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The fellow who pulls on the oars doesn't have time to rock the boat.

Someone has probably told you that a masseuse lives off the fat of the land.

If she washes dishes for \$5 a week that is servitude. If she does it for nothing, that is romance. -0-

Wasted opportunities are usually found on a bench in the park or hanging around a pool room.

A few may begin at the bottom and rise but more people begin at the bottom and stick there. -0-

Instead of more people per square mile, the world needs more square people per mile.

About all you can say for minding your neighbor's business is that you never run out of something to do.

Maybe we do get short weight for our money but the grocer has a long wait for it. -0-

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homely, that, whatever you did, people wouldn't talk about you?

Ceremonies may differ but true politeness is the same the world over. -0-

Good salesmanship is selling goods which won't come back to customers that will.

One thing about a radio speaker, he stops when his time is up, not always true of some after-dinner

speakers. -0-Today is no different from the day on which you began your record

week. -0-Over the radio we hear classical music, jazzical music and jackassical music.

-0-It's the easiest thing in the world for us to raise the devil with our children for raising the devil we used to raise ourselves when we were children.

Read It Or Not

No moving object can reverse its course without coming to a complete stop—such as a bullet meeting a cannonball. -0-

My Work

# Handshaking Has Drawback

Originated As An Act to Bind Contracts, Not Salutation

Handshaking, once a gentle gesture of agreement, peace or friendship, continues in modern times to develop painful consequences - as the retiring Governor of New Jersey recently discovered when the ceremony raised a blister on his right hand. Presidents at their levees have often suffered a muscular lameness from taking this salute, says the New York Times. At an official reception, in Canada the Duke of Windsor, then Prince of Wales, felt a bone crack under the overhearty handclasp of a cowpunch-

## Part of Ancient Ceremony

The custom of handshaking did not originate as a salutation but as an act binding a contract. The grasping of hands was part of the ancient Hindu marriage ceremony. It passed into a mannerly courtesy in Rome. Giving the right hand of fellowship as mentioned in the Bible (Gal. 11:9), spread throughout Christendom and had become usual as a salutation in the Europe of the Middle Ages.

Extending the right, or sword, hand symbolized an unarmed approach. All through Byzantium the custom reached the Moslem communities, where it was adopted as a legal formality, but there the joining of hands meant the pressing of thumbs together. Some African tribes substituted the handclasp for their habit of showing defenselessness of disarming or partly uncovering in deference to a superior.

# English Shake Least

Thus the handshake was at no period hitherto likely to give distress, but to be a reassuring, ingratiating greeting. The heavy grip began as a more or less clumsy attempt to emphasize one's inner feeling of hail-fellow cordiality. Even that is considered less of an ordeal than the greeting customs of certain aborigines - the embraces of Australian blacks, the nose rubbings of Polynesians, Malays, Eskimos and Laplanders. The Japanese obeisances and genuflections, accompanied by hissing, is supposed to have derived from the cowering or the crouching attitudes of humility in the ancient East.

Among modern Europeans the English are said to shake hands less frequently than others; the French do shake hands upon meeting and departing; and the Germans repeatedly, on the slightest occasion.

**Cave Man's Words** Still Used Today

Professor Says Phrases Are More **Figurative Now** 

Figures of speech which were an integral part of the cave man's simple language now occupy a prominent place in the modern vocabulary, according to William Hawley Davis, professor of English at Stanford University and editor of the Stanford University Press, Palo Alto, California.



# GARDENING

PREPARATIONS In few other things does a little preliminary planning yield such tangible returns as in gardening. It is possible to construct a house without a blue print, though the job will usually be regretted. Gardens, too, can be created in this fashion but the results are apt to be confused with the natural conglomeration of weeds. tin cans and abandoned motor cars which litter up the usual vacant lot. A little planning is most esential and it will enhance the interest in the hobby, pastime, work or whatever gardening is called, as well as add very materially to its real value. Now, while the earth is still dormant, or at least too wet or too cold to indulge in any but the hardiest kind of planting, is the time to begin these plans. All that is necessary is a pencil and paper, a seed catalogue, and possibly a Government bulletin or two.

# SHRUBBERY

For the permanent sort of gardening, that is the kind using perennial flowers, shrubs, trees, grass and other things that grow for years, some preliminary planning is absolutely es-sential. True, most Canadian garden authorities advocate informal planting for the average home surroundings, but even in simple informality some previous notion of the final results is desirable. Otherwise, there are going to be tiny shrubs hidden by large ones, grass is going to be too shaded in one quarter and delicate flowers burnt up in another.

Even in the vegetable patch, it is a splendid idea, so the horticulturists state, to plot the whole patch roughly to scale, and then lay out the rows so that tall corn, staked tomatoes and similar things have plenty of room each way, but beans, carrots and beets do not get more than from 15 to 24 inches between the rows.

# **Crusade Brings Back Blushing**

Beauty Expert Says Lack of Blood In Faces Is Making **Girls Fade** 

The common blush, practically discarded since sorority sisters discovered Freud and found that the whole business was just an inferiority complex, is going to be revived in an effort to keep American women from becoming a race of gargoyles.

A crusade to restore the blush to good standing was announced last week by Miss Grace Donohue, Chicago redhead, who described herself as a "professor of beauty-within) and without."

## They've Forgotten How

Miss Donohue said that the trouble with American girls is that "most of them have forgotten how to blush. The result is that they never get any blood in their face, their skin fades and they become ugly."

So she is forming a national asso-ciation of "blush of the month" clubs, the only requirement for which is a blush.

### Ten Grades of Blushing

Miss Donohue will distribute membership cards to her blush clubs, and is preparing a list of 10 guides to blushing. Among the slogans will be "How are your vaso-constrictors today?" and "try an old-fashioned blush—it's gland." The vaso-con-strictor, Miss Donohue explained, is the nerve that enables persons to blush and blushing is good for the glands.

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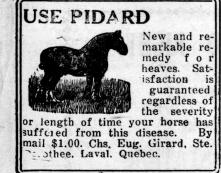
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Let me but do my work from day to day,

In field or forest, at the desk or loom,

In roaring market-place or tranquil room,

Let me find it in my heart to say When vagrant wishes beckon me astray,

"This is my work; my blessing, not my doom; Of all who live, I am the one by

whom This work can best be done in the right way."

Then shall I see it not too great, nor small.

To suit my spirit and to prove my powers:

shall I cheerful greet the la-Then boring hours,

cheerful turn, when the long And shadows fall

At eventide, to play and love and rest.

Because I know for me my work is best.-Henry VanDyke.

# From the Grave

"I am here from the grave, and I want to be heard immediately because I want to get back," said a man, in earth-soiled clothes, to the judge at a small Hungarian court. He was a grave-digger.

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Davis said the cave men used such figures of speech. as "back-biting," "back-scratching," "skinning alive,"

"girding up one's loins" and other expressions much in use today.

Existence Very Real Then Davis said that existence on the cave man level was still very real to the average person. To the cave man, explained, a "bone of contention." an "eye for an eye" and "cut-throat competititon" meant more than they do to us; but we can still use each freely. "Literally," he said, "the cave man 'wielded a big stick, 'left no stone

unturned,' 'kept an ear to the ground,' found a 'bird in the hand worth two in the bush' and 'killed two birds with one stone,' whereas now these expressions are used figuratively.

Derived From Horses

"In a similar way people still employ a large number of figures derived from horses. These include 'raring to go,' 'prick up his ears', 'bridle at,' and 'take the bit in his teeth'.

"These must be increasingly vague to the generations growing up since automobiles have displaced horses. est human in medical history, who We may expect them to be used less observed his twentieth birthday last and less because fewer people find that week, is nearing the end of his phethey convey thought effectively." nomenal growth, according to physicians. Measurements revealed Wad-

# Shooting Star's Tail

The reason why a shooting star appears to have a tail trailing behind is that an image remains in our eyes for about a sixteenth of a second. Since the falling meteorite (wrongly called "shooting star") is moving very quickly, it has covered quite a distance before than sixteenth of a second has passed; so there appears to be a tail. It is the same phenomenon that makes the spokes of a whirling wheel look solid; and it is also the basis for the apparent continuous action on the movie screen on which sixteen pictures are flashed every second.



NURSERY STOCK

Early spring is generally considered the most favourable season for planting nursery stock. Under the latter heading comes a wide variety of plants, including rose bushes, shrubs, fruit and ornamental trees, perennial flower plants, vines, raspberry bushes, asparagus, strawberry plants and a host of other permanent things.

In purchasing such material authorities emphasize the importance of securing fresh stock from a reliable Canadian source. Roots and stems should be pliable and moist and if there is any upper growth, as in the case of shrubs and trees, there should be evidence of live green buds.

**Stops Growing** 

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