

MILLIONAIRE AT 21 YEARS.

Young Man Falls Heir to vast Fortune—Event Celebrated by a Large Gathering.

Two hundred guests celebrated the twenty-first birthday of Alfred C. Bourne...

ROYAL ETIQUETTE RELAXED

Edward VII. Declared to Be Much Less Exclusive Than Any of His Predecessors.

In spite of the extreme simplicity, almost, it may be said, homeliness, of court life in the earlier part of the Victorian reign...

THEY WORSHIP UNCLOTHED

South American Indians Have Queer Ritual Which Includes English Alphabet.

The British commissioners who have been in the interior for the demarcation of the boundary between British Guiana and some strange experiences...

Three Sisters Mothers on Same Day.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lynn M. Morrill...

That Would Never Do.

It would seriously injure an American campaigner...

Costly Cass County Kisses.

The pretty daughter of a Cass county farmer offered four kisses...

PHILIPPINE AGRICULTURE

Natives Are Too Lazy to Develop the Productive Possibilities of the Soil.

Writes William E. Curtis, in the Chicago Record-Herald. The Philippines do not raise sufficient vegetables to supply their own wants...

HOULD A VESSEL STEADY

Remarkable Device Which Robs an Ocean Voyager of Terrors for Four Sailors.

There have been innumerable plans for preventing seasickness, but perhaps the most remarkable of any is a device by which a German navy engineer would obviate the malady by overcoming the motion which brings it about...

OF IMMACULATE CHARACTER

To Qualify for the London Police Force a Man Must Be All But Angelic.

London policemen are subjected to a most careful system of preparation before they are considered fit to go out and travel a beat.

Counting a Hen's Feathers.

A very unique feather guessing contest was recently conducted by a prominent company manufacturing feed for poultry.

Attractive.

"I am an afraid of lightning," said the pretty girl who was a born flirt.

Bather Light.

Gunner—Yes, I drank to drown my sorrows. Guyer—And did you drown them?

Better Left Unsaid.

Blundering Visitor (on seeing the little child for the first time)—By Jove! He—he's wonderfully human-looking isn't he?—Philadelphia Record.

MOST ECONOMICAL LIGHT

That of the Firefly Is Made Without Any Determinable Loss of Material.

Now is the high noon of the firefly season. Electric lights put the firefly at a disadvantage in most parts of New York...

Former Has a Grudge Against the Letter Which She Pays Off in Good Style.

"It took me a solid week to think it out, but I did it," said the summer girl, relates Washington Post.

TUBES IN UNIQUE TESTS.

Clothing, Eggs, Birds, and Bottles of Liquid Used to Find Merits of System.

A pneumatic company in attempting to introduce pneumatic tubes in London, has set up a model plant at Ransleigh to show Englishmen how the thing is worked in America.

"TIN WOODMAN" HAS RIVAL.

Flypaper Man Known by Various Names Makes a Hit With Erie Basin Housewives.

One of the oddest sights to be seen in the vicinity of the wharves along the Erie basin, says the New York Sun, is a little shriveled up old man...

Queen Pleas'd with First Drive in a "Buzz Wagon" and Intends to Have One.

Queen Wilhelmina of Holland, has just made her first trip in an automobile and has expressed herself as delighted with the experience.

SOLDIER GETS BACK FARM.

Iowa Veteran Recovers Property Which He Lost During the Civil War.

Useful.

Guest (at restaurant)—This is the second time I have seen that fat, bald-headed old man walk out of here without paying for his meal.

Purposely Misunderstood.

Hewitt—I seldom think of my audience when I'm acting. Jewett—But you ought to have some consideration for them.—Smart Set.

ELECTRICITY TO RUN CARS

Railroads Between New York City and Buffalo Will Soon Be Run Without Aid of Steam Power.

The announcement that the Vanderbilt interests, as represented by the New York Central is negotiating for many lines in the interior of the state means, it is said, that ultimately the Hudson river division of the Central will be operated by electric power.

Only Natural.

The poets are taking a strong stand against the eating of meat. It is only natural, says the Chicago Record-Herald, that they should lead in this great movement.