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EFFECT OF ELECTION IN ENGLAND AND EUROPE.

The congratulations of Lord Salisbury on the re-election of Mr. McKinley as President, seems to have been the voiced sentiments of social and political England, but not of commercial and industrial England.

That the present expansion policy of the United States is viewed with serious alarm both in England and on the Continent of Europe, there can be no question.

Hence the anxiety on the part of the English manufacturers on the results of the election of November 6th, in this country.

It is not merely that American goods are finding places in the countries in which England has sold her manufactures, but that American methods, in the shape of improved machinery, are forcing the English manufacturers to adopt the American machines, or be left out of the competitive trade.

It is not that England loves to accept the up-to-date American ideas in the improved machinery, which revolutionizes everything in the way of manufactures, but these new machines England manufacturers are compelled to adopt for economic reasons.

To more fully appreciate this invasion of England by American ideas, the following, from a recent dispatch from London, shows the position in that country:

"It was merely necessary to go, for instance, to the international shoe and leather fair held in London this week to find it abundantly demonstrated that nearly all the vast array of machinery is American. British manufacturers were literally compelled to adopt it. One of the conditions on which one remarkable machine is installed on a royalty is that no English machine can be used in the same factory. And English manufacturers find themselves compelled by economic reasons to accept this restriction. As for the finished product, there are now 1,300 shops in Great Britain dealing in American shoes sold through a single agent. Others are also rapidly developing trade. What is true of shoes is also true of almost every line of American manufacture, and it is easy to understand these conditions."

In Germany and France, there was felt the same impending fate, namely, that the continuation of the present Administration means the seizure of foreign markets by American trade.

But American progressiveness is not going to be stopped by anything while the world is an open competitive field for its expansion.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., TOLEDO, O.

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"What's he done now?"

"Why, he wrote the combination of the safe on a piece of paper to keep from forgetting it and then locked the paper in the safe to keep from losing it."

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When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham, here, a leading druggist of Belleville, O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling Bitters I have; handled in 30 years. You know why? None disease begins in disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters cleans up the stomach, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, banishes every molecule of malaria. It builds up the entire system. Pure saw the best vigorous life, healthy, red-blooded men or women. Price 25 cents. Sold by C. D. Bradham, Raleigh.

How He Knew It. We had outspanned the wagons on the veldt between Prieska and Kenhardt. The donkeys had been driven to the veldt and we, my friend and myself, were talking in the "taal" to a Dutchman named Gert Maans about the wonders of the universe.

We mentioned that the world was round. Maans said that he knew it. This answer was unusual for a Boer, so we asked him how he knew. He replied: "I started to ride to Pootjie one dark night through the veldt, and I rode hard all the night, and next morning I found myself at the place I started from, so I know the world is round because I rode round it."—London Standard.

Artificial Eyes. Artificial eyes are supplied to all the world from Thuringia, Germany. Nearly all the grown inhabitants of some of the villages are engaged in their manufacture. Four men usually sit at a table, each with a gas jet in front of him, and the eyes are blown from gas plates and molded into shape by hand. The colors are then traced in with small needles, no set rule being observed in the coloring, and as every man uses his own fancy no two artificial eyes therefore are exactly alike.

Extent of Florist Industry. The florist business in the United States is by no means an unimportant industry. It is estimated that the retail value of flowers sold annually is \$12,500,000 and of potted plants \$10,000,000. There are no less than 10,000 establishments in the United States devoted to the growing of plants under glass.—Chicago Chronicle.

Dust of the sea is one of the mysteries which perplex sailors. No matter how carefully the decks of sailing ships may be washed down in the morning an enormous quantity of dust can be swept up at night.

Powers of Endurance. "When my grandfather was a young man," said the boy with a snub nose, "he could run ten miles without stopping."

"I heard my grandfather make a prayer 25 minutes long once at a prayer meeting," responded the boy with the dirty face, "and it didn't faze him."—Chicago Tribune.

The One Day Cold Cure. Cold in head and sore throat cured by Ker-mott's Chocolate Laxative Quinine. As easy to take as candy. "Children cry for them."

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A Ball Park Reminiscence. She—Papa says our minister's salary is only half as much as that of this pitcher. "Well perhaps the pitcher's delivery is better."—Chicago News.

MOZLEY'S LEMON BILKIN. A Pleasant Lemon Tonic. Cures indigestion, headache, malaria, kidney disease, fever, chills, loss of appetite, debility, nervous prostration, heart failure, and appendicitis by regulating the Liver, Bowels and Kidneys.

Cured me of indigestion, I had suffered for ten years. I had tried almost every medicine, but all failed. Since taking Lemon Bilk I can eat anything I like. W. A. GRIFFITH. Reevesville, S. C.

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Cured me of enlarged liver, nervous indigestion and heart disease. I was unable to walk up stairs or to do any kind of work. I was treated by many physicians, but got no better until I used Lemon Bilk. I am now healthy and vigorous. C. H. BALDWIN. No. 99 Alexander St., Atlanta, Ga.

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ABSENT-MINDEDNESS.

Aburdities Into Which Victims of the Habit Have Fallen. When lapses of memory become habitual, the person is properly called absent-minded. The Chicago Tribune relates the following aburdities into which some victims of this disease have fallen:

A bridegroom of 24 hours left his wife, strolled around to his mother-in-law's house and asked her if her daughter was at home. This came from force of habit. He had been calling there daily for some time, and it probably occurred to him that he had not paid his usual visit.

A Chicago bank president is unable to account for three-quarters of an hour of his life. He went into a restaurant as usual and ordered his lunch. Nearly an hour later he found himself in his office chair and suddenly remembered the order.

He went back across the street and asked if the luncheon was ready. The clerk informed him that he had eaten, paid the bill and gone away some 15 minutes before, that he had put his hat on as he went out and that he (the clerk) had not noticed anything peculiar in his actions.

The bank president congratulates himself that he can be trusted to behave like an ordinary mortal even when he doesn't happen to have his mind with him.

An editor of a daily paper has laid himself open to unkind remarks by trying to take up a collection in his office. Happening to want a small coin, he turned to his fellow worker and asked for a quarter.

"Haven't got it, but here's a dollar," the man replied as he tossed it over. The editor put the dollar in his pocket and immediately turned to a special writer at the next desk and said:

"Miss—, could you lend me a quarter?" Then, seeing the man from whom he had got the dollar grin, he added hastily: "Oh, never mind. I just got a dollar from Brown."

In analyzing his conduct he said that Brown's reply that he did not have a quarter was apparently the only part of the transaction that made any impression upon him. But he is under suspicion in that office and will probably never be able to live it down.

Both makers and circulators of counterfeit commit fraud. Honest men will not deceive you into buying worthless counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The original is infallible for curing piles, sores, eczema and all skin diseases. F. S. Duffy.

It's generally the man who's wrapped up in himself that finds fault with his surroundings.

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"How do you like this soap?" asked the barber, carefully depositing the brush in the patron's mouth. "Some say it's better than the last." "That," replied the customer, "is only a matter of taste."

Great Luck of An Editor. "For two years all efforts to cure Eczema in the palms of my hands failed," writes Editor H. N. Lester, of Syracuse, Kan., "then I was wholly cured by Bucklen's Arnica Salve." It's the world's best for Eruptions, Sores and all skin diseases. Only 50c at C. D. Bradham's.

Their Differences of Opinion. Mocks—Rapee says that he has at last discovered a difference of opinion between himself and his wife.

Weeks—Yes, she thought one way and he thought she thought another.

At last my lines are cast in pleasant places, remarked the poet. He was an observing young man, and he noticed that the editor had supplied himself with a new waste basket, and spoke with a pink ribbon interwaved through it.

CANTONIA

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PRESIDENTIAL LIGHTNING.

Storm's Frank Nerved a Young Law Student to Bet and He Won. "The lightning caused me to bet on the presidential election in 1893," said a Wall street man, "and I won."

"I'm not more superstitious than the average individual," continued the man, "although my act would indicate the contrary. I was a young man in a law office in a Kentucky town. My preceptor had pasted over his desk a poster containing the portraits of all of the candidates, Lincoln and Hamlin, Breckinridge and Lane, Douglas and Johnson and Bell and Everett. The poster contained the platforms of the various parties. There was some uncertainty in that campaign. My preceptor was an enthusiastic Douglas man and wanted to bet all he had on his candidate. It was my first experience in a presidential campaign, and I had a fool notion that Bell and Everett would be elected. I had never made a money bet, but I was aching to take up my Blackstonian preceptor, although I lacked nerve."

"One day there was a thunderstorm. The lightning loosened a number of things in the town, the building in which I was a law student being one. In one of its pranks the lightning cut in the wall on which that political poster was posted. The result was that the upper part of the poster hung down from the wall, covering up all the candidates save Lincoln and Hamlin. Despite my sympathies for Bell and Everett I imagined I saw in this condition of the poster the result of that election, and a few days later when the Douglas enthusiast talked on his upper notes and offered to bet \$25 even on his man I took him up. He was very much astonished to think I would bet on Lincoln and Hamlin. He said I was a young ass and other things and that he would bet with me to teach me a lesson. After the election he asked me how I came to take the chance, for there were few Lincoln votes in the town. When I told him the source of my tip, he grew serious.

"You have won your first bet on a presidential election," he said, "but remember, young man, lightning never strikes in the same place twice."

"But it did in this case. Lincoln was re-elected."—New York Sun.

At the time of the Roman occupation of Britain five distinct species of dogs were there, most of which can with certainty be identified with those of the present day. There were the house-dog, the greyhound, the bulldog, the terrier and the slowhound.

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WOMEN MUST SLEEP.

Avoid Nervous Prostration. If you are dangerously sick what is the first duty of your physician? He quiets the nervous system, he deadens the pain, and you sleep well.

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