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There are rumors of another hazing scandal at West Point. No sooner does Annapolis succeed in getting the attention of the public centered there than West Point jealously comes forward showing that it, too, can be very foolish.

An illustration of the difficulties met by those who seek to raise the social standard comes from London, where a borough council recently erected forty little dwellings for the poorest class, each with a bath room.

In life, in literature, there is no magic charm like that of personality, but politicians are afraid of it in their business. Of this they sedulously cultivate the idea that it must be conducted by committees and parties, never by individuals.

Individually, as all travelers testify, the Chinese are an exceptionally honest people, but in the official life of the empire there has long been systematic corruption and wholesale pilfering.

The Department of the Interior has been valuing the government's lands on which coal exists, and instead of selling them at the old price of agricultural lands, is marking them up as coal lands.

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due to the fact that there are customers for coal within a short haul of the deposits? The price set for coal here is low, but it would have been high forty years ago. Without railroads, it would have been prohibitive.

"Brighten some one else's life. Cheer some one else's pathway every day. This is the best investment that any of us in this world can ever hope to make." We won't repeat the name of the man who said it. He has announced that he is going to seek obscurity henceforth.

When a man adopts a system of business operations which have as their direct result the driving of competitors out of business by methods always unfair, and often illegal, when he sacrifices families ruthlessly because he is not in immediate contact with the suffering members; when his mechanism of business is so fine that he can dip his hands in the pockets of a hundred thousand families and gain wealth so easily that his main thought is that he is to be personally approved because he takes so little, then, indeed, it is but a poor compensation that he makes it a point of directly brightening some neighbor's life every day.

WOMEN'S SKYSCRAPER TOQUE. New "Lid" to Fit an End to Merry Widow and French Baskets. The first of the "monument" hats for women has arrived in Chicago. The new skyscraper was designed in Paris to vanquish the now famous peach-basket hat. Eighteen inches in length from cellar to roof of the first importation. Of course there will be others not quite so audacious, but they will not become real "swaggers" until the foot and a half mark is reached.



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PAPERS BY THE PEOPLE

TAX TO STOP BARTER OF TITLES. By Paul Morton.

The attitude of certain foreign blabblers toward Americans is that we ought to produce treasures here or the export market. I have heard representatives of this class frankly say that they were not brought up to work; that they do not know how to make money. They expect somebody to look after the material things of this world, so that they may get a share of good living, and, as the Americans seem to be the most successful money makers nowadays, why shouldn't they trade their titles for the dollars of American heiresses? I have seen recently some of the most astounding and barefaced negotiations in this line of bargaining.

China at last coming into its own. By Lord William Cecil. The Chinese gentleman has been trained in the philosophy, history and culture of his race, and both in his speech and in his thought he bears the marks of the excellence of that training.

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Sorry for Helen. In the days when his friend Matterly was paying court to the present Mrs. Matterly and deftly leading up to the state of domestic bliss which the Matterlys have experienced for fully two years, Kennison also was a worshiper at the shrine, though a diffident and unobtrusive one.

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EGOTISM MOST INSIDIOUS DISEASE. By John A. Howland.

An old friend of mine, a postmaster in the art of business on a scale involving millions of dollars and thousands of men, insists that one of the greatest handicaps of the young man in business life is an excess of egotism. He admits that a certain stimulus of egotism may be necessary and natural to youth, but long ago he made up his mind that he preferred the young man lacking in egotism to the young man afflicted with an excess of it.

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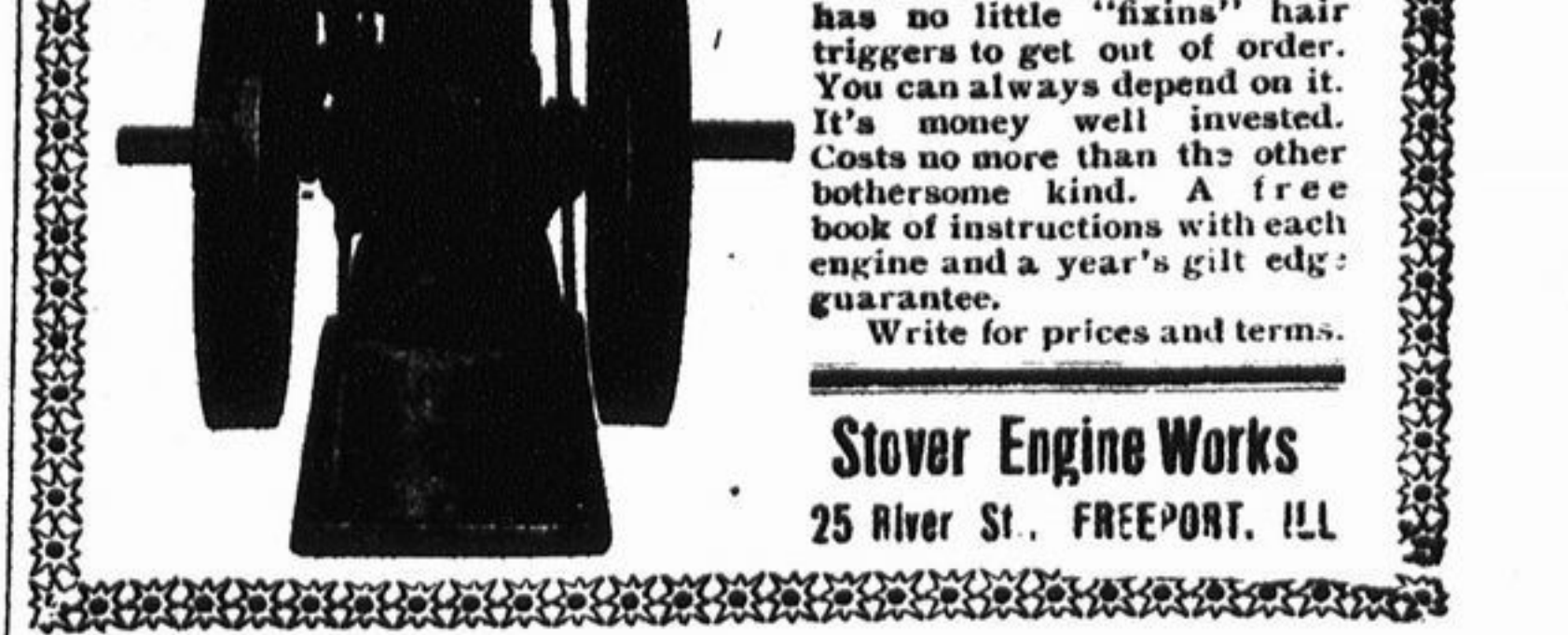
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