Here it is. Does not this account for my careworn brow?"

And he pointed to his own dispatch which concluded in the words: "His action has given great satisfaction to all the conspirators and correspondents here." — Washington Correspondent, New York Times.

No Meat Scandals in Paris.

Paris, with her genius for organization, probably leads the world in her scientifically conducted slaughter houses, says Public Opinion. Almost perfect precautions for public safety are taken by means of the rigorous inspection of the meat by the police. There are two immense municipal abattoirs, and the charge for slaughtering, known as the "slaughter house tax," is 2 francs per hundred kilograms, or about \$4.22 per ton, which the city sets aside to defray the cost of maintaining and repairing the abattoirs. In round numbers the city receives \$700,000 a year.—New Orleans Picayune.

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"Rev." Larry Summerfield.

The Broadway friends of Larry Summerfield, the wireless wire tapper, were greatly pleased yesterday to learn that their old associate had been selected as organist in the chapel at Sing Sing prison. As there are several sets of services each Sunday, the new job will enable Larry to be away from his cell the greater part of the day.

Of all days the most dreaded by the Sing Sing prisoners is Sunday. They have no work to do then and must remain in the cells except when attending chapel services. There are two chapels—Protestant and Catholic. The prisoners usually attend both, so as to get away from the close confinement on Sunday.

As organist, Summerfield will not only escape the cell confinement on Sunday, but will also have a few "evenings out," as there are services several times a week in the evening. According to the friends of Summerfield, the wire-tapper was brought up amid religious surroundings and there was an organ in his home. It is said that he has been after the job of organist for some time.—New York Sun.

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