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BOTH MASTERS OF RHETORIC

Scholarly Consideration of the Literary Styles of Abraham Lincoln and Thomas Jefferson.

In American letters we fix on Abraham Lincoln as our type of natural expression; the legend of his humble beginnings and the plainness of his manner deceive us into a conviction that he was less indebted to art than Thomas Jefferson, and we therefore talk of the rhetorical extravagances of the Declaration and contrast them with the Attic simplicities of the Gettysburg address, John Erskine writes in the North American Review. Perhaps we see a final proof of our sound taste in the story that Matthew Arnold gave up the address for lost when he got to the colloquial "proposition"; "dedicated to the proposition," we say, was more than his artificial spirit could bear. Whether Arnold expressed such an opinion, or whether he would have been right in so doing, is of less consequence than our emotional readiness, if we cultivate the natural, to accept the Lincoln speech as an illustration of our ideal, and to set it over against the artifice of Jefferson's great document—to detect a literary manner in such a phrase as "When in the course of human events," and nothing but naturalness in "Fourscore and seven years ago"—or to find an empty and sounding rhetoric in "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness," but only the democratic syllables of common sense in "government of the people, by the people, for the people." Both documents are as rich as they can well be in rhetoric, as all great oratory is, and of the two Lincoln's, as a matter of fact, is rather more artful in the progress of its ideas.

NOT LONG HELD IN MEMORY

Cleveland Man's Experience Is Very Much What Would Come to Most of Us.

It isn't the Rip Van Winkles only who come back to find themselves forgotten. That sort of thing occurs with painful frequency in everyday life. Nor is it necessary for the victim to stay away 20 years. Much less time will efface him.

Some time ago a man came back from the West, where he had made his home for ten years, and set out to renew old acquaintances. He had been a prominent man in the business life of the city and a member of a leading firm. It was to the habitation of this firm that he directed his footsteps.

As he passed down the salesroom one of his old partners came to him with outstretched hand.

"Why, hullo, how are you? How are things going, and how long do you stay? Sorry I'm so busy. See you later." But he never came back.

Then the senior partner saw him and came forward.

"Well, well, this is a surprise!" he cried. "How are things coming, and how long do you stay in the city? Drop in whenever you can find time. Sorry I'm so busy. Good-day."

This visitor went away, feeling hurt and ignored, but after all there's little sentiment in business, and this Cleveland man's experience has been duplicated countless times, no doubt.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Bird's Curious Modification.

There is in New Zealand a form of crow (Hura) in which the female has undergone a very curious modification. It is probably the only case in which the bill is differently shaped in the two sexes. The bird has taken on the habits of the woodpecker, and the stout crow-like bill of the cock-bird is admirably adapted to tap trees, and if they sound hollow, to dig down to the burrow of the insect within.

But it lacks the horny-pointed tip of the tongue, which in the true woodpecker is provided with recurved hairs, thus enabling that bird to pierce the grub and draw it out. In the hura the bill of the hen-bird has become much elongated and slightly curved, and when the cock has dug down to the burrow, the hen inserts her long bill and draws out the grub, which they then divide between them.

Siamese Fashions.

To be really in the fashion in Siam it is not enough to have clothes of the latest cut and a knowledge of what, when and where to wear these garments. Good taste does not help much, either. There is a rigid rule for every day of the week, which is followed by those who have the inclination and the price. On a Sunday the things to wear are red robes and rubies. On a Monday nobody is in style without moonstones and white regalia. Tuesday pink and corals should be worn, with stripes and catseye ornaments kept for Wednesday. No one can look smart on a Thursday without going out in green with emeralds. Light blue and diamonds are the thing for Friday, and on a Saturday one wears dark blue and sapphires.—New York Sun.

PROTEST MADE BY MUSCLES

Important Parts of the Human Body That Occasionally Cause Trouble by Going "On Strike."

When the brain calls upon any particular group of muscles to perform the same action over and over again they are apt to show their dissatisfaction by declaring a strike.

A typical case in point is "tennis elbow," from which complaint most ardent devotees of the game have suffered at some time or other.

The symptoms vary from mere stiffness of the elbow joint to severe cramp, culminating in some instances in temporary inability to use the arm for any purpose. Sometimes, too, there is a painful swelling of the forearm.

A kindred complaint is "tennis leg," which affects in a somewhat similar manner the muscles of the calves and the knee joints. Another example where the leg muscles are the victims is afforded by "riders' sprain," a complaint to which polo players are found to be peculiarly liable.

Then, again, there is a complaint which is called "bowler's side," brought about through straining the abdominal muscles.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

NOT A HERO TO OLDTIMER

Veteran of Hannibal Could Not Be Forced to Admit Greatness of Mark Twain.

A scribe in search of Mark Twain material was pestering some of the gray-beards of Hannibal. He found one who confessed to being a few years older than the famous humorist. In their boyhood days they had attended school together, foraged about on Pirates island, climbed Holiday hill and pushed big stones over the brink, and carried out pretty faithfully the program as described in "Tom Sawyer."

But while the visitor was asking questions he noticed the old timer was not impressed. So he asked:

"'Innocents Abroad' was a great book, don't you think?"

"I reckon so—I never read it."

"And everybody says 'Huck Finn' was a masterpiece?"

"Uh-huh!"

"And 'Tom Sawyer,'" the visitor said, "was practically a story of Hannibal—you certainly liked that?"

"Oh, I guess it was all right for kids," admitted the boyhood chum, "but grownups don't see so awful much in it from what I hear."

"Don't you think Mark Twain was a great man?"

"They say he was," evaded the oldtimer. "But I beat him once in a spellin' match."—Kansas City Star.

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REPORT OF THE CHESTERTOWN WATER DEPARTMENT

FOR THE YEAR 1922.

Superintendent's Books:

Rents uncollected for 1921	$1,274.06
Assessments for 1922	12,033.41
Assessed for 1923	5.01
	$13,312.48
Rents collected for 1922	$11,621.31
Rents collected year 1923	5.01
Delinquent for 1922 uncol.	1,686.16
	$13,312.48

Treasurer's Books:

Receipts:

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1921	$3,623.94
Received from Supt. 1922	11,626.32
Trans. from Sav. Acct.	1,050.00
	$16,300.00

Disbursements:

System	$2,078.56
Pump House	3,952.05
Office	213.27
Interest	2,412.50
Bonds	1,500.00
Miscellaneous	348.00
Transferred to Sav. Acct.	2,700.00
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1922	3,095.88
	$16,300.26

Savings Account:

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1921	$2,200.06
Interest	149.83
From Active Account	2,700.00
	$5,049.89
Transferred to active account	1,050.00
Bal. on hand Dec. 31, 1922	3,999.89
	$5,049.89

The books of the Superintendent and Treasurer have been examined and found correct as per the above statement. Vouchers for all disbursements in the report are on file at the office of the Water Board, and they and the books are open to inspection.

J. H. SIDES, President.
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Notile is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent County letters of administration on the personal estate of

MARY A. TURNER,

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 6th day of August, 192 , otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 6th day of February, 1923.

ALBERT S. TURNER, Administrator.

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Ushering in the New Spring Goods at Always Unbelieveable Low Prices

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$2.50 36-in. Silk Messaline	$1.50
60c 60-in. Table Linen	39c
$1 72-in. Table Linen	59c
$2 27-in. Red Star Diaper Goods	$1.50
25c 10 Yd. Longcloth	$1.50
20c 10 Yd. Longcloth	$1.25
15c Cotton Crash	10c
25c 36-in. Percale	15c
50c Silk Striped Madras	39c
35c 32-in. French Dress Gingham	25c
25c 32-in. Dress Gingham	18c
35c 32-in. Romper Cloth	25c
75c 81-in. Bleached Sheeting	48c
25c 36-in. Hill Bleached Muslin	17c
20c 36-in. Hill Bleached Muslin	14c
15c Unbleached Outing	9c
20c 36-in. Unbleached L. L. Muslin for only	12½c
$2.50 Longfellow Apron Overalls	$1.75
$1.50 Blue Apron Overalls	$1.00
$1 Longfellow Shirts	75c
$1.50 Blue Jumpers	$1.00
$3.50 Leather Leggings	$2.50
50c Canvas Leggings	25c
75c Oversea Winter Caps	25c
$5 and $6 Ladies' Sweaters	$3.50
$5 and $6 Men's Sweaters	$3.50
$4 Boys' Sweaters	$1.98
$7 Men's Hip Boots	$5.00
$4 Men's Short Boots	$3.00
$6 Men's Leather Boots	$4.00
$2.50 Men's Union Alls	$1.75

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40c 18-lb. Rope Traces, pair	25c
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$2.50 Tick Collar	$1.75
$3 Work Bridles	$2.00
$1.75 Batchelors Strapped Fork	$1.10
$2 Ames Spade or Shovel	$1.25
$2.50 pair 30x3½ Auto Chains	$1.75
$1.50 1 ft. High Poultry Net	98c
$2.50 2 ft. High Poultry Net	$1.88
$3.50 3 ft. High Poultry Net	$2.50
$6.50 6 ft. High Poultry Net	$4.75
$1.50 Trace Chains, pair	90c
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9x12 Gold Seal Patterns	$7.98
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10c Pkge Macaroni	7½c
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10c Package Cigarettes	7½c
10c Bag Ank Kind Tobacco	7½c
10c Can Cleanser	7½c
20c Can Salmon	11c
35c lb. Can Rumford's Powder	25c
80c King Porto Rico Molasses, gal for only	50c
25c Colgate's Talcum Powder	18c
20c Colgate's Talcum Powder	12½c
25c Colgate's Tooth Paste	18c

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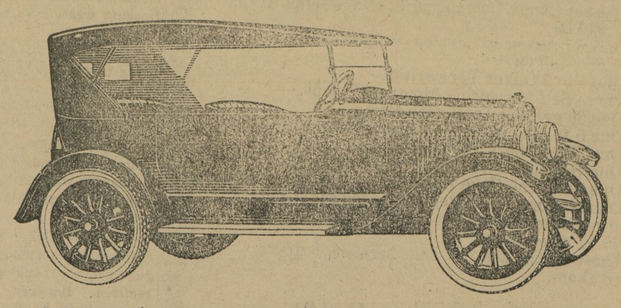

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