

## WOULD GET WEALTH QUICKLY

Farmer Had Nothing But Contempt for the Moderation of the Street Magician.

A patent medicine salesman upon the streets of a small Maine village was giving a free sleight-of-hand performance in order to collect a crowd. Presently he took a handkerchief from his pocket, held it by one extreme corner, shook it, tossed it into the air, caught it in his hand and took from it a 25-cent piece.

"There," he remarked, "you see I take this quarter from the handkerchief, although you saw for yourself that the handkerchief was empty. I can get another this way," he added, and apparently plucked one from the air.

"Gosh!" an old farmer in the little audience muttered; "that fellow must not keep much for money. If I could do a thing like that, you bet I wouldn't stick at quarters—I'd take a half dollar every time!"—Exchange.

Laundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a paste of varying thickness, which not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thinly because of its greater strength than other makes.

Adjustable. Aunt Anne, an old family dandy, was sitting with knees crossed in the kitchen, when the young daughter of the house entered and, impressed with the hugeness of the old woman's feet, asked what size shoe she wore.

"Well, honey," replied Aunt Anne, "I kin wear eights; I generally wear nines; but dese yer I've got on am twelves, an' de good Lawd knows dey hu'ts me!"—Everybody's Magazine.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Wm. C. Child*.

In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

It Was His Way. A Kansas farmer was telling recently about the eavesdropping that goes on along the farmers' telephone line he is on. He said that whenever he talked he could hear the "click, click" of different receivers coming down.

"And you can bet," he amended, "that they never hear my receiver coming down. No, sir; I always hold on to the thing and let it down so easy that it doesn't click!"—Kansas City Journal.

The extraordinary popularity of fine white goods this summer makes the choice of Starch a matter of great importance. Defiance Starch, being free from all injurious chemicals, is the only one which is safe to use on fine fabrics. It great strength as a stiffener makes half the usual quantity of Starch necessary, with the result of perfect finish, equal to that when the goods were new.

A Suspicious Silence.

Howard was only 20 months older than the baby. He had somehow come to realize that Elwood, who was creeping, was more likely to be in mischief when quiet. One day he called to his mother with a great deal of anxiety in his little voice: "Mamma, I hear Elwood keeping still."—The Delineator.

On Hill's Twofers. Beacon—Is Shady much of a smoker?

Hill—Not at home, but you ought to see him when he comes over to spend the evening with me!

## Nebraska Directory

NEBRASKA SCHOOL BONDS for sale; \$50, \$100, \$500 amounts, 4% to 5%; first mortgages \$500 upwards, 3% to 6% better than savings banks; send postal for description. Lincoln Safe Deposit Co., Lincoln, Nebraska.

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## CREAM

Woodward's Fine Candies Sold by the Best Dealers. We will send to you and members on receipt of 10 cts. in stamps, a 15-cent, best made, cream colored roll. JOHN G. WOODWARD & CO., "The Candy Man" Council Bluffs, Ia.

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## THE WAGEWORKER

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### A HUMANE WORK.

During the meeting of the medical association at Atlantic City, a suggestion was made that the women physicians of New York and other towns of the north should co-operate in the work of teaching the poor to avoid disease, says the Florida Times-Union. Thus and individual work has become one of strength and union. The physicians of the female persuasion have already begun at their humane task, and the poor, infected children of the crowded quarters will be saved by it. The great philanthropy of this movement can scarce be weighed until one realizes the want, the ignorance and the disease that reign over the tenement districts of New York. The women especially will be taught to take hygienic care of their little ones as well as of themselves. What is the use of supplying pasteurized milk to the infants if the mothers don't know how to feed it to them in a cleanly, sanitary manner. Besides, pasteurized milk does not disinfect a room where baby lives, neither does it make him immune from the diseases which attack his elders with whom he is in too close contact. Teaching the poor, ignorant mothers is saving the race, and no other class of women can be better teachers of the miserable masses than the woman who holds a medical diploma.

The state of Oregon has a unique game law. The last legislature passed an act making it a misdemeanor for a hunter to kill a deer that was being chased by dogs, but at the same time put in a proviso that prevents the ranchers from killing the dogs that chase the deer. It is claimed that hounds protect the deer by chasing them. This is the way it is explained in Oregon. Hounds will rarely run a deer down and kill it themselves, and unless some hunter shoots it, the deer will escape. But while the hounds are loose they will clear the woods of the animals that prey upon the deer. In the spring a wildcat will kill nine or ten fawns to feed its kittens, and the number of wildcats is so great that they destroy more deer than hunters do.

From Alaska comes another news item indicating the enormous possibilities of that once greatly derided country. A ditch has been completed in the Klondike region which is expected to supply water for the largest hydraulic gold-mining operations in the world. It is believed at Dawson that, within the next decade, the companies included in this enterprise will extract from \$1,000,000,000 to \$3,000,000,000 from the gravel of the region through the new facilities thus afforded. Yet a few years ago the Klondike was unknown and the whole of Alaska was regarded as of little or no account.

The Wrights, with their cautious experiments above the parade ground at Fort Myer, do not make the impression upon the imagination which has been effected by M. Bleriot's voyage across the English channel, says the Evening Wisconsin. The monoplane upon which he accomplished the feat is destined to hold a high place in popular esteem as a practical machine for aerial navigation. The English are showing a gallant disposition in the hearty tribute of recognition which they are paying to the intrepid Frenchman.

A few years ago the activity of agriculturists in different parts of the country was directed to grafting tomato vines upon potato vines, with the view of raising a two-story crop—tomatoes above ground and potatoes below. The experiment does not seem to have been satisfactory. Now an Ohio man is undertaking to grow potatoes without any tops at all. His "patch" is said to promise well, the bulbs having attained the size of a hen's egg without showing the sign of a sprout.

That Paris doctor who is advocating the removal of the large intestine from every child before the age of three years, on the ground that this organ is a breeding place for most of the harmful germs that flesh is heir to, has struck a great scientific principle, says the Philadelphia Telegraph. Following it out, we would have amputation of the feet as a cure for corns, of the nose for snoring, of the stomach for seasickness, and of the head for headaches. Simple, isn't it?

A young man in New York left \$400 in cash with another young man, a stranger to him, to keep awhile for him. He returned and got his money. Now the metropolis is plumbing itself on possessing two modern human miracles of trust and honesty.

Cuba is now having trouble with an insubordinate army. Still, the struggling with many difficulties may be a good discipline for the young republic, if it retrieves its mistake of taking steps backward.

## TURKEY'S NEW NAVY

Sir Douglas Gamble Is Lent by England to Organize It.

Other British Officials Are Instructing the Zealous Turks in Gunnery, the Use of Torpedoes, Navigation and Machinery.

Constantinople.—While a German officer is occupied with reorganizing the army of the Young Turks, a British admiral, Sir Douglas Gamble, will endeavor to turn out a new navy. He has been lent for the purpose by the British government, and there are with him the following instructors: Lieut. Tottenham, gunnery; Lieut. Gwynne, torpedoes; Lieut. Faught, navigation, and Engineer Lieut. Croisdale, machinery.

Thanks to the enlightenment and zeal of Admiral Arif Pasha, minister of marine, a great deal of preparatory work was got through before the arrival of Admiral Gamble, so that the latter found much better material to work upon than he had been led to expect.

The vessels had all been docked and active young officers placed in command, several of whom had acquired a certain amount of experience by service in foreign navies. Steam and gun trials had taken place in Marmora, and a squadron had made a cruise in the archipelago.

The younger naval officers are all very keen as regards their profession, and as many have a good knowledge of English, they have not failed to acquire such information as could be obtained from reading English naval periodicals and books.

Much translating work has been done since what might be termed the "emanipation of the navy" took place, and the instructors will find their task much lightened by the zeal and willingness of both officers and men.

The first fruit of the British admiral's work is to be seen in the dispatch of the fleet for a short evolutionary and exercise cruise in the Sea of Marmora, preparatory to a more extended one in the Mediterranean.

The ironclads and cruisers, as they were prepared for sea, made their



Rear Admiral D. A. Gamble, R. N. steam trials and then proceeded to the rendezvous, the historical anchorage of the Princess Islands, to await the arrival of the flagship, the Mesudieh, with Admiral Gamble's flag at the masthead, arrived the other afternoon, and for the first time in many years the echoes of the island group were awakened with the thunder of the guns in the salute to the commander-in-chief.

Not since the last war with Russia, when the British fleet, under Sir Geoffrey Hornby, took up the same anchorage for the protection of Constantinople, has a similar event taken place on account of the abhorrence in which the ex-sultan held the sound of anything like a cannonade.

Startling Warning to Blondes. New York.—A startling warning to blue-eyed persons of light complexion is uttered by Dr. Charles E. Woodruff, surgeon and major in the United States army, who has just completed a private tour of the prisons and asylums of the city and state. Jails and other institutions, he says, are full of blonds who are unable to stand the struggle for existence in a climate to which they are unfitted and have fallen into poverty, disease and crime.

What is true of New York, he says, is true of the country as a whole, and unless the blonde American finds or adopts some better means of survival than he has at present, he will be wiped out as a type in favor of the brunette.

Grinning Idol Scares Burglar. St. Louis.—The grotesque features of an Arctec idol frightened a negro burglar into hysterics while he was pursuing his vocation at the residence of Charles H. Tucker. The burglar dropped his flashlight and jimmy with a crash and awoke the family with the noise he made in getting out of the house. The idol, with other relics of a dead people, was brought from Mexico last winter, when Mr. Tucker made a business trip to that country.

Ban on Park Kissing Lifted. Baltimore.—Lips pursed and lips puckered may now meet in osculatory bliss in Baltimore's parks, for the ban of years on kissing has been lifted and the joy of thousands of youths and maidens is unconfin'd.

## NOTHING DOING.



He—'d kiss you if I dared. She—Well, don't you dare to if that's the way you feel about it.

## BABY HORRIBLY BURNED.

By Boiling Grease—Skin All Came Off One Side of Face and Head—Thought Her Disfigured for Life.

Used Cuticura: No Scar Left.

"My baby was sitting beside the fender and we were preparing the breakfast when the frying-pan full of boiling grease was upset and it went all over one side of her face and head. Some one wiped the scald with a towel, pulling the entire skin off. We took her to a doctor. He tended her a week and gave me some stuff to put on. But it all festered and I thought the baby was disfigured for life. I used about three boxes of Cuticura Ointment and it was wonderful how it healed. In about five weeks it was better and there wasn't a mark to tell where the scald had been. Her skin is just like velvet. Mrs. Hare, 1, Henry St., South Shields, Durham, England, March 22, 1908."

Peter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

## FOR WET FEET.



The Chick—What's the matter? The Duckling—You'd cry, too, if your ma made you wear overshoes when you went swimming.

## Care in Preparing Food.

In recent years scientists have proved that the value of food is measured largely by its purity; the result is the most stringent pure food laws that have ever been known.

One food that has stood out prominently as a perfectly clean and pure food and which was as pure before the enactment of these laws as it could possibly be is Quaker Oats; conceded by the experts to be the ideal food for making strength of muscle and brain. The best and cheapest of all foods. The Quaker Oats Company is the only manufacturer of oatmeal that has satisfactorily solved the problem of removing the husks and black specks which are so annoying when other brands are eaten. If you are convenient to the store buy the regular size packages; if not near the store, buy the large size family packages.

## The Reason Why.

"I wonder why men don't take more interest in the primary?" "Possibly, because it is a secondary consideration."

Mrs. Widdow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

I have lived to know that the secret of happiness is never to allow your energies to stagnate.—Adam Clarke.

## VALUE PAINTED ON.

Well painted is value added whether the house be built for one thousand dollars or ten thousand. Well painted means higher selling value, and higher occupying value—for there's an additional pleasure in living in the house that is well dressed.

National Lead Company assist in making the right use of the right paint by sending free upon request to all who ask for it, their "Houseowners' Painting Outfit No. 49." This outfit includes a book of color schemes for either exterior or interior painting, a book of specifications and an instrument for detecting adulteration in paint materials. Address National Lead Company, 1902 Trinity Building, New York City, and the outfit will be promptly sent to you.

## SPOILED.



Biggs—Waiter, this steak is too tough to cut. Take it back. Waiter—Sorry, sir, but I can't; you've bent it.

## LOW COLONIST FARES TO THE WEST AND NORTHWEST.

Union Pacific Passenger Department announces that Colonist Fares will be in effect from Sept. 15 to Oct. 15, 1909, to all points in the West and Northwest.

This year the West looks more promising than ever. Now is the time to secure land at low prices, and, at the same time, to visit the many interesting points in the West and Northwest, at which liberal stopover arrangements may be made.

A better estimate of raw lands can be made now than formerly, because these lands are in proximity to new farms that are producing wonderful crops.

For descriptive literature, write to E. L. Lomax, G. P. A., U. P. R. R., Omaha, Neb.

## What Did She Mean?

He was reading to Miss Bragg his poem on "Love," as printed in the Boomtown Bugler.

She said: "Oh, cut it out!"—Judge.

Do your feet ever feel tired, achy and sore at night? Rub them with a little Hamlin's Wizard Oil. They'll be glad in the morning and so will you.

A guilty conscience is apt to be its own excuser.

## AFTER DOCTORS FAILED

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Her.

Williamatic, Conn.—"For five years I suffered untold agony from female troubles, causing backache, irregularities, dizziness and nervous prostration. It was impossible for me to walk upstairs without stopping on the way. I tried three different doctors and each told me something different. I received no benefit from any of them, but seemed to suffer more. The last doctor said nothing would restore my health. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to see what it would do, and I am restored to my natural health."—Mrs. ERTA DONOVAN, Box 299, Williamatic, Conn.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills, and suffering women owe it to themselves to at least give this medicine a trial. Proof is abundant that it has cured thousands of others, and why should it not cure you?



DEFIANCE Cold Water Starch makes laundry work a pleasure. It is on page 24.

## No Man is Stronger Than His Stomach

A strong man is strong all over. No man can be strong who is suffering from weak stomach with its consequent indigestion, or from some other disease of the stomach and its associated organs, which impair digestion and nutrition. For when the stomach is weak or diseased there is a loss of the nutrition contained in food, which is the source of all physical strength. When a man "doesn't feel just right," when he doesn't sleep well, has an uncomfortable feeling in the stomach after eating, is languid, nervous, irritable and despondent, he is losing the nutrition needed to make strength.

Such a man should use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enriches the blood, invigorates the liver, strengthens the kidneys, nourishes the nerves, and so GIVES HEALTH AND STRENGTH TO THE WHOLE BODY.

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