

WHY—

Does Wood Rot?
The first analogy which comes to mind when we think of rotting wood is a piece of iron—a railroad rail, for example—which has been allowed to remain out in the rain until it has been partly eaten away by rust. But here the action of the rust is due to a chemical change in the iron or steel, following the application of water, while the rotting of wood is caused by an entirely different reason, tiny microbes or bacteria which lodge in the pores of the wood and gradually eat it away until it falls apart. The fungus growths thrive best in moist climates and it is for this reason that wood which had been exposed to the elements, without the protection of a coat of paint, turns brown and rots away in a comparatively short space of time.

Paint, however, is not the only preventive of rot. Another is the soaking of the wood in creosote or other combinations of pitch which effectually seals the pores and prevents the entrance of the bacteria which cause the decay. This is the method followed in the preparation of railroad ties and other wood which must be continually exposed to the rain, though, in the case of the piles which support the city of Venice, a very tough variety of wood is used and, owing to the fact that it is submerged in salt water, has not rotted despite its centuries of use.

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Common Sense

By J. J. MUNDY.

Good Breeding.
If you want to know whether a person is shamming or pretending to refinement and real culture, listen to the voice in anger or annoyance. The man or the woman who was born to command never says sarcastic things in a raucous voice. All may aspire to command, a few reach the place who were not to the manner born; but the true and "bred" in the home" head affairs is smoother when ruffled than the imitation when putting on the front supposed to be necessary to show authority.

No cultivate poise and understanding. There is nothing so hard to stand as the criticism of a person who lacks good breeding. You get what you expect of persons more often than you think. If you know exactly what is the right thing and expect only the right thing and do your part, more than likely you will get the best that is in the men or the women you have under you.

But remember the first "nasty" mean remark that you make, when you are disappointed, may mean the difference between success and failure.

Absolute control is characteristic of the men in high places who keep them permanently and keep going on and up the ladder.

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Do You Know the Bible?

(Cover up the answers, read the questions and see if you can answer them. Then turn to the answers to see if you are right.)

Follow These Questions and Answers As Arranged by J. WILLSON ROY.

1. What were the names of Lazarus' sisters?
2. How far distant was Bethany from Jerusalem?
3. How long had Lazarus been in the tomb before being resurrected?
4. What was the name of the shepherd of Carmel who refused food to David?
5. What was the name of Nabel's wife?
6. Who was Abishag?

Answers.

1. Martha and Mary.
2. About 15 furlongs. See John xi. 17.
3. Four days.
4. Nabel. See Samuel xxv. 1-12.
5. Abigail.
6. One of the maids in the household of David.

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Parents' Problems

How can children be taught not to be wasteful?
A regular allowance is very helpful in solving this problem. By learning not to waste his pennies, a child learns not to be wasteful of other things. There is a little poem that also is useful in this connection: "Wilful waste makes woeful want, And I may live to say, 'Would I had the crust of bread That once I threw away.'"

Man Overcome by Heat
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More Truth Than Poetry

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE



REQUALIFYING.

Where is handsome Dan, whose hair Was always neatly oiled, Who hummed a cheerful little air, As joyously he toiled? Who glanced at you, when you came in And called you by your name, And said, with an engaging grin: "A little of the same!"

He's studying anatomy, and keeping tabs on germs He's lamping in his lexicon for scientific terms For he can shake 'em up no more, except on one condition, And so he's learning how to be a registered physician.

What's become of Rough Neck Pete Who left a life of crime To draw 'em down on River street Just after quitting time? Who always made the collars short Which packed the dingy bar And made Old Rafferty's resort Extremely popular?

He's conning therapeutics, in a book six inches thick He's learning why a fractured skull will make a person sick, For he can't draw 'em any more at Rafferty's you see, Until he holds the sheepskin of a registered M. D.



ANSWERED AT LAST.

Apparently the reason why girls go wrong is so they can get offers to go into the movies.

YOU NEVER HEAR ABOUT HIM.

Secretary Christian ought to ask Joe Tumulty who was his press agent.

NECESSARY MEASURE.

The republican party is going to reduce its delegate representation in the southern states. Convention time comes in the watermelon season and it's hard to get many of 'em to attend.

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Playground tools — Rakes, hoes, shovels, pails and trowels, each 10c.

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Second Floor

Men's Summer Shirts Clearance, \$1.00



Some 50 dozen shirts of excellent quality—broken lines, discontinued numbers, some slightly mussed from handling—summer negligee shirts with double turn-back cuffs, all of excellent quality, an exceptional value at this price.

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Men's Bathing Suits

Full new assortments for the warm summer days. In cotton, 95c to \$2.00. In wool, \$3.50 to \$8.50.

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Men's Palm Beach Suits, \$14.50

New, cool, correct—the suit for summer wear—fabric, style, faultless workmanship—all are offered in these suits of excellent quality at this most reasonable price. In natural color and in smart stripes of tan, brown, gray, and green.

White Flannel Trousers, \$9.50
For Evening and Country Club Wear

Men's Canvas Oxfords, \$7.50

In fine white Sea Island canvas. Also white canvas and white buck oxfords, odd lots, now reduced to \$5.00.

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Household Needs For Preserving Time

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1-pint size, 89c dozen.
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Children's Dainty White Dresses, \$2

Pretty little cool white dresses, with sashes of pink and blue ribbon, trimmed with lace and embroideries. Specially priced, Saturday at \$2.00. Sizes 6 to 14.

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White cloth, rubber soled tennis slippers—500 pair—comfortable for golf, tennis and the vacation days to come. Specially priced Saturday at \$1.00.

The Downstairs Store

Toilet Articles

At Special Prices

- Mavis talcum, violet or rose, 18c.
- Wool puffs, 4-inch size, 29c.
- Odorono or Amolin powder, 21c.
- Creme de Mirador, \$1.7c.
- Mulsified coconut oil, 42c.
- Fountain syringes, complete, 89c.
- Lux 9c. Limit of 3 to a customer.
- Palm Olive soap, 7c. Limit of 5 to a customer.
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- Cocoa hard water castle, 7c.

Main Floor