

A ROMAN MODEL'S TROUBLES.

The Thin Man and His Disastrous Ambition to Pose for Hercules.

The Piazza di Spagna, one of the finest squares in Rome, is the capital of the English speaking colony.

The story of Pietro, the hopelessly fat model of many pictures of bulky monks, has a certain moral.

There being no gymnasium at hand, he used two chairs for parallel bars, and having no trainer invented many curious and useful exercises.

The Emperor and the Artist.

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Dressing to Look Young.

The tendency of the present fashions is to make women look young. Mothers are not put into shabby black gowns.

Largest Lighthouse in the World.

The distinction of owning the most powerful flashlight and the largest lighthouse in the world belongs to France.

ODDS AND ENDS.

If the doctor orders bark, has not the patient a right to growl?

A house at Canton, Conn., that was built in 1760 is still occupied as a dwelling.

The rose of Castile is the national flower of the swarthy and fiery Spaniard.

The first famous German brewer was Herr Knaust, who wrote a handbook on his art in 1573.

Horses are so plentiful in Chili and Buenos Ayres that it is not uncommon for beggars to ride.

True modesty avoids everything that is criminal, false modesty everything that is unfashionable.

The real happiness of life cannot be bought with money, and the poor may have it as well as the rich.

There is talk of running trolley observation cars across Niagara falls suspended 50 feet above the water.

Imitation may be the sincerest flattery, but an up to date girl doesn't think so when she is presented with a paste diamond.

Racine often said that the suffering he endured from one adverse criticism more than outweighed all the pleasure he enjoyed from the public applause.

Pope owed his accuracy and polish of style to a hint from a miserable poet named Walsh that the English poetry of that day was deficient in elegance.

A bomb was recently found near the Roman coliseum. "While stands the coliseum Rome shall stand," said Byron, "and when Rome falls—the world."

Raymond, a very voluminous author, persuaded a publisher to issue a 20 volume edition of his works.

Scarron was for many years a victim of acute rheumatism. He could use only his tongue and his hands.

Vondel was the Dutch Euripides. Most of his tragedies are on subjects drawn from the Scriptures.

A French author, noted in his own time, produced in the seventeenth century a folio volume on "Noses," in which he described all kinds and told what sort of nose every saint in the calendar must have possessed.

When Malherbe was on his deathbed, an unlettered priest was picturing to him in ungrammatical language the joys of heaven.

Two pretty girls sat opposite me at luncheon the other day, two healthy, hearty, rosy, daintily dressed creatures, who are very pretty disciples of Mesmer and understand the force of hypnotic suggestion.

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LARGEST OF THEIR KIND.

The deepest coal mine is near Lambert, Belgium; depth, 3,490 feet.

The czar of Russia holds the largest individual estates—100,000,000 acres.

The greatest bee owner on earth is Harbison of California, who owns 6,000 hives.

The largest bronze statue in the world is that of Peter the Great at St. Petersburg; weight, 1,100 tons.

The most costly medicine in the world is metallic gallium, which sells at a price equal to \$100,000 per pound.

The deepest hole ever bored into the earth is an artesian well at Buda-Pesth, which was driven to a depth of 8,140 feet.

The largest bird's nest is that built by the Australian jungle fowl, usually about 20 feet in diameter and 15 feet high.

The largest flower is the rafflesia (named in honor of Sir S. Raffles), which is a native of Sumatra.

The Mordella beetle has the greatest number of distinct eyes, a single specimen possessing as many as 25,000 facets of vision in his compound eye.

The greatest height ever attained by balloonists was by Coxwell and Glaisher, who reached an altitude of 37,000 feet.

A Queer Rainbow Superstition. The Kurds and Armenians, whose many folklore stories and tales of superstitious fancies far exceed those of the gypsies, have some rainbow beliefs which are perhaps not duplicated in the popular notions of any others among the races of mankind.

Political Speaking! The Candidates on the Marion County Republican Ticket Will address the public on the Political Issues of the Day

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Macleay, Friday, May 25, 2 p. m. Silverton, Friday, May 25, 8 p. m.

Scotts Mills, Saturday, May 26, 10 a. m. Woodburn, Saturday, May 26, 8 p. m.

Mt. Angel, Monday, May 28, 2 p. m. Gervais, Monday, May 28, 8 p. m.

Hubbard, Tuesday, May 29, 2 p. m. Aurora, Tuesday, May 29, 8 p. m.

St. Paul, Thursday, May 31, 10 a. m. Champos, Thursday, May 31, 2 p. m.

Brookville, Thursday, May 31, 8 p. m. Brooks, Friday, June 1, 10 a. m.

Howell Prairie, Friday, June 1, 2 p. m. Salem, Saturday, June 2, 8 p. m.

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Cooling Water.

It is not generally known that water may be cooled almost to ice water temperature by putting it into an unglazed earthen jar and banging it in a current of air.

A rather gayly dressed young lady asked her Sunday class, "What is meant by the pomps and vanities of the world?"

The answer was honest, but rather unexpected, "Them flowers in your hat."—London Tit-Bits.

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