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"I'll let you have this for $500," said the man.

Greenberg bargained with him and eventually bought the set for $20. He thought he had a prize.

Just as he was about to hand the money to the stranger he found that the muff was damaged. The man readily agreed to exchange it and took what looked like a similar muff from the grip. This looked all right and was accepted.

When the lawyer examined the muff and collar more carefully, however, on rubbing his hand gently over the fur it began to fall out. Greenberg took the garments to an expert and learned that they were made of hair dyed and pasted crudely on a foundation. The value of the garments was about $1.50.

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Lady Sarah Sladen is a Salvationist, and the countess dowager of Teafield is a member of the auxiliary of the army. Two daughters of Mr. Onslow, late member of parliament for Guildford, have together steadily risen in the ranks. Intimately connected with the work in Australasia is the Hon. Mrs. Bird, wife of the former prime minister of Tasmania. She is said to be as ardent as any Salvation Army lass in disposing of the "War Cry." The daughter of the late Lady Galt, wife of the lieutenant governor of Ontario, is working in Canada.—Answers.

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