

HINT TO PICTURE LOVER

Easy Way to Gain Appreciation of Your Fine Works of Art by the Neighbors.

I'm speaking now to the man who admires good pictures and who perhaps has a gallery of them.

Many of your neighbors do not properly appreciate your Corots and your Israels and your Maues and your Daubignys and your Constables and Turners.

WANT BARGAINS IN PEWS

Thrifty Church-Goers Who Seek Cut Rates Sometimes Will Overlook All Other Considerations.

Ministers have so many things to worry about that it is pretty hard to add the bargain-hunting habits of their parishioners to their other cares.

SOURCE OF ZULU JAVELIN

Many African Tribes Have Attained Enough Skill in Smelting Metals to Make the Asagails.

The railing charge about idols for the heathen being manufactured in Birmingham, England, has become an article of common faith, yet on the most scanty evidence.

NAVAL TIP FOR SEAGOERS

Lemon and Ginger Should Be Given to Those Not Sure of Themselves on Shipboard.

A surgeon on the naval hospital ship Solace has a remedy for seasickness which should be of interest to folks who are going on winter cruises.

PRETTY CHECKING SCHEME

At Golden Wedding Yellow Carnation Was Given Each Guest Who Had Been Served Refreshments.

"I've just heard of a new checking system," said the woman who always has new ideas.

CURDS AND WHEY HEALTHFUL

Little Miss Muffit's Delicacies Were Both Made From Milk and Are Good for Children.

The spider that made bold to sit down beside little Muffit must have been a very terrible spider to frighten her from the dish of curds and whey.

THE SEA'S VENTILATION

One of the reasons formerly urged against the existence of living creatures in the abysses of the ocean was the supposed absence of oxygen there.

SHAKESPEARE'S LIMITATIONS

He could not construct plays or invent stories, though he selected good ones with considerable certainty.

GRACE AT CLIFFORD'S INN

Quaint Custom at Dinner Which Recalled Days When All Lawyers Were Connected With Church.

The purchase of Clifford's Inn as the headquarters of the Knights Bachelor recalls the quaint form of grace.

YOUTH SHOULD BE TOLERANT

Must Practise Self-Denial and Pay to Old Age the Attention So Welcome to It.

Young people are happier together without the constraint of elderly company, still they should not openly avoid that company.

FACING DEATH

Why should we consent even to the semblance of lack of courage in our pagan trappings of woe at every death?

FOR A SICK LITTLE GIRL

Give an invalid child a set of doll dishes for her own tray.

CAUSE FOR SMOKING OUT

A youngster who lives in a neighborhood where disease makes frequent fumigations necessary returned from his first visit to the country with the astonishing information that Farmer Jones' coons and woodchucks had been laid up with scarlet fever.

POE'S STORIES WELL BUILT

They Show Constructive Skill and Gift of Decoration That Carried Them Into Many Languages.

There is in the best of Poe's brief tales a constructive skill, a command of design, and a gift of decoration rare in any literature.

DEAD MAN SANG AT FUNERAL

Pietro Ficco, Amateur Musician, Left Phonograph Records to Be Used at His Obsequies.

We hear now and then of a man reading his own obituary in the papers, but it is a rare thing for a dead man to sing at his own funeral.

MAKING HER HATS SUIT FEET

London Modiste Tells How to Buy Headgear for Best Effect—Proper Line Needed.

London.—Watch your feet while buying your hat. This is the advice now given to women, who generally when choosing a hat are content to see the effect in a mirror that reflects merely the head and shoulders.

WOMEN MAY SMOKE IN HOTEL

Guest in High Class New York Hotel Makes Protest—Discrimination is Unjust.

New York.—One of the new fashionable hotels in New York, under international management, has lifted the ban and now permits women to smoke in any part of the house.

LEAVE OF A TREE

A fir tree on high bank of the Lewis river has been leased for a period of 15 years, to be used as a telephone pole.

MEAT IMPORTS \$206,000,000

London.—Frozen meat of the value of \$206,000,000 was imported by England last year, said Mr. Stanley Marchin at a reception given by the London chamber of commerce to delegates from Vienna inquiring into the meat supply.

GRAY FOX IS CAUGHT ALIVE

Sisters Find Animal Asleep on Limb of Tree and Wrap It in Cotton Sweater.

Midford, Pa.—A big gray fox that had its home in the woods near Eugene Ratt's, who lives back in the Silver Lake country, in Pike county, one recent bright sunny day chose to take its midday nap in a comfortable spot on a big limb well up in a slanting tree.

DOG'S IN ECCLESIASTICAL DECORATIONS

The stained glass representation of the "Pedler and His Dog," to which attention has been directed by the discovery of a boundary stone of "Pedler's Acre," on the site of the new county hall.

LONGEVITY OF BIRDS

It is not always easy to estimate the duration of the life of a bird. Possibly captivity shortens the bird's life; on the other hand, the wild bird does not die of old age, but as the result of an accident, or at the hands of an enemy.

BRAIN DRILL WITH FINGERS

Brain drill with the fingers is the latest recommendation to those who would be efficient. It is not a system of massage that is recommended, but simply the regular use of the hands.