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**Marvelous Arcturus.**  
Of a deep orange color and of the first order of brightness, Arcturus is a sun that makes our own pale in comparison as a yellow dip pales before an arc lamp. Indeed, it is thought to radiate 500 times as much light as our sun.—National Geographic Society Bulletin.

If we could but fairly appraise our own ability, the ambitions of some would sink and those of others rise.

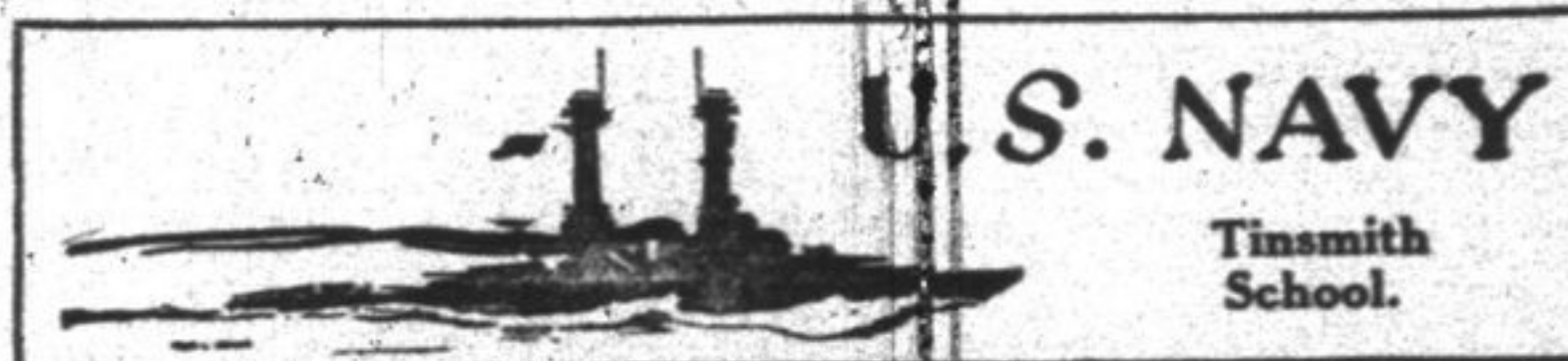
The modern version—"Parents should be seen but not heard."

**Kitty's Airplane.**  
Caroline, my four-year-old sister, having seen a few airplanes lately and knowing how they sound from a distance, said one evening: "Daddy, do you know our little kittle has an airplane inside of him?" "Why?" asked daddy. "Because," answered Caroline, "every time I hold him on my lap, I can hear it going."—Exchange.

In reading French history one is inclined to believe that the overworked guillotine may have been partly responsible for the small population of our loved ally across the sea.

**First Motion Pictures.**  
The motion picture was experimented with and test exhibitions were privately given in both this country and Europe in the early nineties, though it was not until 1895 that the invention had so far advanced as to make a public exhibition practicable. The latter part of that year they were exhibited in Europe and America.

Appropos we learn that other folks can't help thinking according to their lights any more than we can help thinking according to ours, we'll all be more tolerant—maybe.



Some U. S. sailors are shown here making plain and fancy stovepipes at a Navy training school. The gentle art of tin-smithing as taught in the U. S. Navy schools fits a man for a rating aboard a man of war. There his work is confined to his specialty and his ability should increase throughout his enlistment. There is no excuse for a man not becoming an expert by the end of his third or fourth year. He may then return to civil life entirely qualified in a profitable trade or continue in the service at the advanced pay allowed for re-enlistments. Besides the tin-smith school there are schools for every other trade used in the Navy. Carpenters, blacksmiths, plumbers, electricians, bakers, pharmacists, and a dozen other specialties are taught to the young recruits. If a young man has a hobby and wishes to perfect himself in some trade that he is fitted for, he may receive expert training by joining the Navy and applying for entrance to some trade school.

### GENTILITY IN HUMBLE GARD

Rags and Tatters Proudly Worn by the Famous Experimenters at Brook Farm.

"Arcadians though we were," wrote Hawthorne of the Brooks farm experiment, "our costume bore no resemblance to the beribboned doublets, silk breeches and stockings, and slippers fastened with artificial roses that distinguished the pastoral people of poetry and the stage. In outward show, I humbly concede, we looked rather like a gang of beggars, or handiits, than either a company of honest laboring men or a convale of philosophers. Whatever might be our points of difference, we all of us seemed to have come to Bethlehem with the one thrifty and laudable idea of wearing out our old clothes. Such garments as had an airing whenever we strode afield! Coats with high collars and with no collars; broad-skirted or swallow-tailed, and with the waist at every point between the hip and armpit; pantaloons of a dozen successive epochs, and greatly defaced at the knees by the humiliations of the wearer before his lady-love; in short, we were a living epitome of defunct fashions, and the very raggedest presentation of men who had seen better days. It was gentility in tatters. We might have been sworn comrades to Faust's ragged regiment. Little skill as we boasted in other points of husbandry, every mother's son of us would have served admirably to stick up for a scro-crow."

### FEAST WORTHY OF THE NAME

Montenegrins Put Up Elaborate Spread as Natural Part of the Wedding Ceremony.

The feasts prepared by Montenegrins, when weddings are celebrated, overshadow the most elaborate affairs along that line in America, says Edna Worthley Underwood, in a translation of a story, "Furot Illyricus," by A. von Vestendorff. Two serving maids and the head of the house enter with huge, four-cornered bottles. One little drink and a dried fig open the meal. This is a custom to banish the taste of cigars, which are always in evidence. The heavy, thick, ink-black wine of Lissa is then poured, and the diners choose their favorite morsels from plates, after which sugared eggs are passed around. This is just the beginning of the banquet, which is followed by minestra, baked macaroni, with hashoe made from the entrails of young lambs, fowl roasted in sugar, small herbons baked in oil, baked fish with citron, pullets cooked with fresh vegetables, and beef served on huge platters. Wine flows in abundance, and boisterous laughter and loud talking prevail. The banquet is closed with a special dish, after champagne has been served. A roast lamb is brought in on a wooden platter, and put near the lower end of the large table. With a lordly gesture the master of ceremonies steps forward, and with a large knife, ground as thin as a hair, chops the lamb into four pieces with two strokes. The women continue to eat cakes and fruit, but the men spend the remainder of the time drinking.

### Shooting the Mines.



The U. S. Mine Sweeping Detachment has just returned from its work in the North Seas. The ever present danger of floating mines was counteracted by the sharp eyesight of the men who were behind the guns. Their job was to pick off the mines as they appeared and explode them by direct hits. The lives of the other men aboard and the safety of the ship depended on their keenness. A large proportion of the 55,000 mines laid in the North Seas by the U. S. Navy was destroyed in this way. This is just one of the jobs that come in the career of a U. S. sailor; one of the experiences that gives him a grip on himself and makes him a regular fellow.

### What is a Creole?

Originally the word was used to denote persons born in the West Indies of Spanish parents to distinguish them from immigrants direct from Spain, aboriginals, negroes or mulattoes. It is now used for the descendants of non-aboriginal races born and settled in the West Indies, in various parts of the American mainland and in Mauritius, Reunion or some other places colonized by Spain, Portugal, France or (in the case of the West Indies) by England. The use of the word by some writers as necessarily implying a person of mixed blood is entirely erroneous. In itself "creole" has no distinction of color; a creole may be a person of European, negro or mixed extraction, or even a horse. French Canadians are never Creoles.—Brooklyn Eagle.

### Opals and Pearls.

We suppose that those people who call pearls "tears" do so because both are globular and limpid. It is suggested by resemblance. The ancients believed that pearls are formed of drops of dew that fall into the shells of the oysters at night. If the dew was pure the pearls would be beautiful and clear; if impure, they would be dull and muddy. We do not find that the opal is considered unlucky. In mottoes made of the first letter of gems it is used to spell "good luck." It is also used to spell the word "hope."

### PROVERBS

- The fiddle makes the feast.—German.
- A clear bargain, a dear friend.—Italian.
- A lame goat will not sleep by day.—Spanish.
- With the gospel men become heretics.—Italian.
- The handle of a new razor strap of the usual two faced-type is hollowed out to form a recess to contain a louse.
- Demands for telephone service in Japan are about 150,000 ahead of the government's ability to supply equipment.
- Ceylon's College of Tropical Agriculture will be developed into one of the largest institutions of the kind in the world.

**Coconut Palm the Tropical Cow.**  
Copa consists of the dried meats of coconuts. It contains from 50 to 65 per cent of oil. In India, Ceylon, China, the South Sea Islands and elsewhere the oil has been used as food since the dawn of history, for the fats contained in it are singularly like the milk fats of mammals in most respects. It is already in wide use in this country as "nut margarine," which is coconut oil into which some butter has been melted and the whole churned with skim-milk—that is, milk with the fats removed—and worked as ordinary butter.

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