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## CHILDREN WHO "GO TO WORK"

By the Rev. Charles Stelzel.

Most of us are deluded by the statement that it is a good thing for all children to go to work—but there's a vital difference between "child labor" and "children's work"—the first usually destroys child life whereas the second enriches it. Street trades hold more perils for children than ever before, because the streets themselves are filled with greater dangers. Besides the irregularity of the hours, the night work, the weather, and the traffic, there is the glamour of the crowd and the lights, and the general crowding of life and morals which dominate the city—all of which produces artificiality, delinquency, and lowered mental capacity for permanent work.

Three-fourths of the child workers in the United States are engaged in some kind of farm labor. Children from seven to fourteen should no more be regularly employed on the farm, the cotton field, and the beet field than in the mill or the factory, and it is a question whether the moral and physical risks for children who work are not as great in the country as they are in the city.

Every year in the United States over a million children between fourteen and sixteen leave school to go to work and a majority of them are recruited to protect America's "infant" industries—even though it has been clearly demonstrated that American workshops can succeed without child labor, and in spite of the fact that we have quite generally accepted the dictum that any industry which cannot afford to pay a living wage to adults has no right to live.

We have made real progress in the abolition of child labor—although it must not be forgotten that the fight in the courts in behalf of the children is not yet won, nor that the present federal tax law in the United States affects only fifteen per cent of all working children—those who work in factories, mines and quarries—not yet that it does not affect at all agricultural, domestic and delivery service.

America the "Backward Nation" in Child Welfare.

In the United States social workers are still talking about "minimum standards" regarding child welfare. They are still discussing the provisions—not yet attained in America—"which no civilized country can afford to ignore if it would endure."

The United States has the shortest school term, the shortest school year, and the shortest school year.

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Seventeen states have no statutes regulating the age of marriage—in nine of these, common law has fixed the age for girls at twelve years. In many of these states we find the rather curious situation of a judge dealing with "married truants," and of making decisions regarding married workers who are under age according to the child labor law.

Children deprived of play-life are robbed of their childhood—and the world can never repay what has been lost, even though it may try, in an agony of repentance, to compensate these children—for in this respect, there is no forgiveness of sin.

**Committee at Work to Improve Conditions.**

The National Child Labor Committee has rendered a heroic service in behalf of the children of America. More and more its work is preventive and educational.

Studies of the child problem are made by a technically trained staff—men and women who are experts in their various fields. These workers not only study conditions, but they investigate the methods and laws which are being depended upon to remove bad conditions.

The doctor on the staff covers the state health machinery.

The educational expert studies the laws and administrative machinery.

The recreational expert looks into the organized opportunities for the play-life of children.

The agricultural expert becomes familiar with the chances offered the child on the farm to develop mentally, socially and economically, especially as compared with the city child.

The child labor expert investigates conditions among children engaged in industrial occupations of all kinds and what chances they have to develop normally.

The juvenile court expert reports on such matters as standards, jurisdiction, procedure, and co-operating agencies with reference to the treatment of delinquent children.

The staff lawyer draws up a summary of laws and their enforcement, and makes recommendations of new laws when necessary.

These experts come into a state at the invitation of local organizations and work with them until the task has been completed.

One of the most useful functions of the Committee is the securing through its experts of State Code Commissions, and advising them in the preparation of a Children's Code—the Children's Bill of Rights.

Already there are in existence twenty-one such commissions or bodies of workers which are practically the equivalent of Code Commissions.

**Health Work Needed.**

Out of 22,000,000 school children 75 per cent. are physically defective. Twenty-nine per cent of the men examined for war service were physically unfit.

Pennsylvania, until recently one of the greatest exploiters of children, had 55 per cent of her men physically unfit. One southern mill town had 60 per cent. physically unfit.

The death rate of workmen between the ages of 30 and 45 is 20 per cent, greater than the death rate of all men of the same ages. This is due in part to the fact that they went to work too early in life at occupations which destroyed their health.

If employers of labor regard it worth while to conserve the health of their adult employees, it is still more important to preserve their health while they are yet children.

**Groups of Handicapped Children.**

Defective children—the tragedy of all humanity—suffer through no fault of their own. What shall be done for them? We have only begun to help them through modern, humanized methods. And the poor, who cannot afford private nurses and special treatment are most severely handicapped in the care of these unfortunate sufferers.

**Good Night Stories**

By Blanche Silver

Betty Takes a Trip With Gocombeback.

Betty certainly was happy when she looked up from her study book and saw Gocombeback, the travel elfin, smiling down at her from the arm of her chair.

"I knew it!" she laughed merrily, shaking the little elfin's hands. "I knew if I wished hard enough you'd answer me."

"Well," replied Gocombeback, "I heard your wish the first time, but I waited to see if you were in earnest."

"Indeed I am," she said, "and I know if you take me on a trip I'll remember every word of the lesson."

Gocombeback laughed merrily, and taking Betty's hand, they sailed through the window away to a strange, strange land called India.

"Agra is the second city in size and importance in the northwest provinces of India," said Gocombeback, pointing to the beautiful little city situated on a great bend of the Jumna river. "In some ways it's the most interesting place in all India."

The city was walled in by a fort about a mile and a half in circumference, and was about eighty feet high. Surrounding this famous red sandstone fort ran a moat, crossed by a drawbridge. Gocombeback told Betty it is called the Delhi Gate.

Through this gate they entered what appeared to be a perfect fairyland to Betty.

"That beautiful building you see is the Pearl House," said Gocombeback. "It was the private chapel of the Mogul emperors."

Standing in the bright sunlight its dazzling whiteness blinded Betty, so Gocombeback gave her a pair of colored glasses to wear.

The mosque was built of white marble, and Betty was allowed to read the inscription upon it, which informed her: "It is like a precious pearl. No other mosque in the world is lined throughout with marble."

A short walk brought them to the emperor's palace, and Betty was delighted with its beautiful halls, wide pavilions and its marble baths.

Gocombeback let Betty wander at her own will over the palace, peeping first into one room then into another. She had never seen such a beautiful place before, and hated to leave it when Gocombeback led her on to the next building.

"Next we'll see the Taj Mahal," said Gocombeback. "It is, without doubt, the most exquisite structure in Agra, and I think it cannot be excelled in all India."

Then he led Betty down toward a cluster of domes.

The building stood on the banks of the sacred Jumna river in the centre of a garden filled with orange and lemon trees, pomegranates, palms and rare flowering shrubs. The garden itself was a third of a mile square, surrounded by a wall sixty feet high. The wall, built of red sandstone and inlaid with marble, was richly carved. An avenue of cypress trees led down to the Taj Mahal, which was crowned with a snow-white dome.

The foundation on which it stood was a marble platform, nine hundred feet square and forty feet high. At each corner was a little turret. Gocombeback told Betty that from this place the whole were called to worship. The whole interior of the building was lined with mosaic work.

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**AT PLEASANT VALLEY.**

Pleasant Valley, April 5. — An alarm of fire caused excitement here on Friday and every house in the neighborhood was called to their telephones. The burning of T. H. Watson's chimney proved to be a false alarm on April 1st. The Manson brothers intend patronizing the bachelors' ball on Friday night at Harrowsmith. A. Watson has leased his farm to T. Emery, Harrowsmith. Some farmers are now ploughing. Sugar season is over and farmers have taken up their buckets. A splendid yield is reported. The Watson Bros. with their wood sawing machine have been going the rounds cutting wood, and every farmer in this vicinity has now a pile pile.

Gordon Ellerbeck was a recent visitor at Hartington. James Manson and Earl Botting visited at W. Botting's, Harrowsmith. T. Bradford returned home on Monday from Kingston where he spent a few days visiting his daughter, Mrs. Joyner. Trappers report a fair muskrat season. Erwin Manson returned to high school at Sydenham Monday. Friends of Mrs. Joseph Watson are pleased to hear she has recovered from an attack of scarlet fever. Mrs. W. McRory and daughter, Sydenham, are visiting at T. Ellerbeck's. Carman Botting was at T. A. Carr's recently.

**Advertising Stunts.**

(John K. Barnes, in World's Work)

Mr. Olds, the inventor of the first car produced in quantity, knew that with the car going in New York, the rest of the country would clamor for it. The tricks to which the sales agency resorted to attract New York's public attention—even to getting arrested for speeding on Fifth avenue and for upsetting a bicycle policeman—is a unique story. The net result was the sale of 750 curved-dash Oldsmobile runabouts in New York City in 1902.

**Tips to Housewives**

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For delicious spring onions place the onions, cooked in a buttered glass baking dish and pour a white sauce over them. Cover with fine crumbs and bits of butter and grated cheese and brown in an oven.

**Fires Shell 100 Miles**

Experiments have been made recently in Belgium with a new Turbo cannon, which is claimed to fire a shell 100 miles, or three times the range of the Big Bertha. Lieutenant Delamare-Maze, a French Officer, is the inventor of the gun.

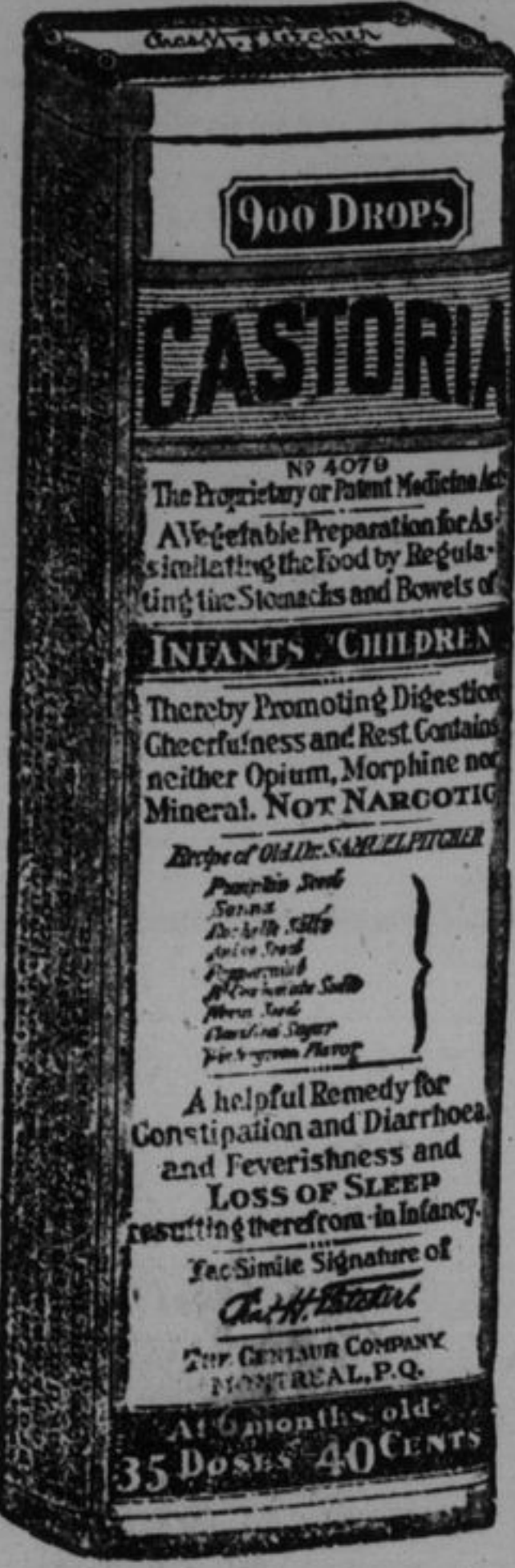
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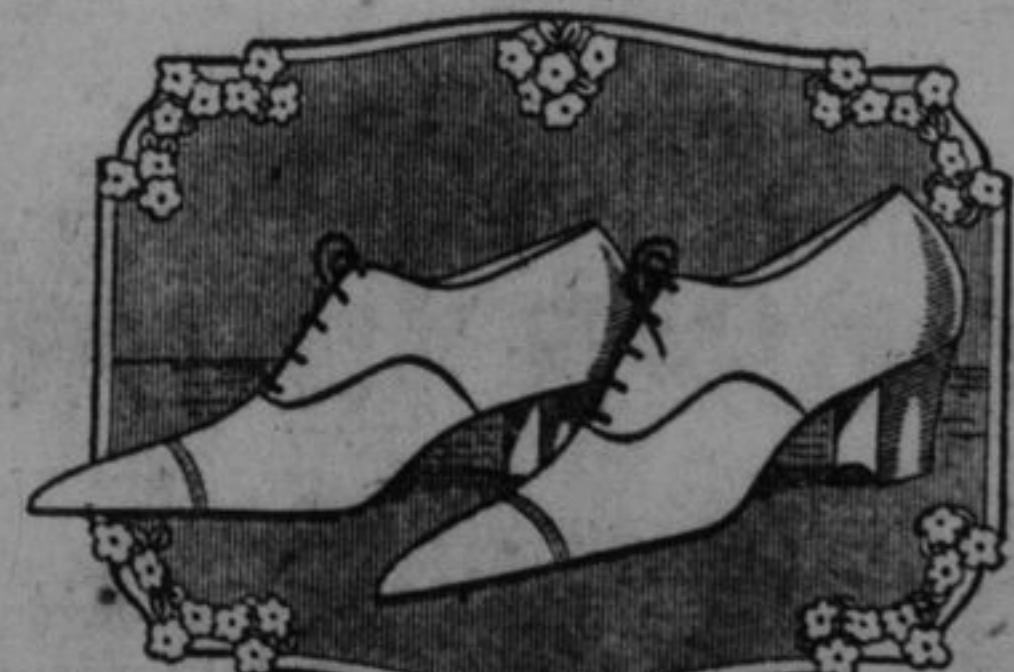


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