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HEALTH EDUCATION

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Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health matters through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina Crescent, Toronto.

What kind of person you are is due, in some measure, to heredity, but environment also plays a great part in your disposition and general character. If you are surrounded by uplifting and ennobling influences, the tendency is for you to become a better man or woman. If, on the other hand, your surroundings are mean, squalid or debased, there is little likelihood of your leading a life above or even equal to that of the average mortal. Show me the people you associate with," says one authority, "and I will tell you what you are." Of course, there are exceptions to this, and in our mind's eye we can recount at least a few great men who have brushed aside their forbidding environment and risen to heights of fame, but as a general rule our surroundings and external influences play a great part in

baskets and his strings for fishing nets. The wood itself he uses in building.

An oil palm will bear fruit within seven years after the young tree is planted. The fruit comes in what is called a "regime," which resembles a huge bunch of grapes; each fruit in the cluster is approximately the size of a large date. The outer part, which is called the pericarp, is almost entirely yellow oil inclosed in a thick skin. Imbedded in the oil is the kernel, which contains a finer oil. The fruit is boiled down, and the kernels are dried and exported in bags to England, where they are broken open and the oil in them used for making margarine.

For hundreds of years the natives have gathered the fruit of the palm and have extracted the oil. The waste at first was enormous; the blacks threw away the kernels because they were unaware of the valuable substance inside.

London Bridge.

The folk that live in London, They cross with little heed, The bridge their fathers builded To carry them at need.

The folk that come to London, Hotfoot from everywhere, They loiter by the arches, And lift their eyes and stare.

And, London-born or strangers, Men cross before they die, The famous bridge of London, Beneath the London sky.

—Eric Chilman.

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Too often we are the victims of environment. What a lot of harm can be wrought in a family by a hard-hearted and thoughtless parent! How many children have left the old home-stead because they did not receive any affection or even consideration! Lack of sympathy and lack of interest among members of a family are the cause of many a wrecked home. Then too, the common practice of nagging or fault-finding is bad and often leads to dire results.

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