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FOR Nebraska's sake, for the honor of her U. S. senatorship, for Mr. Dietrich's sake THE TRIBUNE hopes the senate special committee may be able to fully, fairly and finally exonerate him.

REPRESENTATIVE NORRIS has introduced a bill which provides that any member of congress, after his election, who shall accept a bribe for an office, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be imprisoned not more than two years nor fined more than \$10,000.

If the people knew whether or not the proposition to express choice for a U. S. senator in the next Republican state convention is really "loaded", or even if they knew definitely in whose interest the proposition is "loaded", they might enter into the question with some enthusiasm. But there is a robust question mark before the people on this proposition, which will take time to explain away.

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## IT IS A MATTER OF HEALTH



### PUBLIC FREE LIBRARY NOTES.

The Appletons announce a new novel by Mr. Spearman, *The Close of the Day*. The publishers say of it that it "is a stirring story of Chicago business life, as every one of us comes in touch with it every day; a story of the stage as it touches the lives of a woman who is an actress and a man of large means, who loves her. Mr. Spearman has brought together the worlds of large mercantile speculation and of dramatic lights and shadows with marvelous skill and with out undue emphasis of the meretricious in either."

This is a comprehensive statement, in brief, of the motive of this novel, or rather novelette, for the story is only about half the length of a modern novel. It is unfortunate that so many authors consider it necessary to write large books. Of course there are books that one would not have shorter than they are, but not even the genius of George Eliot, Dickens or Thackeray was at all times able to hold the interest of the average reader through the hundred thousand or more words that constituted a novel in the days in which they wrote. In this age we want the author to come to the point as quickly as possible, and to carry us to the end without unnecessary delays. This is why a short story, one that we can begin and finish in an evening, appeals to so many people.

His railroad stories made Mr. Spearman popular. His more serious work has made his reputation. This latest tale, it is safe to say, will add to his laurels,—will tend to accentuate his wonderful versatility. It is not strictly a problem novel,—Mr. Spearman is too consummate an artist to disclose, too palpably, the lesson that he would teach; yet it has in it profound truths for the thoughtful reader. It is not comparable with Dr. Bryson, though in its way it is quite as strong, if, indeed, in some respects, it is not a better story. Dr. Bryson is probably a maturer product, but *The Close of the Day* is not less worthy. It is unlike any other work that Mr. Spearman has done. While the tone, on the whole, is melancholy, the pages enlivened by flashes of sunlight that render what would otherwise be a somewhat somber, though none the less fascinating story, interesting and readable.

Mr. Spearman is a realist,—a disciple of that school of French writers, which includes Flaubert, DeMaupasant, Daudet and DeBalzac. He writes of what he sees, and of things as they are. He throws no false glamour about that which he describes. In this book he writes of what seems, to laymen, the most alluring life in the world,—that of an operatic actress. Grave and gay commingling, as they do in life. The author does not hesitate to show the darker side; though brilliant scenes abound. For one of his principal characters the long struggle is crowned with triumph. For the other the sun sets, but in a blaze of glory. *The Close of the Day* is a human book. While differing in theme and treatment, it reminds one, somehow, of *The Light that Failed*. Nor is one certain but that he likes the American book better than the English.

### WEAK AND LOW-SPIRITED.

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## AIDS TO HAPPINESS.

The Time When Help, Kindness and Sympathy Count Most.

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The heartening words should come when needed, not when they seem only hypocritical protestations or dextrous preparations for future favors. Columbus, surrounded by his mutinous crew, threatening to kill him, alone amid the crowd, had no one to stand by him, but he neared land, and riches opened before them. Then they fell at his feet, proclaimed him almost a god and said he truly was inspired from heaven. Success transfigured him; a long line of pebbly beach and a few trees made him divine. A little patience along the way, a little closer companionship, a little brotherly love in his hours of watching, waiting, and hoping, would have been great balm to his soul.

It is in childhood that pleasures count most, when the slightest investment of kindness brings largest returns. Let us give the children sunlight, love, companionship, sympathy with their little troubles and worries that seem to them so great, genuine interest in their growing hopes, their vague, unproportioned dreams and yearnings. Let us put ourselves into their places, view the world through their eyes so that we may gently correct the errors of their perspective by our greater wisdom. Such trifles will make them genuinely happy, happier by far than things a thousand times greater that come too late.—From "The Power of Truth," by William George Jordan, Published by Brentano's.

### ARABIC PROVERBS.

To the dog who has money men say, "My lord dog." Consult thy wife and do the reverse of what she advises. When the moon is with thee of what account are the stars. Joy lasts for seven days, but sadness endures for a lifetime. He who has gold is beloved, though he be a dog and the son of a dog. It is better to commit ten sins in the sight of God than one in the sight of men.

Those who are learning to shave heads practice upon those of the orphans.

The beauty of a man lies in his intelligence; the intelligence of a woman is to be found in her beauty.

When thou seest two people in constant converse thou mayest know that the one is the dupe of the other. Shun him who can be of no use to thee. In this world he cannot serve thee and in that which is to come he cannot intercede in thy behalf.—"Tunisia."

### Squealed.

Feline amenities show themselves most forcibly at committee meetings. There was one of these latter gathered together to discuss a charity bazaar. The chairman smiled sweetly upon the artist's wife and said: "You'll get your husband to let us have some little thing of his for the art table, will you not, Mrs. Mahlstick?" "Well, you know husbands are not always easily managed, my dear." "Ah, but take him after one of your nice dinners and then put in a word for our worthy cause. But remember we are not allowed to have anything which sells for over \$25." "Indeed!" And then Mrs. M.'s eyebrows went up alarmingly. "Then perhaps he'll induce one of his pupils to dash off something for you."—New York Times.

### Painting Animals' Eyes.

One of the most difficult things which the artists and taxidermists of the government studio have to do is the painting and preparation of glass eyes for the mammals, birds and reptiles mounted at that institution for exhibition in the National museum. These "eyes" are made of glass, hollow within and from the rear, so that the inner surface may be painted any color desired. As no two animals' eyes are alike and as the colors are often complicated and unusual, it requires a great deal of skill, study and practice before one is competent to undertake the work.

### Life Saving Superstition.

The superstitious collar is often laughed to scorn, but a miner in north Wales is just now thanking his lucky stars that he believes in omens. He was boring under some coal and was startled by seeing a rat scuttling away. He walked away from the spot, and directly afterward a large fall of coal occurred just over the place where the man had been working.—London Standard.

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