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MONEY MADNESS.

The Evils of the Mania For Getting Rich In a Hurry.

The mania for getting rich—the mad, false idea that we must have money—has played worse havoc among ambitious people than war or pestilence. A member of the Chicago board of trade says that the men and women of this country contribute $100,000,000 a year to the sharpers who promise to make them rich quick. They work the same old scheme of a confidential letter and shrewd baiting until the victim parts with his money. Thousands are plodding along in poverty and deprivation, chagrined and humiliated because they have not been able to get up in the world or to realize their ambitions, for the reason that they succumbed to the scheme of some smooth promoter who hypnotized them into the belief that they could make a great deal very quickly out of a very little.

The great fever of trying to make a dollar earn $5 is growing more and more contagious. We see even women secretly going into brokers' offices and "bucket shops," investing everything they have in all sorts of schemes, drawing their deposits out of the banks, sometimes pawning their jewelry—even their engagement rings—and borrowing, hoping to make a lot of money before their husbands or families find it out and then to surprise them with the results, but in most cases what they invest is hopelessly lost.

Thousands of young Americans are so tied up by financial or other entanglements even before they get fairly started in their life work that they can only transmute a tithe into that which will count in their lives. A large part of it is lost on the way up, as the energy of the coal is nearly all lost before it reaches the electric bulb.—Orison Swett Marden in Success.

THE FOURTH DIMENSION.

Plato's Early Efforts to Define This Intangible Quality.

In Harper's Magazine C. H. Hinton writes on the much debated question of "The Fourth Dimension." In opening his article he cites Plato as an early exponent of this idea.

"Plato, at the beginning of the seventh book of the Republic, describes a set of prisoners who are held in chains before the mouth of a great cavern, bound so that they cannot turn their faces in any other direction than looking straight into the cavern.

"On the wall in which the cavern ends they see their shadows projected by the sun. Their only experience of objects is derived by watching these shadows. If passers by traverse the roadway behind them all they see is the shadows of these passers by on the wall. If an object strikes them what they see is the shadow of that object striking the shadows of themselves.

"Plato draws the conclusion that they would identify themselves with their shadows. Since events occurring among these shadow forms are the invariable accompaniments of all their sensations they would think that they themselves were those shadows and lived and moved in a shadow world.

"Now the shadows can only move on the surface of the wall. They cannot approach and recede from it; hence the prisoners think of themselves as having a two dimensional existence only. And, says Plato, as these prisoners think of themselves as less than they really are, so we in our turn think of ourselves as less than we really are. His philosophy was an effort to find that greater which we really are."

The Limit.

A number of actors were discussing recently the merits of different boarding houses in a certain city, and the argument turned on the comparative meagerness of the table board provided by the various landladies. One of the party who had listened quietly to the talk now spoke up.

"If one of you fellows really wants to put yourself on a rigid diet," he said, "go to Mrs. —'s boarding house in Cincinnati. I came down to breakfast there one morning, and the servant waltzed up and asked me if I'd have ham or eggs. I said I didn't want to be grasping and ordered the yolk of an egg—said I'd have the white of it for lunch."—Harper's Weekly.

He Likes Mothers-in-law.

That a mother-in-law is not always an unwelcome adjunct to the family is proved in a wholesale way in the case of a Bavarian who is steward on a large estate in Monaco. He lost two wives, but in both instances after their death he retained the mothers-in-law, and now he has taken unto himself wife No. 3, who comes into his home accompanied by her mother as well as three unmarried sisters. All these good women, who constitute his household, are said to dwell together in peace and harmony.

Hesitated and Didn't Lose.

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"What do you think of a man who would spend thousands upon thousands of dollars in politics?"

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THE WATWA OF AFRICA.

A Curious Tribe, Low Down In the Scale of Humanity.

A hunter of big game in Africa gives a description of a tribe of natives whom he found there, the Watwa. "These natives," he says, "live in the swamps, their staple article of diet being fish and flour made from the seed of the water lily, although during the rains they grow patches of cassava root and sweet potatoes at the edge of the swamp. They smear their bodies with mud to protect them from mosquitoes and are extremely dirty and evil smelling in consequence. They are very low down in the scale of humanity and have a bad reputation among tribes living on the high ground, which reputation they upheld during our visit. We engaged several Watwa natives as carriers, but they only came to see what they could steal. One day I shot a reed buck in sight of the camp and left two Watwa to carry it in while I went after a hartbeest, but I never saw either men or buck again. It was no use following them into the swamps, as they knew every inch of the ground and water. They had small canoes hidden everywhere, and immediately they crossed a stream they sunk the canoe again where they alone knew where to find it. Our boys were afraid to follow them, as they used poisoned arrows and sometimes set poisoned stakes in the tracks leading to their haunts."

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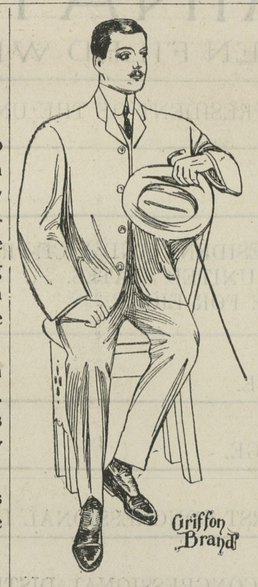

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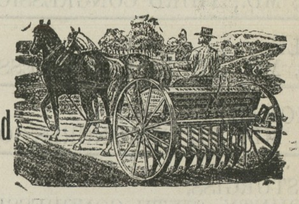

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