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QUITE SO

Philip—These motorists seem to think the ordinary pedestrians are beneath them.

Harry—Well, they often are.

Queen Mary's Trousseau.

Queen Mary is following the example set by her mother, the duchess of Teck, who at the time of her daughter's wedding with the present king decreed that for the trousseau "not a yard of cambric or linen, of flannel or tweed, of lace or ribbon should be bought outside the kingdom," and who kept to her word. Queen Mary is having her coronation robes and gowns for court functions as well as the opening of parliament gown made by a British firm of all British material. She has ordered eight dresses so far, and work on them has commenced.—London correspondence New York Sun.

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WASHINGTON GOSSIP

Have Hopes for Lakes-to-Gulf Canal

WASHINGTON.—The fact that congress continues to nurse various projects for artificial waterways may probably be taken to indicate that sooner or later some of these canals will be constructed. The river and harbors bill, as amended by the senate, and as it will probably stand when finally passed, directs the national waterways commission to make a careful study of the advisability and practicability of the proposed canal from Lake Erie, by way of Fort Wayne, or by some other direct and feasible route, to the southern end of Lake Michigan, and of a canal from the Ohio river, at a point near Pittsburg, to Lake Erie. The commission is also directed to look into the feasibility and practicability of a canal to connect the Anacostia river, here at the national capital, with Chesapeake bay, or some tributary of that bay.

In the case of the proposed canal from the Ohio river to Lake Erie, the bill provides that the expense of investigating as to its feasibility and practicability shall be borne by the local interests affected. No such provision is put in with respect to the investigation of the proposed canal connecting Lake Erie with Lake Michigan. By the terms of the new rivers and harbors bill, the waterways commission is to have two years from the 4th of March in which to investigate these projects. In making the investigations the commission is authorized to call upon the engineer corps of the army to furnish data.

Nearly every observer with a large range of vision is convinced that sooner or later, a canal connecting Lake Erie with the lower end of Lake Michigan will be built, and that a canal will eventually connect Lake Erie or Lake Michigan with the Ohio river. Persons who have devoted some study to this subject of artificial waterways are disposed to believe that when the country is ready for a canal connecting the Ohio river with one of the great lakes the demand will be for a canal extending from Lake Michigan, through Indiana to the Ohio river.

There are many reasons for believing that as soon as the Panama canal is completed, the building of artificial waterways here at home will be undertaken on a large scale. It is generally assumed that the lakes-to-the-gulf waterway will be the first of the projects put through.

Uncle Sam Would Have Us Eat Venison

UNCLE JIM WILSON, of the department of agriculture, hoped to put venison, that luxury of the rich, on the table of every citizen in our country, and at a less cost than that of beef. He aims to accomplish this by convincing farmers that they can raise small herds of deer or elk or antelope on land that is at present absolutely valueless and with practically no attention after the start is once made.

In many parts of the country there are tracts of land which can be more profitably used for raising venison than any other purpose.

The propagation of game is as legitimate a business as the growing of beef or mutton, and, according to the department, the producer should be permitted under reasonable regulation to dispose of his product at any time, either for breeding purposes or for food. This some of the state laws now prohibit.

The flesh of young antelope is said to be much superior to ordinary venison. That of mature animals, particularly the males, has a strong flavor; but this may be greatly improved by domestication. A full grown pronghorn weighs from 100 to 125 pounds, and will dress from 65 to 80 pounds.

The deer family stands next to the cattle and sheep family in general utility. The flesh is a valuable food. Venison was more common than beef on the tables of mediæval Europe and was the flesh most commonly eaten by early settlers and frontiersmen in North America. Its dietetic value is enhanced by the fact that it is especially adapted to invalids who require a nourishing, yet easily digested food.

The American elk, with all its claims of attention, is fast disappearing from the earth, with scarcely an effort for its preservation or domestication, the department declares. By domestication it does not mean simply taming, but a course of intelligent breeding and protection. A series of experiments has furnished the scientists with sufficient evidence to say confidently that this business may become of great importance to the country.

Men Hold Trump Card in Social Game

THERE is a story abroad in Washington, whether true or not, that the pampered men of the capital go about accepting invitations and then at the last moment turn a flipflap if they get a card from a hostess where there is apt to be more fun going on. Anyway, it is the men of Washington who hold all the trump cards in the social game, as one may infer from this declaration of a dashing young American baroness who left here not a great while ago:

"Sorry to go to Turkey? Sorry to set up housekeeping for constantinople? Not a bit of it. Why, my dear, things will be changed completely. Over there I will not have the delirium fidgets wondering whether I'll have men enough to go around if I give a dance or a dinner—no, indeed, it will be just the other way about. I'll be picking and choosing, and each dear man will be fidgeting properly as to whether I'll choose him or his brother. Turkey for me! The men here are spoiled foolish. To be sure, you have enough of 'em and to spare; the only trouble is if they are so generally willing to consult their own convenience without regard to the anxiety they cause the women who entertain."

This baroness explained the reputation of scaring the wits out of the other ladies who were contemplating dinners or dances.

"For pity's sake," they used to wail, "does anybody know if the Baroness Blank has any notion of doing anything such and such a night? If she has, away will flock the men to her side—it will never do to pick the night she hits upon for any of her doings."

Therefore, putting two and two together, the baroness' departure was not accompanied with more grief than one could weep for—even though she did do things up so beautifully, and besides was a very kind and considerate personage when the debutantes and near-debutantes were concerned.

Increase in Our Foreign Criminals

THIS is the land of the free and the home of the brave. It is the haven of the down-trodden and the hope of the oppressed. It is the asylum of the homeless and the opportunity of the willing. Millions in overcrowded Europe cast longing eyes hither and annually hundreds of thousands succeed in reaching our shores. We have room for them. There are work and opportunity here for each of them—if they are of the right sort. Our broad acres and our prosperous cities can care for another hundred millions as easily as they support those who are here. All we ask is that they be earnest in the desire to be good Americans capable of self-support, healthy of mind and body.

But, unfortunately, in our generous hospitality, we are imposed upon. This great country of ours in fairness to ourselves should not be made the dumping ground of the mentally incompetent, the physically incapable, the morally perverted, and against these objectionables the barriers should be made higher and more nearly impenetrable.

We try at Ellis Island to maintain some sort of supervision of immigration and we do turn back many whose presence among us would be a danger and a burden. But we should go further than this.

What stronger object lesson of the necessity for careful espionage on immigration do we need than the report of the New York state superintendent of prisons, Cornelius V. Collins? He tells us that, notwithstanding the growth of the parole system, our prison population is increasing rapidly; that our state prisons are shockingly overcrowded, and that—here's the point—more than 54 per cent. of this prison increase is directly traceable to the trend of foreign criminals to the United States.

Our government can do nothing more beneficial to the country than to prevent the incoming of foreigners of criminal record or tendency.

NOT ACCORDING TO PROGRAM

Practical Joker Meant to Abolish His Wife, and Doubtless He Did.

When the first shipment of frozen eggs arrived from Australia their extreme hardness astonished the brokers.

One man, calling at a broker's office, was amazed to see him taking aim at the wall with an egg.

"What the dickens are you at?" he said.

But the broker let drive, the only result being a slight dent in the wall. The thing being explained, the man took a couple of the eggs, put them in his pocket, and left to startle his wife. Arriving home, he waited till the family was assembled for dinner, and then banged an egg at the new dado.

But the smile quickly faded from his face. The egg had thawed.—London Tit-Bits.

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She—Do you expect me to believe that?

He—I do. I swear it is true.

She—Then I believe you. Any man who would expect a woman to believe that cannot have been much in the company of women.

Woman as Bank Cashier.

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