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The Wisdom of Wisewell.
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WORK OF THE SCIENTISTS.

Americans Too Busy to Devote Themselves to Original Research.
The American man of science works in the general laboratory of application and assimilation, says the Book-lovers' Magazine. The individual and epoch-making discovery is not usually made under American conditions. It has not been here that chemistry has been recognized by the periodic law of Mendeleeff, or physics by Helmholtz's conception of the conservation of energy. The greatest work of mathematics has not come from Americans, and it is not from them if we except the work of Willard and Walcott Gibbs) that the flying leap has been taken from the conceptions of the mathematicians to the concepts of molecular or chemical physics. American physicists last winter seemed to be principally occupied in describing to more or less popular audiences what French and English physicists had accomplished in radium and radiant energy.

The broad, continuous record is made here in a wide round. So is the practical application of scientific discovery made elsewhere; but the initial discovery, the co-ordinating theory is not usually American.
Bessemer, a German, discovered the steel process that bears his name. English capital applied it. The United States makes more than half the world's Bessemer. This is not an invariable sequence, but it is frequent. Research in Germany; primary application in England; expansion in America.

It is in this country, most rich with the application of science but deficient in original research, that Mr. Andrew Carnegie has given to this special work the largest endowment yet consecrated to the extension of the boundaries of knowledge. It is a favorite theory in American scientific circles that much discovery is stifled here by the insistent claims of teaching on time and strength. If it be so the revenue of the Carnegie Institute furnishes an escape. If it does not the cause for the relative absence of discovery must be looked for in our imperfect elementary education, which stifles where it should stimulate and dulls by routine and mechanical teaching, leaving the mind unable to profit to the highest by higher study in succeeding years.

THE FATHER-IN-LAW OF EUROPE.

Herewith is reproduced the latest portrait of King Christian, of Denmark, who has been dubbed the "father-in-law of Europe" owing to the fact that his children have married into reigning families of several of the great powers. One of his daughters is



KING CHRISTIAN.

Queen Alexandra, of England, who does not let a year pass without paying a visit to her royal sire. The photograph from which the illustration was made was taken at Vienna while King Christian was paying a visit to his son-in-law, the Duke of Cumberland.

Mrs. Gilbert—Dean of the Stage.
Nowhere are gray hairs held in higher reverence than on the stage, especially when we ourselves have seen them come year after year, until the head that was once brown is streaked with silver; and Mrs. Gilbert has lived to teach a whole generation of young actresses something that they cannot learn from books or a dramatic school about the difficult and exquisite art of growing old gracefully. There has never been a time, indeed, when she could not teach her juniors a great deal about the art of listening on the stage, of keeping in the picture so as to retain the attention of an audience without clamoring for it and of playing even the least important scenes so as to give them their fullest significance and value.
Every honor that her profession can bring save the empty one of mere stardom, Mrs. Gilbert enjoys. She is sure of the heartiest kind of a reception on her first entrance, and the stage hands gather in the wings to watch her during her first scenes. Moreover, all New York knows her by sight and looks after her with kindly eyes as she passes.
"I'm sure I ought to be thankful to the Lord for all His mercies," she said to me once. "I never get into a crowded street car without finding somebody who knows who I am and gives me a seat."
And this is a tribute that New York pays to no one else.—Leslie's Monthly.

Cossing the Boy.
"Did I understand you to say that this boy voluntarily confessed his share in the mischief done to the school-house?" asked the magistrate, addressing the determined-looking female parent of a small and dirty boy.
"Yes, sir, he did," the woman responded. "I just had to persuade him a little and then he told me the whole thing voluntarily."
"How did you persuade him?" queried his worship.
"Well, first I gave him a good hiding," said the firm parent, "and then I put him to bed without any supper and took his clothes away and told him to stay in bed until he confessed what he'd done. If 'twas the rest of his days, and I should thrash him again in the morning. And in less than an hour he told me the whole story voluntarily."

A man should be getting on well in life when he is getting well on in life. Some rules work both ways and some others won't work either way.



Mrs. Anderson, a prominent society woman of Jacksonville, Fla., daughter of Recorder of Deeds, West, who witnessed her signature to the following letter, praises Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Super—Oh, yes. He's the star.
Critick—What you might call a "fixed" star, eh?
Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething season.

Just Saved From Starvation.
When in 1891 Miss Balfour was visiting the west of Ireland and studying the condition of the people she asked one of them how they were getting on in a particular village. "Arrah, miss, sure and if it wasn't for the famine we'd be starving!"

Following the Races.
Sport—You say he follows the race horses. He looks prosperous.
Nervitt—Yes; the race horses keep him busy.
Sport—Bookmaker?
Nervitt—No; pawnbroker. — Philadelphia Ledger.

WINTER IS COMING BRINGING CATARRH

Every Catarrh sufferer dreads the coming of winter, for with the first breath of the "ice-king" this miserable disease is fanned into life and all the disgusting symptoms return. The nostrils are stopped up and the throat can be kept clear of mucous secretions only by continual hawking and spitting. Catarrh is a nuisance and source of annoyance, not only to the one who has it, but everybody else. The thick, yellow discharge from the head produces a feeling of personal defilement, and the odor of the breath is almost intolerable.
The catarrhal poison brings on stomach troubles and affects the Kidneys and Bladder. It attacks the soft bones and tissues of the head and throat, causing total or partial deafness, the loss of smell, and giving to the voice a rasping, nasal twang. No part of the body is secure from its ravages. Catarrh makes you sick all over, for it is a disease of the blood, and circulates all through the system, and for this reason, sprays, washes, inhalers, powders and salves have proven failures.

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GETTING FATHER'S CONSENT.

Mr. Tenney smiled ironically. "And I s'pose I'm only a punkin with no blood to speak of an' no heart at all!" he said, with the air of holding himself nobly in check. Mrs. Tenney refused to accept the challenge. "That's neither here nor there—you're bein' a punkin," she replied. "What I want to know, Amos, is what you've got against George Raymond? He don't drink; he smokes, I believe, but only a pipe, not them cigarettes. He's got a good education, an' still he's willing to work. An' he's just lost in love for Alice."

"Shouldn't wonder 'f he was," said Mr. Tenney, complacently. "Nothing strange about that, with me the best fixed man in the township."
"Why, Amos, I am surprised!" exclaimed Mrs. Tenney. "You know 's well you want to know that George would want Alice just the same if she come from—from the Dromettes, down Tunkett way."
"Mebbe," said Mr. Tenney, discreetly.

"Do you mean that he cares for Alice because you're well-to-do?" flashed Mrs. Tenney.
"Not altogether," said Mr. Tenney, coolly. "But 'tis hardly likely that he's unawares of the fact that Alice will have all I've got some day. You know he'll never have a penny from anybody."
"So you mean to give me to understand that he's scheming an' calculating on Alice's prospects—is that it?" demanded Mrs. Tenney.
"I ain't accusing him of anything," said Mr. Tenney, impartially. "I'm merely sayin' that George is a poor young man an' that Alice's prospects are good."

"You was poor yourself when I married you," said Mrs. Tenney, reflectively.
"I admit it," said Mr. Tenney, as impersonally as he was able. "But that's no reason why I should set still an' see Alice make the same blunder."
"Did pa's being forehand influence you any?" asked Mrs. Tenney.
Mr. Tenney perceived the narrowing circle of his wife's reasoning. "If you're going to be pers'nal—" he began.

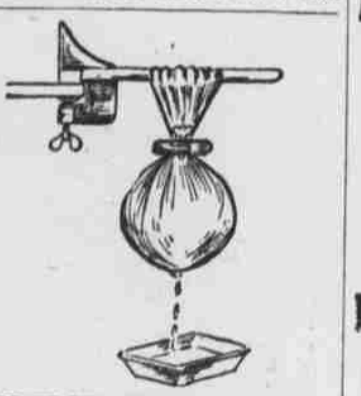
"Did it, Amos?" persisted Mrs. Tenney.
"No, it didn't, an' you know it," answered Mr. Tenney, stiffly.
"You fell in love with me—just me—didn't you?" Mrs. Tenney knew it without assurance, but she waited anxiously for her husband's answer.
"Ain't you gettin' kind o' mushy, Ann?" he asked, mildly.
"It was that way, wa'n't it?" Mrs. Tenney continued, robustly.

Mr. Tenney picked up the paper he had been reading when the conversation began. "I've always explained it that way to myself," he replied.
Mrs. Tenney got up and began to move about the room. "I guess I'll be stirrin'," she said. "We expect George to supper an' to spend the evening." He an' Alice are engaged, Amos, and I told 'em I guessed to-night was good's any to ask your consent."
There was a spluttering exclamation behind the paper.

"What should you think we'd better give 'em—silver or money?" Mrs. Tenney asked, considerably.
"Just which you think best, Ann," answered Mr. Tenney, watching his wife out of the room.
"It's all right," Mrs. Tenney continued to Alice in the kitchen; "he didn't begin to go on as your granpa did. When ma spoke to him about your pa an' me, it took the greatest part of the evening to bring him round."—Youth's Companion.

AUTOMATIC STRAINING DEVICE.

Every woman who has attempted the task is well aware of the muscular effort which is required to strain the cooked pulp of grapes, currants or other fruit to separate the juice for the making of jelly. After depositing the pulp in a wrong cloth sack it becomes necessary to treat the latter in about the same manner as the washwoman treats a sheet which she has just taken from



HEAVY RING REMOVES THE JUICE.

the water to wring. The harder it can be squeezed the more juice will there be for making the jelly, and so no effort is spared to collect all that the pulp contains. Should the idea of a Western woman prove practical for this purpose, the above described method of treatment will no longer be resorted to, as the new method is obviously easier than the old. The woman's intention is to suspend the cloth sack, filled with the pulp, from a rod clamped to the table, with a heavy iron ring around the neck of the sack. This ring by the sheer force of its weight gradually settles downward over the bag, compressing its contents as it falls and expressing the juice into a receptacle placed beneath for the purpose.
Mary I. Lowry, of Indianapolis, Ind., is the inventor.

A Skeptic.
"What do statistics show?" inquired the man who was warming up to his subject.
"As a rule," answered the man who is always doubtful, "they don't show much except patience and industry on the part of the man who collected them."—Washington Star.
Though a man may hide his cloven foot, his cloven breath gives him away.

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