

AN AVERTED TRAGEDY. A Serious Situation That Was Very Happily Turned to a Comical One.

"When my husband and I were traveling in Italy last summer," said the lady in blue, whose suit case was covered with foreign labels, according to the New York Times, "I had an experience which, while it seems laughable now, nothing on earth would induce me to repeat.

REVIVING DROWNED. Tests Made in Germany to Discover Best Method of Resuscitation.

German Royal Medical Society Makes Elaborate Experiments - Ten Methods Are Employed with Varying Results.

AFRICAN DIAMOND THIEVES. Shrewd and Daring Tricks Employed in Perpetrating Precious Stones from Kimberley Mines.

For many years the owners of the great South African diamond fields have been pitting their brains and ingenuity against the shrewdness and daring of the men employed by them in order to prevent the theft of diamonds, says the Chicago Inter Ocean.

STUDY OF SUICIDES. Prof. Bailey, of Yale, Gives a New View of Self-Destruction.

Carefully Compiled Statistics Show 29,344 Cases in the United States in the Period from 1897 to 1901.

Table with 4 columns: Method, Total, Males, Females. Rows include Shooting, Hanging, Poisoning, Drowning, etc.

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SHOPPING IN CUBA. Like Their Sisters in Other Countries, the Women Here Enjoy a Visit to the Stores.

The average woman is in her glory when she goes shopping. It is an occupation for which nature seems to have peculiarly fitted her and in every country on the face of the globe women are never happier than when exploring the contents of the shops.

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ANALYSES OF WATER. United States Geological Survey Engaged in Important Work.

In the examination of the water resources of the United States, one of the most important features is the determination of the character of ground and surface waters. The essential characteristics of waters that are now or that at some time in the future may be used for domestic supply or in locomotive boilers are little known.

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FURNITURE MADE OF IRON. Tubular Tables and Bedsteads Have Become Popular in Germany.

Among the various uses to which iron, steel and brass tubing are applied in Germany," says Consul General Mason, at Berlin, "one of the most modern and important is the manufacture of furniture, especially bedsteads, chairs and tables for household, hospital and military purposes.

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WAR ON PSYCHIC HUMBUGS. Germany Seeks to Drive Out of the Country Professors of the Occult.

Germany is carrying on a vigorous campaign of prosecution against faith curists, mediums, clairvoyants, hypnotists, and the like, who are denounced as swindlers. The latest is the case of a woman in Moravia, Saxony, named Louise Eyzner, who interested a whole district by her tales of the spirit world.

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