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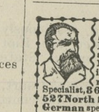

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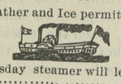

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Ancient Egyptian Jewels.

Some of the most remarkable Egyptian jewelry ever discovered has recently been unearthed. The date assigned is as remote as 5000 B. C., but the workmanship in gold and jewels is marvellous. In exploring the tomb of King Zer it was found that the tomb had been entered for robbery at some remote period and that the plunderers had broken off the arm of the mummy queen and hidden it in a crevice in the wall—perhaps on being discovered or alarmed—and had never returned to remove it.

On taking off the wrappings Professor Petrie found four magnificent bracelets of gold, with amethyst, turquoise and lapislazuli in varied and elegant adjustments. The gold work was peculiarly fine and delicate, though the metal was soft and pure, apparently with no hardening alloy. The stones were beautiful and very strikingly and peculiarly arranged.

A number of amethyst beads of the richest and deepest purple, about a quarter of an inch in diameter, are in the possession of Mr. Edward Ayer, of Chicago. He obtained them from Dashone, Egypt, they being from the treasures in the tomb of Princess Merit, daughter of Amenhotep II, of the Twelfth Dynasty.

SHAMPOOING THE HAIR.

Long fine hair is rather difficult to manage, yet it can be successfully cleaned by exercising a little patience, and the painful tangle and chill of which you complain can be avoided. Before wetting the hair be sure you have everything needed in readiness: Plenty of fresh huck towels which are free from lint are best. Have an abunsance of pure soft water, both warm and cool, and some pure bland soap. Never use inferior soap nor an unknown shampoo mixture and also avoid the frequent use of borax and ammonia. If the hair is dark and oily a few drops of ammonia or a pinch of borax in a large basin of water will not be injurious, but either is injurious when the hair is light in color and dry and fine. Part the hair in the centre from the forehead to the neck, and comb forward; tie the other half so that it will not become tangled and proceed to wash one half and then the other, rubbing a lather made of the soap and a little hot water, into the scalp with the tips of the fingers. Dip and squeeze the hair in the warm water until clean, rinse in several waters, each a little cooler than the preceding, and last in cold water. Wipe and press the hair with towels to remove the water as quickly as possible. Shake out the damp strands and sit or stand near a fire or register to facilitate the drying. Comb out any tangles, rub the scalp thoroughly with a tonic composed of bay rum and quinine which may be obtained of any first class druggist. The rum keeps the hair dry and soft and prevents one from taking cold. A reliable shampoo mixture is made in the following manner: Save a half pound bar of pure castile soap into one quart of boiling water, when disolved add one teaspoonful of bicarbonate of soda, cool, perfume if desired, and pour into a wide mouthed jar, so that the jelly-like substance may be readily removed when wanted. To use, disolve a tablespoonful of the mixture in a cup of hot water rub into the scalp and wash and rinse as above directed.—Mirror and Farmer.

Egyptian Shorthand.

Shorthand writers should be interested in the recent discovery of a papyrus which throws some light on the state of stenography in Egypt in the third century. The document found is a contract between a shorthand school and a man who wished one of his slaves to acquire the art. The fee was 120 drabhmae, 40 down, 40 at the end of the year and the balance on "graduation." How long the course lasted is not stated, bnt evidently the art of the stenographer was not an easy one, and it was practiced chiefly by slaves.

A Simple Religion.

A quiet home; vines of our own planting; a few books full of the inspiration of genius; a few friends worthy of being loved, and able to love us in return; a hundred innocent pleasures that bring no pain or remorse; a devotion to the right that will never swerve; a simple religion empty of all bigotry, full of trust and hope and love and to such a philosophy this world will give up all the empty joy it has.—David Swing.

WOMEN WILL FIGHT MORMONISM.

A National Union Formed for the Purpose in Philadelphia.

The National Uuion of Women's Organisations—Mrs. Frederick Schoff, of Philadelphia, chairman—has issued a circular announcing the formation of the preliminary organization "to protect the country against the treasonable and polygamous teachings and practice of Mormonism, and to maintain Christian ideals of marriage."

The circular declares that the formation of the National Union of Women's Organization is the result of the earnest plea of non-Mormon women in combating a situation which had become untenable.

A lawyer has been retained by the women to co-operate with the counse retained by the ministerial alliance and citizen's committee of Salt Lake City in the campaign against United States Senator Smoot.

The union, which is to be permanent, has already enlisted 15 leading charter bodies of women of national, State and local influence.

Life on Other Planets.

Upon the question whether life-bearing planets can exist in other solar systems than our own the answer of science is clear and distinct. It is precisely the same which Prof. Newcomb recently gave concerning the possible inhabitants of Mars. "The reader knows just as much of the subject as I do, and that is nothing at all." Within our solar system we can indeed form some crude estimate of probabilities; beyond it, nothing. All the amazing progress of modern science, all the revelations made by the spectroscope, or by photography, all the advance in biology have not brought us one step nearer an answer to the question. "Is this the only inhabited world?" We stand essentially where Whewell and Brewster did half a century ago, or might indeed say where Galileo and Capoano were three hundred years ago. We can indeed spin out the discussion at greater length than our predecessors, and can introduce a far greater number of more or less irrelevant facts, but of serious argument, either for or against, we are entirely destitute.—Prof. Maunder, in Knowledge.

A Memory of His Youth.

Two Rockland men were negotiating to swap horses the other day when suddenly the younger man paused, scratched his head as if to recall something and said, quizzically: "didnt I go to your place once when I was a boy to buy a horse, and didn't you try to induce me to buy one whose knees were so badly sprung that each foreleg almost made a right angle.

"Believe you did," roplied the other

"Yes, I now recall it distinctly," said the younger man. "You told me that the knee springing was caused by feeding the horse from too high a manger, didn't you' and that if I took the horse home and fed him from the floor that the knee would spring back?"

"B'lieve I did," answered the other.

"Then I guess I won't swap horses with you."—Lewiston Journal

Nation's Biggest Business.

The United States has 75,924 post offices, and the mass of mail matter which passes through them would require 31 trains, each a mile long, traving 203 times around the equator, to deliver it at its destinations. Its weight would be more than seven hundred and forty-five million pounds. If an average cauld be made, every man, woman and child in ths United States would receive sixty-one letters, thirty-one newspapers or periodicals and fourteen packages, and every sixth person would recieve a registered letter.

Disillusionized.

Some officers of a British ship were dining with a mandarin at Canton. One of the guests wished for a second helping of a savory stew, which he thought was some kind of duck, and, not knowing the word in Chinese, held his plate to his host, saying, with smiling approval:

"Quack, quack, quack!"

His countenance fell when his host, pointing to the dish, responded:

"Bow, bow, bow!"—New York News.

Human Nature.

"Mike," said Plodding Pete, what would you do if you was to wake up an' find yourself a railway president?"

"I dunno," answered Meandering Mike. "Human nature is Human nature. I s'pose I'd git-mercenary an' begin to worry about all de rides I've been beatin' de company out of."—Washington Star.

Plenty Dropped.

Flytter—I suppose there's money to be picked up in the stock market.

Flutterer—There ought to be. Why, I myself have dropped considerable of it there.—Boston Transcript.

What maintains one vice would bring up two children. Remember, many a little makes a mickle; and further, beware of little expenses. A small leak will sink a great ship.—Franklin.

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