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FOR THE LADIES. MARRIAGES IN EGYPT. When an Egyptian wants a wife, he is not allowed to visit the harem of his friends to select one; for Mohammed forbade men to see the face of any woman they could marry; that is to say, any besides their mothers and sisters.

Girls are demanded at the age of ten, and between that and sixteen years; but after sixteen few men will seek them, and the dowry expected is then proportionally small. Girls in Egypt are often mothers at thirteen, and grandmothers at twenty-six; and in Persia, they are said to be mothers at eleven, grandmothers at twenty-two, and past child-bearing at thirty.

Female Martyrs. Young gentlemen, or rather young simpletons, of the class who make late evening calls, will please study the following letter from a lady who signs herself "A Martyr to Late Hours."

Wife to a Martyr. A cotemporary talks in this way: "Young man, don't do it! Don't marry simpletons, articles, nor hair, nor mouths, nor chins, nor necks, nor sinners. These bits and scraps of femininity are mighty poor things to tie to. Marry the true thing. Look after congeniality, kindred sympathies, disposition, education; and if this be joined with social position, or even a little luck, why don't let them stand the way?"

Mournful Milliners. The great sewing sisterhood and dry goods fraternity have been brought to the depths of despair by the abolition of crinoline, which has now been worn for many years.

A young lady asked a gentleman the meaning of the word "surrogate," and he explaining it to her as "a great thing which parties go to get married by." "That is a corruption of the word 'surrogate,'" said he. "You are right," said he, "as woman is an abbreviation of 'wo' to man."

At a fashionable wedding in Baltimore, a short time since, a lady appeared in a dress wholly of tin foil, gored and trimmed, with ear-rings and bracelets also of tin.

AGRICULTURAL. EYE CULTURE. We have seen within a few days, Rye grown upon the land of Mr. Geo. Allen of the firm of Mitchell Allen & Co., which was over six feet in height, and had a grain-car over six inches long.

SWEET CORN. The following article, from a work not what agricultural journal, has been handed us, with a special request to publish, and a guarantee as to the soundness of the views advanced in it.

Be careful to trace up you seed in the fall, and then you will plant or sow a GEORGE W. CURTIS, Monroe County, N. Y.

PROFITS OF HENS. Mr. Truman Ingalls reports the result of keeping thirty fowls of mixed breeds for the past year. During the year they were fed one hundred bushels of ears of corn, with the addition of sour milk in the months of June and July.

SMALL FARMS AND FRUIT. A New York farmer makes the following suggestion in regard to small farms: In many cases, where large farms are divided, there is no orchard. But the enterprising beginner may do well by raising small fruits while his orchard is growing.

ITEMS FOR THE FARMER. The parings of a bushel of juicy apples are said to yield a quart of cider by the aid of a hand-press. The honey that wastes its sweetness on the air around an acre of buckwheat in blossom, can be saved to the amount of fifteen pounds per day, according to the estimate of a German investigator.

THE TAXES OF FARMERS. The following is very important to farmers, and the decisions have lately been given by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue at Washington: 1. Farmers will not be required to make return of produce consumed in their own immediate families.

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