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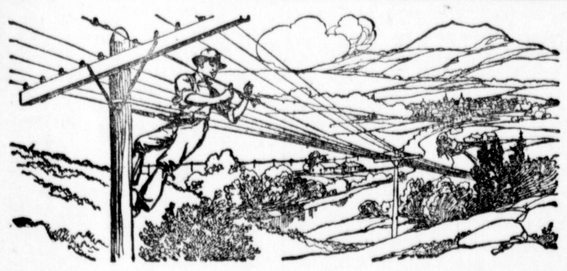

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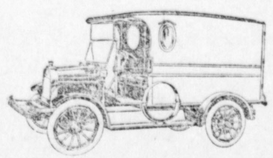

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30,000 Fires From a New Form Of Carelessness

A new form of fire peril is coming into prominence as a cause of much destruction and its fires are so directly associated with carelessness that it has been deemed necessary to issue a warning to the people of the United States. Because of their convenience, small electric devices, such as pressing irons, curling irons, toasters, electric pads or blankets, electric plate warmers, and electric sterilizers or heaters are now to be found in every community. If these were used with proper care the danger would be neglible, but unfortunately, a proportion of their users do not realize the peril of leaving them in circuit when not in use. In such cases these devises tend to become over heated, whereupon they are likely to set fire to anything combustible with which they are in contact.

Most of these fires are small, but the aggregate loss is large, and occasional instances show extensive damage, as in the case of the $350 000 fire in the Boston residence of Ex-Governor Draper; this was traced to an electric plate warmer in butler's pantry.

Fires of this class furnish a special peril to life, being most frequent in dwellings and often breaking out at night. A characteristic example is that in which an electric pressing iron is left upon the ironing board with the current turned on, and then forgotten. In such a case the fire may not occur until some hours later. The burning of the residences of John Wanamaker, several years ago, was due to an electric pressing iron.

That this form of hazard is already assuming large proportions appears from the statistics. For example, the Actuarial Bureau of the National Board of Fire Underwriters in one day noted approximately one hundred reports of fires from this cause, out of a total of two thousand losses in the day's reports, and it estimates that small electrical devises are cusing fires at the rate of 30,000 or more in the course of a year.

It is safe to say that most of these fires are entirely preventable and can be charged to nothing but carelessness on the part of the user. Various "safety" devices have been added by certain of the manufactures of these articles, and among them are some that are fairly effective, but there is one absolute precaution which should be borne in mind at all times by every user, namely, that of shutting off the current when not personally and continually supervising the use.

THE LENTEN SEASON

Lent Will Begin on Wednesday, Feb. 21—Easter Sunday April 8.

February 21st, Ash Wednesday.

The solemn fast of Lent takes its name from the season in which it falls. The meaning of the Saxon word is Spring, at which time the Church, by fasting and prayer, makes her preparations for the festival of Easter. It extends over a period of forty days, not counting the Sundays which lie between; for Sunday, being the day on which our Saviour arose, is a feast day throughout the year. The first day of Lent is known as Ash-Wednesday, and is so called from a custom that prevailed in the ancient Church of putting ashes on the penitents on this day, in token of their humiliation. The observance of Lent as a preparation for Easter has been handed down to us from the earliest ages of the Christian Church and no one who recalls the frequent exhortations of our Saviour to the duty of fasting, can doubt the wisdom and benefit of such an institution. For though it is as much a duty to live a holy life at one time as at another, yet every one knows how apt we are to indulge ourselves, how reluctant to cross our wishes or appetities, how easily we put out of our minds and indefinitely postpone the duties which are unwelcome to our natural instincts and self-love. Therefore it is a very wise and happy provision of the Church thus to set aside stated seasons for recollection and repentance, and for special lessons in self-denial, when solemn ceremonies and the example of others may, as it were, compel us to stop and ponder whether we are going to go on as we should in our Christian life, cherishing our baptismal grace, remembering our confirmation vows, and keeping ourselves "unspotted from the world."

The Church does not lay down any precise rule for the manner of our fasting during this season, leaving it to be governed by our conscience and circumstances. There are many who cannot fast, in the strict sense, of the word, abstaining from all food, and of whom it is not required; but few who may not deny themselves some indulgences of appetite and dress and amusement, for His sake who spent these long and lonely days in the wilderness, hungering, and burdened with the weight of our sins. May He help us all to follow the example of his patience and humility, that "when Christ, who is our life, shall appear, then shall we also appear with Him in glory."

"VOTE AGAINST PROHIBITION AND SEE BALTIMORE GROW"

This legion was posted on bill-boards in Baltimore and for 40 miles outside during the last Prohibition campaign. The papers of the city for some weeks past have teemed with stories of hold-ups, and the community has been warned that the crooks from all over the country are making this way. The police are stationed at the various depots and wharves to try to nab them as they come. The treatment of our new citizens is manifestly unjust. We notified them by a majority of 43,000 that we loved the saloon, and all that the saloon stands for, and one of the things for which it stands is the protection of crooks. They certainly had a right to take for granted that the city would deal more gently with them.

The city must grow now, for the time being, Prohibition is out of the way; and it is growing. The crooks are coming. The booze-histers from the lands of the better day are coming to make the city infamous by breaking the laws of the country. O we are growing! The authorities have found it out, and flying into the face of all decency they are trying to stop the normal growth of a saloon-ridden community, by nabbing the new emigrants when they arrive. It is an outrage upon consistency. We ought the rather to see to it that the saloons and breweries and the politicians contribute a fund to have a great banquet at the Emerson, where these striped gentry shall be invited, to show all the world how the rum oligarchy lives up to its promise, to make Baltimore grow, and some of our lords of trade and kings of finance who wanted the saloon to stay, ought to wait on the tables.—Methodist Protestant.

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