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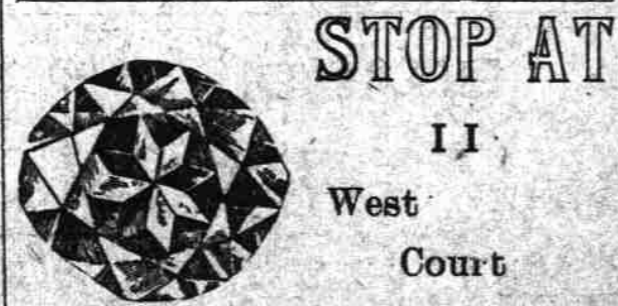
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AMONG THE WHEELMEN.

Eleven of the leading bicycle factories will turn out chainless wheels for 1898.

Australia will send a representative to the international championships of 1898, at Vienna.

Michael, the little cycling wonder, rides a bicycle with a 26-inch front wheel and 28-inch rear wheel.

The bicycle baggage question was settled in France, simply by the minister of public works issuing an order to the railroad companies, directing them to remove from their schedules and rates all mention of bicycles.

Some silly fellow, or else he is a joker, asserts that bicycle riders should always eat tomatoes after an exhausting ride. A small piece, he says, acts like magic, taking away the tired feeling almost instantly. Nonsense! Millions of people eat tomatoes habitually, and no one has yet discovered any magical effect therefrom.

No bicycling outfit is complete without the ammonia "squirt," which effectually disposes of the aggressive canine followers on the road, driving the dogs off without serious injury. Some German cyclists carry bicycle bombs, small but extremely noisy explosives, which exercise a magical effect upon the troublesome curs.

An eminent Italian physician, curious to observe the effect of fatigue on cyclists, recently examined 24 men who had ridden 32 miles in two hours and a quarter, and found that, with reference to the hearing, in nearly every case it was defective, though it became normal again after two or three hours' rest.

ABOUT BEING GRACEFUL.

Trifles continually give us away. The things we do with intention we may do well, but the involuntary acts betray our limitations. A perfectly graceful woman is graceful in every move—in the poise of her head, in her walk, the way she sits and uses her hands.

As to sitting, some women fall into their chairs, like badly jointed and springless dolls. A sensitive, graceful woman sits gently, unbending with a smooth motion until she has settled safely. She can also get up from her chair and reach the door without including in any of the jerky and awkward mistakes some women make.

If there is a turn in the walk stop with all the weight on the foot in advance, resting only the toe of the rear foot on the ground, then turn smoothly around by transferring the weight to the other foot, making the turn entirely upon the balls of the feet, with the heels scarcely touching the floor. This turn is rarely seen practiced, yet it is very easy and a few minutes' work at it will render one expert.

In getting up from a chair 99 women out of 100 shift their weight from one foot to the other and rise with the weight on the wrong foot. The proper way is to rest the weight on one foot while sitting, holding the other lightly on the floor. Then press down hard on the foot which already bears the weight and rise, standing for an instant on the same foot to get the balance before starting off freely and lightly.

TABLE ETIQUETTE.

Biscuits should be opened with the fingers. In extreme cases an ax is admissible.

Never pick your teeth at the table. You will find a better assortment at the dentist's.

Don't rattle your knife and fork. The napkin ring will be found much more musical.

Always eat soup from the side of your spoon. The inside is considered the proper one.

Game should never be taken in the fingers—unless of course it is a card game.

Do not rest your arms on the table. Stack all your weapons in a corner before dinner.

Never leave the table until the others are through. If in a hurry take it with you.

Never eat pie with a knife. It's all right to eat cheese with pie, but knives should be eaten alone.

Cigarette smoking is permissible at the table—if you are dining alone and have a grudge against yourself.

Don't ask your hostess if she lets the sugar bowl with the butter balls. She might mistake you for a humorist or a lunatic.—Chicago News.

wrinkle even time cannot heal it. If men were serpents all the women would want to be professional snake-charmers.—Chicago News.

IT IS EASY TO TELL.

People who fail to look after their health are like the carpenter who neglects to sharpen his tools. People are not apt to get anxious about their health soon enough. If you are "not quite well" or "half sick" have you ever thought that your kidneys may be the cause of your sickness?

It is easy to tell by setting aside your urine for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate, scanty supply, pain or dull ache in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

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