THURRDAY, MAY 20, 1918 بربي الواقديدي فأنت بالمستسب CONCERNING BIRTHDAYS

I had a birthday not long since, But did not think it fit To say so, for its grown so old I'm quite ashamed of it. It really is too bad I think, That we should have to few Davices of the proper sort To keep our blithdays new. Gr. If that's asking ment too much, It surely would be fair

To give ne something guaranteed To keep them in repair. Perhaps it is exurbitant ... To ask for one to last. But certainly, it seems to me.

They wear out very fast. Ho fast, indeed, that looking back Upon the ones I know. I think them less well made these day Than thirty years ago. However, I shall not complays

Whatever tirtithys be, For other people get no more Each year than pomes to me. -William J. Lampton

ARTISTIC VALUE

Guy Shelly's old spotted cow was dered across the pasture one day and laid herself down for a peaceful chew log of the oud. She did not realize that she was posing for her picture The artist who painted her showed the sketch to Guy, and the cow's owner took a great interest in it. Later. when the artist had returned to the city he had the good fortune to sal the study for \$150, and on a subsequent Guy Shelly of the sale. Guy was in-

"You don't mean to tell me you sold that there pitcher of old Dalay for a hundred an' fifty dollars?" "Yes; a Chicago man bougth it for

"Well, don't that beat all," sake "I'd a sold blas the cow for

When poverty comes in at the doo It never stope to wipe its feet.

Oil for the Toothache.-There is no pain so acute and distressing as the toothache. When you have so unwelcome a visitor apply Dr. Thomas Electric Oil according to directions and you will find immediate relief. It touches the nerve with soothing effect and the pain departs at once. That it will case toothache je another fine quality of this Off, showing the many nees it has.

Many a self-made man acts as though he was ashamed of the job. No. Alooso, a girl isn't considered in the shopworn class until she bas been engaged three or four times. No matter how deep-rooted the core or wart may be, it must yield to Hollo way's Corn Cure if used as directed.

#### LIKE HIS DAD

A story is told of two Irish farmers who had not seen such other for a long time and who met at a fair. They had a lot of things to tell. "Bure, it's married Oi am," said Mur-

"You.don't tell'me so," said Moran. "Fal' yes," said Murphy, "and Ol've got a fine healthy boy, which the neighbors say is the very pitur' o

Moran looked for a moment at Mur remarkable for his good looks and

"Ah, well, what's the harm so long

as the child's bealthy." WHAT SHE DORE

"Does your husband ever tell you you

have poor taste?"

"Frequently." "And what reply do you make to "I think of what I married and say

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#### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

MERATON WHAT YOU ARE YOURSELF -----

The business world is not very much interested in your ancestors, but it has lygwhen my wife tries to sing."a very real and wholesome curiosity as Judge. to what you are yourself. It cares less about what is in your pucket than what is in your head. It does not ask what advantages you have enjoyed, but what you can do. All that is he hlad you is of importance from its standpoint only as it has helped to make you the wort of person that is wanted. Spare the world the pedigree. What you are yourself is all it wants

Soon the volce of the amateur gardener witt by heard in the suburbs. It cometimes happens that the girl with the dreamy eyes is, wide awake and on the job.

#### MAKES LIFE A PALACE

Make life a palace, splendidly fur nished. Build it on the foundation of sound principley. Let it rise high in aspiration and spread out in-generous belpfulness. Make it beautiful with lovely thoughts. Why live housed mostly and wretchedly, when it is your power to build yourself a pal-

#### THE PROPER TIME

"Do you think the custom of shaking hands with the masses will ever be abandoned?" asked one states-

"It may be," replied the other, "But If it is it will be abandoned just after an election and never just before."-Washington Blaz.

#### A SURE LOSS

"Yes, smoking is an expensive babit. When one gives his friends olgans all lish this in the papers."-Mrs. WILLIAM the year round his loss is no little one." S. Bousque, Fox Creek, N. B. "Do you mean in eigers or friends?"

. Some girls are so sager to thump | thousands of letters from women socka plano they can't even wait to wash over their own signatures that they have reput up in a yellow wrapper, 8 plac trees

#### MAD RAD SORE FOUR YEARS

Mrs. Wilson, 110 Wickson Ave., Toronto, says: " About four years ago a sore spot appeared on the right side of my face. This spot increased in size until it became about half an inch in diameter and very painful I went to a doctor, but the cintment he gave me did not have any good effect. The sore continued to discharge freely, and was most painful. I had it cauterised, tried poultices and all kinds of salves, but it was no good, and I continued to author

from it for four years! "A sample of Zam-Buk was one day given to me, and I used It. Although the quantity was so small, it seemed to do me some good, so I purchased

a further supply. "Each box did me more and more good, and, to my delight, before I had been using Eam-Buk three weeks, I saw that it was going to heal the sore. In less than a month it was besied!

"I know a lady in the east of the city, whose husband suffered for years with an open sore on his leg. On my recommendation, Zam-Hub was tried in that case. The other day, when I saw her, she told me that it had bealed the sore completely. "My daughter, who lives in Leth bridge, Alta., has also used Zam-liuk with the same satisfactory result. think it is, beyond all doubt, the

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Not every man has the face to cale

whiskors. Telling the truth accidently i more or less embarrassing.

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#### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

inconvenience to the child.

POOLISH QUESTION

"George," she asked, "If we were both young and single again would you want me to be your wife?" "Now, my dear," he absent-minded ly replied, "what's the use of trying t start a quarrel just as we have settled down to enjoy a quiet evening?"-Chloago Record-Herald.

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HANDY TO HAVE AROUND "Are you one of those who believe he dog is man's most faithful friend? "I must admit that I am not."

"Then you, I take it, do not keep 'Oh, yes, I keep one, but not because like the brutes. It happens that the one we have always howls unmerciful

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#### Ohildren Ory FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

WHY HE WAS NOT PROMOTED He watched the clock. . He was always grumbling. He was always behindhand. He asked too many questions. His stock excuse was, "I forgot." He wasn't ready for the next step. He did not put his heart in his work. He learned nothing from his blun-

He was content to be a second-rater. He didn't learn that the best part of his salary was not in his pay envelope.

#### COLD **However Slight** MAY TURN INTO

BRONCHITIS.

You abould never neglect a cold, however alight. If you do not treat it in time is will, in all possibility, develop thto

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THEIR MOTHERS' RELIGION

an. What's your's, Mary?" Mary-"Mloo? Oh, let me mine le a Methodier. What is yours. Bella-"My mother never told me

was a dyspeptic."

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GIVE UP YOUR BIBLE?

Give up your bible, do you say Well, why not? Perhaps your bible langist of love from one long since gone to heaven. Perhaps it is an old family bible, sacred with home sasociation, stained with tears, marked by the aving touch of many flagore. At any rate, it is a bible, your bible. Will you give it mi? Will you get along without a hible here after?

"No," says Dr. C. M. Ritchie, in the Expositor: "I cannot give up the bible. This book intertwipes thell with all concerns of life. It is the book of prayer. It is the book of bustness rights and wrongs, the book of social courtesy, the book of righteous official trust and honorable citizenship. It founds the marriage alter. frames our deathbed consolations. furnishes our word of hope as we lower the ousket between the sods, and our epitaphs for the marble slab."-

Pills for Nervous Troubles .- The tomach is the centre of the nervous system, and when the stomach suspends healthy action the result to manifest in disturbances of the perves If allowed to persist, nervous debility. See that you get "Dr. Wood's," yan a dangerous ailment, may ensue. The skin eruptions. Although I tried many stomach to proper action, and there is give me relief ... Finally I got a bottle of no readler remedy for this than Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. Thousands can teetify the virtue of those pills in

The Evangelical.

Bears the Bignature of Chartet Hitches

Holan-"My mother's a Presbyter

but I beard her tall a friend that she

·The Mehammedans write five names

and the name written thereon is bestowed upon the baby. With the Egyptians three lighted candles are taken and named-one name always being of Biblical character—and the candle which burns the longest determines the child's name. The Hindus allow the mother to name a baby when it is twelve days old, but if the father does not like the chosen name be selects another. Then the two names are written on slips of paper and held over a lighted lamp, that which burns the brighter being the name finally adopted.

Niceties In Dress. Society has no use for the freak in men's dress. There is a very visible question mark that goes before him. Quality and out first, constant care alterward and a sharp eye to the correct accessories, and invariably you have the well dressed man. It is astonishing to see how much the smart note in man's dress is due to the little things-the correct and becoming collar, the new and not the antiquated tie, the fashionable waistoost, the one which is appropriate to the suit. They all count for much.

Barely Remembered. fail to remember you in his will, brance," replied the poor relation. "It was more like a faint recollec-

The Ready Editor. printed "Gratis." bad mistake. You gave her away.

Mary dropped her eyes on the floor as Henry burst into the room. Her tace lengthened rapidly, and she fin-ally pierced him with a glance. As his laugh rose and fell she dropped her jaw and her volce broke,

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OPENING A NEW BOOK

If Not Done Properly the Back of th

Velume May Be Broken. A great many people have the im rossion that there is no more mothed in opening a new book than in taking the cover off a shoe box. 'As a matter of fact, a great deal depends on how carefully one opens a brand new

Many rare and eastly volumes are damaged, and in some instances the bindings are broken through careless. ness or ignorance in opening them.
Do not yank the covers wide open haphaxard or hold the leaves tightly and force the covers wide open. Just hold the book with its back on a amouth or covered table, let the front board down, then the other, holding the leaves in one hand while you open a few leaves at the back. then a few at the front, and so on niternately opening back and front, gently pressing open the sections till reach the centre of the valume. Do this two or three times and you will obtain the best results. Open the volume violently or carelusaly in any one place and you will likely break the back and cause a start in the leavon.

Never force the back. If it does not yield to gentle opening, the back is too tightly or strongly lined. "A connoissour," writes William Matthews in "Modern Bookbinding Practically Considered," "years ago an excellent customer of mine. thought he knew perfectly how to handle books, came into my office when I had an expensive binding just brought from the bindery ready to be sent home. He, before my eyes, took hold the volume, and tightly holding the leaves in each hand instead of allowing them free play, vioclaimed, 'How beautifully your bind-ings open?' I almost fainted. He had broken the back of the volume, and t had to be rebound."

Vienna Coffee Houses.

The kaffeehaus-coffee house-is Vienna institution. It ranges in equipment from ultra simple to alsgant, but it is a public club where men meet for billiards, chees, cards and coffee. "The hand of progress," mays a letter from that city, "has fullon on the coffee house, and the first taken. Catering to the taste of the foreign visitor, a new coffee house has made its appearance. Glass and markle, electric lights, a platform for an orchestra, a booth where one may dictate letters, another where theatre tickets are for sale and uniformed nessenger boys are some of the novelties. But there is no 'atmosphere,' ne billiard table and no place to play cards. It is most beautiful and may become popular with visitors, but for the native it will be a cafe, never a

The successful man is honored and kaffechaus." 'Oarlng For the Teeth. Without good teeth there cannot be thorough mastication. Without thorough mastication there cannot be perfeet digestion, and consequently poor health results; hence the paramount importance of sound teeth. Olean teeth do not decay. The teeth should not be brushed from side to side. If this is done the points of the gums will be injured and the teeth loosenod. The upper teeth should be brush-od from the top downward (from the gums to the ends of the teeth), the lower teeth from the bottom upward, also from the gums to the extremity of the touth. It is essential to wash the tooth at night and wise to wash

> mouth after each meal. Naming the Baby.

them also in the morning. Rinse the

on slips of paper and place them in the Koran. One slip is drawn out,

"I suppose your late uncle didn't You can hardly call it a remem-

Caller-In your report of my daughtor's wedding her name "Gratia" was Editor-Well, that wasn't such a

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