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**Caustic View of American Lady.**  
Americans are credited by the Baba Bharati, a Hindoo scholar now living in the United States, with having created a new type of human being—the "lady." The Baba, writing in Public Opinion on "What the East Can Teach the West," says:

"I have not seen a single home in two great American cities, though I have visited many. The hearth has been abolished, the radiator has taken its place. The home is without its presiding deity—the wise, affectionate, self-sacrificing mother, the true wife, whose love for her husband was her best jewel, whose devotion to duty to roll around her insured peace and harmony, the very life of a home.

"And who has usurped the throne of this domestic deity? A lady partner who has agreed, before a church altar or in a registry office, to live together with the man of her momentary choice, as long as it suits her or the man, in a suit of rooms of a house for the purpose of enjoying and hunting material pleasures. It is a lady who has abolished the home as a relic of a barbarous age, and turned it into sitting, talking and sleeping rooms, with comfortable or luxurious conveniences, who has made over the kitchen and housekeeping to hired cooks and maidservants or housekeepers to escape the bother or worldly worries; in many cases, abolished it along with the home, preferring to eat ready-cooked feeds in hotels and restaurants. It is a lady who tries to expiate the sin of her share in 'race suicide' by caring more for a baby dog fed to square proportions or a cat indulged out of all proportions than for a human being.

It is a lady who knows no more of bringing up children than she knows of keeping a house or cooking, both of which she hates. Hence children generally are either trained by nurses or governesses or allowed to grow as wild as they can in character, their young, impressionable minds being deprived of the character-building influences of maternal love and its life-enduring lessons.

"This lady, this newest feminine freak of nature, is responsible for much of the disastrous confusion in human society in this land. But who is responsible for her being so? The man—her father and husband. The father wishes her to eat well, look well, sing well, be well educated, and healthy, and full of fascinating manners so that she may catch a rich husband, who, the mother hopes, would be as great a fool and as good a slave as her own. And when the fool and slave is secured, she has a glorious ride on her mental automobile, whose wheels are her whims, whose steam is supplied by her vanity and her husband's indulgence, whose track is selfishness, whose destination is mortal ruin."

**Vanilla in Mexico.**

United States consul A. J. Lespissime of Tuxpam, Mexico, furnishes the following interesting facts about growing vanilla in Mexico:

This section of the state of Vera Cruz is the natural habitat of the vanilla vine, which thrives in perfection, and forms a source of great profit to those engaged in its culture, which is exceedingly simple. The land is cleared of underbrush and the vine cuttings, which should be about 18 inches long, are planted beside suitable trees, left standing for the purpose. As soon as the joints commence to sprout they throw out tendrils, which cling tena-

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ciously to the trees, and soon form climbing vines, which, after three or four years, commence to bear. In the fifth year the vine will be in full bearing, and will produce from 15 to 40 beans, each bean worth from 8 to 10 cents Mexican (3.82 to 4.77 cents United States). In certain years the beans have been known to sell as high as 18 cents (8.59 cents) apiece. The cured beans command a much higher price. It is only the experienced curer who understands the process, which is a delicate one, but easily acquired by practice and observation.

It is estimated that a five-acre vanilla plantation will yield sufficient income to render its owner independent for the remainder of his life. But in order to succeed it is necessary to give the tender vines personal and constant attention as they pass from stage to stage in their growth, and to protect them from rough treatment, to which they are usually exposed when left in charge of hired help. Where one planter has succeeded hundreds have failed, owing to lack of personal care. This is strikingly illustrated by visiting the great vanilla districts, where it will be noticed with what tender solicitude young vines are nursed by the French and Italian colonists, who have made such a remarkable success of their plantations, and who have grown wealthy following this pursuit.

Vanilla cultivation is especially adapted to women or persons who cannot endure exposure or hardships. The vine is interesting, and its culture is a seductive and profitable occupation. Along the Tuxpam river and for 50 or 60 miles inland southwest of this place there is an extensive territory well suited to the cultivation of the vanilla and kindred tropical products.

**THE SKULL CAME BACK**

The reported finding of the skull of Dr. Oliver Fellows Tompkins among the cannibals of New Guinea recalls the horrible story of his massacre in 1901. The story of the recovery of the skull was brought here by Bert Doyle, who has been in New Guinea for several years and who returned to America yesterday on the liner Ventura.

Dr. Tompkins, in company with Rev. James Chalmers, the explorer, James Walker, Thomas Rathbone and 11 native converts, started on a missionary trip to one of the small nearby islands on the little schooner Nius. The natives displayed great friendliness for the white men, but, once they had enticed them ashore, they fell upon the small party and made them prisoners. The other members of the expedition were killed and devoured before the eyes of Tompkins, Rathbone and Walker, who, after being subjected to horrible tortures, later met the same fate as their companions.

Captain Sadenaker of the Nius managed to escape after a desperate running fight, and took the story to Thursday island. A military expedition was fitted out, and a war ship was sent to the scene. But although the natives were severely punished, their villages being razed, and thousands killed, no trace of the missionaries could be found save a few small bones and a pair of trousers.

The search for the skulls of the murdered men was kept up with indifferent success until this spring, when six natives who had confessed to participating in the cruel deed, promised the return of Tompkins' skull in exchange for freedom. A white man's skull was turned over to the authorities by these natives, and they were released. It is believed in New Guinea that the skull is that of Dr. Tompkins.

Doyle says that cannibalistic practices still exist among the natives in spite of the harsh treatment accorded them four years ago by the government.

**Well Meant.**

"My husband is so poetic!" said a well-dressed woman to her seat companion in the street car the other afternoon.

"Have you ever tried rubbin' his joints with hartshorn liniment, mum?" interrupted a stolid-looking woman with a market basket at her feet, who overheard the remark. "That'll straighten him out as quick as anything I know of, if he ain't got it too bad."—Albany Journal.

The Southern Pacific Company will sell tickets, Salem to Boswell Springs and return up to and including September 30, 1905, 1905, limited to 30 days, rate of \$5.55. 6-5-1f

**SUES FOR DAMAGES**

E. Dewey, who on the evening of March 30, fell on the sidewalk near Cornelius & Hancock's livery barn, has filed suit against the city of Forest Grove, asking damages to the amount of \$2958. The complaint, which was served on H. G. King, as clerk, Tuesday alleges that on the date mentioned the plaintiff fell at the place stated, and received injuries and bruises, and said fall was caused by loose boards and rotten stringers in the sidewalk, and which amounts to, together with costs for medical attention and nurse hire, to \$958; and it further alleges that the injuries received caused him to be unfit for manual labor, which he was heretofore unable to do, and his complaint prays for a further sum of \$2000.

The plaintiff is represented by J. N. Hoffman of this city and M. B. Bump of Hillsboro, and the city by Judge W. H. Hollis.

At the regular meeting of the council in May, Mr. Dewey presented a bill for medical services, nurse hire and damages, in the total sum of \$303. The matter was taken up and passed to the ordinance committee for investigation but at the last regular meeting the matter was ordered to be further investigated. Most of the councilmen unofficially expressed their willingness to pay the medical and nurse hire, which amounts to \$53, but thought adversely regarding the claim for \$250 damages.

**Chicago Markets.**

Chicago, June 23.—Wheat, 91 1/4; corn, 55 1/2 @ 53 1/2; oats, 32 1/4.

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Tourist—Are you a native?  
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**REDUCED EXCURSION RATES.**  
To the Seaside and Mountain Resorts for the Summer Vacations.

On and after June 1, 1905, the Southern Pacific, in connection with the Corvallis & Eastern railroad will have on sale round trip tickets from points on their lines to Newport, Yaquina and Detroit at very low rates, good for return until October 10, 1905.

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Season tickets will be good for return from all points until October 10. Three day tickets will be good going Saturdays and returning Mondays only. Tickets from Portland and vicinity will be good for return via the east or west side at option of passenger. Tickets from Eugene and vicinity will be good going via the Lebanon Springfield branch, if desired. Baggage on Newport tickets checked through to Newport; on Yaquina tickets to Yaquina only.

S. P. trains connect with the C. & E. at Albany and Corvallis for Yaquina and Newport. Trains on the C. & E. for Detroit will leave Albany at 7:30 a. m., enabling tourists to the Hot Springs to reach there the same day. Trains from and to Corvallis connect with all east side trains on the S. P.

Full information as to rates, time tables, etc., can be obtained on application to J. Mayo, Gen. Pass. Agt., C. & E. R. R., Albany; W. E. Coman, G. P. A., S. P. Co., Portland or to any S. P. or C. & E. agent.  
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