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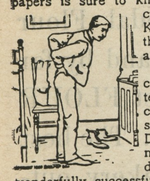
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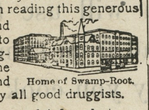
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PEOPLE OF THE DAY

A Popular "Supe."

Colonel Albert L. Mills, superintendent of the United States Military academy at West Point, is in high favor with the cadets because of the recent order which allows pipe smoking at the academy. Pipes and tobacco will hereafter be obtainable at the cadet store, but neither cigars nor cigarettes are to be sold. Colonel Mills says he hopes the new order will lessen cigarette smoking by allowing pipes to be smoked in



COLONEL ALBERT L. MILLS.

quarters during recreation hours, for with pipes easy to get and cigarettes only to be obtained with difficulty it is argued that the smokers of the corps will grow fond of pipes.

Colonel Mills made the change in the rules concerning smoking after gaining the consent of Secretary Root. All hands at the academy are singing the praises of the "supe," as they call him.

Policeman Burdette.

Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, wife of the famous humorist, has been appointed a special police officer in and for the city of Pasadena, Cal., where she resides. She has been adorned with a police badge, the number of which is 36. She is the first woman to receive such an appointment in California.

Mrs. Burdette is a member of the newly organized Pasadena Society For the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. The appointment is at her request, it being her determination to rescue dogs, cats, horses and other animals from abuse and persecution at the hands of thoughtless and mischievous boys and from their cruel and inconsiderate masters.

Her husband, the inimitable Bob, is a member of the police commission. "I have been telling her," said he, "that, although she is a special policeman, I am a police commissioner and that it is the duty of a policeman to always salute a commissioner when she sees him. But all I have been able to get her to do thus far," and his voice took a sorrowful cadence, "has been to make faces at me."

Tactful Sir Thomas.

By his tact and amiability Sir Thomas Lipton has made thousands of friends during his several visits in New York city. One day on the Erin he was watching the Shamrocks from the bridge, and his guests, among whom were some pretty girls, were on the deck below, screened from the sun by awnings. Sir Thomas went down to chat with them for a few minutes and then said, "I think I'll have the awning taken down." "Don't, Sir Thomas," the women all exclaimed in chorus, "we'll roast here." "But," tactfully replied the baronet, "I'm lonely on the bridge, and I miss your pretty faces." No one objected to the awning coming in after that.

His Sleep Comes High.

Probably no ruler on earth has more cause to feel uneasy when bedtime comes than the sultan of Turkey. Abdul Hamid shows that he doesn't feel safe when asleep by requiring a guard of several officers and a score of private soldiers in and about his bedroom at night. It is estimated that the sultan's nocturnal guard costs, expressed in American terms, $900 a night, and the officers and men get their wages every morning.



ABDUL HAMID.

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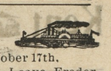
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