

# A PHILANTHROPIST

### The Loyal Alumna and Trustee Makes a New Gift.

### REMEMBERS HER ALMA MATER

Mrs. Sage makes a double contribution to the school already endowed by her husband in appreciation of his wife's early education.

Mrs. Russell Sage, a graduate of the Emma Willard school, is continuing her beneficence to that institution.



MRS. RUSSELL SAGE

at the time of the visit to America of Marquis de Lafayette...

While the school has had a constant career of success during the eight decades...

One of the most beautiful and impressive of these buildings is the Russell Sage Hall...

The trustees of the institution announced recently that, continuing their line of great benevolence...

The only requirement is that the money will be used the same way as the original gift...

#### Cleaning Shiny Sarge.

If anybody could invent a process to remove the shine from a worn coat...

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#### One-half cupful of bran, one and one-half cupful of flour...

## AN ANCIENT CLIFF CITY.

### The Ruins of Its Primitive Dwellings in Walnut Canyon.

Walnut canyon, near Flagstaff, Ariz., contains some of the most interesting ruins on the continent.

It is estimated that there are at least a thousand of these primitive dwellings in the Walnut canyon.

All articles of furniture have been carried away, but there are still traces of a fireplace, and the blackened ceiling tells of its long occupancy.

In small pockets, dug out in the walls and carefully sealed up, are still occasionally found pieces of cloth of hemp and fiber of yucca, corns, squash seeds, beans, etc.—Exchange.

## REAL DOUGHNUTS.

### The Genuine Old Time Cake Never Had a Hole in It.

Why will some persons persist in speaking of the holes in doughnuts? The real, genuine article never had a hole in it.

The doughnut of that period consisted of bread dough raised overnight with hop meal cakes...

"Wonder cakes" were similar, with a little more shortening and sweetening. The dough was rolled about three quarters of an inch thick...

I first remember crullers twisted and with holes when I came to New York in 1854.

#### Why Disease is Caused by Fear.

An eminent medical authority once made the statement that a great deal of contagion is due largely to nervous apprehension and fear.

#### Spanish Meat Balls.

Spanish meat balls are as palatable as they are rare and made thus.

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Any time is the proper time for saying what is just.—Greek proverb.

## PARIS NOTES.

### What the Parisians Are Turning Out For Spring.

What is lost in the width of the new skirts for spring is added to the length in the proportion of a yard to an inch.

Parisian fashions a coat with this "tonneau" or barrel skirt of light gray broadcloth, made with the trimmings of many rows of stitching in a dark shade of gray.

Even coat suits are showing the barrel skirt, and one sponsored by an expert is of checks of blue and white trimmed with Romanan embroidery.

Premet uses this type of skirt in an afternoon frock of two materials. They are joined just below the hips and at this point the skirt is much wider than at the bottom where it is drawn in considerably.

## EMBROIDERY HINTS.

### Designs That Children Love on Their Belongings.

For nursery linings, baby blankets, bibs and pinafores are these delightful animals all friends of small tots.



THE MENAGERIE

#### Hats For Evening.

The editor of the French government that hats and simple gowns must be worn in the evening in public...

#### New Sweaters.

Most of the new sweaters, whether of Angora or of the various yarn weaves, are made to slip over the head.

#### Her Sort.

Allée—What kind of girl has Jack engaged himself to?—Rose—Oh, she's the sort of woman you never dare ask to luncheon for fear she'll stay to dinner.—Exchange.

## SLEPT ON THE MARCH.

### Tired Soldiers Who Actually Walked While They Slumbered.

In an article, "Sleep For the Sleepless," in the World's Work the author quotes an eminent surgeon who made a study of an elite in the French army as follows:

"In the retreat from Mons to the Marne we had an extraordinary human experiment in which several hundred thousand men secured little sleep during nine days and in addition made four marches and fought one of the greatest battles in history."

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## LOOK OUT OF YOUR WINDOW.

### Mayhap You Are Missing a Wonderful Moving Picture Show.

Houses are so common, people are so common, and windows are so common! How rare it is for any one to realize how important it is to stand up and look out of a window!

Out of every window there is almost always a tree in sight somewhere, even in the city. Take note of that tree, with its roots deep in the soil and its branches spreading out into the air...

#### Teamwork on a Battleship.

The problem of naval expansion would not be so hard were it not for the fact that every ship needs such a great number in its crew...

#### The New Paint Box.

Little artist, here is an idea for you. Isn't it troublesome to keep brushes clean when you have to color the little girl's dress blue, her hair brown and her shoes black?

#### Fun on the Ice.

Now is the season for the lovers of winter sports which include all boys and girls and a goodly percentage of grown folks.

#### Waterloo.

Sir Walter Scott once said that the loss of the battle of Waterloo threw half Britain into mourning...

#### Theatrical Note.

"There's no demand for tragedians any more."

#### Arthur's Seat.

What is known as Arthur's Seat is a hill east of Edinburgh, the capital of Scotland.

#### Grief can take care of itself, but to get the full value of a joy you must have somebody to divide it with.—Mark Twain.

## FOR LITTLE FOLKS

### Sleepy Time Story About a Very Interesting Creature.

### HOW A BIRD LIVES IN WINTER.

#### Little Feathered Cold Weather Resident of the Woods Stores Up Food For Hard Times—How Its Nest is Safeguarded Against Attack.

Well, said Uncle Ben to Little Ned and Polly Ann, I am going to tell you about the

### TREE MOUSE.

No doubt you think you can do wonders since you've learned to turn hand springs, Master Ned, but there's a little white-breasted bird that hops about on our trees every morning that can give you or any little boy I know of points in exercising.

The name of the bird? Well, some people call him a tree mouse, and others call him a nutcracker. He is part, bluish gray, part black and part white. He does not look much like a mouse to me, but the way he can run up and down the limbs of trees, hanging now to the underside or running along head downward, makes one think of a fly.

The little nutcracker is one of our winter birds, for he does not leave us when cold weather comes, as so many of our birds do.

Just looking out of one window is a wonderful thing to do. We do it sometimes when there is a big storm raging, and what a sensation we get!

Often when the nutcrackers are in a hurry they forget about this sticky doornut and go fitting carelessly over it so that it catches on their own tails and before they can get loose they have to wrench out some of their feathers.

#### Equine Pedometers.

The whorls of hair on the coats of horses and other animals are natural pedometers, inasmuch as they register the locomotive activities of the animals on whose bodies they are found.

#### Asking Too Much.

George is employed in his father's clothing emporium. On his return from lunch a few days ago his father called him into the office and said "While you were at lunch your folks called to collect a bill. I am surprised and pained, sir, to learn that you are in arrears. Isn't it possible for you to live on your salary?"

#### Sure Enough.

"Yes, sir," said the station master. "Safety first has spread all over the country. And nobody that comes to Beaver Hill will ever get in no accidents for want of warning signs about Jest look at that now!"

#### Advantage of Necks.

"The giraffes and the ostriches are the most forgiving animals in the zoo," remarked the keeper.

#### Unreasonable.

Mr. Fusser—Aren't you nearly ready Mrs. Fusser—I wish you'd stop asking me that question. I've been telling you for the last hour that I'd be ready in a minute!

#### Caustic Advice.

Clara—He says he thinks I'm the nicest girl in town. Shall I ask him to call? Sarah—No, dear, let him keep on thinking so.—Town Topics.

#### Makes For Happiness.

"Are they happily married?" "Very. His lodge night falls on his literary club nights.—Exchange.

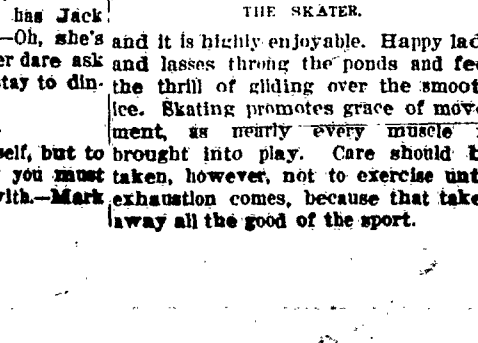


Photo by American Press Association. THE SKATER.

## SHOD WITH SILENCE.

### Big Bull Moose Can Traverse a Thin Forest Without a Sound.

Although taller than an ordinary horse, weighing more than half a ton and adorned with wide spreading antlers, the bull moose stalks with ghostly silence through thickest forests where man can scarcely move without being betrayed by the loud crackling of dry twigs.

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## FLIES FLEE FROM BLUE.

### The Germ Laden Pests Either Fear or Hate That Color.

The Arnie has long known that flies fear or hate the color blue, and that is why the houses in many of their towns are painted in a light blue tint.

In Japan they hang curtains made of beads of blue glass mixed with tubes of painted bamboo at the entrances to butchers' and pastry cooks' shops. These let the air in, and the flies go through the interstices between the beads, but do not re-enter.—New York World.

It is dangerous to walk or stand on these tracks while a train is passing.—Everybody's Magazine.