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Stop yer kickin' 'bout the time. Get a hasty on you. Skirmish round and grab thadtime. If thadtime shun you. Croakin' never brought a dress. Growlin' isn't in it. Fix yer keepers on success. Then go in to win it. Times is gettin' good again. Try to help them all you kin.

Don't all round with hangin' lip. Put some ginger in yer calls. When you greet a neighbor. Throw your troubles to the birds. Gid right down to labor. An' you'll notice ev'ry day. Things is comin' right your way.

Stop yer kickin', get a hold of the good and the bad. You kin nether handle gold. Loo yer try to get it. Break the ice from yer eyes. Stop yer durn cryin'. An' you'll notice ev'ry day. Things is comin' right your way.

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BE A LIFTER

I WILL TRY to be a lifter, not a leaver. I am an announcer, never a discourager. I lighten and rejoice, not complain; I make the world a little brighter place to live in; I keep my mind, the will of God; I make something of the bright side of everything; I be clean minded and body; working patiently, industriously and honestly for a living; earning a spotless character, so that I can look up, not down, and meet death's coming with a fearless smile; endeavor not to run away from my weakness, but bravely fight them out; be glad of life, have hope and faith in everybody; try to live without hate, jealousy, temper and envy; avoid speaking critically and bitterly, repeating only the good I hear; love because I must, give because I cannot keep; doing for the joy of it; cheerful in disappointments, charitable toward the erring and fallen; protect helpless animals; do as I would be done by; be true, honest, and free from love and do every day something beautiful, some kindness that will cheer and strengthen another.

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CHICK-A-ROOSTER

Oh! Little Rooster!
What, trying to roost
Is that what you mean
By that noise? Oh!
Why, that was a crow.
'Twas a crow and a groan.
If I had not been looking
I should not have known
What it was that was making
That curious sound.
'Twas a crow and a groan.
I should not have known
What it was that was making
That curious sound.
I wish you could see
How funny you look,
With your mouth so wide open
Your neck in a crook,
And you straining so hard
To make that hoarse note,
'Twas a crow and a groan,
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BATTLE BECAME CHASE

The British Guards made an immortal charge.

"It was worth living, even if I am killed to-morrow, just to have seen such men charge," said one commanding officer whose speech to his men after the Guards had been into action will be remembered, almost syllable by syllable, by all who heard it.

Nor in war at any time is any scene more moving than when, the battle over, a regiment lines up under some shelter in the misty dawn to take toll of the missing, writes W. Beach Thomas, who with the British armies in the field.

However gallant men fight, at that moment they love not war. And the Guards fought in the East, in which I overheard news of any troubadour's dream; and fought it against bitter odds.

For the first time in history three battalions of the Goldstream Guards went over in line. They were swept and raked by rifle and machine-gun fire from many directions, and all the while the shells fell right and left.

For 200 yards the blast in their front and flank was enough to have stopped a locomotive. It did not stop the men. In the midst of this blast suddenly they came upon a trench from which ranks of enemy "Boys" were firing with all the accuracy of their training.

The enemy had fought well. He thought he could stop the Guards; but he had not counted on the courage of a sudden the disappearance of the "struggle" itself.

"We pushed 'em off the ridge like a cock of a parade." The British became a chase. The prisoners who were taken were just given up to us and taking it back to our lines, and took the permission to take their part.

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THE FIVE ROWS

Here they are all in a row: Who, what, where, when, and why. Any newspaper reporter can tell you about them, for they must be answered in every "story" he writes. It is a puzzle to invent an accident, the reporter must give the name and occupation. He must tell what happened where it happened, when it happened, and why.

Delinquency is the watchword of the newspaper office. Why not make it the watchword of the lawyer? Why not teach our children delinquency and dishonesty of speech during the school vacation?

One day my neighbor's little girl came over to visit me. She stammered, repeated, and lost her words as she talked. Instead of saying, "Charlie likes cake" she said, "Charlie, he likes cake." That was not an example among many, but it is typical of her involvement, mixed, hazy, and haphazard conversation.

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January—Snowdrop—Consolation.
February—Primrose—Early youth.
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April—Daisy—Innocence.
May—Hawthorn—Hope.
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July—Lily—Purity.
August—Poppy—Cooling sleep.
September—Morning glory—Contentment.
October—Hops—Joy.
November—Chrysanthemum—Cheerfulness.
December—Holly—Fervor.

BRIEFLETS

If fashions never changed, how would the fashion committee get articles for its magazine sale?

You can't always tell by the size of the rifle, how many voters your candidate won't get.

When a man's wife keeps him out of the house all the time, can you blame him if he bolts over once in a while?

It takes a pretty good carpenter to floor a building.

Whether stripes are now classified as long felt want?

The least important man is the more lads he pins on his coat.

A man is indeed ignorant if he is ignorant of his own ignorance.

BUSINESS

When Billy Bently applied for a job as office boy he produced testimonials from two clergymen who knew him well. But the hard-hearted business man was not particularly impressed by them.

"We don't want you on Sundays, my lad," he said. "Haven't you a reference from somebody who knows you on week days?"

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"You came from a dry town, didn't you?" "Dry? Why, they won't allow the carpenters to use spirit levels."

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PROPERLY CHARGED

Two women were discussing their marital troubles, when one asked, "By the way, what is your husband doing now?" "Oh," said the other, "he's a certain round fellow, what's going to happen next election."

"Then he's a prophet?"

"No, he ain't. So far as this family is concerned, he's a dead loss."

A GOOD HABIT

Whatever youth undertakes to learn he should not be suffered to leave it until he can reach his arms around it and clutch his hands on the other side. Thus he will learn the habit of thoroughness.

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