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INFLUENCE OF THE MOTHER

Well to Remember That She Is Ever
a Model of Behavior to the
Children.

It is hard for a young mother, who has not yet overcome the wayward tendencies of her own youthful nature, to realize the influence she exerts over her little one. She is constantly surrounded by critical imitations who copy her words and manners.

As the mother is, so are her sons and daughters. If a family of children are blessed with an intelligent mother, who is dignified and refined in her manner, and does not consider it necessary to be one woman in the drawing room and an entirely different person in her everyday life, but who is a true mother and always a tender, charming woman, she will invariably see her habits of speech and perfect manners repeated in her children.

Great, though true and noble, but here will always tend down, their words and they quietly and try to be more numerous when she stops to give them a kind word and a pleasant smile. For a true woman will never fail to say and do all the kind, pleasant things she can that will in any way help to lift up and show those whose lives are shaded with care and toil. The number of today rules the world of tomorrow.

PERSONAL QUESTION.



"Say, Minister, bet you'd a bet, how often does you get a day? I see six ten times and I think you about ten."

It is a shame for people who have in their lives a consciousness of love and character and courage, to fall into the wasteful folly of unhappiness about the unimportant.—Margaret DeLand.

Post Toasties

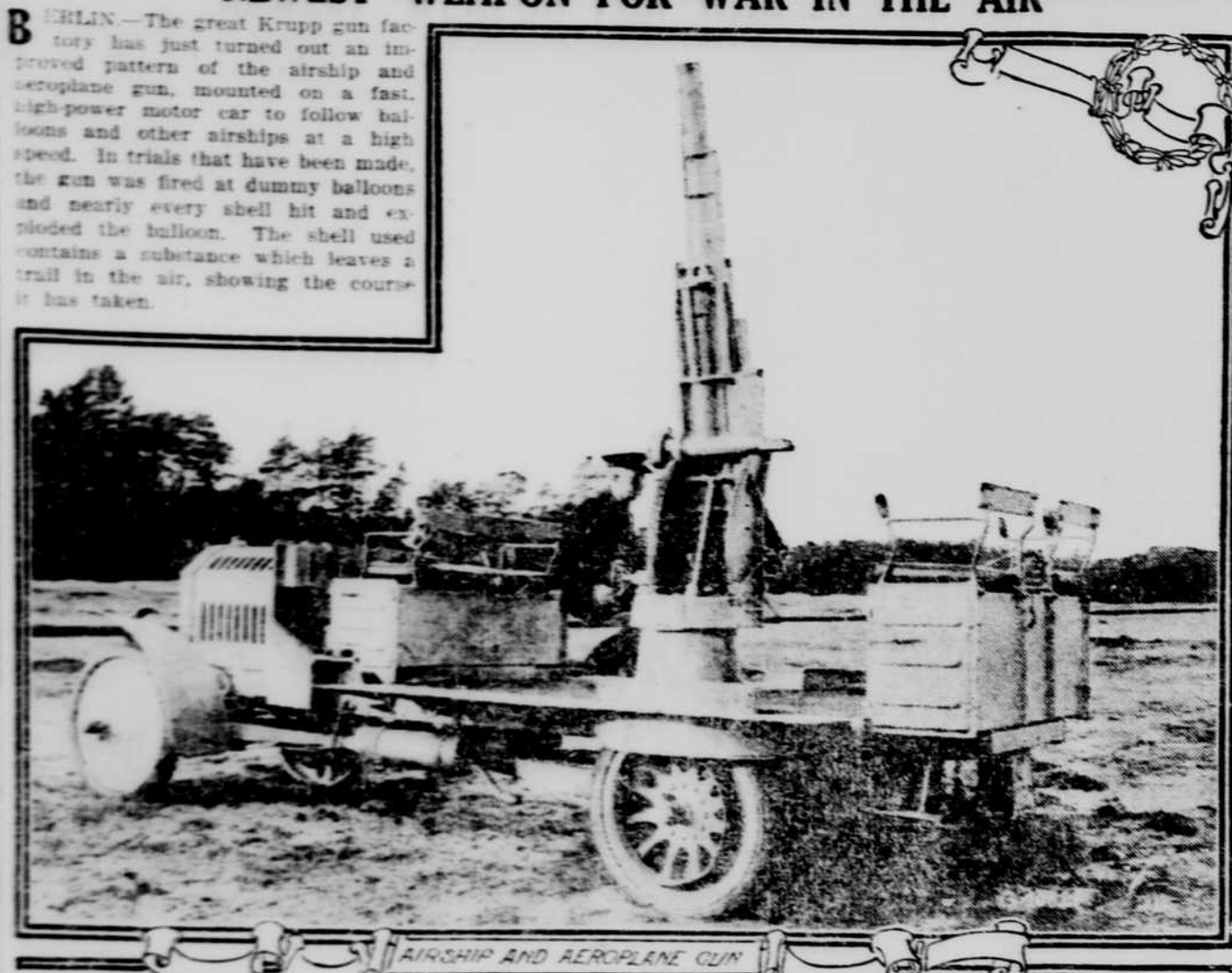
A bowl of these crisp fluffy bits served with cream or milk is something not soon forgotten.

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NEWEST WEAPON FOR WAR IN THE AIR



SNAKES KILL MANY TO REGISTER APPLE TREES

Reptiles in India Cause More Deaths Than Any Animal.

Tigers Claim 900 Victims, Leopards and Wolves Slay 571; Other Animals 656—Ravages of Plague Are Checked.

Calcutta—Over 21,000 lives—that's the toll of the jungle and forest in India for a single year.

These figures of sudden death are set out in tabular form, in the Blue Book just issued which deals with the statistics of the Indian empire, under the heading, "Number of Persons and Cattle Killed in British India by Wild Animals and Snakes."

The list goes into details. Thus we learn that in the year under review, 1908, not fewer than 909 people fell victims to tigers, 302 to leopards, while snakes claimed 269 as their prey.

But the ravages of the man eater were as nothing compared to those of the snake, for the poisoned fangs of the latter put an end to 15,738 lives.

To cattle, leopards were by far the most destructive. Their kill was 42,427 head of a total of 98,307. Tigers claimed as their quarry 28,258, and wolves about 10,000.

Snakes, it would seem, are far less fatal to cattle than to human kind, for during the year they only killed 10,000, a small proportion of the total.

But the war was not one-sided. Seventeen thousand, nine hundred and twenty-six of the denizens of the jungle fell before the rifle and gun, and 70,498 snakes—roughly, four for every person killed—were destroyed. Headcounts for their destruction amounted to \$5,000.

The total population is nearly 300,000,000—294,261,056, according to the 1906 census—and they inhabit 15,841,315 houses. Two-thirds of the inhabitants are Hindus, 62,800,000 Moslems, and but 2,900,000 Christians.

The average Indian does not indulge in overmuch letter-writing. Altogether the post office dealt with 875,255,822 letters, post cards and parcels—an average of about three per head of the population; but this seems less curious when it is remembered that all but 15,500,000 of India's 300,000,000 people are described as illiterate. These latter figures explain, too, how letter writing may be a lucrative employment.

Very interesting, in the light of recent sedition trails, are some of the crime statistics. Thus 12,411 offenses against the state and public tranquility were reported, and 4,797 convictions, while deceits, political and others, numbered 2,984, with 659 convictions.

As might perhaps be expected in a land so densely populated as India, physical and mental infirmity is by no means rare, and altogether the total population afflicted is 584,498.

Lepers, male and female, numbered 167,340, blind over 350,000 and deaf-mutes about 150,000. The insane population was about 65,000.

One of the greatest campaigns engaged in India is that against plague, but, despite vaccination and all the resources of modern knowledge, the mortality remains terribly heavy.

Thus in 1909 plague claimed 174,874 victims, a high figure, but one that pales into insignificance before the total of 1,315,892 in 1907. The death toll for the last 11 years was 6,354,212. Some remarkable figures occur under the heading "Principal Specified Occupations."

Thus we find that 1,022,902 persons were engaged in "barbering" and shampooing the others, while clothes were washed by 690,000 men and about 500,000 women.

Nor are the Indian masses left unamused. Actors, singers, dancers, handmasters, players, etc., numbered 268,000—about one for every thousand. Four of these are men for every woman.

Priests and others engaged in religion numbered 1,150,525, and sweetmeat makers and sellers 284,421.

But perhaps the most amazing entry under this head of "Occupations" is "Mendicants (nonreligious)." The begging profession had 2,453,115 exponents, and the total supported by begging (nonreligious) was over 4,000,000.

FARMER HAS PLAN OF GROWING ORCHARD OF PEDIGREED STOCK—PRODUCE PRIZE WINNERS.

Spokane, Wash.—Growing thoroughbred apple trees, to be registered the same as live stock with pedigrees, is an innovation in eastern Washington.

H. M. Lichtig, an orchardist in the Yakima-Sunnyside district, west of Spokane, has perfected a plan to place the science of growing commercial fruit of the highest quality and color and uniform size upon a practical basis.

Explaining his plan, Mr. Lichtig said that in every thoroughly cultivated apple orchard there are trees which stand out for yielding more than the prize winners at national and state shows. Scions are taken from these and transferred to other trees by budding and grafting, thus raising the quality. The trees are recorded upon an orchard plat, then registered and a pedigree is issued to the grower.

"I do not claim that all trees so grown will produce premium winning fruit," he added, "as that cannot be said of pedigreed live stock; but the experience of the foremost growers in the northwest and other parts of the United States and Canada will show that a greater percentage of high grade trees is raised by following a common sense system than by orcharding in the old haphazard way. My own experiments prove these are superior strains of the several varieties of standard apple trees."

Prof. W. S. Thorber, head of the horticultural department at the state of Washington college, Pullman, and growers in the apple belts in eastern Washington and elsewhere, approve the Lichtig plan, the former saying that the products of healthy trees may be improved by budding and grafting from superior stock. He added there is just as much difference in apple trees of the same variety as there is in horses of the same breed. The plan of registering trees and keeping a record of yielding performances is also endorsed.

Letter Seven Years in Transit.

London—A letter posted from Streatham on July 21, 1903, has just been delivered at Briollay, France.

HUMOR IN DOCTOR'S HASTE

"Peg-Legger" Drugged for Hospital for Operation—Needed Carpenter, Not Surgeon.

Phoenixville, Pa.—When William Springer, a resident of Royersford, was found lying alongside the Reading railway near that town he told the men who found him that his foot had been cut off by a passing freight train. A stretcher was hurriedly brought, Springer was quickly placed on board an express train, which had been gagged for the purpose, and was taken to Phoenixville. A telegraph message to the station summoned the ambulance of the Phoenixville hospital and the hospital authorities, informed by telephone of the nature of Springer's injury, routed the house surgeons from bed and made the operating room ready for an amputation.

Springer, from under the stretcher cover, protested against being taken to the hospital and said he wanted to go home. His protests were ignored peremptorily, but kindly, with the admonitions of those about him

that he lie perfectly still and not to worry. Upon his arrival here he was at once loaded into the ambulance and a record trip made to the hospital. Here he was rolled into the operating room and placed on the table.

The sight of the white-gowned surgeons and nurses and the array of surgical instruments caused the confused Springer to scream, but the absence of any evidence of bleeding from the mangled limb led the doctors quickly to the discovery that, while Springer had indeed lost a foot, he was in greater need of a carpenter than a surgeon. For the foot that he had lost was his wooden one. Springer said he would have told them that if they hadn't refused to hear his protests.

The doctors trimmed off the splinted leg and nailed a block of wood on the remnant to temporarily fill the need of the lost foot. Springer then set out for home.

An oyster is not fit to be eaten until four years old.

Bolt Makes Tree Torch.

York, Pa.—Lightning converted a giant tree on the farm of L. E. Clewler, at East Prospect, into a torch, which burned for 24 hours and at night threw a glare which could be seen for miles. The tree was hollow, and evidently filled with leaves, and an opening at the bottom provided a draft for a fierce blaze when a bolt hit the landmark.

Still Lively at 102.

New York—Aunt Jane Beam, the oldest woman in Paterson, N. J., and probably in all New Jersey, held an anniversary of her one hundred and second birthday.

"Aunt Jane" is in possession of all her faculties. She can take you back to the days when there were no railroads and express companies and when the population of the United States was only 7,000,000.

The handwritten letter is a rarity in the business world of the present.

HER PHYSICIAN APPROVES

Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Sabatius, Maine.—"You told me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills before child-birth, and we are all surprised to see how much good it did. My physician said 'Without doubt it was the Compound that helped you. I thank you for your kindness in advising me and give you full permission to use my name in your testimonials.'—Mrs. U. W. MITCHELL, Box 3, Sabatius, Me.



Another Woman Helped.

Granville, Vt.—"I was passing through the Change of Life and suffered from nervousness and other annoying symptoms. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored my health and strength, and proved worth mountains of gold to me. For the sake of other suffering women I am willing you should publish my letter."—Mrs. CHARLES BARCLAY, R.F.D., Granville, Vt.

Women who are passing through this critical period or who are suffering from any of those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should not lose sight of the fact that for thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills. In almost every community you will find women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

FAIRLY WARNED.



Mickey—Say, four eyes, if you don't quite braggin' around dat youse knows me I'll break every pane of class in yer face! See?

Trouble in t'is Troupe.

"They've had a frightful time in the No. 5 Tom Company. Hear about it?"

"None."

"Busted an' walkin' back. That's right. Went to smash on the Vincennes circuit. Utility feller they picked up at Sawville got mad 'cause he was doubled as Marks an' a bloodhound, an' sawed the legs off the ladder, an' Eva fell out o' heaven an' landed on Papa St. Clair, an' Simon Legree landed on Unc' Tom, an' the real dog bit a hole in Aunt Ophelia, an' there was merrly hades to pay until the local manager called the patrol wagon and had the whole bunch fringed up the pike and dumped in the woods. An' the worst of it was there was a record house, with nineteen good dollars in the box."

She Has Changed Her Opinion.

"I hear your maiden aunt is visiting out."

"Yes. Came yesterday.

"How long does she expect to stay?"

"Oh, I don't know—probably for some time."

"I feel sorry for your wife. I believe I heard her say not long ago that she despised the old lady."

"She used to, but she has changed her opinion—in fact, has great respect for her now. Aunt Hetty brought three trunks, two of them filled with things she smuggled in from Europe."

Uncalled For.

"I hear the old bridge outside of Plunkville has collapsed."

"Yes; and the town council can't understand it. We had just given that bridge a coat of paint. Why, it looked like new."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

DAME NATURE HINTS
When the Food Is Not Suited.

When Nature gives her signal that something is wrong it is generally with the food. The old Dame is always faithful and one should act at once.

To put off the change is to risk that which may be irrepairable. An Arizona man says:

"For years I could not safely eat any breakfast. I tried various kinds of breakfast food, but they were all soft, starchy messes which gave me distressing headaches. I drank strong coffee, too, which appeared to benefit me at the time, but added to the headaches afterwards. Toast and coffee were no better, for I found the toast very constipating."

"A friend persuaded me to quit the old coffee and the starchy breakfast foods, and use Postum and Grape-Nuts instead. I shall never regret taking his advice. I began using them three months ago."

"The change they have worked in me is wonderful. I now have no more of the distressing sensations in my stomach after eating, and I never have headaches. I have gained 12 pounds in weight and feel better in every way."

"Grape-Nuts make a delicious as well as a nutritious dish, and I find that Postum is easily digested and never produces dyspepsia symptoms."

"There's a Reason."

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Mrs. Briggs' Speech.

If brevity is the soul of wit, one of the wittiest speeches on record was made by a woman. Mrs. Briggs lived in the northern part of Indiana, long distance from any village. Hearing that the Rev. Mr. Goodwin was to preach in a township some twenty miles distant, she resolved to be present, and as no other way offered, she walked the twenty miles.

The pastor heard of this, and was so pleased that at the close of the sermon he mentioned the fact to the congregation, and called upon Mrs. Briggs to tell them how she came.

Rising slowly, she looked over the audience with great solemnity, and said:

"I hoofed it."

Then she sat down again.—Youth's Companion.

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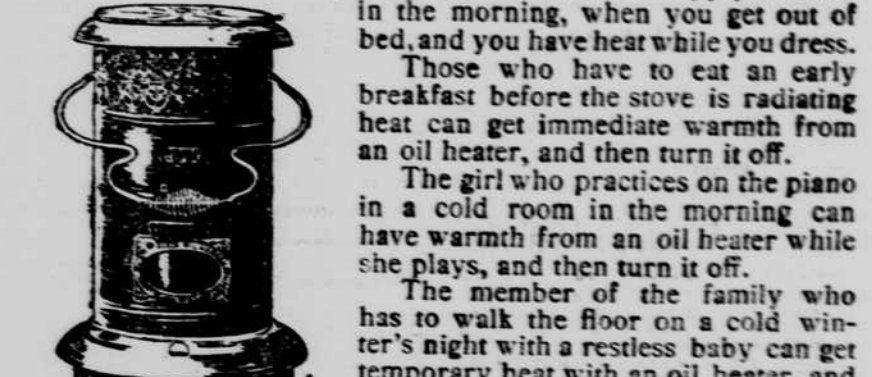
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