

**PROBLEM FOR THE MOTHERS**

Inconsistencies Always Detrimental to the Proper Training of the Little Ones.

Many mothers find it difficult to train a child on certain points, and often these difficulties arise from the inconsistencies of the parents.

A child cannot be expected to be perfectly truthful if the parents tell falsehoods about little things, which children notice quickly.

If you do not respect a child's rights, you cannot be surprised if he is inconsiderate of you in an attempt to look out for himself. If you take something away from a child which is rightfully his own, saying "I want it," he probably will take away something from the baby, saying, "But I want it." Do not ever teach a child that "might is right."

If you are not polite to your child you will have difficulty in teaching him politeness to others. Efforts to teach a boy to beg pardon when he bumps into anyone will prove fruitless if you do not say "pardon me" when you bump into him. Most children will feel it wrong that they have to say "thank you" for something handed them when no one says it to them.

**UNIVERSAL LANGUAGE.**



"I've got to make a speech at the club to-night. Can you give me a hint?"

"Yes; just say 'Fillemupagain!'"

**MASCOTS UNIVERSAL.**

Mascots have had their place in the world for many generations. Cats, as with the ancient Egyptians; grasshoppers, as in Italy, and various other specimens of animal life have in their time been counted as sacred or lucky by different peoples. So it is only a continuance of old customs that has caused baseball teams to take along an animal or a small boy when they go upon the diamond to try their skill with other players. The custom has spread to such an extent that to-day there is not a vessel in the navy of the United States that has not some kind of a mascot. This assertion will apply with almost equal force to the other navies of the world.

**WHY HE WEPT.**

During a fashionable wedding ceremony one of the old family servants was observed to be weeping as though his heart would break.

"Well! Well!" exclaimed a bystander. "It is so picturesque to see old servants weeping at a grand wedding. I suppose you are weeping because you hate to see the bride leave the old mansion?"

The old servant brushed his eyes with his sleeve. "Taint that, sir," he sobbed. "b-but the blooming duke that's won her borrowed 50 cents from me to get some clean collars and when I asked for it all I got was a good booting. 'Nough to make anybody cry."

**COINCIDENCE.**

A lady one day remarked to the English novelist, Bulwer Lytton, how odd it was that a dove (colombe) should have been sent out to find the old world, and Columbus (Colombe) should have found the new. Sir Henry Drummond Wolff says in his recent book, "Random Recollections," that Bulwer Lytton immediately replied:

"Yes; and the one came from Noah; the other from Genoa."—Youth's Companion.

**STRICTLY BUSINESS.**

"What do you think young Hardfast did?"

"What?"

"He asked Miss Flirt for the refusal of her hand, and when she told him he could have it, and then accepted Surething, he sued her for breach of contract."

**HOW DIPHTHERIA IS SPREAD**

Bacillus Conveyed by Poultry Into the Cattle Yards and Stables of the Farms.

The enormous mortality from diphtheria among wood pigeons of late years has formed the subject of investigation by medical men for some time past, and as a result of their labors we have been assured that the bacterium which caused this mortality was not communicable either to man or to other animals. But Dr. W. L. Sambon of the London School of Tropical Medicine, has just contributed a long account of the disease to the Lancet, wherein he contends that in supposing the virulence of this disease to be confined to the wood pigeons we are probably laboring under a grave mistake. He has at any rate shown, if he has not actually proved, that the wood pigeon bacillus is equally destructive to the domesticated pigeons, and that these in turn infect game birds and domesticated fowls. The latter carry the disease into the cattle yards and stables of farms, victimizing the horses on the one hand and cows on the other. Thence the teamster and the milkman among the farm hands become infected, the latter distributing the germs with the milk sent to town!

**EXPOSITIONS PLANNED.**

Prague, in Bohemia, is now holding a great exposition, to last from May until November, having put up 21 large exposition halls and 100 smaller edifices, housing 2,300 exhibitors. The Experiment and Educational Institute for Brewing of Berlin, Germany, intends to hold the international barley and hop exposition at Berlin from October 10 to 18. Warsaw, Russia, intends soon to have a permanent exposition of all articles and goods manufactured beyond the limits of Russia "for the purpose of getting better acquainted with foreign trade." China is preparing to demonstrate to the world the value and variety of its productions by an exposition at Nankin. The Mexican national exposition is to be held in Puebla in the spring of 1910.

**BOTH GUILTY.**

The man who prided himself on his keen perceptions watched the witness on the stand with intensity, and nodded his head vigorously at the closing words of the bewildered witness.

"That man's concerned in it," said the keen observer to his friend. "Didn't you notice how his eyes shifted around?"

"How about this next one?" inquired the friend.

"He's guilty of something," asserted the keen observer. "No man stares at people in that bold, defiant way if he has a clear conscience."—Youth's Companion.

**IMPUDENCE.**



"Now, boy, this is important. It's an invitation to dinner!"

Messenger—Thanks, lady. But I don't think I kin accept. Me dress suit's in hock!

**WILLING TO OBLIGE.**

"Look here," roared the angry man who had bought a lot of suburban real estate, "that ground you sold me is under water and there are actually little fish swimming about."

"Oh, I'll fix that all right," assured the oily-tongued agent.

"Then you'll give me another lot or return my money?"

"Not exactly that, but I'll send you out some fishing tackle to catch the fish."

**THAT INDEFINABLE AIR.**

"There's no use talkin'," said Farmer Cornfossel, as he knocked the ashes out of his corn-cob and laid it on the mantel-piece, "there's something about a college education that does give a young feller polish."

"Do you think that our boy Josh is improved?"

"Yep. He kin smoke a pipe in a way that makes it look real stylish."

**HIS NOTION OF EQUAL BASIS**

Farmer Ransom Played No Favorites Where Work Was Concerned, Yet Men Were Scarce.

There was only one thing in the world of which Eben Ransom thoroughly approved; that was hard, steady work. "I hope," said the philanthropic spinster who was spending a fortnight at the Ransom farm, "I do hope, Mr. Ransom, that you treat all your men alike; give them all equal advantages and wages. I find a varying standard, if I may use the expression, makes so much trouble and discontent among laborers in any field of work."

Mr. Ransom surveyed her gravely, and nodded assent.

"You're right there, ma'am," he said, dryly, after a moment. "There is just one rule for the folks that work for me. 'Begin as early and keep it up as late as there's light to go by, and you'll get your one-fifty a day, unless the times are unusual hard, when I make it one-twenty-five.'"

"But I tell you, ma'am, you can't get as many fellers to work on an equal basis nowadays as you might think."—Youth's Companion.

**THE EX-EMPRESS EUGENIE.**

The Empress Eugenie, who has had so many years of heartache, finds her comfort in getting close to "Mother Earth." At her Riviera villa she leads a very quiet life, and in her garden often weeds the beds with her own hands, still so delicate and pretty, though old. No half-withered bud or blossom is left on a rosebush or a plant, and she knows how to wage war against slugs and snails. At Sir Thomas Lipton's estate in Colombo, where she was a recent guest, one wonders if she assisted in the gathering of the tea leaves. When it rains she plays patience, laying the cards before her on the table in a solitary game. To play patience and to poke around the flowers! Even an empress must thus find her comfort in a lonely old age.

**AUSTRALIA'S SWEET TOOTH.**

An estimate by the British board of trade of the sugar production of the world for 1906 makes a total of 14,312,716 long tons, of which 7,317,472 tons were cane and 6,995,244 tons beet, the production of both kinds advancing practically at the same rate since 1898. In the production of cane sugar, British India had the largest output of 2,223,400 tons, and in beet sugar Germany ranked first, with an output of 2,362,187 tons. The Australian has a sweet tooth, for in the consumption of sugar per head Australia stands first at 129 pounds, the United States coming next with 89 pounds and the United Kingdom following at 81 pounds.

**VAGARIES OF THE PLUMB LINE.**

One of the curious things that men of science have discovered in their innumerable efforts to measure and map the earth with the least possible error is the fact that there are places where the direction of a plumb line is not vertical. Irregularities of density in the crust of the globe may produce this phenomena. A remarkable instance has been found in the island of Porto Rico, where the deviation from the vertical is so great that, in mapping the island, the northern and southern coast lines, as shown on the older maps, had each to be moved inward half a mile.

**BENEFITS PHILADELPHIA.**

In 1907, Philadelphia's export and import trade increased \$25,000,000 in value over the figures for the previous year. The total value of the city's external trade for that year was over \$150,000,000. These figures account in part for the opening of the new steamship service between Genoa, Italy, and the City of Brotherly Love. The Italians want some of the business.

**PEANUT CONSUMPTION.**

So many peanuts are eaten in this country that the native supply is not sufficient for the demand and about \$3,000 worth of the African nuts were imported from Marseilles in 1906 and over \$73,000 worth in 1907. The west coast of Africa produces quantities of peanuts.

**SUMMER FRIVOLITY.**

"What will the program at the educational convention at Ocean City embrace?"

"I don't know, but if I am consulted, I say all the pretty teachers."

**Remnant Sale!**  
**Friday and Saturday**  
**November 28 and 29**

**FOUR BIG SPECIALS**

**Table Linens**

In this department we are offering for this sale unheard-of bargains.

45c Mercerized Table Linen for..... **30c**  
40c Table Linen, in short lengths of from 2½c to 10-yd. lengths, for **25c**

**Standard Prints**

We have a big lot of Standard Prints worth 7c, which will go at 5c for Friday and Saturday only. Anticipate your wants in this line and take advantage of these bargains.

**Outing Flannels**

We have a big job lot of Outing Flannels to offer our patrons, which must be seen to be appreciated. They run from 5 to 20-yd pieces.

12½c values, at.... **8½c** | 8c values at..... **5½c**

**Gloaks**

We have decided to make a big sacrifice in Ladies' and Children's Cloaks for this sale. Now is the time to get bargains in everything in this department.

Bargains in every department—Bargains all over the store on Friday and Saturday. Remember!

**F. W. CLEVELAND & SON**

"One Price to All"

General Department Store

Falls City, Nebraska

**The Wide-Awake Merchant Will Induce Early Holiday Buying!**

Christmas is fast approaching.

Already, the Advance Guard of Christmas shoppers are filling the streets.

And folks are this year carrying well-filled purses.

Everything points to **Early** Holiday Buying this year.

The shrewd merchant will certainly do all in his power to encourage it.

The most liberal patronage will come to the firms who most industriously bid for it.

The time to advertise is **NOW** ripe.

Get into the spirit of the thing, Mr. Advertiser—**for the sake of your business.**

Begin an aggressive Holiday campaign next week in The Tribune—the medium of the better class.

For Tribune readers can afford **Early Buying.**

Through The Tribune you reach the Buying element in its entirety.

And it's the **C-r-e-a-m** you're after—the folks who are guided in their selection of gifts by the quality of article, rather than the price.

You can command your share of the business if you will.

**THE FALLS CITY TRIBUNE**