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Mr. Editor: If I were boss-

There would be some radical change in feminine clothing.

If women folk insisted on wearing skirts, they would have to wear skirts of a different sort, some kind that would be firmly attached to their shirt waists or bodices.

There was a woman's convention the other day, and for eight blessed hours every woman that got up to speak first reached around to make sure that the upper and the lower parts of her gown met.

I was at a commencement recently, and it was the same thing there. Every sweet girl graduate that got up to read her essay had to fuss a little bit with her gown before she made her bow to the audience.

Think of the muscular energy women folk waste in the course of a year, to say nothing of the nervous worry. It is no wonder that there are more women than men in the insane asylums.

Then, too, look at the exhaustion that must come from the proposition of holding

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She keeps on doing it every day of her life from that on. As she gets older her skirts get heavier, and when she gets to wearing trains the task gets more arduous.

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"Hello," he said, "there's Frederic Rem-

"Where?" asked the Chicago man with

"There he comes, the big fellow. Would you like to meet him?"

"You can gamble on it that I would," said the Chicago man. "I don't know a citizen of your town that I would rather meet that

Remington." "I didn't know that you cared for his work, but I will be glad to introduce you."

"Care for it!" exclaimed the Chicago man.

"It's the best thing in the market." The thin man greeted Mr Remington as

an old acquaintance, and then presented the Chicago man as a great admirer of his work. "Indeed I am, Mr. Remington. I am proud to meet you. Remington is a house

hold word with us," said the Chicago man. "Indeed," said Mr. Remington, looking as

any modest man might at such a tribute from "It is, for a fact," said the Chicago man,

'and when I tell my wife that I have met Frederic Remington she will want to know all about you. She was my stenographer before we were married and she used only your typewriter. I wouldn't have any other machine in the factory and-"

Mr. Remington walked away abruptly and the thin man gasped and then explained to

the Chicago man.

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"Why I thought he invented the typewriter. Now isn't that enough to freeze your feet?" -New York Sun.

SEVERE TOOTHACHE.

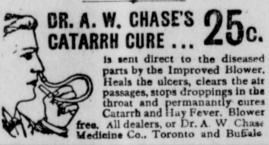
"I have used two bottles of Dr. Low's Toothache Gum and find it splendid. It cured me of the worst toothache I ever had." Elvina Hill, Elva, Man.

In a Quandary.

The woman was visibly perturbed. So much so, indeed, that one were fain to inquire the cause.

"Only this," said she "Ten years ago I told the census taker I was 22." "Yes."

"And now I've found out the same man has the same place again. I wonder how good his memory is?'-Indianapolis Press.



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THE fashionably line bred Wilkes - Mambrino Patchen Stallion, Standard Bred, Rule 1, American Trotting Register, Vol. 15, with the Double Wilkes cross, three crosses of Mambrino Patchen and double cross of the great brood mare Alma Mater, with 8 in the 2.30 list—5 producing sons and 3 producing daughters; being sired by Baron Alexander 28393 (who was destroyed by fire when young) a full brother to Alfonzo, with 11 in the 2.30 list at 9 years of age, son of Baron Wilkes 2.18, and Alma Mater; dam, Rachel, dam of Blackbird 2.261, at 5 yrs., and a full sister to Raven 2.19 and Edna Cook 2 12, by Alcantara 2.23, son of George Wilkes and Alma Mater; grandam, Rachel B. 2.282, by Allie West 2.25—was the champion 5 year old stallion of his time and considered the best son of Almont Baron Almater is a young horse, his oldest colts were only 3 years old last season, and in October last one of his colts trialed a mile in 2.18 and sold for \$1500.00, and another trialed a mile in 2.222 and last one of his colts trialed a mile in 2.18 and sold for \$1500.00, and another trialed a mile in 2.22½ and sold for \$750.00, and a pair of his colts took first prize at Long Island horse show last fall and sold for \$1300.00, for a gentleman's double hitch.—BARON ALMATER has got no record, for the reason he never started in a race or started for record, but has gone a mile in his work in 2.23 as a 4 year old. But he is going to be limited to 40 mares this season and started in the fall for a record. BARON ALMATER has got the double cross of the blood that produced the two champion pacers of 1899. Searchlight 2.03½, and Lady of the Manor 2.04½, have the Algyone-Alcantara cross, which Baron Almater gets direct from his dam; so has Coney 2.07½, the fastest and most successful of the green pacers out last season, having won 5 races. A combination of blood which in one sea on has two champions and carries three green pacers and a green trotter below the 2.10 green pacers and a green trotter below the 2.10 limit is worth having, and you can get this winning combination from Baron Almater.

combination from Baron Almater.

Baron Almater is a horse of rich breeding, for he has the golden double cross of Wilkes from two of the best sons of that great progenitor of extreme speed. Baron Wilkes is admittedly the most popular stallion of the day, and well he may be—for look at the race horses he sires, and the speed that is coming from his sons and daughters. Popular as Baron Wilkes is—Alcantara being an older horse, has a much larger list of winners, and more speed producing sons and daughters. These stallions tie for honors, as the champion sires of 2.12 performers, both having the same number; but Alcantara leads all stallions as the sire of 2.15 race horses. Paron Wilkes is the paternal, and Alcantara the maternal grandsire of Baron Almater; and Baron Almater's sire is from the dam of Alcantara. There can be no stronger combination of blood lines than these.

It is well known that the great "nick" for the Mambrino Patchen mares was George Wilkes.— It is well known that the great "nick" for the Mambrino Patchen mares was George Wilkes.—These mares have more speed producing stallions sired by other stallions than by Wilkes. But the sons of George Wilkes from Mambrino Patchen mares have sired more 2.15 speed than the others have in 2.30. The Wilkes-Mambrino Patchen union is more fruitful of 2.10 speed than all other lines of blood combined. George Wilkes has 176 descendants in 2.10 and Mambrino Patchen 145. Baron Almater has the three best lines from **cambrino Patchen, including a double cross of Alma Mater, his most successful daughter, and one of the most famous of speed perpetuators.

This magnificent inheritance is further strengthened by the blood of Allie West, through his performing and great speed producing daughter, Rachel B 2.28½ the grandam of Baron Almater, Allie West 2.25 was the champion 5 years old stallion of his time and considered the best son of Almont. but died in his sixth year. The few foals re left were highly prized,—and their speed producing descendents are valued more and more—especially by Kentucky breeders. Barbn Almater has the best line from Allie West 2.25.

Back of all this Baron Almater has a cross to William's Mambrino, who sired the dam of that sterling race horse, and sire of game trotters, Santa Claus 2.17½; Ericsson, sire of William's Mambrino, was the champion 4 year old trotter of 1860 and sired the dam of Moquette 2.10 champion 4 years trotter of 1892, Alcantara it will be remembered was the fastest

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Alcantara it will be remembered was the fastest 4 year old of 1880; and George Wilkes the champion trotting stallion from 1868 to 1871.

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We remember well, after a terrible explosion of gunpowder on a barge on the canal, asking the keeper of the giraffes of that day how they had taken it, and he said he was surprised how very little notice they took. They jumped to their feet, but almost at once lay down again when they found nothing happened.

"But," he added, "if I were at nighttime to creep along that gallery in my socks they would be so scared that I believe they would dash themselves to bits."

They fear the lurking foe, and a bing bang scares them less than a faint, rustling sound. They are in that respect very deerlike.

Where are the Skeptics?

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Wonderful. Two sailors noticed that a shark was following their ship. Not knowing how to get rid of it, they threw a chair overboard.

The shark st allowed this, but still follow-

Tee sailors then threw a box of oranges overboard to it.

The shark swallowed this and still followed. The men seemed completely beaten for a moment what to do un'il one of them said that those on board should draw lots for who had to satisfy the shark.

It fell to an old woman. So the sailors tossed her overboard, and the shark ate her at one bite.

This did not content the fish, which still followed. So the sailors harpooned it and dragged it on board. On opening it they found, to their surprise,

the old woman sitting on the chair selling oranges "three a penny."-Pearson's Weekly. Laxa-Liver Pills cure Biliousness, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Water Brash, Sallow Complexion, etc. They do not gripe, weaken or sicken. Small and easy to take. Price 25c.

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"What did you do with them?"

He felt in his pocket and 'presently fished out a little round box. Then a scared look overspread his countenance, and the lady wanted to know what was the matter.

"Did you take any of those complexion pills you asked me to bring home for you?"

"Yes, one," she answered. "Why?" "That was a shoe button. Here are the oills."-Chicago Times-Herald.

Sometimes after getting overheated, there follows a chill, then a severe cold. The quickest and best remedy for the worst kinds of coughs and colds is Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Try it. Price 25c.

Let It Go at That.

One day, in advocating a more liberal loosening of the purse strings at a Methodist conference in Washington, Bishop W. A Candler said that several years ago he sent an article to a paper in which he wrote that "we pray too loud and work too little." The intelligent compositor got in his fine

Italian hand, and when the artical appeared it read, "We bray too loud and work too little"

"I let it go at that." said the bishop. "The fact is, I believe the printer was right, and I never attempted to correct it."

The following appears in the Japan Herald, after the style of Runyard Kipling's 'Bobs" it is headed "Our Joe":-

'E's a sort o' god pro tem, Our Jue; Comes from busy Brummagem, Our Joe;

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