

The Last Words of Funston OR 'HOW DELIGHTFUL IT IS!'

By Henry Polk Lowenstein

How delightful it is to do one's duty well; How delightful it is in the House of God to dwell...

Listening to the orchestra playing a beautiful waltz in the hotel where he was stopping in San Antonio, Texas, General Funston, speaking to a little girl nearby, said 'How delightful it is!'

TWO MEN CREMATED

Ernest Davis and Charles Nickels Lose Their Lives at Coral Corners

TRAPPED IN A BURNING BARN

Fire on Dan Brown's Place Early Monday Morning—Brown Badly Burned

Ernest Davis, aged 36, and Charles Nickels, aged 41, were burned to death Monday at 2:00 a. m. in a barn on the Dan Brown place, at Coral Corners...

THE NEGRO'S SKULL

Operation at Sycamore Proves Truth of Old Theory

That there is some truth in the theory regarding the lasting qualities of a colored gentleman's head, is absolutely proven by the following story clipped from the Sycamore True Republican...

Dundee Paper Gives up Ghost

The Dundee Hawkeye, after being published for twenty-seven years, has suspended publication, leaving Dundee without a paper...

To Punish Trespassing

The Connecticut legislature has passed a law to punish trespassing more severely. It is an amendment to Chapter 202 of the Acts of 1905...

FIRE AT BELVIDERE

Wylde's Livery Stable Burns With Loss of \$6,000.00

The Wylde livery barns at Belvidere, including automobile livery, were wiped out by flames Thursday noon, the loss being estimated at probably \$6,000...

BORDERS MAKE A CHANGE

Organize Farm Products Company as Separate Institution

The fluid milk business of Borden's Condensed Milk Co., heretofore conducted as Borden's farm products division, has been taken over by the newly organized Borden's Farm Products Company, Inc.

City Treasurer's Report

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Genoa, Ill. Gentlemen: I herewith submit for your approval and acceptance my report of all monies paid out and received by me as City Treasurer of Genoa, Illinois, for the fiscal year ending April 30, 1917.

Table with columns for RECEIPTS (Cash on hand, Fines, Licenses, Taxes) and DISBURSMENTS (Streets and Walks, Bond Issue, Special Sewer Assessment, etc.)

LIBERTY LOAN BOND

Do You Know the Nature of these Bonds? Ask the Banker

HONOR OF U. S. IS SECURITY Every Bond is as Good as a Gold Certificate and Non-taxable

Why 'Liberty Loan'? The \$5,000,000,000 bond issue of this year is named 'The Liberty Loan of 1917' because it is to be a loan from a free people to be used in freeing the world...

The faith and honor of the United States, backed by all the resources of the Nation and the American people. A Liberty Loan Bond is a mortgage on all the resources and taxing powers of the Government...

There are two kinds of Liberty Loan Bonds. Bearer Bonds are to be issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, and \$1,000. These Bearer Bonds, which are made payable to bearer, have interest coupons attached which are detached by the holder when the interest installments they represent are due...

Draft Registration Instructions

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SYCAMORE GETS BAND

Famous Organization is Lost to the Barb City

DeKalb Republican: Sycamore gets the Third Regiment Band. Details are all complete and will be signed up in a day or so, whereby Sycamore will have the Third Regiment Band that made such a great reputation on the border last summer...

'GREEN STOCKINGS'

To be Presented by Seniors at Auditorium Tuesday, June 5

The Senior Class of Genoa high school will present on Tuesday evening, June 5, 'Green Stockings,' the work of the celebrated English dramatist, A. E. W. Mason. 'Green Stockings' was played four years ago in the leading theatres of the country with Margaret Anglin, the famous actress, in the title role...

A PATRIOTIC ORDER

Mystic Workers will Protect Members that Enlist in Army

Soldier boys who are members of the Mystic Workers will be protected in their membership and insurance, provisions having been made at a special session of the board of directors to practically waive the laws of the order which makes military service a prohibitive occupation...

Our Volunteers

The roster of the Genoa and Kingston volunteers will be published in The Republican-Journal until the end of the war. If any names are omitted, readers will confer a favor by calling attention to the fact. Up to the present time the following have enlisted: Third Regiment, I. N. G.—Clarence Crawford, Otto Dralle, Roy Abraham, George Goding, Allen Patterson, Paul Miller, Ralph Orr, Wm. Sullivan, Robert Westover, Frank Hoffman, George Mattox, 17th Cavalry—Clarence Eiklor, Carl Bauman, Artillery, Battery C—Charles C. Schoonmaker, Assignment unknown—Dillon Patterson, Navy—Ernest Fulcher, War secretary of Y. M. C. A. at Great Lakes Naval Training Station Benjamin Pierce

Women in Industry

Major-General Wood says that women can afford the most aid to their country in this war by joining the American Red Cross and by performing such work in the industries as they are suitable for and thus releasing men for the battle lines.

Butter up One Cent

Butter went up a cent on the Elgin board of trade Saturday. One hundred tubs were sold at thirty-eight cents. Two weeks ago the price was set at that figure, but last Saturday a drop of a cent was registered.

Dustin Farnum in 'Captain Courtesy'

Dustin Farnum in 'Captain Courtesy' Monday, May 28. Grand theatre.

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There's an exclusive touch to Taylor-made Clothes that appeals particularly to the lover of selectness. We are now showing a complete display of the latest Metropolitan dress ideas for spring and summer wear.

F. O. HOLTGREN

With a Torch on His Nose. Of all the luminous varieties of fish the torchfish is one of the most unique. Upon its nose erect upon a short stem, it has a small organ which is phosphorescent. This the fish has the power to make glow at will.

The Commonest Generosity. Some men are not only eager to give the devil his due, but they insist on adding a fat bonus. It is the Lord who usually finds collections poor.

To Cure a Cold. Remove the seeds of one medium-size grapefruit, put the pulp into one quart of cold water, and boil slowly until it is reduced to one pint. Strain and sweeten to taste. Drink one-half the quantity hot just after retiring at night and the remainder cold in the morning. Repeat the second night if necessary.

Eight Points of Law. The eight points of law are, according to an old saying attributed to Mr. Selwyn, a former candidate for the chancery of the city of London: 1, a good cause; 2, a good purse; 3, an honest and skillful attorney; 4, good evidence; 5, able counsel; 6, an upright judge; 7, an intelligent jury; 8, good luck.

PURELY PERSONAL

Tom Abraham was home from Rockford over Sunday. Mrs. Margaret Rowe was a DeKalb visitor last Friday. Bryce Smith of Earlville was here the first of the week. David Baal of Dubuque, Iowa, was a Genoa visitor last week. Mrs. Edna Eells and John Bunn were Elgin visitors Sunday. Wm. Hayes of Chicago called on Genoa friends over Sunday. J. A. Patterson took the soldier boys over to DeKalb Monday evening. Mrs. Ben Awe, Jr. and Mrs. Harvey Peterson motored to Elgin Friday. Captain W. E. Hemenway of Sycamore was a Genoa caller Friday. J. R. Kiernan and son, L. J., made a business trip to Sterling Friday. W. Bender and George White were home from Woodstock over Sunday. W. W. Cooper and Lee Wyde attended a horse sale in Chicago Monday. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brown saw "Step to the Right" in Chicago Saturday. Mrs. Elizabeth Stiles is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Schaffer, of Sycamore. C. Tuft, hide buyer, of Janesville, Wis., transacted business here last week. Miss Gladys Greeley spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother in DeKalb. Arthur Dunham was called to Belvidere last week by the death of his mother. L. Welch and Clifford Haller of Kirkland called on Genoa friends Sunday. Mrs. S. Abraham is spending the week at the home of her son, Fred, in Hinsdale. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stanley and Mrs. George Evans motored to Chicago Saturday. Rev. Fr. Reedy of Rockford was a guest of Fr. O'Brien on Monday of this week. Allen Patterson is visiting his aunt, Mrs. C. G. Scudder, in Chicago for a few days. John E. Gormley of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with his sons, Louis, Richard and John. J. A. Patterson made a business trip to Chicago and Paxton on Wednesday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Engle and Mrs. Carrie Peterson visited relatives in DeKalb Sunday. Mrs. C. C. Ellis visited her daughter, Mrs. John Keating, in Chicago Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Carrie Peterson visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Peterson several days last week. Miss June Hammond of DeKalb Normal spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks. Mayor Jas. J. Hammond transacted business in Janesville, Wis., on Friday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Geithman are entertaining the latter's parents of Rockford this week. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Parker entertained Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Shrader of Kingston on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence J. Kiernan have as their guest this week, Miss Mabel Powers of Elgin. Sidney Burroughs is now working on the Hawthorne farm in Lake Co., owned by Samuel Insull. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell entertained Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knott of Holcomb over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kiernan and Mrs. Margaret Rowe motored to Rockford last of the week. C. M. Pritchard of DeKalb was in Genoa last Friday and called at The Republican Journal office. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dean of Rockford spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Parker. Misses Frances Dunn and Myrtle Larson were week end visitors of the latter's parents in DeKalb. Mrs. Cora Snyder of Maple Park and Mrs. A. B. Hummel visited Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Mohler over Sunday. Miss Marion Bagley is home from Fairdale for the summer. Her school closed last Tuesday afternoon. Several from Genoa attended the basket social given by the Willowdale school at Fairdale, Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Helland and Mr. and Mrs. Gough of Belvidere called on Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wager Sunday. Miss Sadie Olmstead of Chicago was a Sunday guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Olmstead. Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hemenway were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Evans in Charter Grove. Mr. and Mrs. James Bates and Jack Smith of Rockford spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bates. Mr. and Mrs. E. Chapman and Miss Pearl Chapman attended the funeral of Mrs. C. L. Dunham at Belvidere last Friday.

H. B. Downing and Miss Osla Downing were guests of the former's daughters in Chicago from Friday until Sunday. Miss Vyna Downing and John Albion were week end guests at the home of the former's brother, John, in Beloit, Wis. Misses Grace and Ideena Vandresser with Mrs. P. Thorworth and Vern Geithman, motored to Rockford last Thursday. Mrs. Verde Patterson of Elgin is visiting relatives and friends in this city. She expects to remain for several weeks. Paul Prutzman of Shannon is now stationed at Port Royal, S. C. with the marine corps. Jas. Prutzman of this city is a brother. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Goding entertained the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kennedy, of Byron on Tuesday of this week. Misses Margaret Hutchison and Madeline Larson were in Ottawa over the week end, guests of the former's sister, Mrs. C. A. Briggs. Mrs. C. A. Patterson, Mrs. Roy Beardsley, Mrs. L. J. Kiernan and Miss Mabel Powers motored to Elgin on Thursday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. George Brungart of Rockford were week end visitors at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schmidt, Sr. Mrs. L. E. Thus of Wheatland, Wyo., was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Virginia Wilcox, and other relatives several days last week. Mrs. L. J. Kiernan and daughter, Margaret Jane, were guests at a one o'clock luncheon given by Mrs. T. McCauley in Elgin last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. S. Abraham entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. Brumm of Forest Park over Sunday. Mrs. Brumm and Mrs. Abraham are cousins. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kiernan motored to Kenosha, Wis., Saturday where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dunn, returning to Genoa Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Geithman and daughter, Cecile, with Mrs. Geithman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Munger, of Rockford, motored to Earlville Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scherf, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Scherf and son, Jack, motored to Harmony Sunday where they were guests at the Henry Berchart home. Miss Blanche Fredericksen spent the week end with Elgin relatives. She was accompanied home by her brother, Albert, who remained until Monday. Mrs. Ida Cooksey and son, Donald, of Bradford are guests at the home of Miss Blanche R. Patterson. Mrs. Cooksey will be remembered as Miss Ida Ketchum. Mrs. John Canavan spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Peterson, in Sycamore. The latter, who has been ill for the past three months, is improving slowly. Mr. and Mrs. Orson Shaw and sons, Kenneth and Orson, Jr., were week end visitors at the K. Shipman home. Mr. and Mrs. Shipman motored to Elgin with them Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Harlow and son, Stiles, Mr. and Mrs. R. Sternberg and son, Harlow, and Frank Olmsted motored to Dundee Sunday, where they were guests of Mr. Sternberg's parents. Mrs. John Hutchison and daughter, Margaret, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Field and other relatives for several days, left for their home in Elkhart, Ind., last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. V. S. McNitt and son, Junior, accompanied by Mrs. Roy Beardsley, motored to Elgin Saturday. The latter remained as a guest at the home of her mother, Mrs. Evelyn Bidwell, over Sunday. Mrs. Wm. Burke and Mrs. Leon Burke of Elgin were Sunday guests at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. F. O. Swan. On Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Swan motored to Elgin with their guests. On Wednesday E. W. Brown received a letter from Carl Bauman, one of our boys who has enlisted in the U. S. service. He is stationed at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, 13th Recruit Company. Mrs. Henry Leonard, as delegate for the Della Rebekah lodge, accompanied by Mrs. Fred Wells and Mrs. S. H. Matteson, attended the annual Rebekah Assembly at West Chicago last Saturday. The latter acted as supporter to the state vice president during the session. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Todd of Chicago were guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corson, over Sunday. On Sunday evening Mr. Todd left for Omaha on business, being accompanied as far as Elgin by Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corson, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Corson and Mrs. Todd. Mr. Todd, who was formerly a lieutenant in the U. S. army has received an honorable discharge.

The Transformation. After the hero of seventeen looks at the heroine of fifteen she is a different person. Before he looks at her she likes the fine brick houses in the neighborhood. In fact, she sees many elegant houses in town that she thinks would make ideal homes. Unlike her mother, she even likes the house in which the family lives. But after the hero looks at her you couldn't give her a big brick house. To her such places look cold, and she hardly would take one of them as a gift. But she just worships every little four and five room cottage she sees. They look so cute and neat and dear and sweet and cozy and snug. Oh, if she could just have a house like that and a hero like him— he is the only one there is of his kind—she would be just too happy for anything! And she would make fudge and have a regular home, only it would be far happier than other homes.—Claude Callan in Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

What Thrift Means. Thrift is positively essential to success, and every American wants to be successful. A man should put his own name on his list of creditors. He should cut down his expenditures 10 per cent and pay that amount to himself. Any business should pay 10 per cent, and a man should consider himself a business proposition which should pay dividends. When he begins to see this he will become thrifty. It has been estimated that if a man who begins to work at the age of twenty on a salary of \$50 a month and receives an increase of \$5 each year for forty years will save 10 per cent of his salary and invest it wisely or put it in a savings bank at compound interest, at the end of that time he will be financially independent and can retire with a comfortable income.
Tragedy of Being Dull. In the Woman's Home Companion Arnold Bennett describes the tragedy of being dull: "The man lacking imagination is the utterly matter of fact man. He is necessarily the man who never has and cannot have any point of view except his own. He is the Wordsworthian man to whom a primrose by the river's brim was strictly a yellow primrose instead of being a miracle. He is imprisoned in what to him is the actual, and he is always the exact center of the prison, which is of thickest iron. His tragedy is that he does not suspect and is incapable of suspecting that he is in prison at all and that the prison walls and floor and roof entirely prevent him from really 'getting at' any other human being whatsoever. He is always in his own place. This is the deep meaning of dullness, and this is the dull man's doom."
Potatoes as a Food. At high prices the potato is not a good food; it is not at any price one of the best. Civilized humanity existed without it for centuries, rising to its zenith in a potatoless old world. Habit and convenience in storage have led to its use.
How a Bullet Falls. In order to solve the problem a special stand was erected in Germany, and experiments were carried on along the shores of a lake the surface of which was frozen. The ice was covered with strong planks. It was shown that an infantry bullet shot upward in a vertical direction passes downward in the same position in which it passed upward. In other words, it came back to the earth with its bottom first. Why was it not upset at its culmination point? The answer is that the propelling force ceases to act at the culmination point, but the twist has as yet not stopped, and therefore it starts its fall with a twist. Even on impact the twist has not stopped, as was indicated by the warping of the wood fibers in the planking on the ice.—Popular Science Monthly.
Where the Five Points Was. The Five Points, once a most dangerous part of the New York slums, is now the site of Paradise park. It is at the crossing of Worth, Baxter and Park streets, near the junction of Park row and the New Bowery and Chatham square and practically adjoining Mulberry bend. In 1740 fourteen negroes were burned here during the negro insurrection. Here the Dead Rabbits had their headquarters and fought the Bowery Boys. The Seventh regiment was called out July 3, 1857, to quell a riot here. The Five Points mission was incorporated in 1850.
Shrewd. The manager, writing out the announcement of his show, ended with these words: "The patronage of children under eighteen is not encouraged." "That," he remarked shrewdly, "will appeal to the children over eighteen!"—New York Post.
Hard on the Records. Freshman (in awed voice)—See that big fellow over there? He broke three records last week. Sweet Young Thing—Mercy, I wouldn't let him run the phonograph!—Penn State Froth.
Blindfolded. If blindfolded, it is said, no person is able to stand five minutes without moving.
PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT. Restrain a Cough. A patient German statistician has calculated that a patient who coughs once every quarter of an hour for ten hours expends energy equivalent to 250 units of heat, which may be translated as equivalent to the nourishment contained in three eggs or two glasses of milk. In normal respiration the air is expelled from the chest at the rate of four feet per second, whereas in violent coughing it may attain a velocity of 300 feet. This waste of energy is especially important because it occurs for the most part in persons whose assimilative functions are already working under difficulties; consequently the ingestion of the corresponding quantity of nourishment by no means compensates for the exertion. It follows that persistent cough is per se a cause of emaciation, though there are many other factors which tend in the same direction; hence the desirability of restraining cough within safe limits, especially when it is due to irritative reflexes, such as are excited by laryngitis and pharyngitis.—Medical Critic and Guide.

Seemed All Right. "Bobbie, your face wants washing. Did you look at it in the glass this morning?" "No, mother, but it seemed all right when I felt it."—New York Sun.

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINTS. Sore Throat. The most frequent cause of distress or discomfort in the throat is exposure to cold and wet. Other conditions cause sore throat, such as exposure to infection. It may be of gouty or rheumatic origin. It may be excited by local irritants, such as hot drinks or the inhalation of noxious gases. In mild cases of sore throat a gargle of a saturated solution of boracic acid, used every four hours, will give relief. In severe cases the application to the neck of cloths wrung out of cold water proves grateful. Sucking small bits of ice affords much relief. Internal treatment is needed. For this a selditz powder is very useful or a dose of salts upon rising in the morning. If, however, there is any fever or the tonsils are red and swollen or show tiny yellow or white spots on their surface, send as soon as possible for a physician. Heredity. "Father!" "Well, son, what is it now?" "I want to ask you an important question." "Fire ahead, boy; I shan't be offended at what you ask." "Thank you. I want to ask why you are so old fashioned in your ideas?" "I suppose it's heredity. I remember asking my own father that very same question."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.
Missed the Point. Weary Wagglies—Why shouldn't I get a hero medal? Didn't I jump into the water and rescue a child? Secretary (medal association)—But the water was only three feet deep. Weary Wagglies—Wot of dat! Water is water!—Exchange.
Similar Tastes. A French lady recently married because the bridegroom's taste and hers were similar. "I don't care very much for him, and he doesn't care very much for me," she explained.—London Opinion.
Truth and Love. The golden beams of truth and the silken cords of love twisted together will draw men on with a sweet violence, whether they will or not.—Cudworth.

SPECIAL Sweeper Sale Saturday May 26 This famous \$3.00 sanitary sweeper on sale Saturday, at \$1.34 Handle highly polished maple-wood, full length, sanitary steel case, made of cold rolled steel, baked enamel, beautiful mahogany finish, pure rubber tires that will not check, crack, nor come off the wheels, nickle plated steel bale and end caps. Good furniture protector all around the sweeper, keeps from injuring the finest furniture. Automatic Dump Lever for Dust Pans Brush made of genuine bristles, full sweeper length, will last for years. Last but not least in importance is its convenient size and weight, easy to carry from room to room and small enough to sweep under the lowest piece of furniture with ease. SALE COMMENCES AT Nine O'clock, a. m. Sharp, Saturday, May 26 STRICTLY CASH. NO PHONE ORDERS See them on display in our show window S. S. SLATER & SON FURNITURE DEALERS AND UNDERTAKERS DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE ONLY THE HOME OF SERVICE AND QUALITY FURNITURE

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By C. D. Schoonmaker



"Our country!" In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong.—Stephen Decatur.

There is a weekly paper published in Chicago, named "The Republican." It is Republican in name only, altho it pretends to convey Republican policies. Were this paper printed with red ink and then the entire edition destroyed before it could reach the true patriots of the country, the real Republicans would not feel so much like hiding their heads in shame. In the last edition of this "Republican" paper the following head lines appear: "What are America's Aims, Objects and Terms of Peace?" "Why are We at War?—How did We Get In and How Will We Get Out?" The Republican wants to know how we can get out. There is only one answer and if the editor of that sheet cared to investigate he would realize that there is only one way to "get out" and that is by fighting like h-l. Our soldiers must fight on the firing line and those at home must put up another fight of maintenance. It should not, however, be necessary for us to fight such rags as The Republican. "How did we get in?" Such a question could only come from a man who is seeking popularity, but who really is heaping up notoriety for himself that will eventually mean oblivion. The United States kept out of this war as long as it could with anything like honor as a nation. We are in for it and must burn all bridges behind us, never faltering until victory shall crown the stars and stripes. If The Republican has any suggestions to make as to future actions of congress, all well and good—but it has really forfeited all claim to rights as a "molder of public opinion."

B. M. Davison, secretary of the state board of agriculture, announces that the Illinois State Fair will be held as usual this year, in spite of reports to the contrary. This is as it should be. There should be no let up in any of the movements that lead to better industrial conditions, more especially that of agriculture. Mr. Davison promises that the fair will be bigger and better than ever this year. The war and all that war means will lead to more intensified and better farming and there is no place on earth that the agriculturists can get more information in a short time than at one of the great state fairs.

If our young men are willing to offer their lives for their country, surely we who remain at home can at least join the Red Cross. Think of this when approached by a solicitor. Every dollar paid in to the Red Cross and all work done for the Red Cross means comfort for the boys at the front.

The Average Way.
One trouble with the country is the way so many of our young men feel that there's no chance to get to the top in this era of combination, consolidation and big business, and so contentedly settle down to do as little work as possible.—Ohio State Journal.

Copper in Ancient Days.
Copper, among the ancient Hebrews, was used in making helmets, spears and other implements of war. The expression "bow of steel," found in Job, should be rendered "bow of copper." Copper could not have been applied to these uses without the artisans possessing some forgotten secret for rendering the metal harder and more elastic than we can make it today.

Precious Balm of Gilead.
Among the ancient Jews, so indispensable were scents considered for the bridal toilet that one-fourth of the bridal dowry was set apart for their purchase. The famous balm of Gilead was distilled from a bush which formerly covered the mountains of Gilead, but has of late become so scarce that only the sultan can be supplied.

Scents in Ancient Egypt.
Egypt was a great market for all kinds of perfumes. Women made themselves beautiful through the use of essences, and guests were received in chambers strewn with flowers. Even the dead were not forgotten, for the embalmed mummy was saturated with perfumes and spices, and sweet scents were burned before their statues. Those who could not afford this painted scented bottles on their tombs.

WHAT ILLINOIS EDITORS SAY

LaSalle Tribune: Another practical patriot is Col. Lewis, inventor of the Lewis machine gun. He has waived his rights to royalties on orders from the United States government. It means a gift of millions to the nation.

Streator Free Press: Eat what you can and can what you can't eat, is a splendid suggestion for those who raise gardens. Heretofore people have largely used their gardens for summer vegetables, and when frost came half or more of the garden was lost. If the people will can the surplus from their gardens it will help amazingly to solve the problem for next winter's food supply.

Geneva Republican: There is something more destructive than war, after all. In all the known wars of history, since 500 B. C., the total number of killed and wounded was 2,800,000, of which number but 700,000 were actually killed. Alcohol is killing off as many Americans every year as all the wars of the world have killed in battle in 2,300 years. Applied to the whole white race these figures show that alcohol is today 10,000 times more destructive than war.

Kendall Co. News: It is a question, with many thousands of people who are really desirous of displaying their loyalty to the United States at this time, whether they are serving any good purpose in accepting dictation, as to how their loyalty shall be displayed, from every theatrical and picture show manager who makes merchandise out of the National Flag and the National Anthem. There is such a thing as inspirational patriotism, there is such a thing as good taste, and there is also such a thing as sanity, and the three should go together. When they do together the National Flag and the National Anthem are exalted, not cheapened.

Hinckley Review: On solution of the "meat shortage" will be solved the "meat shortage" will be solved it a criminal offense to kill and ship young lambs, young pigs, and veal to the market. We can just as well learn to eat matured meat as to maintain this extravagant appetite for young flesh.

Elgin News: The talk of peace at the present time is out of place. There can be no such a thing until the last vestige of autocracy is driven out of Europe. If peace were concluded before it was completely rooted out, it would simply rear its head and at some future time again set the world on fire. In that case all the blood and money spent in the war thus far will have been in vain. And that can not be. The free nations have pledged themselves together to wipe out autocracy and they must see it through to the end in justice to those who have suffered and died as well as those who will come after us.

Harvard Herald: It is expected that the judges and clerks who have been serving at elections in Harvard will show their patriotism by making no charge for their work when they are called on to register those of military age residing within their precincts. It is a plan that is proposed in other cities and is in accord with the suggestions of the war department.

Chicago News: It resolves itself into this: If we do not help our allies help Germany we shall have no allies to help us whip Germany.

Elgin News: Another Germany monopoly has been smashed because of the exigencies of the war. Before that calamity started, she manufactured most of the optical glass used in this country and especially for finer grades. But recently it was announced from Washington that government experts had found here at home means and material for the making of the very highest grades of optical glass. As a result we will never again be dependant upon that country for this material.

Harvard Herald: Attorney General Brundage has ruled that city councils in Illinois are powerless to prevent the playing of "The Star Spangled Banner" with undesirable embellishments in places of amusement. The opinion was asked in view of a proposed ordinance in Peoria intended to prohibit the playing of the national anthem in dance halls, cabarets and theatres except as a distinct composition and not as part of a melody. Of course there is no law against your walking out when the orchestra begins to butcher the piece.

Community Pests.
Some folks are all eyes, and ears and tongue, and go about seeing and hearing things, and telling about it.

Don't Cross Your Legs.

"Every time a man crosses his legs he gives his heart that much extra work to do," says William Muldoon. "You know what happens to a stream of water when you squeeze the garden hose."

This widely known physical instructor attaches great importance to proper breathing. He told me of the trouble he had in making John L. Sullivan breathe properly, and he dwelt on the harm that numbers of Americans do themselves (witness the prevalence of catarrhal affections) by the bad habit of mouth breathing.

"Keep your mouths shut. Breathe through your nostrils," he is always saying to his patients.

If the nostrils are stopped up he explains how they may be made to function properly by simple cleansing ablutious, and he insists that these be performed regularly.

"We need filtered air just as we need filtered water, and the nose is our filter. You boys want to remember that."—Exchange.

Trees in Paris.

Paris maintains a municipal nursery where expert care and attention are given young trees. The forestry department of the city government is as well organized as the public health or street cleaning department, and its staff is selected carefully.

From the day it is set out in a public square or street each tree bears a distinct identity of its own and is the special ward of an expert gardener. Men who tend the trees have regular routes like lamp-lighters or policemen.

Every tree is numbered, and a record of its development and its condition is kept—its state of health, the dates on which trimming or pruning is necessary and all other details.

The height of each tree must bear a harmonious relation to second and third story windows, and, more important, its position so far as heat, light and wind exercise influences upon it, is studied.—Kansas City Journal.

Keep the Machine in Repair.

Think for a moment. A man who would no more run his motorcar on deflated tires or with sand in the gear box than he would use sulphuric acid for motive power will keep going right on at his business when the tread of his own physical mechanism is flattening out and the gear box of his mind is filling with the wrong kind of grit. The impatient optimism that shakes off a vague oppression with the assurance "I'll be all right tomorrow" has had as much to do with lengthening out the list of bankrupts as any other thing that could be named. You can't correct a bad condition by persisting in the things that cause it. You will only make it worse. You can easily enough, if you are obstinate enough, make it so much worse that it will "be the death of you," or, anyway, put you out of business.

Catalogue Your Books.

Have you ever made an alphabetical list of the books in your library? Why not do it? Either by title or author, but better by both. A blank book will answer, but cards are better for the purpose. It is a great joy to watch the number grow and the only practical way to know just what you have on your own shelves.

Thoreau called books "the treasured wealth of the world," and it were well for us to know at least how much of this treasure we possess.—Exchange.

Why Plates Are Round.

All our plates are circular in shape. Now, a square or oval plate would be just as convenient. Is there any reason why plates should be of their present shape? It seems that if we dip into the far past we may discover the cause. Our remote ancestors ate their food off flat pieces of wood cut from a tree trunk. The tree trunk being cylindrical in shape, the earliest plates were therefore roughly circular, and the shape has been used ever since.

He Had the Real Kick.

"Don't seem to be a very good day for fish," remarked the man on the bank to the angler who had sat for four hours without a nibble. "Oh, I don't know," replied the fisherman calmly. "I don't see why the fish should complain. I'm the one who ought to kick."

Corn of Guatemala.

Guatemala's annual corn production amounts to about 6,000,000 quintals of 104.4 pounds each. This suffices for domestic consumption only, as corn is the most important food in that country. Beans rank next in importance as a national food.

Golden Weddings.

"But, papa, things have changed since you were young."
"Yes, they have. Folks used to wait fifty years for a golden wedding, but now they demand it at the start."

Her Gain.

Mrs. Jones—Does your husband remember your wedding anniversary?
Mrs. Smith—No; so I remind him of it in January and June and get two presents.—Harper's Bazar.

Dangerous Moonlight.

Moonlight most intense sometimes causes sore eyes in Cuba, and the natives navigate and perambulate with umbrella and parasol.

Capacity.

Spink—Jones told me today that he isn't drinking any more. Spank—I don't see how he could.—Life.

The man who is master of himself is master of circumstances and is therefore the successful man.

Who Is Lucy Carteret

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Miscellaneous

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Court House News

In Probate Court
In matter of estates of—
Henry J. Stark. Final report approved. Estate settled and administrators discharged.

A Strange Will
The legatee and executrix named in a certain will in the county clerk's office will not receive under the will unless the wishes of the testator are carried out.

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Doing it the Right Way.
For every right way to do a thing there are ninety-nine wrong ways.

An amateur wouldn't dream there could be so much science in rolling 150 barrels of sugar in a box car.

The Man Who Thinks.
A man with dirty face and hands, shirt soaked with perspiration, stopped, laid down his dinner bucket, rolled a broken knuckle out of the pathway.

Insects Are Curious.
In many ways the structure of insects is wonderful. They are gifted with muscles of extraordinary strength and are yet destitute of bones to which those muscles can be attached.

Go Slow.
Don't put too fine a point to your wit for fear it should get blunted.

Handicapped.
"Why don't you look around for work?"
"Can't; I've got a stiff neck."—Exchange.

Just a Suggestion.
Before a man is hired to work at certain munitions plants he is required to give a complete account of himself and to answer a series of printed questions on a regular form.

The President's Title.
Washington, the first president, was inaugurated April 30, 1789. The ceremony was delayed several days while congress disputed as to whether the chief magistrate should have such title as "his excellency," "his highness" or the like.

At the Reception.
Said He—They tell me you are an authority on flowers. Said She—Oh, hardly an authority, although I have made a study of them.

Hoggish.
Constituent—I worked hard for you and deserve some reward. Mayor—Some reward? Didn't I shake hands with you twice in public—before the election?—Exchange.

Marriage Licenses Issued
Clarence M. Brown aged 22, Garfield, Okla., and Sarah Ellen Wilton, aged 19, DeKalb; George C. Fagan, 23, and Irene Deana, 18, both of DeKalb; Theodore Zylstra, 21, and Pearl Quick, 20, both of Chicago; Thomas J. Taylor, 50, Washington, D. C., and Margaret A. Slater, Genoa, 47.

Hunting Happiness.
In the American Magazine a writer says:
"Men have been living on this world for many centuries. They have traded in their lives for many different things—fame, money, power.

A Nation With No Language.
The Swiss alone, of all the peoples of the world, may in a sense be said to possess no language, a fact that is the more surprising when we consider that there is no people showing a more intense patriotism.

When "Old Women" Abounded.
In the eighteenth century women soon grew old, says an English writer. At the age of twenty-nine Marie Antoinette, the wife of Louis XVI., gravely discussed the question with her modiste, Rose Bertin.

Homemade Cold Cream.
Here is the recipe for a homemade cold cream, the kind always used by the famous Lillian Russell:
Pure lanolin, four ounces; sweet almond oil, four ounces; spermaceti, one-half ounce; white wax, one-half ounce; orange flower water, two ounces; tincture of benzoin, forty drops.

Making the Best of It.
"What would you do if a situation arose which compelled you to fire a gun?"
"I'd be nervous," confessed Mr. Bilgins, "and yet I'd be exceedingly thankful I was the man with the gun and not an innocent bystander."

Reversed.
"Did you read about the man who spent twenty years in jail?"
"What about him?"
"I see he has had his case reopened and his sentence reversed."

Restful.
Laura—Alice Plitter is such a restful friend. Charles—Restful? She talks all the time, Laura—That's it. I never have to think about what to say when I'm with her.

Fuller's Earth.
Fuller's earth is now used in bleaching, clarifying or filtering vats and rarely for filling cloth, the purpose for which it was employed originally.

A man must be well off who is irritated by trifles, for in misfortune trifles are not felt.—Schopenhauer.

Figure it Out

Why worry about the big figures of the war appropriations, when seven billions of dollars is only \$70 per capita of the population of the United States?

And then, too, you must realize that the money will be spent in this country -- booming industry to a greater productiveness than ever before.

The income tax will not be a tax on prosperity, but a spur to prosperity. Every dollar in taxes paid out by every man will come back to him with interest in the general prosperity of the people.

The more we spend the more we will have to spend, because money circulates in a circle, accumulating something extra as it travels.

As John Wanamaker says, "The natural sane life of the country must proceed as though we were not at war, in order that we may have the necessary prosperity to promote the war to a quick and successful conclusion."

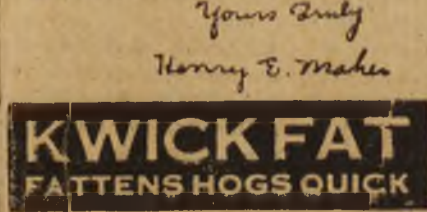
"Business as usual?" -- Indeed, yes!

The Republican-Journal



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I fed two hogs that were chickens eaters and were thin but skin and bones with your Kwick Fat. I think that they were not hardly fit subjects to enter a contest. But considering what they were to eat with that they did feed and they surely speak well for your feed. For you can hardly ever fatten a hog of that kind.



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Be sure to ask for the double strength ointment, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

The Chicken Only.
Homely Aunt—Do you suppose those young men are following us?
Pretty Niece—One of us, auntie.

THE 3 D'S IN DODD'S


Mr. Robert W. Ferguson, Hingham, Mass., writes: I suffered from kidney disorder for years. Had incessant backache and trouble. Nearly died from it at one time while in Vancouver, but overcame it by a persistent use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. Finally I was completely cured. I occasionally use the remedy now in order to keep the kidneys regulated.



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The papers are filled with the appeal for soldiers, sailors and farmers, and all are timely, all are necessary. The sailor is needed to man the ships that protect the shores, police the seas and clear the ocean of tormenting and meddlesome masked buccaners, to give help to the allies, to make more efficient the present fighting units that are keeping free the sealanes and ocean routes. The soldier is required to keep alive and intact the unity of the nation and the freedom of the world, to protect the lives of its citizens from incursions without and raids within, to guard the honor and preserve the dignity of the great United States, to render not only sentimental but practical assistance to those who for two and a half years on the battlefields of Flanders and the steppes of the East have been fighting for the freedom of the world against a dominant autocratic and militarist Prussianism, which, were it to become successful, would mean autocracy, militarism and Prussianism, and a "get-off-the-side"ism over the entire world. The allies are proud to welcome these new accessions to the fighting forces, which mean an earlier termination of the war and the dawn of an era that will be historic, one that we will all be proud that we lived in. Throughout all Canada, Great Britain, France, and all the allied countries, when the news was received that the United States had entered the war, a thrill went up and down the nation's sides, and the pulses throbbed with a new life, keenly appreciative of the practical sentiment that had brought to their sides an ally of the strength and virility of the United States.

But the soldier and the sailor need to be fed, and therefore the cry for agricultural enlistment. The strength of the fighting man must be maintained. In his absence from the field there comes the necessity for provision to take his place. The appeal for farm help is well timed, opportune and important. There are vacant lands aplenty in the United States that, given a fair opportunity under competent advice and reasonable help, will produce abundantly. Western Canada also provides an excellent field for the prosecution of work in growing wheat and other grains, and while it is not the desire of the Canadian Government to draw from the resources of the United States, believing that it is the duty of every patriotic citizen to do all he possibly can to build up the stores of depleted foods and making use of every energy at home, the wish is to lay before the public the fact that Canada has millions of acres of excellent land capable of producing wonderful crops. If for any reason the reader, having patriotism and a love of his country in his heart, and a desire to forward the cause of the allies, cannot avail himself of the opportunities afforded in the United States, Western Canada will be glad to render him any assistance it can in locating him on its vacant areas, where large crops can be grown at minimum of cost. Let us grow the grain, raise the cattle, produce the food to feed our soldiers, our sailors and provide food for our allies, no matter whether it is done to the North or to the South of the boundary line that in the object in view should not be known as a boundary. Let us keep up the spirit of patriotism, whether it be growing grain in the United States or in Canada, but Canada, fully alive to the necessity, joins in the appeal of its allies—the United States—for more food and more food.—Advertisement.

Camouflage.
A remarkable interpretation of the British national characteristic reserve, appears in the Century, entitled Camouflage. It is the story of two young people on the eve of the husband's going to battle.

"For the benefit of those who may not be acquainted with what camouflage means, it might be truthfully described as a thin veil drawn over great events.

"There are endless varieties of camouflage, and endless uses to which it may be put. A great white road is concealed from the enemy's lines by a hedge of thinly plaited twigs—camouflage. An observation point hidden in the heart of a haystack—camouflage. A mighty gun masked by an awning of fishermen's nets, sprinkled with bread leaves—camouflage. A corpse brought in from no-man's land and replaced by a live man, who watches what is toward in the Hun trenches—again camouflage. But, perhaps, the subtlest variety of all is the kind that men and women devise to screen their real emotions from one another and the world."

Helpful Conservation.
As for the food problem now confronting the nation, we favor the elimination from the household economy of all waste, such as boiled cabbage, but at the same time the careful avoidance of anything in the nature of hysteria, which would involve the needless sacrifice of such food products as strawberries or maple sirup, for instance.—Columbus (O.) Journal.

Culinary Dialogue.
"How do you cook pork and beans?"
"That isn't the question. How do you get 'em?"

Fads And Fancies Of Fashion

Wartime makes us pause to think twice before indulging ourselves in new furbelows. We have looked to them heretofore, to provide that variety which is the spice of apparel, but now a sense of economy and fitness make some retrenchment the order of the day. But far be it from the American woman to allow her appearance to become favorless for lack of something new.

Her resource lies in and on her own head. Now is the time to experiment



with coiffures and blossom out in a new hair dress every once in a while. Few women realize what magic lies in the coiffure and how wholly the appearance may be changed by changing its style. Now that every woman is expected to do her bit by making herself useful in some direction she will have occasion to think up the best way of doing her hair for work and for play. We are about to get into thoroughly modern and up-to-date gardening clothes and to do real gardening, and with khaki for other sorts of service.

A pretty coiffure is pictured above and it is a simple arrangement of the hair which is waved all round the head and parted at one side. It is parted at one side, either left or right



(whichever is more becoming), and brought down over the ears and forehead. Small invisible pins fasten it to place at the sides. The ends are coiled in small, soft, flat coils and pinned close to the head—one coil at each side of the back. They do not interfere with its contour.

When midsummer comes women take to simple decorative ideas on their hats and gowns and get away from many furbelows. The sheer dresses that claim those who have a

His Wish.
Three men went out for a day's fishing. They took a bottle with "bait." They drank too much.
A storm came up, and two of them thought they were going to be drowned. The third was asleep in the bottom of the boat. The two talked over what they wished done with their bodies in the event of either being saved. One wished to be cremated; the other to be sent home to his wife.
Then they asked the one in the bottom of the boat what his wish was, and when he "came to" enough to talk he said:
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Keeping Honey.
Many housekeepers do not know the right place in which to store honey and unthinkingly put it in the cellar or a dark, cool place. On the contrary, honey should always be kept in a dry, warm place, even at 100 degrees. If kept in a damp place the "cappings" of the comb become watery and the honey oozes through, but if the comb is kept where the air is warm and dry it will remain in more perfect condition.

Halted.
"Did you ever think about owning your own home?" asked the agent.
"Yes, and I've tried it, too," said the other. Then the talk drifted into politics.

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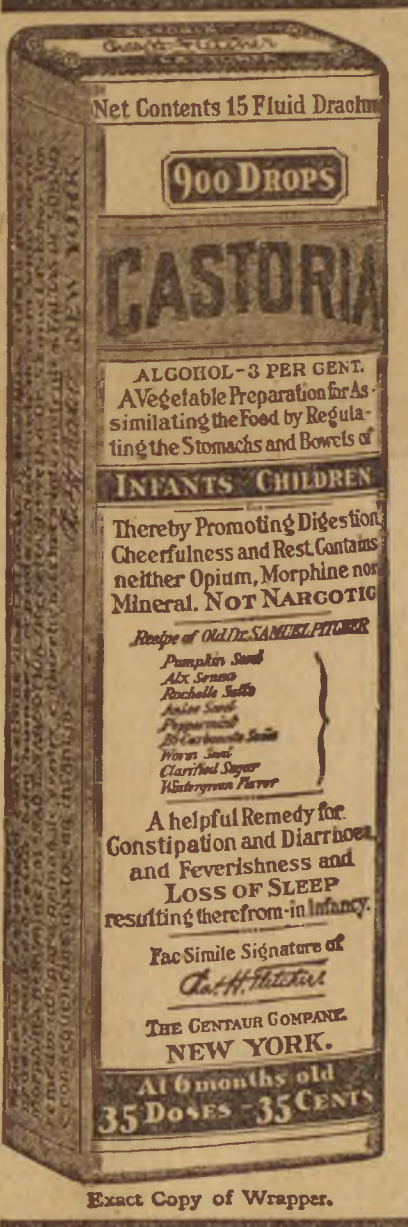
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MISS EDITH MOORE, CORRESPONDENT
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H. A. Cross was a Kirkland visitor last Saturday.

Miss Ada Lilly was a Sycamore caller last Saturday.

Ralph Orr transacted business in Cherry Valley Sunday.

Gerald Helsdon of Belvidere visited relatives here Saturday.

Miss Bessie Baars is home from Sycamore for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Uplinger and daughter, Eleanor, and Mrs. Ida Moore motored to Rockford Saturday.

Misses Nellie and Mary Sullivan were Chicago passengers Saturday.

Miss Wilda Knappenberger was home from Sycamore over Sunday.

Miss Gladys Burgess spent the first of the week with friends in Fairdale.

Elh Brainard of Belvidere visited relatives and friends Sunday and Monday.

Miss Edith Moore was the guest of Miss Sarah Brown in Fairdale Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cohoon of Rockford called on Kingston friends last Friday.

Children exercises will be held in the M. E. church Sunday evening, June 10.

Eddie Phelps and Ruben Gustafson visited relatives in Rockford Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Homer Witter and children spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Witter in Fairdale.

Miss Lenner Beckner is visiting her sister, Miss Flossie, who is attending the DeKalb Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Aurner were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mowers at Genoa last week Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Worden of Kirkland were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Witter, Sunday.

Alexander Stevens returned to his home in DeKalb Saturday, having spent the past few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Smith.

Mrs. J. P. Ort returned home last Friday, having spent the past few days in Rockford. She was accompanied home by her grandson, John Hubler.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coonley and children of Kirkland, Alfred Paulson of Rockford and Oscar Paulson of Beloit, Wis., were guests at the Peter Paulson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wells of Sycamore and daughter, Mrs. Harry Merritt, and the latter's daughter of Genoa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Schmeltzer last week Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Little joined the Eastern Star here last Friday evening. The Genoa lodge was entertained on the same night. After the business meeting over one hundred partook of a two course supper which was served in the M. E. church basement.

Dan Colvin, son of Mrs. Harmon Colvin, west of town passed away Tuesday, May 22, of diphtheria at Elgin. The remains were brought to Kingston Wednesday and taken to the Kingston cemetery where he was laid at rest by the side of his father. He leaves to mourn his loss his aged mother, who resides on the home place, three sisters and one brother.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Heckman is quite ill.

Quite a few from around here attended the ball game at Burlington Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Lehman and children of Earlville are visiting at the home of Paul Lehman.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Japp and Mr. and Mrs. William Japp motored to Elgin Saturday.

Oscar Anderson of Genoa and Dell Peterson of Rockford spent Sunday with G. Johnson.

Misses Daisy and Vera Galanor of Fairdale spent the week end with their brother, Earl.

John Japp and family motored to Garden Prairie Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scherf.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Loptien and son of Kingston were Sunday visitors at the A. Heckman home.

Charles Reiser and family, accompanied by Joe Dumolin and wife, of Hampshire, motored to Huntley Sunday.

Mrs. Theodore Reinken and daughter visited at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Finley, over the week end.

Wm. Kiner and family motored up from Marseilles and were over Sunday visitors at the home of the former's son, Eldon.

Sidney Ford and Miss Mearl De Pew of Marseilles called at Eldon Kiner's Saturday. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Holland Ford.

A Leap Into Fame.
How many actors have begun their stage career as leading man? Probably Sir Johnstone Forbes-Robertson is the only instance. One night when Sir Johnstone was a young man of twenty-one his father, who was an art critic and journalist, went to see W. G. Wills' "Mary Stuart," and after the performance Wills accompanied him to supper. In the course of conversation the dramatist asked his host how he thought Castelar, the leading part, was played. "Why, my son there, who has never acted, would do it fifty times better." "The very thing!" cried Wills. "Will you try, Johnstone?" "The young artist modestly assented, went with Wills next day to rehearse and a week later made a sensational debut. Since then he has always been a leading man.—London Standard.

A Small Boy's Invention.
Sir Hiram Maxim began to invent almost as soon as he could limp. When but a small boy he invented a sort of sextant made of wood, with sights, a piece of thread with a bullet at the end and an indicator for the thread to swing along.

On a dark night he took his instrument outside, and while he sighted it to the north star his little sister read the indicator. "Forty-five, Hiram!" she called out. This meant they were living in 45 degrees north latitude. The observation proved to be perfectly accurate.

A Turkish Riddle.
Here is an old Turkish riddle which has been handed down for many centuries and yet has never been answered. "There was once a beggar who always dreamed he was a pasha, and there was a pasha who always dreamed he was a beggar. Which was the happier?"

Bell Never Stops Ringing.
In the Clarendon laboratory at the Oxford (England) university museum is a little bell which has rung day and night for seventy-six years. It is a somewhat near approach to perpetual motion, yet its mechanism is very simple.

How Hard Rubber is Made.
We're all of us coming in contact with hard rubber every day of our lives. Our fountain pen, our inkwell tops, the magneto parts and telephone receivers are all made of hard rubber. But how is it made? Where does it differ from the rubber in an automobile tire, for instance? We'll wager a guess that not one man in a thousand knows.

Vulcanization consists of uniting sulphur with rubber to give it certain properties of elasticity, durability and, still more important, make it to retain these same properties under all normal conditions of heat and cold.

When a larger proportion of sulphur than is found in ordinary soft rubber is present and vulcanization is continued for a much longer time we obtain as a result a substance vastly different in physical properties—hard rubber. Before vulcanization it is quite elastic and we can mold it to suit our needs.—Exchange.

Those Good Old Prices.
I've just come across an old menu, stained and torn, that was issued seventy-five years ago by Hathaway's hotel and eating house, which makes one long for a return of some prices that prevailed in those "good old days." This famous old eating house stood on the spot where the present Boston tavern stands, and the menu referred to is one of the relics of old Boston days in the tavern's collection.

According to that menu, a porterhouse steak was served for 37½ cents, tenderloin steak was 25 cents, sirloin 20 cents and plain beefsteak 15 cents. Roast goose was 25 cents, turkey and chicken 20 cents.

In the barber shop shaving was 8 cents, hair cutting 15 cents and shampooing 20 cents. Baths cost 15 cents. A night's lodging was but 50 cents.—Boston Post.

Arms of Washington.
The arms which Washington used are heralidically described as follows: Argent (silver), two bars gules (red), in chief three mullets (stars) of the second, wings addorsed, sable (black), issuing out of a ducal coronet, or (gold). Although these arms were used by Washington, the arms of the family in Yorkshire are materially different, bearing a lion and being surmounted by a crest with an eagle, not a raven. The Yorkshire arms were the original arms, according to Albert Welles, whose "Pedigree and History of the Washington Family" gives with edifying detail the descent of the Father of His Country from Odin, first king of Scandinavia. Fifty-five generations were required to evolve George Washington from Odin.

Not In Stock.
"How much are calories? I want to buy 500," a young woman inquired of the floorwalker.

"Calories?" he replied. "I don't believe—500—I doubt if we have that many in stock. However, inquire at the dress goods counter."

"Have you any calories in stock?" she asked the clerk.

"Calories? What's them?" The clerk for once looked puzzled.

"Well, I don't know. But I know this wouldn't be the department. Calories, you know, are something to eat. I went to a food lecture the other day, and they said to eat at least 500 calories a day. I suppose it's a vegetable."

"I suppose so," said the clerk.—Columbus Dispatch.

True Eloquence.
True eloquence, indeed, does not consist in speech. It cannot be brought from far. Labor and learning may toll for it, but they will toll in vain. Words and phrases may be marshaled in every way, but they cannot compass it. It must consist in the man, in the subject and in the occasion. Affected passion, intense expression, the pomp of declamation, all may inspire to it. They cannot reach it. It comes, if it comes at all, like the outbreaking of a fountain from the earth or the bursting forth of volcanic fires with spontaneous, original, native force.—Webster.

Romance and Fiction.
When a very rich man marries a very poor girl, that's romance. When a very rich girl marries a very poor man, that's fiction.—Galveston News.

When Airmen Fly High.
Aviators have a cold time of it when they mount high into the air. On the hottest day in summer a flying man may be in the arctic regions in ten minutes by mounting to a height of 10,000 feet, just as the climber may pass through all the zones of climate by climbing Kilimanjaro, that giant peak which rises above the snow line from the equator. He commences with the tropical jungle and ends amid eternal snow. The temperature is invariably low at 10,000 feet and over, whether at the tropics or the poles, and it is quite likely to be lowest at the equator. In fact, there is little variation of temperature in these upper reaches of the atmosphere. It is much the same in summer as winter, except for the difference which a high wind makes. Even in the depth of a hot summer the airman will encounter 40 degrees of frost at 10,000 feet, and at twice that altitude 100 degrees of frost—the temperature of the south pole—is usual enough.

The Circuit Riders in Japan.
We are in the upper room of the neat Japanese home. We have fallen flat on our faces and exchanged greetings in the deliberate and considerate manner of the east. Beside me the captain sits on his heels, a feat which I admire the more after trying it for ever so brief a time. In the middle of the clean mat floor a small stand supports an ugly kerosene lamp, the one jarring note in that dainty home. Behind the stand sits the Japanese pastor, and in front of it sits the church treasurer, both on the floor. In recognition of my foreign training I am allowed to sit on the window sill, a silk cushion having been placed there for the purpose by the good housewife, who, after seeing every one comfortably settled, had bowed to each in turn, kneeling at a distance and almost touching her forehead to the floor, and had withdrawn with the cheerful resignation of the Japanese wife.—Christian Herald.

Facility.
Just when a man begins to understand how to do what he made his life work he ups and dies, and then, a generation later, the fellow who laughs at the first man's feeble approach and gets ready to show how it ought to be done—why, this fellow catches in, too, on about the third hole. The expert who laughed at Langley still turns turtle in the upper air, and within another generation some lunatic will actually break his neck flying with ind. vidual wings hitched up to a vest pocket motor propelled by radium or some such thing!

The infinite possibilities begin where man's greatest achievement leaves off, and about the time human understanding masters "C" in the alphabet of cause and effect and gets ready to take up "D," John L. Earth will blow up like a toy balloon colliding with a tack. —Richmond Times-Dispatch.

After You've Had a Fight.
The world would be much better if every man were as kind and good always as he is just after he has had a fight or a near fight. When he has cooled off he is glad to do just anything he can for anybody. If you want a match he will hunt one for you; if you want to borrow a knife he has his out in a minute, and he opens it for you; if you borrow a pencil from him he will say, "Keep that one if you want to; I have another." It just looks as if his only purpose in living is to help other people.—Claude Callan in Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Face Value.
Escarrolle—She said: "I want you to take me at my face value. Don't judge me by my father's wealth." Cliffmade—And what did you say? Escarrolle. Why, I told her that the present price of dyes, paints and cosmetics was so high that I couldn't afford to be associated with her.—Life.

Must Be.
"I'm really worried about my wife."
"What's the matter?"
"I don't know. There must be something radically wrong with her because she says she isn't taking the slightest interest in the new styles."—Detroit Free Press.

While He Waited in the Parlor.
Mr. Scooper (to her kid brother)—May I hope to see your sister pretty soon? Kid Brother—You'll see her pretty, all right. She's been fixing' up to beat the band.—Exchange.

Practical Health Hints.
Care of Babies.
An authority on children's diseases makes the following useful "do not" suggestion in caring for babies:
Do not squeeze or cough in the baby's face.
Do not kiss the baby on the mouth or allow any one else to do so.
Do not fail to protect the baby's eyes from bright light.
Do not raise the baby without supporting its back.
Do not allow the baby to go even one day without a bowel movement.
Do not excite the baby during or immediately after nursing.
Do not forget that vomiting is usually caused from overfeeding.
Do not forget that diseases of the eye can be prevented by scrupulous care.
Do not forget that out of every 100 breast fed babies seven die in the first year and that out of every 100 bottle fed babies thirty die in the first year.



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In winter this Siberian line is one continuous view of snow, stretching for miles along the seemingly endless desert. Sometimes the villages and stations are almost buried in snow, and not infrequently the train gets snowed up. Water for the stoves and the engines has to be brought steaming hot, lest it should freeze on the way, and often men at the stations in the depth of winter have to chop off long icicles from the engine and cars. But even the intense cold has its advantages, for dairy products, such as cheese and butter, can be carried by rail without having to be put into refrigerating trucks.

Baths For the Canary.
Under normal conditions most birds probably bathe daily, and canaries in captivity should be allowed the same opportunity. When individual birds obstinately refuse to enter the water gentle spraying usually will induce them to bathe.

Small china dishes that are not too deep make good bathing pans. When a bird becomes accustomed to one dish it usually will refuse to bathe in another one of different shape and color. In winter the water should be warmed until tepid. Even in warm weather too cold water is not advisable. If the room, ordinarily warm, becomes cold temporarily, birds should not be allowed to bathe.

During molt the bath should be given not more than twice each week. When breeding the female canary should not be allowed to bathe from the time the eggs hatch until the young are three or four days old.—United States Department of Agriculture Bulletin.

So Sensitive!
An attorney was consulted by a woman desirous of bringing action against her husband for a divorce.

She related a harrowing tale of the ill treatment she had received at his hands. So impressive was her recital that the lawyer, for a moment, was started out of his usual professional composure.

"From what you say this man must be a brute of the worst type!" he exclaimed.

The applicant for divorce arose and with severe dignity announced:

"Sir, I shall consult another lawyer. I came here to get advice as to a divorce, not to hear my husband abused!"
—New York Times.

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