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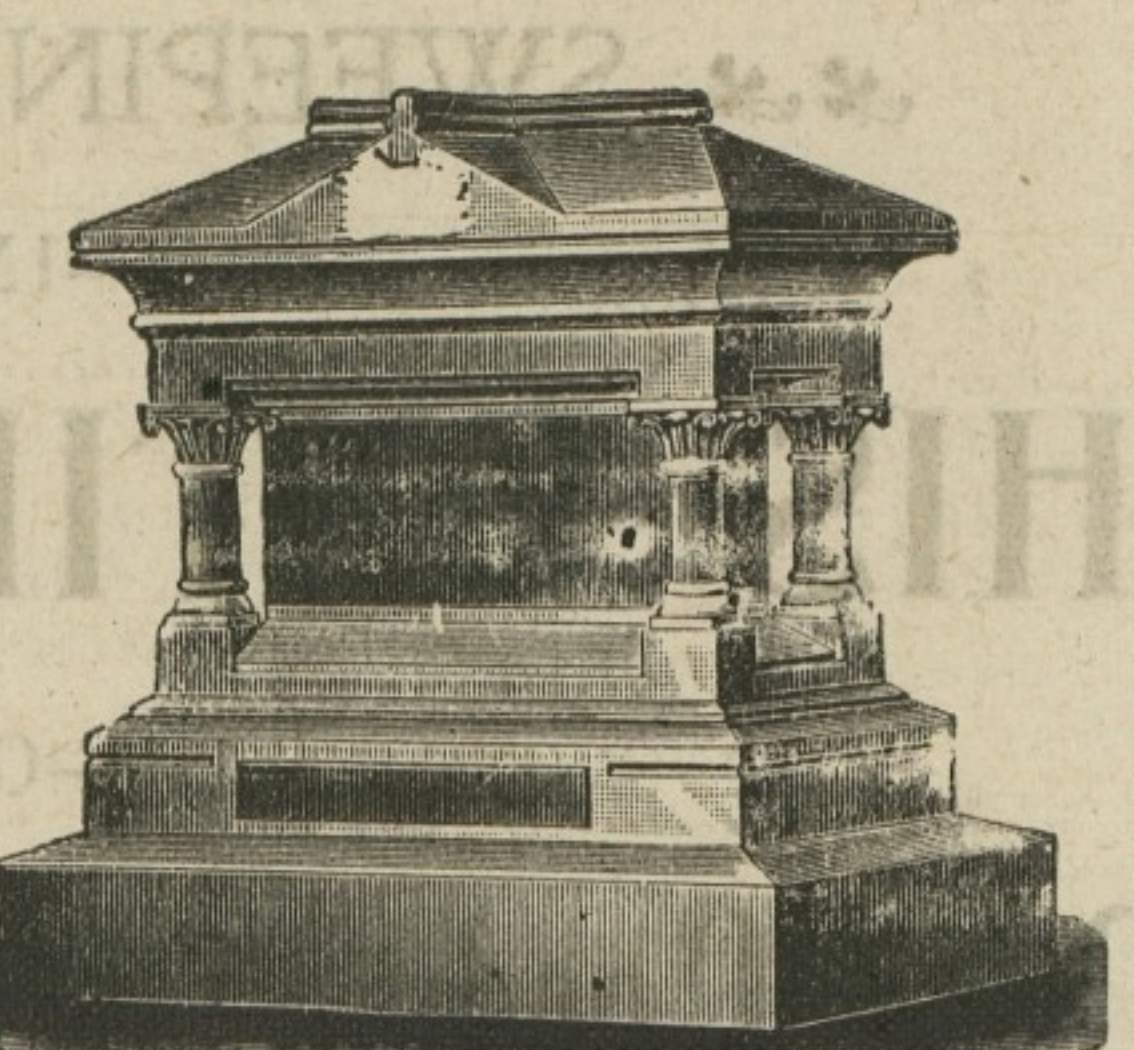
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NOT ENOUGH GIRLS TO GO AROUND.

There has been so much complaint of
late on the part of the dear girls that the
men were not anxious for matrimony,
and that the prospect of single blessed-
ness was becoming more and more terri-
ble, and that it is more comforting to
them to learn that statistics are against
men rather than against them. There
is a sort of idea current that there are
constantly more women than men, and
that, in consequence, the latter have their
choice, while the women must face dubi-
ous prospects with what fortitude they
can muster. The census figures have
been analyzed, and it appears that what-
ever may be the situation in some locali-
ties, as a whole the women of marriage-
able age are 2,500,000 less than marriage-
able men, so that the chances of a woman
getting a husband are much better than
that of a man getting a wife. This is
accounted for in many ways, since in
this country the sexes are very nearly
equal. A woman becomes marriageable
much earlier than a man, though per-
haps her years of expectation are less.
It appears that there were in this coun-
try in 1900 the grand total of 10,448,153
unmarried men and for these there were
only available 7,500,000 unmarried wo-
men. After deductions are made for
those who in either sex can hardly be
supposed to contemplate marriage, there
remains the excess of men above referred
to. Nor is this all. There are 2,700,000
widows and only 1,204,000 widowers,
showing that 1,500,000 of the latter have
married again, thus further reducing the
supply of marriageable girls. The wid-
ows are evidently so by preference, for
it is well known that a widow has a
much better chance at a second matri-
monial venture than a maid has at a first,
but it seems that the widows are not so
anxious to try a second marriage. Also
divorced men seem to rush into matri-
mony again, while women similarly sit-
uated are more chary. Thus statistics
show that there is hope for all the girls
and mighty little for a large proportion
of the male sex. It would appear that
the reason why men do not marry is be-
cause they do not get the opportunity.
If every man should determine to found
a family there would need to be a Sabine
raid to satisfy the demand. In the cities
the men marry much later in life while
they find it so expensive to maintain a
family in the style which they wish,
moreover, which their wives wish. There
are many leading men in the city today
who married long ago and went to
housekeeping in the most primitive fash-
ion, their wives doing the housework
and doing it well. Nowadays there are
few young women who want to do that,
and they prefer to earn their own living
and get luxuries rather than be the
"slave" of a poor man. However, it ap-
pears that the girls now have the pick
and much joy they may pick out of their
present strategic position.

TOILER AND DREAMER.

Brave heart, that faces sorrow, o'ershadowing
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A toiler and a dreamer along the weary way.
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How to Start a Balking Horse.

For the benefit of those who have been
caused great anxiety by a balking horse,
lost trains as well as tempers, and even
sometimes ruined the horse, the next
time they have the experience to run
across a balking horse, no matter how bad
he is, let me tell you how to start him
99 times out of 100, says a writer in a
horse paper. Of course, it may fall one
time in a hundred. When a horse balks,
no matter how bad he sulks or how ugly
he is, do not beat him; don't throw sand
in his ears; don't use a rope on his fore-
legs, or even burn straw under him.
Quietly go and pat him on the head a
moment, take a hammer or even pick up
a stone in the street; tell the driver to
sit still; take the lines, hold them quiet-
ly, while you lift up either front foot,
give each nail a light tap and a good smart
one on the frog; drop the foot quickly,
then chirp to him to go. In 99 cases out
of 100 the horse will go right on about
his business, but the driver must keep his
lines taught and not pull or jerk him
back. If I have tried this once, I have
tried it 500 times, and every time I have
suggested it people have laughed and
even bet \$5 and bottles of wine that I
could not do it. So far I have won every
bet. This makes you smile, but a horse
has more common sense than most peo-
ple are willing to give him credit for.
The secret of this little trick is simply
diversion. I am a firm believer that
with kindness and proper treatment a
horse can be driven with a string.

A THIEF broke into a large mansion
early the other morning and found him-
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approaching, he hid himself behind a
screen.

From seven to eight o'clock the eldest
daughter had a lesson on the piano.
From nine to ten o'clock the eldest son
had a violin lesson.

From ten to eleven o'clock the other
son had a lesson on the flute.

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assembled and studied an ear-splitting
piece for piano, violin, flute and violin.

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THE GOOD American farmer called
upon a doctor, and was ushered into the
library. At once the well-filled book-
shelves drew his attention.

"Are you fond of reading?" asked the
doctor, noting the wandering gaze.

"Well-yes," returned the farmer mod-
estly.

"I should be pleased to lend you a
book to take home with you," said the
other. "Just take anyone that you
think you'd like to read."

"O, I'm no good at selectin'," replied
the old man. "You pick one out, doctor."

So the doctor, in a spirit of fun, gave
the farmer a book written by Plato. The
old man went his way, and at the end
of a week reappeared with the book
under his arm.

"Well," queried the doctor, "did you
read the book?"

"Yes, I did," was the emphatic
answer.

"And what did you think of it?"

"It was fast rate," responded the far-
mer; "I've read it through from kiver to
to kiver. I never heard tell of the fellow
Plato before, but, all the same, I'm glad
to find that the old chap had been writ-
ing up some of my very best ideas."

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said her husband. "There may be a
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