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What this country needs is socks guaranteed for 10,000 miles.

If every day was Sunday we would all be killed and injured soon.

When people speak of a "fond" parent, they always mean a fool parent.

Pietly alone may build a church, but it takes rivalry to erect the fine ones.

At any rate, the ass that spoke in Bible times didn't say: "I told you so."

And one can imagine that when Adam first heard Cain he thought it static.

A class A bootlegger is one who deplores the lawlessness of the lower classes.

Quarrelsome men usually have heavy heads of hair. There are no bald women.

The end of a flapper's day, briefly described: "She took her smile off and went to bed."

Telling a girl her petticoat is showing is not polite because they don't wear petticoats.

Since 30,000 horses are killed in bull fights in Spain every year they ought to use divers.

When a man is undone he's done, usually. The English language is a wonderful invention.

A woman is getting old when she no longer denies having done most of the proposing.

A free country is one in which you can choose between collecting rent receipts and tax receipts.

Nobody really hates gossip except those who provide them with exciting topics of conversation.

The immigrants think they have a right to this country because it was discovered by an immigrant.

A foolish man seeks the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow while a wise man enjoys the rainbow.

Beauty secret: Your eyes can be made bright and shiny by always having them on something you like.

Just when the dark clouds were lifting came the sad news that 1,017,696 cases of salmon have been packed.

Nations are a modest lot, and when one saves itself it remarks casually that it has saved civilization.

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There are two kinds of men: Very busy men who will serve you now, and men who have little to do and will attend to your case next week.

BIBLE THOUGHT

THOU ART MY LAMP, O Lord, and the word will lighten my darkness. For by thee I walk through a troop; by thy word have I leaped over a wall.—2 Samuel 22:29, 30.

REROUTING THE TOURIST.

In spite of present opposition, provincial and trans-continental highways will eventually skirt the larger towns and cities. Many centres of population have already provided roads for the detouring of through traffic away from busy city thoroughfares.

Where overnight stops are to be made or shopping done by the through traveler the city centres will be no less accessible than now when the main highways are routed around the city or over little travelled streets.

Whether all want it or not, this form of diverting city traffic must come if city and town traffic is to be saved from hopeless entanglement.

The greatest difficulty will not be in re-routing the highway, but in keeping congestion-creating business off the through highways.

APPROACHING.

Advertisements are beginning to appear with decorations of holly and mistletoe and smiling faces of Santa Claus.

In other words, Christmas shopping. The holiday is less than a month ahead, fewer shopping days than thirty by a good deal.

Every year more sensible persons do their Christmas shopping early.

The roadside signboard has a certain advertising value and the public neither envies the advertiser for his profit from it nor does it desire to deprive the advertiser of any business advantage.

Motorists find the poster-board obnoxious for the three reasons that it mars the landscape, obstructs the view of the scenery and creates a traffic hazard by interference with the vision of the driver.

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DOOMEN.

A storm of public opinion now brewing may sweep the unsightly billboard or advertising sign from the roadside of main thoroughfares in this country.

Canada's Story Day by Day

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A MINISTER'S PROPOSAL.

Nation-wide reversion to the whipping post of a former day is recommended by an eastern minister for "wife beaters, drug-store cowboys, women insulters and good fellows who are grouches at home."

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brutal legalized lash. The whipping post belongs to the barbarous age of the Spanish Inquisition and to the period of Puritan intolerance.

There are members of society who cease to prey upon their fellow men only when behind prison bars. For them society maintains prisons and policemen.

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

The Heart and Exercise.

In a former article I spoke about two physicians differing on a case of so called tuberculosis of the lungs.

The one who pronounced it tuberculosis won his argument by saying "Well if I'm wrong and he isn't tuberculosis of the lungs, the treatment in the open air with good food will only be of help whereas if I'm right and he doesn't get this treatment, what about it?"

Now the lungs are made of very soft tissue and trouble can spread rapidly unless extreme care is taken.

For this reason there can be no question that in cases of suspected trouble, it is better to treat the case as if it were really a lung condition than to take a chance upon waiting for a long standing "cold" or "cough" to get better.

This may mean some hardships, but time is a big factor, and the sooner the healing influences of fresh air and good food are secured, the more likely is the case to recover.

But what about so called "heart disease?"

I believe we should take the other view of things so as not to cause alarm.

One of the mistakes we have been making in the past is in speaking of heart disease, or a heart murmur, as if it meant sudden death at any time.

The number of men who have had a heart murmur perhaps all their lives, or following some childish complaint, and who have never even suspected it, would total many thousands.

But when they were being examined for life insurance, the physician detected it, and according to the rules of the company had to reject them.

What was the result? Many of them have been quite philosophical about it and said "Well I seem to be able to walk, run, play games, or work as well as anyone else, so I guess I'll get along all right."

Others, however, take the matter very much to heart, and begin to worry about it.

Worry kills just as surely as anything else, and so these chaps begin to have indigestion and sleepless nights.

They try to take all strain off the heart, by resting whenever possible.

What is the result? That the heart muscle becomes weaker than before, because of this very lack of exercise.

Your family doctor will tell you that a heart murmur, a leaky valve, never kills anyone just as long as the heart muscles keep strong enough to do its work.

And the way to keep it strong is not by resting or trying to save it, but by walking, and other light forms of exercise.

Tenth Anniversary Of the Great War

Dec. 4th, 1914. Germans flooded out south of Dixmude. Inundation by the opening of the dykes, extended. The fight along the coast and south of Ypres has been renewed.

Italy is still neutral and the parliament meets Thursday to decide which side of the war it will take.

King George, on his visit to the hospitals at the front, spoke with a wounded German officer and expressed the hope that he would be supplied with German literature.

A hundred German aeroplanes have been lost since the war started and to replace them, three factories are turning them out at the rate of two a day.

Don't Do It. It's a poor joke—When some woman blushes with embarrassment.

When something sacred is made to appear common.

When a man's weakness provides the cause for laughter.

When profanity is required to make it funny.

When a little child is brought to tears.

When everyone can't join in the laughter.

A 13-year-old boy was killed at Toledo, O., while crawling under a freight train to rescue his dog.

learning to prepare for attack. In the fighting which followed the loyalists were commanded by Col. Fitzgibbon to whom, in 1813, Laura Secord carried her famous warning, and the rebels were commanded by an officer named Van Egmond who had served as a colonel under Napoleon.

ODD FACTS ABOUT YOURSELF

By YALE S. NATHANSON, B. Sc., M.A. Department of Psychology, University of Pennsylvania

Learning Via the Eye. When you began life your mind was like an empty slate, a mass of putty upon which impressions were to be made.

Many children go through life handicapped by the fact that they have never been shown how to study in order to get the greatest results.

There are three kinds of people in the world—eye-minded, ear-minded and motor-minded.

Let us take the eye-minded person. He is the individual who learns through the eye. There are some artists who are so much eye-minded that when they do portrait work they have the subject sit for an hour and they study him closely.

After he has left the artist begins to paint from memory. This is possible because the person can carry over the image just as if the object were standing before him.

Some musicians can memorize an entire musical selection by remembering each note as it stands in the written page.

An actor recently told a psychologist that when he memorized a play he was so distinctly eye-minded that later, when acting his part, he could actually see the page and mentally turned each page as he finished it.

If you are eye-minded, the only economical and satisfactory way to learn is through the eye, and it therefore pays to develop this particular system of study.

Eye-mindedness may be of two kinds—the concrete and the verbal type. If some one should say the word "house," what do you see? Do you see a red brick building or do you see the letters written h-o-u-s-e?

If you see the "house" itself, i.e., the building, you have concrete vision, while if you see the word instead you have verbal vision.

Many people think they are eye-minded when they are not. Here is a method to make a sure test: Draw a four-inch square, divide it into sixteen little blocks and then put a letter in each little square.

Look at the squares for a minute or two. Then close your eyes. Can you reproduce from memory the letters as they appear frontward, backward, diagonally or in any other scheme in the figure? If you can do this you are truly eye-minded.

While the shape of the head does not necessarily prove anything conclusively, nevertheless, people who are strongly eye-minded usually have a well-formed development evident in the back of the head.

It is in this region of the brain that the seat of visual memory is supposed to be located.

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