

Statistics for Girls.

A young English statistician who was paying court to a young lady, thought to surprise her with his immense erudition. Producing his notebook she thought he was about to indite a love sonnet, but was slightly taken aback on the following question: "How many meals do you eat a day?"

"Why three, of course; but of all the oddest questions!" "Never mind, dear, I'll tell you all about it in a moment."

His pencil was rapid at work. At last, fondly clasping her slender waist: "Now, my darling, I've got it and if you wish to know how much has passed through that adorable little mouth in the last seventeen years I can give you the exact figures."

"Goodness gracious! What can you mean?" "Now, just listen," says he, "and you will hear exactly what you have been obliged to absorb to maintain those charms which are to make the happiness of my life."

"But I don't want to hear." "Ah, you are surprised, no doubt, but statistics are wonderful things." "Just listen: You are now seventeen years old, so that in fifteen years you have absorbed oxen or calves, 5; sheep or lambs, 14; chickens, 327; ducks, 204; geese, 12; turkeys, 100; game of various kinds, 824; fishes, 160; eggs, 3,420; vegetables (bunches), 700; fruit (baskets), 603; cheese, 103; bread, cake &c., (in sacks of flour), 40; wine (barrels), 11; water (gallons), 3,000."

At this the maiden revolted, and jumping up exclaimed:—"I think you are very impertinent, and disgusting besides, and I will not stay to listen to you!"

He gazed after her with an abstracted air, and left saying to himself: "If she kept talking at that rate twelve hours out of twenty-four, her jaws would in twenty years, travel at a distance of 1,332,124 miles."

The maiden, within two months, married a well-to-do grocer, who was no statistician.

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ALL that tract, piece and parcel of land being the southern half of Town Lot Number Sixty-five in the third hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown, bounded as follows, that is to say: commencing at West Street, at the North-west corner of Town Lot number fifteen in the third hundred of Town Lots aforesaid; thence east along the northern boundary of said Town Lot number fifteen eighty-four feet or thereabouts to Town Lot number sixty-six in the said third hundred of Town Lots; thence north along the western boundary of said Town Lot number sixty-six eighty feet; thence at right angles therewith eighty-four feet or thereabouts to West Street aforesaid; thence south along the eastern side of West Street to the place of commencement, together with all houses, buildings, rights, members and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

The above sale is made pursuant to the Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage dated the sixteenth day of October, A. D. 1875, and made between Samuel New worthy Earle and Esther Julia Earle his wife of the one part, and Thomas Heath Haviland, of the other part.

For further particulars, apply at the office of Eustace H. Haviland, Solicitor, Charlottetown.

Dated this 25th day of February, A. D. 1882. T. HEATH HAVILAND, Mortgages [fe 27 law till sale] mon

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THE Charlottetown Gas Light Company have imported some of "Bray's Burners," which they will supply and fit on Gas Brackets, etc., at a moderate cost to consumers.

These Burners are reported to be the best Flat Flame Burner yet produced, and will give a far greater amount of light than any other burner with the same consumption of Gas.

Dr. Wallace, F. R. S. E., F. C. S., Gas Examiner to the City of Glasgow, in a lecture delivered by him, calculated that 4120,000 (\$650,000) a year are thrown away in Glasgow by the use of imperfect fittings. On the subject of Gas Burners he says: "Another and as I think a better burner is that called Bray's regulator, and as I consider these the best union burners attainable at moderate cost, I have selected them for a series of experiments."

The report of the Committee of the British Association of Science to enquire as to the best means for the development of light from Coal Gas of different qualities—comprising Dr. William Wallace, Professor Dittmar, and Mr. Thomas Wills, F. C. S., F. I. C. E., showed that Bray's burner yielded the greatest amount of light of all the two or three scores of burners reported upon, which included all the burners of repute in the market.

In a pamphlet upon Light and Heat, published by R. B. Taber, A. M., he says: "The cost of Gas as compared with other illuminants is much more economical when rightly used, than many suppose. From experiments made for this purpose, the following results have been obtained. They were made by burning samples of Devco's Brilliant Oil and ordinary Oil, and testing their illuminating power. It was found that Coal Gas costing one cent at \$3 per thousand feet, gave a light equal to 18 candles, while Devco's Brilliant Oil consuming 27.4 grammes costing half a cent, gave a light equal to 9 candles."

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