Modern Wedding-Rites.

"Wilt thou take this brown-stone front,
These carriages—this diamond,
To be the husband of thy choice,
Fast locked in bonds of Hymen?
And wilt thou leave thy home and friends
To be his loving wife?
And help to spend his large income
So long as thou hast life?"

"I will!" the modest maid replies,
The love-light beaming in her eyes.

"And wilt thou take this waterfall,
This ostentatious pride,
And all these unpaid milliners' bills,
To be thy chosen bride?
And wilt thou love and cherish her
While thou hast life and health;
But die as soon as possible,
And leave her all thy wealth?"

"I will!" the fearless swain replies,
And eager waits the nuptial-ties.

"Then I pronounce you man and wife;
And whom I've joined together,
The next best man may disunite,
And the first Divorce Court sever."

Farm, Garden and Household.

STOCKS, budded last year, should be cut back to within three inches of the bud.

CAULIFLOWER.—Early Paris and Early Dwarf Erfurt are good early sorts. Treat the same as cabbage.

ROOT-GRAFTING ought to be got out of the way as soon as possible, so that no delay will occur in grafting trees in the open ground.

WASHING AND SCRAPING.—When the weather is suitable, give the trees a thorough scraping, and afterwards apply a wash, made with soft soap.

SPONGE JELLY CAKE.—Take three eggs, one cup of sugar, one cup of flour, two teaspoonsful of baking powder, three tablespoonsful of boiling water.

POTATOE CAKES.—To a scant half-peck of potatoes grated, add two eggs, salt, thicken with a little flour, and fry in a spider, or bake. Boiled grated potatoes may be used, but are not quite so nice.

ASPARAGUS.—Give the beds a good coating of manure, if not applied last Fall; spread also a dressing of salt. Set out new beds of one-year-old plants, two or three feet, after the ground has been plowed and manured.

HOGS.—A strange disease has appeared in the hogs at Plainville, Minn., and vicinity. The disease operates to paralyze them in their hinder parts. The best remedy so far discovered seems to be saltpetre mixed in their food.

BEETS may be sown as soon as the ground can be worked. The best early beet, the New Egyptian Blood, is from one to two weeks earlier than the Bassano and Early Blood Turnip, which are both good. Sow in drills, one foot apart.

CABBAGE plants, wintered in a cold frame, or started in early hot beds, may be set out as soon as the ground opens, if well hardened off. For early sow Jersey Wakefield, or Winningstadt, and Marblehead, Drumhead, and Flat Dutch for Winter.

BEANS.—Do not plant in the open ground until all danger of frost is over. One of the earliest sorts is the Valentine: the Dwarf Wax is the best bush for snaps; the asparagus is a pole variety, excellent for late snaps, as is the black butter. Large Lima is the best of all beans.

SHEEP.—Sheep in Colorado have long fleeces, in which the dust and mud of the summer accumulate. The seeds of grass are wafted into them by the wind. When the rains of winter fell, the grass sprouts, and thousands of sheep are now to be seen on the plains, carrying their pastures on their backs.

COCOANUT PUDDING.—Soak for two hours in a pint and a half of milk, a teacupful of fine bread crumbs, and the grated meat of a cocoanut, then add the well-beaten yolks and whites of six eggs, a teacupful of sugar, the grated rind of a lemon, and a pint and a half of milk. Stir well together and bake in a hot oven. Like all other custards, this must not be allowed to remain in the oven long enough to become watery.

STEAMED PUDDING.—Two eggs, two teacupfuls of sour milk, one teaspoonful of soda, a little salt, flour enough to make it quite thick, or it will be heavy. Beat this smooth. Add cherries, rasberries, currants, or any dried fruit you may have. Steam two hours, taking care that the water is kept over the pudding or bag all the time, and that it does not stop boiling. Eat with cream and sugar, hard sauce, or any liquid sauce you may prefer.

SHEEP SKIN MAT.—The skin should be taken off carefully, and no cuts or gashes made in it, spread on a table, and scraped from adhering flesh or fat, and sprinkled on the flesh side with alum and salt powdered fine; it should be folded in the center, and rolled up and tied tightly with a string, and allowed to remain forty-eight hours, then rubbed with a piece of chalk until dry and soft. The skin should then be tacked with the wool outwards on to a board of the size the mat is desired to be. The bath of dye is then prepared, the wool washed in pure soap and water moderately warm, until freed from all dirt and grease, and the mat carefully dipped in the bath until the wool is immersed, but not the skin, in which position it is allowed to remain until it has taken the dye sufficiently, which will vary with different dyeing materials. To prevent a streaky or cloudy appearance, the mat should be gently moved to and fro in the bath occasionally without lifting or depressing it. A dye that will color wool may be used. Scarlet, blue and yellow may be used to advantage, and are the favorite colors for mats. When dry, the skin is cut from the board, and the mat is finished.—*Hearth and Home.*

A KICKING COW.—When one becomes possessed of a kicking cow, says *Hearth and Home*, or has been unwise enough to raise one for himself, what then? If the owner of such a beast is not a good-tempered, patient and reasonable man, he had better sell her at once; but if he can control himself, let him take the following precautions: Never milk until the cow is tied up. Place the pail at a safe distance, where the cow cannot reach it with her foot. Hold the left arm against the cow's leg while milking, so as to exert a gentle pressure. Don't sit, but stand in a stooping position, with the head pressed against the cow's flank. Thus guarded, one may milk an ordinary kicking cow with safety to his person and to the pail. We do not approve of ties, ropes or spancels, which irritate the cow, and very often make the matter worse. But still the spancel is so much used that the term has found a place in the dictionary both as a noun and a verb. It is a loop of rope, one end of which is passed around the leg of the cow, and the other end, drawn through it, embraces that leg tightly; the loose end is then passed around the other leg and fastened with a wooden pin, so as to embrace that leg. The two legs are thus so tightly tied together that the cow cannot kick.

Items of Interest.

THE mourning color of the Turks is blue.

IN the U. S. woolen mills $60,000,000 is invested.

California's wine product in 1870 was five million gallons.

MANY young men are removing from Alabama to Texas.

SINCE the Illinois Legislature convened, six of its members have died.

FOUR-FIFTHS of the 10,000 school-teachers in Massachusetts are women.

THERE are 2,000 rag-pickers in New York streets, some of whom are well off.

A MARRIED woman's note, according to the ruling of the courts, has no legal force.

THE U. S. public debt has been reduced $15,000,000 during the present month.

THERE is a woman in Washington Territory who shot and killed eight Indians with her own hand.

JOHN MCKENNA has been elected by the Albany printers, their representative in the National Convention.

DURING the past four years the Erie Railway has brought 42,000,000,000 gallons of milk to New York City.

GOOD FRIDAY is a legal holiday in Pennsylvania, but the Legislature of that State held a session on that day.

BUT for diseases, wars and famines, there would not be standing room for our people on this continent by the year 3000.

IN the beautiful climate of Oak Lake, Minn., a little child recently had both hands frozen while it was asleep in its cradle.

TRAVELERS say that Russia is now more like an immense camp than a nation that is simply considered on a peace footing.

THE Toronto *Globe* is very confident that Riel and Lepine were bribed with Dominion Covernment money to leave Manitoba.

PRESIDENT THIERS has abandoned his project to transfer the Government to Paris. He will, however, hold his receptions there.

A MAN named Grubb, with his wife, sister and three small children, attempted to ford Lick Creek, near Tadonia, Ill. The water being very high, the wagon box floated off; the three children were drowned.

THE farmers of the Saguenay region below Quebec, Canada, are in great distress, and relief by a loan of $40,000 from the Government is suggested, otherwise they will be compelled to leave their farms and come to "the States."

THE mortal remains of Aaron Burr lie in the graveyard at Princeton, N. J., where, a few years ago, a monument of marble was erected by stealth at night, by whom, it was unknown, but other unknown persons have mutilated the shaft.

INFORMATION of a shocking accident in Cornwall, England has just been received. An explosion occurred in a safety-fuse manufactory, where a number of females were employed, causing a loss of life. Seven women were killed and one is missing.

ACCORDING to Gibbon, the population of ancient Rome, in the height of its magnificence. was 1,200,000; the population of Pekin is supposed to be about 2,000,000; that of London is over 3,000,000, one-twelfth of the population of the whole United States.

THE Mexican revolutionists still hold Saltille, Monterey, Camargo, Mier, Guerrero, Nuevo Laredo, and Piedras Negras. They are endeavoring to concentrate their forces, now estimated at 12,000 men, and will probably try the fortune of war once more.

AN explosion occurred in a coal mine at Atherton near Bolton, England, by which twenty-eight men were killed outright. Eleven were rescued, but they are fearfully burned, and nearly all will probably die. There is great excitement in the vicinity of the mine.

THE destruction of cattle by the drought in Western Texas seems to have demoralized the farm laborers of that section. They refuse to work on the farms, but are found roaming over the country in squads, searching for carcasses to skin. It is said that the stench is so great in the vicinity of watering places that but few can stand it, and fear exists that sickness will follow.

Fashion Notes.

A new style of necklaces is made of Dead Sea shells and pebbles.

A new style of artificial flowers are called "Chicago smoke buds."

Tameness in women is, with most men, the most unpardonable offence.

Ladies are becoming afraid to wear their diamonds on the public promenades.

The new street costume takes thirty yards of wide silk to trim it *a la mode.*

Black silk costumes, richly embroidered in colored silk floss, are among the Spring novelties.

Parasols this year are trimmed with lace to match the color of the material of which it is made.

The accidental breaking of a wedding ring is said to be an omen that its wearer will soon be a widow.

Many extravagant young city ladies pay $35 and $40 for the making up of a fifty cent calico.

A new kind of trimming for lace scarfs and veils is a lace fringe, which is very pretty and effective.

The newest style of neckties are of black lace interspersed with small knots of colored ribbon or crepe de chine.

The Dolly Varden bonnets are said to be the prettiest and most becoming head gear that has been worn by women for centuries.

The latest fashionable ornaments are of amber, and will, in a few months, completely supercede the tortoise shell jewelry, which has held its own for an unusually long time.

Self-colored cashmere of soft shades, especially mouse and felt gray, are made up into tunics and skirts to match. Both skirt and tunic are trimmed with flutings of white muslin. These flutings are pleated upon a narrow bias, or gathered over piping cord, so that they are easily removed for washing. Plain muslin bias are also used for trimmings, and are simply tacked upon the material.

A BATCH.—The Tichborne case will at least have the merit of giving lawyers a remarkable illustration of the fallibility of human testimony. The would-be baronet was supported in his claim by his own evidence and the oaths of 75 witnesses, comprising Lady Tichborne, the family solicitor, 1 baronet, 6 magistrates, 1 general, 3 colonels, 1 major, 2 captains, 32 non-commissioned officers and privates, 4 clergymen, 7 tenants of the estate 16 servants of the family, and 12 general witnesses who all swore to his identity. On the other hand, 17 witnesses denied his claim, but the evidence of less than four of them plainly sufficed to convince the jury that the claimant's case was based entirely upon false or at least mistaken testimony.

Who Was Guilty?

A few years ago, writes an ex-warden of the Massachusetts State prison, the community was startled by the announcement of a dreadful murder committed in one of the towns of the State. A man had been stopped upon the highway, robbed and murdered. A young man, then scarcely seventeen years old, was arrested for the murder—his own father giving the testimony which convicted him. He was tried, convicted, and sentenced to be hanged. At this point some good people began to inquire into his history; it was found that the unfortunate youth was very ignorant. He could neither read nor write; had never seen the inside of a church or school room in his life; never heard the name of God, only as it fell from his own associates' lips in the shape of oaths; born of drunken parents, he soon acquired their habits; in short, at seventeen he was an ignorant, lazy, drunken vagabond, apparently without one redeeming trait in his character.

He had become acquainted with and married a young woman quite as worthless as himself, and, in order to obtain means to gratify her vanity, he took his gun, and stationed himself in a wood by the roadside, with the intention of robbing the first person that passed. He had been there but a short time, when he heard the sound of an approaching wagon, and discovered a man driving alone; he stepped into the road and ordered him to stop; he did so; he then demanded his money; the man hesitated, and he shot him, but not mortally. He begged of him to spare his life, but he knew not the meaning of pity, and deliberately beat him to death with the butt of his gun. Such was the history of this young man, and the crime for which the judge had to pronounce the awful sentence of death.

Now, the question arose as to who was the most responsible for this murder—the young man, his parents, the community in which he lived, the authorities that allowed such ignorance to grow up in their midst (this was no isolated case in that locality), without taking some steps to eradicate it. Governor Andrew became exceedingly interested in this case, and with that keen sense of right and justice for which he is noted, condemned the community and saved the boy's life. His sentence was commuted to imprisonment for life in the State prison.

I have given a description of the young man's condition at the time he committed the great crime for which he was convicted; let me present him as he appears to-day.

Enter one of the workshops of the prison, and you observe a young man busily employed, whose general appearance will be certain to attract your attention. In height about five and a half feet, of good figure, a well-balanced head covered with light-brown hair, a high and finely-developed forehead, light hazel eyes, unusually mild in appearance, a good mouth, with a smile so sweet, sad, and innocent in its expression, as to cause you to wonder what crime he could commit that would send him to the State prison. Enter into conversation with him, and you will be still more surprised at his soft, musical voice, the childish simplicity with which he expresses himself, the good language he uses, and the absence of every expression not in keeping with an intelligent and pure-minded young man.

What has wrought this great change? Ask those philanthropic and Christian ladies and gentlemen who visited, encouraged and instructed him in jail, and finally, by their influence, saved him from the gallows.

HOW A MINISTER LOST A THOUSAND DOLLARS.—The Lehigh Valley (Penn.) *Gazette* publishes this: A wealthy Williamsport gentleman became so much attached to a clergyman of that city that he asked him to preach his funeral sermon, no matter where he might be. The pastor promised that no matter what the distance that separated them, or the difficulties that might be placed between, he would, when informed of the death of his old friend, drop all else and hasten to the spot that was to be the resting-place of his mortal remains. The pastor afterward removed from that vicinity, and a short time ago received the sad announcement that his friend was dead. Instead of keeping his promise, he replied that he was unable to be present, as he could not close his church, &c. The funeral took place in due season, but the pastor was not there to perform the last sad rites over the body of his departed friend. The ceremonies, however, were performed by another, and afterward, when the will was opened, it appeared that the old man had been faithful in death as he was in life, and bequeathed $1,000 to his old friend, provided he preached his funeral sermon. His feelings can better be imagined than described, we suppose.

An Agricultural Strike.

No fewer than two thousand men have joined the Agricultural Laborers' League of England; but inasmuch as it has only recently been formed, the funds were not sufficient for a general strike, so it was decided, for some reason, that Warwickshire should take the lead, and there the strike of farm laborers has been general. Many laborers have gone from Hereford and Dorset, where they were getting $2.25 a week, to Yorkshire, where they receive $3.50.

The Warwickshire strikers are said to have chosen a particularly effective period for their operations. The ground was in just that state in which the laborer is most worth his hire, and many farmers are reported to have at once consented to give a fourth of the additional sum demanded weekly. The Warwickshire demand is that wages should be raised a dollar a week. The present rate is $3 a week.

A FAMILY OF FOUR BURNED TO DEATH.—A terrible calamity occurred at Rockaway, Morris county, N. J., which resulted in the burning of a family of four persons. A frame dwelling, occupied by a Mr. Givenen and his family, took fire, it is supposed, from a defective flue, about two o'clock A. M., and was quickly burned to the ground. Mr. and Mrs. Givenen and three children were sleeping in an upper story. Before Mrs. Givenen and the children could be got out the fire had reached them and escape was impossible. When the building had been torn to pieces and the fire extinguished, the charred remains of the woman and children were recovered. It is suspected that the fire was the work of incendiaries. There was in the house $3,000 in cash, and although no proof has been found that there were robbers about, it is suspected that the money was stolen and the house afterwards fired.

GUILTY.—The Hartford *Evening Post* says: A Canaan man hung himself, and a jury of his neighbors was empannelled, in accordance with the requirements in the case. After mature deliberation upon the evidence adduced, one of the number was asked what conclusion he had reached, when he frankly responded, "Oh, there haint the least morsel of doubt in my mind of the critter's guilt."

An English Story.

At her Majesty's, Queen Victoria's drawing-room, 1863, one of the most elegant ladies presented to the Queen was Lady Twiss, bride of the Queen's Advocate Sir Travers Twiss, and understood to be the daughter of an eminent general of Saxony, where her husband had recently married her. Again, six years later, in 1869, the same lady attended a royal drawing-room, so that in the interval she must have remained unimpeached in her social dignity. Indeed, it was not until the spring of last year that rumors began circulating at the clubs and among lawyers respecting certain strange stories of the early life of Lady Twiss, which an old and nominally respectable solicitor named Alexander Chaffins was said to tell with unqualified boldness. Not only did Chaffins tell these stories to all who chose to question him on the subject, but he repeated them far and wide with an evidently malevolent intention, and finally took the trouble to warn the Queen against receiving Lady Twiss again by sending a written copy of his accusations in detail to the Lord Chamberlain. English cable news of recent date showed Sir Travers breaking his strangely protracted forbearance at last by causing the arrest of the daring defamer of his wife on charge of malicious slander; but, alas, in a day or two thereafter came the report that, at his preliminary examination, Chaffin's revelations had been of such a sustained and damaging character as to induce a hasty discontinuation of the prosecution. The next word was that the lady had hurriedly left London, and probably England; and the next that her husband had resigned his office of Queen's advocate and retired heart-broken to some obscure refuge. From the affidavit of the man who has wrought all this sudden and hopeless ruin it appears that Lady Twiss was known to the dissipated younger London of a dozen years ago as a foreign adventuress, under the name, real or assumed, of Maria Gelas Haffins. In company with equally suspicious members of her own sex it was her custom to frequent Cremorne Gardens, the Holborn Casino, the music halls in the Haymarket, the Argyle Rooms and other resorts of low caste, where she danced in the most extravagant French style, bandied epithets with the rabble, and sometimes drank. It was in 1859 that Chaffins became acquainted with her, and soon thereafter he learned that Travis Twiss, a rising lawyer, had fallen into her toils. From this last event the elder lawyer seems to have seen little more of Maria, and it may be inferred that malignant jealousy actuated him thenceforth toward both herself and her new friend. The feeling of Twiss must have been of the strongest and most devoted kind; for, after an acquaintance of three years with the woman, he boldly determined to crown his work of reclaimation by making her his wife. Apparently, however, he had not the courage to do this in a frank, manly way, but determined to practice a fraud upon society. At his instigation Maria went to Dresden, in March of 1862, and there, assuming to be the daughter of a Saxon general in the German army, adopted the appearances suitable to her supposed social station. In the August following, Sir Travers, now risen to considerable dignity at court and in his protession, appeared at the Saxon capital, and was there married to the object of his chivalrous affection at the British legation. In the following year, as has been shown, the bride was presented to the Queen, and for several years thereafter the world knew nothing of the skeleton in the household of the Queen's advocate; but there is now reason to believe that soon after the marriage Chaffins approached Sir Travers with threats of the stories he could tell of My Lady's past, unless paid to remain silent; and it is currently reported that he did exact various sums, until the victim whom he was torturing refused to pay more.

IN Ohio, if property was equally divided, every man, woman and child would possess over $1,000.

A PHYSICIAN WHO HEALED HIMSELF.—If a railroad director were lashed to every locomotive, there would be fewer railroad accidents, and if doctors had to take their own physic before administering it to their patients, fewer people would be poisoned. Dr. Joseph Walker, of California, took this course when he first compounded the famous Vinegar Bitters which now rank as an inestimable household remedy in all parts of the United States. He healed himself with this specific before he offered it to the world. He introduced it with a simple statement of the manner in which he had discovered its vegetable ingredients and been cured, while wandering, sick and poor, among the California tribes. He stated what the preparation had done for himself and a few sufferers from dyspepsia, biliousness, rheumatism, lung diseases, and many other prevalent disorders, many believed him, tried the new restorative and were more than satisfied with the results. In this way the sale of the Vinegar Bitters began, and we mention the fact as an evidence that in this age of intelligence and inquiry, nothing that is really valuable to mankind can prove a pecuniary failure—even though it may lack the help of capital, and have to fight its way against powerful opposing interests. Within two or three months after its introduction, the article became self-supporting, and it now yields a magnificent annual revenue.—*Com.*

The Markets.

NEW YORK.		
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First quality	.12½a	.12¾
Medium or fair qual.	.11¾a	.12¼
Ordinary thin Cattle	.11 a	.11½
Inf'r or lowest grade.	.10½a	.11
MILCH COWS	30.00	a50.00
HOGS—Live	.04⅞a	.05¼
Dressed	.05⅞a	.06⅜
SHEEP	.07⅜a	.09⅜
COTTON—Middling	.23⅛a	.24
FLOUR—Extra Western	6.70 a	7.00
State Extra	6.80 a	7.00
WHEAT—Red Western	1.68 a	1.75
" State	1.70 a	1.78
No. 2 Spring	1.50 a	1.55
RYE—Western	.89 a	.89
BARLEY—State	.75 a	.83
CORN—Mixed Western	.70½a	.72½
OATS—Western	.53 a	.56½
HOPS '71s, .35 a .65—'70s,	.15 a	.30
PORK—Mess	12 50	a13 25
LARD	8¾a	.09
PETROLEUM—Crude	12⅞	Refined 28
BUTTER—State	.25 a	.32
Ohio W. R.	.20 a	.23
" Fancy	.34 a	.36
Western Ordinary	.12 a	.14
Pennsylvania fine	.32 a	.38
CHEESE—State Factory	.12 a	.14
" Skimmed	.05 a	.08
Ohio	.08 a	.12
EGGS—State	.24 a	.26
BUFFALO.		
BEEF CATTLE	5.75 a	6.75
SHEEP	3.50 a	6.75
HOGS—Live	4.30 a	5.00
FLOUR	5.50 a	6.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Spring	1.30 a	1.44
CORN	.58 a	.58
OATS	.40 a	.45
RYE	.70 a	.75
BARLEY	.70 a	.70
LARD	.9 a	.10
ALBANY.		
WHEAT	1.75 a	1.80
RYE—State	.85 a	.90
CORN—Mixed	.73 a	.73
BARLEY—State	.80 a	1.00
OATS—State	.50 a	.53
PHILADELPHIA.		
FLOUR—Penn. Extra	6.25 a	7.50
WHEAT—Western Red	1.70 a	1.73
White	1.80 a	1.85
CORN—Yellow	.63 a	.67
Mixed	.64 a	.68
PETROLEUM—Crude	15⅞	Refined .21
BEEF CATTLE	.07 a	.09½
CLOVER SEED	9.00 a	9.25
Timothy	3.00	
BALTIMORE.		
COTTON—Low Middlings	.22⅛a	.23
FLOUR—Extra	8.25	a10.00
WHEAT—	1.68 a	1.80
CORN	.60 a	.66
OATS	.51 a	.56

BADLY OFF.—According to the New York *Tribune* the American people have become a dyspeptic, uncertain, ambitious race of politicians; our brains work in flashes of stupor and intoxication; we read a sensational literature, eat, drink, act in a white heat of struggle for place in party or society; our patriotism covers a city or State; the country has outgrown it.

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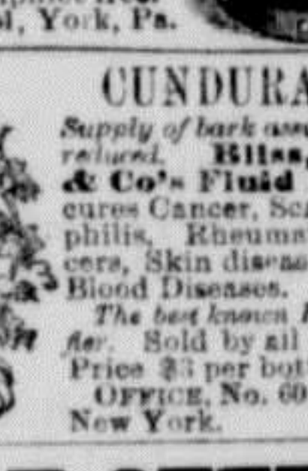
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