

THE HOME LIGHT

Forward through the darkness, My weary way I tread; The chill rain falls down cheerlessly, I shiver, I shiver, I shiver...

PECULIAR JUSTICE

To deal justly with one's neighbor requires in every land a well-adjusted mind and a ready sense of the rights of others...

THE FIVE PAIRS OF TWINS

Polly, Polly, Polly, tell the five pairs of twins, The five, scraps of small ones, The slim and lopping tall ones...

READY FOR EMERGENCIES

It is always best to be prepared for anything that may happen. The people of Afghanistan, for instance, are well prepared...

ANSWER TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE

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FRIGHTENED BY A POODLE

Perhaps Burns's famous line might have been made to read, "A dog's dog for a mad." But of all dogs, thoroughbred dogs, a shabby mongrel, a pointer, a beagle, a poor kind of a dog for defence, yet a misanthrope, whose experience has...

TEACHERS' ALL EXPENSE TOUR

To the Pacific Coast, including Canadian and American National Parks. A complete thirty day All-Expense tour is being arranged from Toronto to the North Pacific Coast...

HE OBEYED INSTRUCTIONS

The Club Woman, tells an amusing story of a party of women who recently visited Pike's Peak. A youth, still in knee-pants, although he wore a collar of extraordinary height and...

THE LAST STRAW

He had worked for the farmer for many years, and until his employer added poultry raising to his list of occupations, he was apparently content. Then the farmer, intent on conducting the new business on scientific principles, gave him the task of writing with an indolible pencil on each egg, the date when it was laid and the name of the hen that laid it...

HIS WIFE'S QUESTION

A man is known by the questions he asks. And the same is true of a woman. Mr. Hayes has a mind that delights in facts. He is a collector of postage stamps, and one night he laid down his paper, was about to go to bed, and then said, "That's odd."

NO ACCUSER NEEDED

Jones was walking along when he began to rain. In front he thought he saw his friend Brown with an umbrella. He stepped up on the back and said, "Hello, Brown. Give me that umbrella!"

The Free Press' Cross Word Puzzle



KEY TO CROSS WORD PUZZLE

- 1 To clip. 2 To employ. 3 A Canadian trade. 4 A note. 5 A concealed fellow. 6 Before Christ (ab.). 7 To amuse. 8 A period of time. 9 Mineral substance from which most of steel is extracted. 10 Short poem. 11 Two old letters. 12 A French word. 13 Passage, walk in a church. 14 Produced by heat. 15 Minute particle. 16 Kind of tree. 17 Malt liquor. 18 To outline. 19 The same as 33 horizontal. 20 A beverage. 21 Cheerful. 22 Beat part, the height of. 23 A French word. 24 Arabian chief. 25 A right (ab.). 26 A French word. 27 A kind of plant. 28 To find fault constantly. 29 A point of the compass (backwards). 30 Engagement. 31 For. 32 Domestic animal. 33 A refusal. 34 A legal degree (ab.).

INCREASE IN BUILDING IN CANADA

Sixty Canadian Cities Increase their Building Estimates 32% for Two Months. An indication of the improvement in business conditions in Canada is given by the report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics showing that the value of the building permits issued in 40 Canadian cities increased from \$4,422,204 in January, 1925, to \$5,781,843 in February, a gain of \$1,359,639, or 31% per cent. In February, 1924 the building permits authorized for \$4,027,780; there was, therefore, an increase in February, 1925 of \$1,754,063, or 43.5% per cent. In still more significant comparison...

FACTS ABOUT TEA SERIES—No. 1

Tea first became known in China nearly 3000 years before Christ. In that country tea was greatly prized, both for its remarkable qualities as a beverage and for the almost religious ceremony attached to the drinking of it. Up to the sixth century, tea was used only for medicinal purposes. Even in the seventeenth century it cost \$25.00 to \$50.00 per pound. All tea caddies were constantly kept under lock and key. Today when even fine quality like "SALADA" costs less than one-third of a cent per cup, it is not surprising that the consumption of tea is increasing tremendously.

"SALADA"

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Fairbanks' Bakery

THE PRICE IS 20c PER DOZEN. THEY WILL BE READY AT 5 P. M. THURSDAY. Phone 116. Mill St., Acton.

Mann Knows

Fred J. Mann is a small town merchant. He conducts a small general store in the little town of Devil's Lake, North Dakota. But despite the necessarily confined area from which he draws his patronage, Mr. Mann won the reputation of selling more merchandise than is sold in any store of equal size in the world.

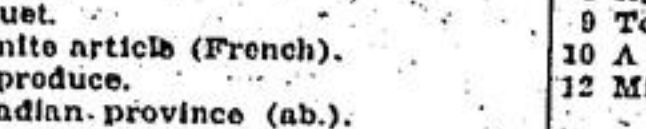
The secret of Mr. Mann's success is best told by a statement he recently made concerning newspaper advertising:

"I would feel I was tied hand and foot if I failed to tell the public through the home papers what I have to sell. The best time to advertise is when times are hard or business is bad and your competitor either curtails his advertising or is not advertising at all.

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