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The group were talking about skating. "I don't pretend to be much of a skater," said the man with his feet on the mantelpiece. "The last time I indulged in the pastime, though, I had the good luck to slip into an airhole."

"You don't call that good luck, do you?" asked the man who had been trying to break into the conversation and tell a story himself.

"Well, under ordinary circumstances I wouldn't call it good luck," replied the man with his feet on the mantel, "but in this instance it led to my catching the largest fish ever found in this section of the country. It happened this way: I was skating around the airhole, and at last ran plump into it. The lower part of my body went under the ice, but I was able to hold myself up by the arms. At last a man came to help me out, but one of my skates seemed to have become entangled in something below the surface, and he had to call for assistance. Several persons responded, and by their united efforts pulled me and a four pound rock bass through the airhole. The jaws of the fish were held apart by one of my skate blades. I suppose," he added by way of explanation, "that I must have struck my foot in his mouth when I first went down."

It was the unuttered consensus of opinion that the speaker was a liar.

There was a short pause, and the man who had been waiting for a chance told of an adventure on Lake Superior. He said that while skating there one evening, far from shore, he was pursued by a monstrous gray wolf. "The wolf chased me about considerably," he said, "but I wasn't afraid, because I always was a good skater and could beat any wolf that was ever created when it came to getting around on the ice. After I had a little fun with the animal, making 'figure eights' and things like that around him, I thought I would put him to some use. So I made a dash around to his rear and caught hold of his tail with one hand. I had a shinny stick in the other and beat him across the back with it. Well, gentlemen, that beast was so shocked and surprised that he didn't know what to do. He jumped around just like a colt that was being broken in. I held on tight, though, and he finally came to the conclusion that he wanted to go home, and lit out for shore.

"Gentlemen, I know you will believe me when I say that that was the supreme moment of my life. There I was a-holding to the wolf's tail with one hand, beating him with the shinny stick which I held in the other, and flying over the glassy surface at the rate of about 40 miles an hour. As we neared the shore he slowed up some, and on reaching the land lay down and died from exhaustion.

"I have his hide at home now," concluded the narrator, "and you can see it if you want to."

This seemed satisfactory proof of the truth of the tale. At least no one questioned it, and the meeting adjourned.—Washington Star.

ROYAL WIDOWS.

One or More In Nearly Every Country In Europe.

It is just a thought astonishing to reckon the number of royal widows, regnant or uncrowned, now more or less in public view. First, of course, comes her majesty, Victoria, empress of India, queen of England, Scotland and Ireland. Next to her one must rank her eldest child, Victoria, empress dowager of Prussia, more commonly known as Empress Frederick. Then, in the same family circle, there are the Duchess of Albany, born Princess of Waldeck-Pyrmont, and widow of the English queen's youngest son, and the Princess of Battenberg.

Upon the continent there are a pair of widowed queens regent—Christine of Spain and Emma of Holland. Both have won golden opinions from those they govern, no less than from impartial onlookers. Queen Emma is, by the way, sister to the Duchess of Albany, who is said to have been the first choice of the gay old reprobate, King William of Holland. She refused him, but her sister threw herself into the breach, inspired doubtless by the knowledge that reigning sovereigns, even though somewhat battered and the worse for wear, were not likely to come often a-wooing in starveling if princely households. So they were married, and there is a little queen of Holland to cheat the anticipations of the house of Cumberland.

But none of the queens or empresses can put out of court Dagmar, sometime of Denmark, now the widowed czarina, Marie Feodorowna. It must have gone hard with her, in spite of the splendors the change implied, to give over her Danish name, which means "day dawn," for an appellation so cumbrous. Feodorowna means, by the way, "daughter of Theodore," as does Paulovna "daughter of Paul." The termination "ovna," or "ovna," has in all cases that significance in Russian names, just as the suffix "vitch" means always "son of." Thus Alexandrovitch is "the son of Alexander."

Austrian royalty has two widows outright, between whom it is hard to say which has the more tragic story. All the world still remembers the tragedy of Meyerling—how the Crown Prince Rudolph shot himself and the beautiful Marie Vectsera, leaving his wife, Stephanie of Belgium, by no means disconsolate, as the pair had been on the point of judicial separation. Still the shock and shadow of it all for the time overwhelmed her. But she has no continuing sorrow such as has driven to madness Carlotta, once empress of Mexico, who missed seeing her husband, Maximilian, shot only because she had gone to Europe asking help for him, where no help was. Yet it is a question if, in spite of all, she is not less unhappy than her sister, the Empress Elizabeth of Austria, who has been for long years widowed in all but name.

Besides Empress Eugenie, widowed, childless, a withered shadow of her beautiful self, France has a Duchess of Orleans, whom the Legitimists rank as queen dowager—not to mention the wife of her murdered president, Carnot. And there is more than a Gallic trace in the youngest of royal widows, the Bonaparte princess, who married her uncle, the Duke d'Aosta, and since his death has set the Italian court wild with her freaks.—New York Journal.

THE GARBAGE CLEANER.

How the "Slopper" Goes His Rounds Picking Up Unconsidered Trifles.

"That man is a slopper," remarked a police officer to a Star writer a few mornings since, "and he and his class give us any amount of trouble. If he stole, we could reach him by the law, but as he only finds, we cannot easily reach him." In further explanation, he said: "A slopper is a man who searches through the garbage cans in the alleys in the rear of hotels, boarding houses and private houses. Some only search for spoons, knives and forks that are thrown into the garbage receptacle by careless servants, for it is a fact that there are more silver spoons and knives and forks thrown away with the garbage than are stolen by servants, though the contrary is generally believed. The slopper is generally an hour or so ahead of the garbage collector, and he is often more regular and careful in his rounds than the garbage man.

"'By industry we thrive,' as the line in the copy books used to maintain, and by industry on a good west end route, especially one which takes in a number of boarding houses or hotels, a slopper can find enough table ware to pay the expenses of his tour. Often he makes a rich find. Very frequently he has permission to 'slop' the can from the owners of the houses themselves, for he tells them he is on the lookout for stray pieces of meat, etc., which he sells to those who have dogs to feed. Some sloppers are honest enough to return any silverware they may find for the dog meat privilege, but it is a terrible temptation to many, and one they cannot or do not at times withstand."—Washington Star.

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LADY DAY OF MARCH.

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Why the 25th of March Is Venerated In England—What Happens if It Falls on Easter—Secularly Considered It Is the Beginning of One of the Year's Quarters.

The 25th of March is an important date both in the secular and religious calendars. It is the first quarter day in the year and as such comes home to most of us who have before our eyes the fear of payment of rent or the rarer pleasure of receiving it. The pay days in England have been arbitrarily fixed on Lady day, Midsummer day, Michaelmas day and Christmas day. Why? Nobody has been able to explain, unless it be that, arriving, as they do, near the end of each quarter, such important days are better as reminders of our duty to our landlord than any ordinary 30th or 31st of the month would be likely to be.

But it is, of course, as one of the great festivals dedicated to the Virgin (as its name, Lady day, or the old term, Our Lady's day, implies) that it has most importance, being the anniversary of the day when the angel Gabriel announced to the Virgin the mystery of the incarnation. Four other dates in the calendar share the honor of this title—namely, Feb. 2, or the Purification; July 2, or the Visitation, to commemorate the visit paid by the Virgin Mary to her cousin Elizabeth (instituted by Pope Urban VI in 1383); Sept. 8, or the Nativity, and Dec. 8, or the Conception.

But the 25th of March, or the Annunciation, is most regarded, as it is the anniversary, according to St. Augustine, of the great event to which it owes its origin, and the institution of this festival dates from very early times, since St. Athanasius makes mention of it in one of his sermons. An order of the Patriarch Nicephorus having given permission to break the fast of Lent if the Annunciation happened to fall on the Thursday or Friday of Holy week, a council convened at Toledo in 656 to preserve the complete observance of Lent and ordered the transference of the holiday to the week preceding Christmas. Some of the eastern churches still follow this decree, but the Syrians have fixed it on Dec. 1 and the Armenians on the 5th of January, while in the Latin church it has resumed its old place in the ecclesiastical calendar. In the western church, if it should fall in the Easter fortnight, its celebration is postponed until the second Monday following the festival.

Lady day of March has always been very highly observed in England. The synod of Worcester, 1240 A. D., by one of its canons forbade all servile work upon it, and this was afterward confirmed by various provincial and diocesan councils in all respects except agricultural labor.

In Rome, in the early part of the century, the day used to be celebrated with great pomp and splendor. We read that the windows were hung with crimson and yellow silk draperies and occupied by females in most gorgeous attire, while the churches were patrolled by the pope's horse guards in their splendid full dress uniforms, all of whom wore in their caps a sprig of myrtle as a sign of rejoicing. Before the service a procession appeared, preceded by another detachment of the guards mounted on black chargers, who rode forward to clear the way to the sound of trumpet and the beating of drums. This martial array was followed by a bareheaded priest on a white mule, bearing the host in a gold cup, at the sight of which everybody prostrated himself. The pope used formerly to ride on the white mule himself, and all the cardinals used to follow him in their magnificent robes of state, but as the eminentissimi were for the most part not very eminent horsemen they were generally fastened on lest they should tumble off.

It is not to be supposed that in this country the day would be without its tradition or superstition, so we find that it was considered a public misfortune if Lady day fell on Easter day, and the mediæval couplet runs:

When our Lady falls in Lord's lap,
Then England beware of great mishap.

No less than 13 saints figure in the calendar on this day. Of these two were ladies—St. Dula and St. Ida; one Irishman, St. Cammin, abbot of Inisketra, and two Englishmen, St. Alfwolf, bishop of Sherborne, and St. William, the child martyr, of Norwich.

In The Calendar of the Anglican Church we find a statement showing how great in ancient times was the veneration for the Virgin in this country. Published in 1851, the book states that no fewer than 2,120 churches were named in her honor alone, besides 102 where she was associated with some other saint. On the authority of the same work, pictorially the Virgin is nearly always shown kneeling or seated at a table reading.

Of the great masters of all countries and ages whose genius has been lavished on this theme it will be sufficient to mention the brothers Van Eyck, Lochner of Cologne, Albert Ducrer, Andrea del Sarto, Vasari, Louis and Annibal Carracci, Guido, Charles de la Fosse, Lesueur and Murillo.

In connection with the day it is permissible, perhaps, to conclude with a "chestnut" that owes its origin to the postoffice. It is said that a few years a go a country gentleman wrote a letter to a lady of rank in town and sent it through the post with the following address: "To the 25th of March, Duke street, London." The postman is said to have delivered it at the house of Lady Day, for whom it was intended.—Pall Mall Gazette.

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F. A.—What is that?

R. L.—Her noes.—Detroit Free Press.

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