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GERMANY'S MONARCH.

Glitter and Display Attending His New Year's Reception.

The imperial couple of Germany receive their relatives in the black eagle chamber, a magnificent room, the walls of which are draped in cloth of silver, while a wonderful canvas, the great Leygebe chef d'œuvre, covers the ceiling. Generals and embassadors, intimates of his majesty, are admitted to the charmed circle.

Her majesty wears the crown, to which a long veil is attached that falls in graceful folds down to her court train, the latter measuring 16 yards. It is borne by some of the "highest ladies in the land," who in their turn employ pages to help them along. The dress material is of the heaviest kind and loaded down with embroidery of precious metals and stones. The empress, like the kaiser, wears the insignia of the high Prussian and Hohenzollern orders.

His majesty is attired in the so called "great general's uniform," with its profusion of gold embroidery covering the breast and cuffs. So costly is this embroidery that poor officers often hesitate to accept the honor it exemplifies.

The costumes of the princesses are not less showy, though their jewels are. The personages following in their train either wear military dress or the minister of state uniform, which is of the rococo type—silk frock coats and breeches, jabots, cocked hats, white stockings and pumps, with golden buckles. Chancellor von Caprivi alone is excused from masquerading after the fashion of the eighteenth century. Like his predecessor, Bismarck, he always appears at court in general's uniform.

At the chapel their majesties are received by the clergy in state, while simultaneously a boy choir of 200 picked voices opens the musical exercises, accompanied by a cornet corps. The religious ceremonies are short, the sermon not lasting more than seven or eight minutes.

The grand cour begins at once in the white hall. The emperor and empress, surrounded by the royal family, take their places on the throne, while the throng of notabilities pass in single file, formally offering congratulations. The emperor often rises to greet them with a hearty handshake. Among those thus distinguished are the chancellor and the venerable generals who have seen service in the field. The kaiserin is by etiquette forbidden to extend her hand to anybody on state occasions.

Meantime the thousands assembled outside await the moment when the kaiser will descend and walk to the armory, at the entrance to Unter den Linden. That is a spectacle which nobody who is anybody can afford to miss, especially as it occurs but once or twice a year. Presently the carriage gates of the palace are closed, the last four-in-hand rumbles away. Five minutes more of patience, and the great portals opposite the museum are thrown open, the sentinels and troops of regulars present arms, and the mounted "Schutzmann" thunder their last admonition: "There he comes! Hurrah! "Hoch! Hoch! Hoch!"

The kaiser, marching at the head of the column of generals and adjutants, looks almost tall in his high boots, helmet and the long, bluish gray overcoat with fur collar. He is not as beautiful as his father or as picturesque as his grandfather was, but is of strikingly dignified, honest and courageous appearance. He looks the typical German relieved of his natural heaviness. He can say sharp things and never shrinks from uttering the most audacious sentiments when least expected. That's why the Germans like him.

A Pleasant Prospect.

Wife—On Christmas day you came around with a nice sealskin sack, and now you come around on New Year's with nothing but a measly little pincushion.

Husband (gloomily)—And tomorrow I shall probably come around with a sheriff.

IN THE DAYS OF QUEEN BESS

Puritans Could See No Fun In the Christmas Jollifications.

Many people are aware of the general passion for feasts and amusements which distinguished the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, but few persons are aware of the character of the sports which were then so popular. Among the many customs which prevailed in the days of Queen Elizabeth, the investure of a person with the power and privileges of assembling a number of persons and teaching them tricks, tumbling and fantastic performances for the purpose of amusing the peasantry, and, indeed, the higher classes of the community, is one of the most remarkable.

That uncompromising Puritan Stubbs, who, indeed, could see good in nothing that partook of the nature of harmless and innocent enjoyment, in his "Anatomie of Abuses" descants with the greatest fervor on the proceedings of "this heathen companie." In speaking of a parish festival he says:

"First of all, the wilde heades of the parish, flocking together, chose them a graunde captaine of mischefe, whom they enoble with the title of Lord of Misrule, and him they crown with great solemnity and adopt for their King. This King anoynted chooseth for the twentie, fourty, threescore, or an hundred lustie guttes, liketo himself, to waite upon his lordly majestie and to guard his noble person.

"Then every one of these men he investeth with his liveries of greene, yellow, or some other bright wanton color, and, as though they were not gawdie ynouf, they bedeck themselves with scarfs, ribbons and laces, hanged all over with gold rings, pretious stones, and other jewels. This done, they tie about either legge twenty or fourtie belles, with riche handkerchiefs in their handes, and sometimes braide across over their shoulders and neckes, borrowed for the most part of their prettier Mopsies and loving Bessies.

"Thus, all things set in order, then have they their hobby horses, their dragons and other antiques, together with their pipers and thundering drummers, to strike up the devil's dannce withal. Then march this heathen companie towards the church, their pipers piping, their drummers thundering, their stumpies dancing, their belles jyngling, their handkerchiefs fluttering about their heads like madmen, their hobby horses and other monsters skirmishing amongst the throng, and in this sorte they go to the church, though the minister be at prayer or preaching, dancning and singing like devils incarnate, with such a confused noise that no man can heare his own voice. Then the foolish people they looke, they stare, they laugh, they fleere, and mount upon the formes and pewes to see these goodly pageantry solemnized."—Boston Herald.

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A NEW YEAR'S CRY.

Jean Paul Richter on the Call of Remorse.

An old man stood on New Year's night in the window and looked with deep despair up to the motionless, ever beautiful sky and around on the still, pure, white earth, whereupon was there no one so perturbed and comfortless as he, for he was near his grave. It was covered by the snow of age and not by the verdure of youth, and he had brought nothing out of a long, rich life—nothing with him but errors, sins and misery, a wasted body, a ruined soul, the breast full of poison and an old age of remorse.

His fair youth time returned like a vision to him and took him back to the time when he had stood with his father upon the branching road of life. The right hand path led into the sunny land of virtue, full of light, good fruits and angels, a wide, still country. To the left was the underground path of vice, leading to a black hell, full of dripping poisons, writhing serpents and dark, stifling steam. Oh, how the serpents clung to his breast! Oh, the poison on his tongue! He knew well where he was.

Mindless and in inexpressible agony, he called to heaven: "Oh, give me back my youth again, O Father! Stand me on the branching path of life again, that I may live my life over."

But his father and his youth were gone long ago. He saw fireflies dancing over the swamp and extinguished in the churchyard, and he said, "They are as my foolish days." He saw a star fall from the sky, shining as it fell, and then vanish in the earth. "That is I," said his bleeding heart, and the serpents of remorse made still larger their wounds.

The flickering phantasms drew the creeping somnambulist out on the roof, and the windmill raised its arms threateningly as if to dash him to pieces, and as his last hours approached the spirits of the dead came from their empty tombs.

In the midst of these terrors suddenly from the tower came the New Year's chimes like distant church music. He was deeply moved, and as he looked around the horizon and over the wide landscape he thought of his youthful friends, that now, better and happier than he, were teachers of the world, the fathers of happy children and blessings to mankind, and he said: "Oh, could I also on this first night of the year sleep with dry eyes as once I could! Alas, I should now be happy if I had only followed my parents' teachings and fulfilled their New Year's wishes for me!"

The vision of his lost opportunities came with fearful clearness before him. He could see no more. He restrained his eyes. A thousand hot tears streamed into the hiding snow. He moaned in despair, "Oh, youth, only come back—come back again!" And it came back, for he had only on the New Year's night been dreaming. He was still a young man. Only his errors were not a dream. But he thanked God that, while he was still young, he could turn from the pathway of vice into the sunny way of the pure land of virtue.

Consult the Bible.

It is said in Scotland that those who desire to learn what fate or fortune the new year has in store for them may do so by consulting the Bible on New Year's morning before breakfast. The sacred book must be laid upon a table, and those who wish to consult it must open it at random and place a finger upon one or other of the chapters at which it is opened. This chapter is read and is believed to describe in some way the happiness or misery during the ensuing year of the person making the trial.

A Warning.

There's one thing we desire to say
Without prejudice or bias—
If you swear off on New Year's day,
Please remember Ananias.

RUSSIAN ROAST PIG.

Dishes Which the Subjects of the Great White Czar Enjoy on Christmas Day.

On Christmas day the Russians adhere to their strictly national dishes. In the morning their breakfast consists of boursch, the national soup, or broth, composed of the fermented juice of beet root, sour cream, boiled cabbage and meat bouillon. This extraordinary mixture tastes much better than it reads, and after the quantity necessary to appease the appetite is consumed in the morning an enormous punch bowl is filled with the soup and stands upon a side table during the day. In all well regulated Russian households there is also found upon the same table a roasted pig, dressed with buckwheat, or kasche, as it is called, mingled with the liver, heart and other edible adjuncts of the animal. This pig is especially raised and killed for Christmas day. It weighs never more than seven or eight pounds.

Accompanying these there is the pasca, a mixture of white cheese, cream, butter, sugar and raisins, which are all placed together in a wooden bowl and allowed to stand for 24 hours. There is also the koulische, a cake plentifully filled with raisins, and then, as a little side dish, are the varicolored eggs that all good Russians are expected to eat with salt that has been purified by roasting. The evening meal is composed of great dishes of sausages and immense joints of roasted veal, which, together with the black bread peculiar to the country, is eagerly devoured and washed down with plentiful libations of koumiss and vodka.—New York World.

Thermometers.

At times of severe frost many persons not skilled in the use of thermometers report remarkably low temperatures. These are often due to the thermometric liquid having partly evaporated from the main column and condensed at the end of the tube farthest from the bulb, the thermometer then reading just as many degrees too low as there are degrees of spirit at the top of the tube. Good thermometers are just as liable to this error as common ones, and therefore every one using a spirit minimum thermometer must be on the alert. Generally the owner can restore the thermometer without sending it back to the maker. Grasp the thermometer firmly, resting a finger on the tube so that there be no vibration, and, holding the bulb downward, give several strong, pendulous swings. This will usually send the spirits from the top and send the index into the bulb. Stand the thermometer bulb downward for an hour, then reverse it and very gently shake the index out of the bulb and let it slide to the end of the column, when the thermometer will be as good as new.—New York Ledger.

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The Strength of Nature.

According to the ancient mythology, when Hercules wrestled with Antæus, every time he was thrown he jumped up again stronger than ever, gaining fresh power from every contact with the earth. Hercules conquered him at last only by holding him in the air away from the source of his strength, until he grew weaker and weaker and finally became exhausted.

Antæus is a perfect symbol of mankind. Nature is the real source of health and vigor. The closer we keep to Nature's laws the stronger and healthier we grow. When we get away from them we are sure to be overcome by weakness and disease.

When sickness gets hold of a man the only remedy to really cure him must be a natural remedy. It must work according to natural laws and bring him right in touch with Nature. Any unnatural stimulus or mere temporary "appetizer" does no permanent good to a person who is debilitated and "run-down."

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