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**ECONOMY.**

"Now, Mabel," said the financially embarrassed banker, as he surveyed a bill for \$1,000 for fall hats, "I don't wish to chide you, but we must really economize, my dear."

"Why, Henry, I am economizing," replied his wife, in a hurt tone. "I've given up all idea of going to Europe next summer."—Houston Chronicle.

**FIT'S** permanently cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. \$2 trial bottle and treatise free. Dr. R. H. KLINE, Ltd., 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

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At one time King Peter of Servia was a Socialist.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c. a bottle.

Last year, in India, over 23,000 persons were killed by snake bites.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on box. 25c.

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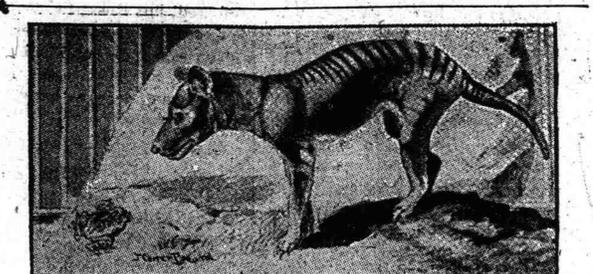
**To be a successful wife, to retain the love and admiration of her husband should be a woman's constant study. If she would be all that she may, she must guard well against the signs of ill health. Mrs. Brown tells her story for the benefit of all wives and mothers.**

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will make every mother well, strong, healthy and happy. I dragged through nine years of miserable existence, worn out with pain and weariness. I then noticed a statement of a woman troubled as I was; and the wonderful results she had had from your Vegetable Compound, and decided to try what it would do for me, and used it for three months. At the end of that time, I was a different woman, the neighbors remarked it, and my husband fell in love with me all over again. It seemed like a new existence. I had been suffering with inflammation and falling of the womb, but your medicine cured that, and built up my entire system; till I was indeed like a new woman.—Sincerely yours, Mrs. CHAS. F. BROWN, 21 Cedar Terrace, Hot Springs, Ark., Vice President Mothers Club.—\$3000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

## ANIMALS NEW TO SCIENCE.

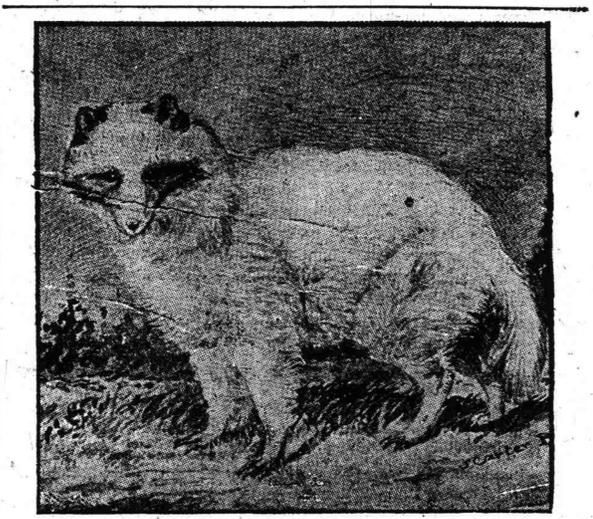
**A**MONG a collection of some twenty living animals received some time since by the New York Zoological Society from Captain Thos. Golding, of the ship Alfrida, was a small, white creature that proved to be a puzzle to all natural history experts who saw it. It is twenty-one inches long—a little more than twenty-seven, counting in the tail—and stands rather more than ten inches high at the shoulders.

It respects a more interesting animal than the white raccoon dog. The "Tasmanian wolf," so far from being a wolf, does not belong to the dog family. It is, in fact, a marsupial, and is more nearly akin to certain of the kangaroos, than it is to the Canidae. The female, indeed, has a well developed pouch, though the marsupial bones are wanting, being replaced by cartilages. The animal walks upon its toes and partly upon half its soles or palms, as may be seen more evi-



**DOG-LIKE DASURE, AN ANIMAL WITH A POUCH, RELATED TO THE KANGAROO.**

It rather resembles a small Spitz dog, but it is not a dog any more than it is a raccoon, although the shape of the head and the face marking that seem to belong so peculiarly to the family of Procyonidae, are marvelously imitated in this little beast. Perhaps it resembles a white Arctic fox more than it does any other creature. It had been called a white fox in the country, Northern Japan, from which Captain Golding obtained it, but it is



**THE WHITE RACCOON DOG—AN ANIMAL NEW TO SCIENCE.**

evidently no more a fox than it is a dog or a raccoon.

It has now been admitted to the great assembly of classified animals under the name of Nyctereutes albus or the white raccoon dog. It is not of step one gets an opportunity of gazing upon a brand-new animal never before known to scientific zoologists.

Another very rare animal—so far as the writer knows, the first animal of its kind ever seen on this side of the Atlantic—the so-called Tasmanian wolf, zebra wolf, or pouched dog, Thyacinus cynocephalus, is to be seen at the New York Zoological Park. Although not new to science it is in some

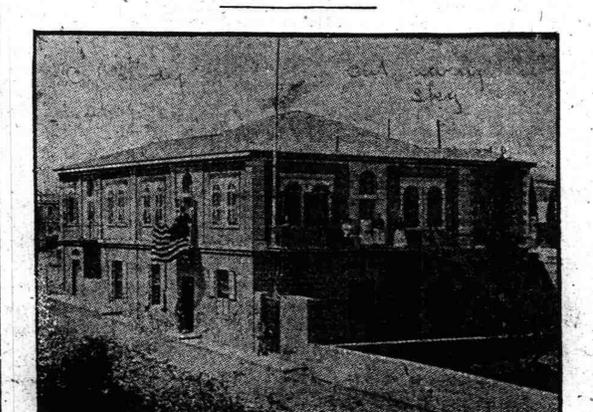
**Choice Books For Children.**

If a child loves books at all you can hardly begin too early to instruct her or him (there is no reason for always saying "him") with really valuable books. The fine book sets a standard of treatment for the rest. If the child has only cheap, flimsy volumes, always coming to pieces, a book will seem to be worthy of no care, and the library will not be valued. But a choice work, beautifully bound, is so charming a possession that it will be sure of respectful treatment, and the owner will come to see that a book is, or may be, a matter worth consideration. There are in second-hand stores thousands of good books that cost no more than the poorly printed works, despised by all who think bookmaking an art. Buy good books, and you help to bring good books into the market; for the public receives what it asks for.—From Books and Reading, in St. Nicholas.

**Copper Treatment of Water.**

The public must not make the mistake of imagining that the copper treatment for destroying disease bacteria in water supply systems is designed to replace or supersede slow sand and other efficient means of filtration now employed. It is intended to supplement these methods. Filtration is usually effective, but many times cannot be used. The method is so expensive that the vast majority of towns are obliged to do without it. Again, there are many times when the polluted water of a reservoir must be purified at once. An epidemic is at hand, and there is no time for slow filtration. Then it is that Dr. Moore's discovery helps us. By his method, in a few hours we can thoroughly sterilize the water, destroying every dangerous germ in it, and the process is so cheap that every small town can afford to adopt it.—From Gilbert H. Grosvenor's "The New Method of Purifying Water," in the Century.

## THE AMERICAN CONSULATE AT JERUSALEM.



## BETTY THINGS TO WEAR

New York City.—Simple waists with waistcoat effects are among the newest features of fashion and exceedingly attractive. This one is made of



**BOX PLEATED BLOUSE WAIST.**

royal blue chiffon taffeta combined with ecru lace, but it is suited to all waistings and all simple dress materials as well as to both the entire gown and the odd waist. The sleeve extension, which form box pleats

for morning expeditions, shopping, etc. The new "Carricks" are cut in much the same shape and have capes that come over the shoulders, but without covering up the coat completely. They are fastened to the side seams and go do not interfere with the grace of the silhouette. Many Carricks are unlined, the big pelerine being sufficiently warm. These outer sleeves or capes are fastened with automatic buttons so that they can be taken off if desired.—Paris Fashions.

**House or Shirt Waist.**

Waists that are simple in style yet a little more elaborate than the shirt waist fill many needs and are in great demand. This one is exceptionally attractive and is adapted both to the odd waist and to the entire gown as well as to a variety of materials. As illustrated, however, it is made of dark red chiffon taffeta stitched with corded silk and worn with a black tie and belt. The yoke adds largely to the effect and intensifies the broad shoulder line, but can, nevertheless, be omitted when a plainer waist is desired.

The waist consists of the fitted lining, which is optional, fronts and back, with the yoke and sleeves. The sleeves are made in one piece each and are laid in pleats both at the upper edge and above the cuff portions. The closing is made invisibly at the left of

## A LATE DESIGN BY MAY MANTON.



over the shoulders, make an especially noteworthy feature and are becoming to the generality of figures. When liked, the vest can be of velvet or other contrasting material so making still greater variety.

The waist is made with a fitted lining which can be used or omitted as preferred, and consists of the fronts, back, centre front and vest portions. The lining is closed at the centre front, the waist invisibly beneath the edge of the left front and the waistcoat at the centre. The sleeves are made in one piece, mounted over fitted linings, on which the deep cuffs are arranged and their extensions are arranged over the shoulder seams.

The quantity of material required for the medium size is four yards twenty-one, three and one-half yards twenty-seven or 1 and three-quarter yards forty-four inches wide, with three-quarter yards of all-over lace to make as illustrated.

**Fashionable Coats.**

If long, tight redingotes and basque jackets are all the rage, the little, short, loose paletot has certainly not disappeared, for I see many editions of it among the new models, and I gladly hail its appearance, for it is so useful and convenient and looks just the thing to wear with a simple skirt

With a Trio of Frouces.

Though ruchings on accorioned frouces are yet evidences of petticoat prettiness, a lovely novelty in brown shows three frouces, each hemmed top and bottom, each shirred three times, and each sewed to the one above.

**Copper-Colored Marabout Feathers.**

Lovely as possible is a pastel copper stole of marabout feathers, with a liberal sprinkling of ostrich. At the ends it is nearly white.

the front and the neck is finished with a regulation stock.

The quantity of material required for the medium size is five yards twenty-one inches wide, four yards twenty-seven inches wide, or two and three-quarter yards forty-four inches wide.



**BLOUSE OR SHIRT WAIST.**

**A Pretty Simple Gown.**

One of the prettiest of the simpler gowns is gray lace combined with silver lace. The high bodice has a yoke and collar striped with silver, and the draped girde is largely composed of the silver. The skirt is full and long, and has several lines of the silver above the hem.

**Butterfly on a Shoe.**

Quite the latest butterfly vogue is to wear a butterfly on the front of the evening slipper.