

SHALL HONEYMOONS GO?

A PLEA FOR THE FISHION OF THE WEDDING JOURNEY

The One Time When People Should Enjoy a Holiday—Beginning the Journey of Life Together—Something About the Destiny of the Street Train.

What the dictates of common sense utterly failed to change, the edict of fashion has effected, and the trained gown for street wear has been relegated to the echoing corridors of the past, or to be more exact, the old clothes room or the rag bag; and a very good thing it is.

It is of course very humiliating to reflect that the most ardent and scientific reformers shouted against the trained skirt in clarion tones until they most surely have made their throats sore without the least result, and that just as they were beginning to get a little tired of the subject themselves and had almost resolved to let people dress as they liked, the object of their aversion should die a natural death, but still the fact that so foolish and untidy a fashion is dead at last should be matter enough for rejoicing, no matter how the demise came about.

One by one our most tenderly cherished and fondly prized ideals are being torn from us, and by and by we shall have nothing left to cling to but the hard, cold realities of life unsoftened by one gleam of sentiment or romance!

Now all this ruthless destruction of time-honored traditions is bad enough still we can bear it as long as Christopher Columbus and William the Conqueror are left to us, but when an iconoclast is found with courage enough to come forward and advocate the abolition of the honeymoon we feel that things have gone far enough in the direction of hard fact, versus beautiful romance, and that in the name of the gentle god hymen, as well as for our own sakes we must arise as one man and defend our rights.

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never comes, the cares and responsibilities of life crowd upon the young housekeepers and they do not feel they can spare the time, so the trip is postponed indefinitely and finally dispensed with altogether.

No, no; there is one more cherished reality we must cling to besides Columbus, and William of Normandy; cling to all the more closely, now that it is assailed by writers of our own sex, and cherish as one of our dearest liberties, the chief bulwark of our empire, and that is the honeymoon journey. Arise! oh sisters in the majesty of your power and say that it shall not go.

What becomes of authors' manuscripts? We mean, of course, those which are printed; the others are not worth inquiring about, says an English paper.

In this way "copy" occasionally comes into the market, generally with the most satisfactory results to the vendors. Anything of Goldsmith or Thackeray is eagerly snapped up. The manuscript of Bishop Heber's well-known hymn, "From Greenland's icy mountains," was sold a few months back for £12.

Unfortunately, there is not much chance of getting bargains in authors' manuscripts, for the reason, among others, that America is simply "great" on such things, and can afford to bid high.

Writing With the Left Hand. The number of men who can write legibly with the left hand is very small in this country where the faculty of being ambidextrous is not appreciated at its full worth.

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A missionary among the Indians in Manitoba said, at a gathering not long ago, that he knew a chief whose name was "Man-afraid-of-Nobody."

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In reply to a young writer who wished to know which magazine would give him the highest position quickest, a contemporary advised, "a powder magazine, if you contribute a fiery article."

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What to Avoid in Thunderstorms. If out of doors avoid trees and all elevated objects. If the flash is followed instantly by the report, a recumbent position is the safest.

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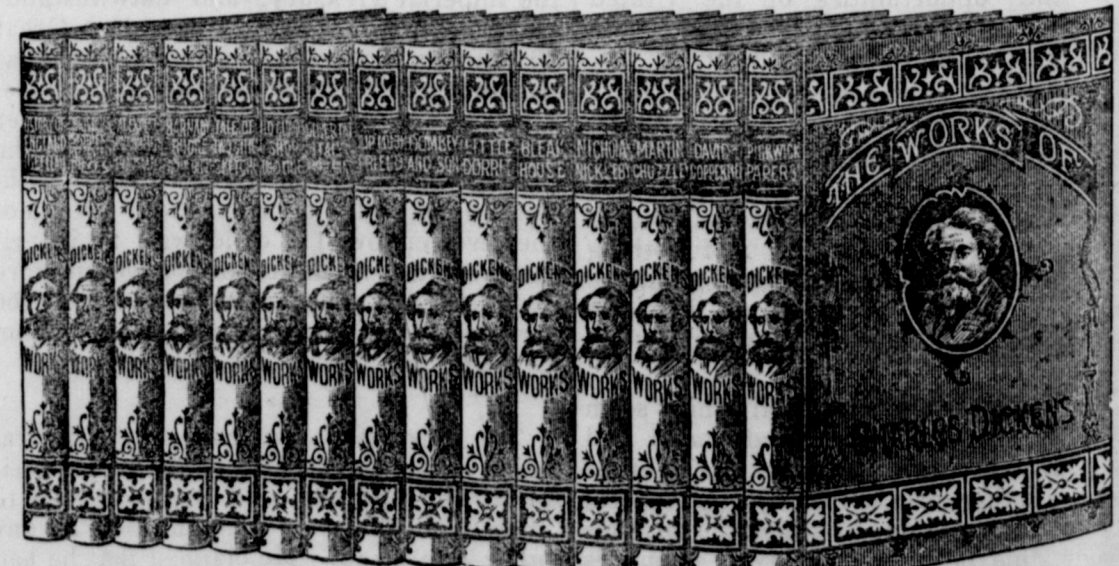
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