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The Combine.

Upton Sinclair said at a Pasadena tea:

"In this matter of the high cost of living there is one thing which we all have got to do. That is this: When a dealer—"

Here Mr. Sinclair struck the tea table a resounding whack with his fist.

—"When a dealer asks us an exorbitant price for an essential article then—"

The novelist's eye flashed, and he squared his jaw resolutely.

—"Then there is nothing for us to do but leave the rascal's shop and buy the essential article from another dealer on the same exorbitant terms."

Revised Version.

Young America was hearing from his mother the story of the birth of Christ as a part of his pre-Christmas education.

"Now tell daddy the story," said the mother when the family was together that evening.

"Well," said the youngster, "three wise men got on their camels and went to see the poor little Christ baby that was born in a garage."

Literally Speaking.

"Not worth a darn—I see no sense in that expression."

"It applies sometimes to socks."

Should children study their lessons at home if that is what they are sent to school for?

SHE SUFFERED FOR FOUR LONG YEARS AFTER OPERATION

She Took Earle's Hypo-Cod and Now Recommends It. Mother Also Took This Tonic.

"I suffered from a nervous, rundown condition, due to an abdominal operation four years ago. My symptoms were bilious attacks, the formation of gas on my stomach every night on retiring, belching of wind, and the worst of all was sleeplessness and bronchitis. I secured Hypo-Cod because my mother, who had been in a rundown condition for years, took it and found it a wonderful help to her, and I thought it might help me.

"My relief through the use of this tonic was that I am not now annoyed with the gas formation during the night, am not so dreadfully troubled with sleeplessness, or bilious and the ailments previously mentioned. My nerves are much improved, which is a Godsend, for the past years were a horrible nightmare.

"I have recommended this medicine's great merits to many of my friends because it has helped me and my dear mother back to health. A sister of mine has just recovered from an operation and I have advised her to use Hypo-Cod, too, and she has consented most willingly, and I trust it will bring her health back as it has brought mother's and mine. My mother's name is Mrs. Mary A. Quinter, 227 Water St., Pottstown, Pa. My sister's name is Miss Margaret Keim, 536 19th St., Philadelphia, Pa.," declared Mrs. Hester G. Bach, 536 N. 19th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Thousands of users, old and young, have found that Hypo-Cod is an ideal tonic, that works so quickly, is so pleasant to taste and puts you back on your feet days and weeks sooner, according to their statements. Druggists, chemists and experts assert that the formula which is on each bottle is good. Take home a bottle with you tonight and see how nicely it does the work.

Earle's Hypo-Cod is sold by all good druggists.—Adv.

The heart of a flirt resembles a crowded street car—there is always room for one more.

For Constipation, Biliousness, Liver and Kidney troubles, take Garfield Tea.—Adv.

Instead of marrying for money alone a man ought to brace up and rob a bank.

Constipation generally indicates disordered stomach, liver and bowels. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills restore regularity without griping.—Adv.

Street Car Drizzle.

She (getting ready for theater)—Is it raining?

He—Not a taxi rain.

Papa Missed Her, Too.

Priscilla had been to school a few days for the first time in her life when she met a friend on the street one day, who inquired about how she was getting along.

"Mamma does not like to have me go very well," she said, "because she misses me at home."

"But what does your papa say about it?" inquired the friend.

"Oh, he is kind of uneasy in his mind, too," answered Priscilla.

Why He Stayed.

Lieutenant Governor Channing Cox of Massachusetts, discussing the high cost of living in France, said the other day:

"In Paris, you know, a good pair of shoes fetched $50, and a good meal about as much.

"Well, a young lawyer started on a brief vacation trip to Paris in June, and he long overstayed his time. On his return in late September a friend who knew he was none too flush, said to him:

"'Why did you remain so long in Paris, Jim?'

"'My friends kept me there,' Jim answered.

"'Your friends? Why, Jim, I didn't know you had any friends in Paris.'

"'I haven't. My friends are all in Oshkosh, and they refused to lend me any money.'"

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U. S. to Handle Food Marketing

Federal Trade Commission Favors Supervision by Government Authorities.

WOULD ELIMINATE HOARDING

Establishment of Central Markets for Perishable Food Products and Creation of Licensing System Urged by Board.

Washington.—Establishment of central markets for perishable food products in all large cities and the setting up of a federal licensing system applicable to all dealers in such foods at those markets are proposed by the federal trade commission in its annual report to congress.

The commission's conclusions are based on an investigation covering many months, and it declares that federal action is necessary to obtain effective regulation and to avoid unfair and wasteful practices with the consequent effect on prices.

In the present system the commission sees as a hindrance to the proper passage of perishables from the producer to the consumer certain intertrade dealings which it believes should be eliminated, and it suggests that the handling of these products be surrounded by numerous regulations and restrictions such as the recording of available supplies and the dating of cold-storage periods and provisions for auction marketing.

Would Eliminate Hoarding.

Facilities should be made adequate, the commission says, to enable the producer to ship freely into the central markets and "with proper protection of his interests." The marketing system should be so covered that objectionable hoarding would be eliminated and proper co-ordination of transportation facilities should be accomplished to make deliveries certain when required.

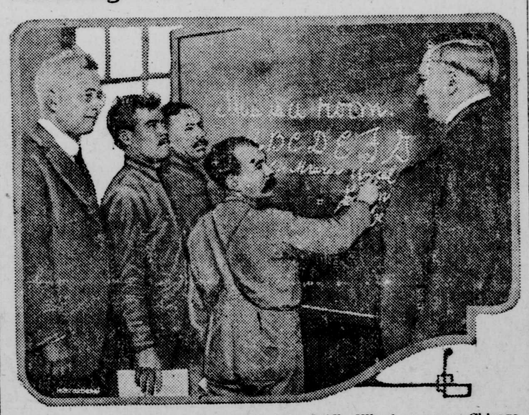
The commission says that "the needed reforms can hardly be expected to be accomplished by the initiative of the dealers," and asserts that state and municipal authorities lack adequate power to effectively regulate the handling of the food supplies.

Turning to wheat products, the commission says it has found that concentration of the milling industry has progressed far enough so that "probably ten of the largest milling concerns could supply the demand of the country for flour." The commission mentions incidentally that its figures from 37 milling corporations showed that their sales had increased from $160,000,000 to $354,000,000 between 1914 and 1918, while their annual profits had grown from $5,500,000 to $20,000,000 in the same period.

Reporting on the operation of the Webb-Pomerene act, permitting formation of associations for export trade, the commission informs congress that this act has served as "a decided factor" in promoting the progress of American manufacturers in foreign markets. The commission says that during the year 43 associations, comprising approximately 732 concerns, whose offices and plants were distributed over 43 states, reported to it as operating under the export art.

The commission says also that the law, instead of increasing the strength of the already great American industrial establishments, has enabled the smaller concerns to band together in a fashion to push fully organized export trade in a keenly competitive manner, which they are not able to do at home. To this extent, the commission believes, the law has worked to the great advantage of the small firms.

Teaching Them to Be Real Americans



Scene in a classroom in the plant of the Griffin Wheel company, Chicago, where alien employees are being taught the English language and American governmental ideals, so they can obtain their citizenship papers.

OFFERS TO SELL SELF FOR $2,500

Jack Tar's Body and Soul Goes for Year to Man Who Will Put Up the Money.

STICKS FOR HONESTY ONLY

Will Do Anything to Help Him Care for Wife and Baby—Goes Supperless to Buy Milk for Infant.

Chicago.—For those who like to ponder the riddle of existence there is presented Obert Firmin, who offers himself for sale, body and soul, for one year. Price, $2,500.

His only stipulation is that his purchaser shall not expect him to participate in any unworthy action. He will go anywhere in the world upon the most hazardous adventure. He says he will labor "at any task that 160 pounds of brawn, two capable hands, and a clear brain can perform."

But he insists he must sell himself. There are two reasons. You will find them in a one-room housekeeping apartment on the third floor, back, at 1252 West Madison street. One is the nineteen-year-old wife he eloped with three years ago. The other is Martha, thirteen months old and undernourished.

A Marooned Jack Tar.

It is the story of a jack tar marooned among landlubbers. Firmin was born in St. Johns, New Brunswick, Canada. His father was a deep sea sailor. As a boy Firmin used to go out with the fishing smacks. He could navigate a deck before he could walk a pavement.

As soon as he was old enough he went to sea. He has circumnavigated the globe five times. He has been in every nook and cranny where ships wander. He enlisted for the navy when the United States entered the war, but the shipping board diverted him to the merchant marine.

In the fall of 1917 a freight packet on which he was serving as quartermaster touched at Cleveland. Firmin had shore leave of five days. He met Myrtle Smith. They loved. Her parents objected. They were married secretly. His time expired last November. He went to Cleveland. They notified the parents of their marriage. Forgiveness was refused. They came to Chicago.

"I've Tried Everything."

"But I don't belong on dry land," he said. "I've tried everything. My wife is not well and I didn't want to leave her and baby. I finally began washing windows and cleaning flagpoles. I'm pretty handy at climbing. But the money didn't come in.

"Tonight we got down to our last cent. We were able to buy milk for baby, but we went supperless. So I decided the thing to do was to go back to the sea again. There I'm at home. On dry land I'm as handy as a fish out of water.

"So that's why I offered myself for sale for a year for $2,500. I'm well worth it. All I want is assurance the wife and baby will be cared for. About myself I'm not worrying. I don't care where I go or what I do, just so it's honest.

"Please get this straight: I don't want any charity. I just want a chance to make good for the $2,500."

With $26,000 in Bank, Man Lived in Poverty

William Girth, an inventor of New York city, suffered partial loss of memory in 1912, after placing $26,000 in a savings bank. He had since lived in destitute circumstances until Ralph Kutz, an employee of the bank, located Girth. He asked the inventor if he was in need of money, and received the reply: "My God, yes; I am nearly starving."

No fewer than 55 persons of every 1,000 are more or less color blind.

Women's Militia of Moscow in Gymnastic Drill



Members of the Women's Militia of Moscow, in a gymnastic drill. This is one of the new photographs brought from soviet Russia, by Washington D. Vanderlip, the Los Angeles mining engineer.

Congressman Calls Quits On Bargain With Stork

For many years Representative Small of North Carolina, has by agreement been presenting to R. C. Bland, a Carolina farmer and one of his constituents, a new suit of clothes for each additional child born in the Bland family. Having presented 13 suits, and being recently notified to send the fourteenth, Representative Small has informed Bland that the contract will be "off" with Mr. Small's retirement from congress on March 3.

Small and Bland made their compact a number of years ago when Small was making a campaign speech at Robersonville, N. C. Bland then had 20 children; now he has 34.

Canada is to have a $5,000,000 match factory.

COIN WON'T BUY LOVE

Woman Turns Down Husband Who Deserted Her.

Prefers Work in Department Store to Life of Ease With Father of Her Children.

Chicago.—Mrs. Margaret Reeves, mother of 11 children, can leave her work in a loop department store and have servants and a thousand other things she has craved—if she wants them.

She doesn't want to. She's decided to keep plugging along at her grocery counter until she dies.

The reason for Mrs. Reeves' choice is that if she leaves her job for the ranch she will be compelled to live with her husband, James Reeves, who deserted her eight years ago.

Her children were small then, and Mr. and Mrs. Reeves were having a hard time of it, but Mrs. Reeves always managed, some way, somehow, until her husband slid out with every cent in the house—$100 and a few cents.

Thereafter, Mrs. Reeves continued to manage, but not so well. She went to work. The children—those who were old enough—worked, too. Then one by one they died, until only four were left.

A week ago Reeves experienced a change of heart and wired Chief of Detectives Hughes that qut in Pocatello, Idaho, where he had gone, he had been lucky. He said he had a ranch, all paid for, a lot of money and two kittens for the twins.

By the time Mrs. Reeves gets around to write her husband he will know the twins are dead. And she'll tell him her love died with the twins and with the other five children who are gone.

But she will add, on second thought, are stuf in poverty, and can use some of his wealth.

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Naturally.

"Do you think an engagement ring makes a girl more thought of by her chums?"

"Well, it is a good thing for a girl to have on hand."

A postal card to Carfield Tea Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., asking for sample will repay you.—Adv.

The balance of trade is not always a political platform scale.

The father spareth the rod and the son taketh it and goes fishing.

Mothers, Prepare!

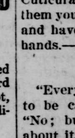


When a girl becomes a woman, when a woman becomes a mother and when a woman passes through the changes of middle life, are the three periods of life when Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is most needed. Many thousands would testify just as does the following:

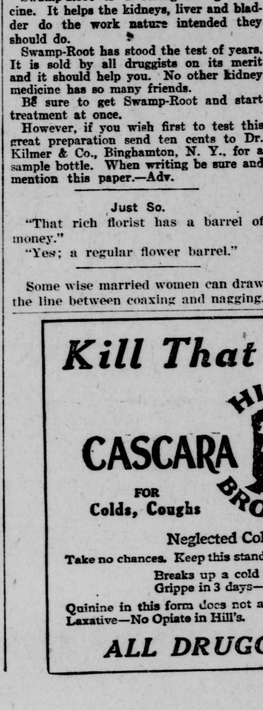
Raphine, Va.—"I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription about two years ago during expectancy and got along fine—better than any other time. I was ill only two hours, or maybe less. I am the mother of seven children."—MRS. J. I. HALIBURTON, R. F. D. 1.

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However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

Just So.

"That rich florist has a barrel of money."

"Yes; a regular flower barrel."

Some wise married women can draw the line between coaxing and nagging.

The Inevitable Tune.

"Daddy," pleaded the sweet young thing, "can't I have an automobile? You can buy one for a song."

"Yes," grunted her harassed parent, "and I know what that song will be—'Over the Hills to the Poorhouse.'"—American Legion Weekly.

Cuticura Soothes Itching Scalp

On retiring gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Make them your every-day toilet preparations and have a clear skin and soft, white hands.—Adv.

The Trouble.

"Everybody about that bank seems to be catching cold. Is it damp?"

"No; but there are so many drafts about it."

A man is foolish to borrow trouble when there are so many people anxious to give it away.

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