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HOSPITAL DAY

Today, May 12, the birthday of Florence Nightingale, pio-
 neer in modern nursing, "National Hospital Day" is being cele-
 brated throughout the United States for the first time. Some
 8,000 hospitals in the United States are holding open house,
 and guides are taking the visitors through the hospital, ex-
 plaining, as far as is practical, the workings of a hospital and
 the whys and wherefores of many things that are not under-
 stood by the general public.

In the hospitals conducted by the U. S. Public Health Ser-
 vice, the nurses and the soldier patients will of course, be the
 feature of the day. Many who cannot visit their soldier friends,
 were expected to say it with flowers—or with smokes.

The local hospital held open house this afternoon, and this
 evening, Hospital Day will be given a fitting close with a well
 arranged program at the L. D. S. Tabernacle.

Revised figures show it cost the government \$1,200,000,000
 during the time it operated the railroads. If this is true how
 does the private manager expect to operate the roads at a
 profit? The railroad problem is not being solved. Unquestion-
 ably the present management cannot make the transportation
 lines come even.

The great society event in Portland, according to front
 page news stories in the papers is a ladies' choice ball where
 women will choose other women's husbands and vice versa.
 Great Portland is getting there. She will be some city if
 society folks keep on progressing.

It seems to us a good plan to make the foreign countries
 pay their interest on loans made by this country to them during
 the war and use that interest to pay the soldiers of this country
 a just compensation.

And they said sugar could not go down. It is below seven
 cents and still going. And they said wheat was bound to reach
 six bits, but it is over a dollar and still going up. Who can
 guess? No one.

Wallace McCamant will have a conscientious objector in
 Hiram Johnson to his proposed appointment as federal judge.

A BALD NATION

A New Jersey specialist on skin
 diseases fears that America is in
 danger of becoming a bald-headed na-
 tion. There has long been a tenden-
 cy that way, but lately it has been
 accelerated, he says. There has been
 a regular outbreak of skin diseases
 in recent months, particularly those
 which cause premature baldness and
 gray hair.

His explanation is interesting: "It
 is due to the recent financial and busi-
 ness depression. The stock ticker and
 skin disease bear a close relation. The
 national 'cheer up' slogan is the
 quickest remedy."

Perhaps this doctor is subject to
 the common error of seeing everything
 through the goggles of his own special-
 ized. Even medical specialists have
 been known to be wrong. This one,
 though, may be about half right. Few-
 er Americans than he imagines have
 their eyes glued to the stock ticker,
 but business depression affects the
 big majority of people in one way or
 another; and when business depres-
 sion is allowed to grow into personal
 depression, it lowers the vitality, and
 may promote baldness along with other
 physical ills. Cheerfulness may
 make the hair grow, as he suggests.

Other things, though, will help con-
 siderably. Sensible headgear, for in-
 stance. There seems to be somewhat
 less baldness since men in general
 stopped wearing derby hats, which
 form a rigid, circular barrier around
 the skull, impeding blood circulation
 and shutting out the air. There would
 be still less if more men wore caps
 instead of any kind of hats. Few cap-
 wearers grow bald, if they start ear-
 ly enough and keep at it. The very
 best preventative for baldness is to
 wear no head-covering at all.

That cannot be done all the time.
 Protection is needed sometimes from
 heat or cold, and some concession

must be made to foolish fashions, for
 the sake of mental ease. But in much
 outdoor work and in nearly all sports
 hats are superfluous, and the sun and
 air on the head are usually as good
 for the nerves as they are for the
 hair.

TOO MUCH CLEMENCY

Everywhere there is an outcry
 against parole boards and boards of
 clemency for releasing from peniten-
 tiaries and reformatories prisoners
 who have subsequently committed
 new crimes. A surprising number of
 men appearing in the news during the
 last few months as perpetrators of
 hold-ups and murders have been men
 "out on parole" from penal institutions.

Such offenders may have been re-
 leased in some cases through a "poli-
 tical pull." In most cases their libera-
 tion was due to excessive tolerance
 and sentiment on the part of honest
 but misled officials. The result is a
 wave of indignation against the whole
 parole system.

There is as much danger in this in-
 dignation as there was in the easy-go-
 ing spirit that preceded it. Undoubt-
 edly there has been too much senti-
 mentality in the last few years in the
 public attitude toward criminals, too
 much unwise sympathy for offend-
 ers and too much childlike faith that
 hardened and brutal young men could
 be transformed by kindness and love,
 into good citizens. There is, where,
 instead of protecting "misunderstood"
 youths from an avenging society, a
 long-suffering society must be pro-
 tected from misdeeds of youths. The
 present swing-back is wholesome so
 long as it does not swing too far.

But care must be taken lest the re-
 action go too far. There are boys who
 are wrong because they are misunder-
 stood and do not have a fair chance,
 and there are youths who, after get-
 ting into trouble as a result of bad
 company or strong temptation, are
 still worth saving, and capable of be-
 ing saved by the right method. Justice
 comes first, but there will always be
 the need of tempering justice with
 mercy. It is merely a question of
 wisdom in preserving the right balance
 between the two, and that is magis-
 trally a question of choosing the right
 men for parole boards and of law-
 abiding citizens keeping closer tabs on
 the processes of penal administration.

These boys are becoming quite
 more and more numerous since
 Judge Landis undertook the job of
 teaching them the A. B. C. of hon-
 esty and the D. E. F. of their own
 interests.

THE OFFICE CAT



—By JUNIOR—

When the former doughboy con-
 templates the tax burden, he wonders
 why he ever complained of the weight
 of his fighting equipment.

Oh, Spring hat come!
 Lykell! Lykell!
 Oh, Spring hat come!
 Lykell!

The man who says the older we
 grow and the more we see, the greater
 becomes our pity for the weaker
 sex. He certainly hasn't more than
 half a chance in this world of struggle
 and endeavor.

Here is a snappy conversation be-
 tween two film-titles:
 "Who Am I?" says one.
 "Who Care?" says the other.

The Bachelor has his troubles, but
 he doesn't have to apply for a permit
 when he wishes to change to parous-
 nit ones.

You can fill this out to suit your-
 self:
 _____ Map.
 _____ Jap.
 _____ Jap.
 _____ scrap.

Humanity can be divided pretty
 well in four classes: Those that are
 nobody in particular and know it,
 those that are somebody and nobody
 else knows it, those that are nobody
 and advertise it, and those that are
 somebody and induce others to ad-
 vertise it.

He Wanted More.

Mabel was telling Isabel of the
 shy young man that had for some
 months been "gone" on her, but whose
 suit had languished because he sim-
 ply hadn't the courage to speak out.
 Finally, Mabel said, she decided that
 it was "up to her" to take decisive
 measures. Accordingly the next time
 he called he pointed to the carnation
 in his buttonhole and said: "I'll give
 you a kiss for that carnation."
 Whereupon the bashful suitor's col-
 or outside the carnation in brilliancy,
 but the exchange was effected. Then
 the young man grabbed his hat and
 started to leave the room.
 "Where are you going?" demanded
 Mabel, surprised.
 "To the florist's for more carna-
 tions," he called out as he shot
 through the doorway.—Los Angeles
 Times.

The Calym has always had deep
 eyes.

respect for Senator Strode's erudition,
 but in this instance he has his syn-
 tax, not to say his natural history and
 his geography slightly mixed. The
 critic was a girl, and not a boy. Per-
 haps you will remember those death-
 less lines:
 "Mother, may I go out to swim?"
 "Yes, my darling daughter;
 Hang your clothes on a hickory limb,
 But don't go near the water."

May Surprise Hubby.
 Yesterday morning when the air-
 plane was heard flying above the city,
 one La Grande lady rolled out of the
 house, grabbed the lawnmower and
 began strenuously to cut the grass.
 "They are taking pictures of the city,"
 she yelled across to her neighbor, "and
 I want the picture to be natural."

Light in Dark Places.
 "The situation makes me feel like
 the boy when he asked his mother if
 he might go swimming, and was told
 that he could, but he must hang his
 clothes on a hickory limb and not to
 go near the water."—From report of
 Senator Strode's speech before the
 Indiana Bar Association.

By the way, Turner and Patter is
 the name of a firm in Bucyrus, Ohio,
 in case you wanted to know anything
 about Bucyrus, Ohio.

"Rain tonight and warmer, clear-
 ing Saturday and colder," says the
 weather bureau, and then truthfully
 adds: "Weather unsettled."

The Germans thought that they
 could sidestep that indemnity. Over
 there they not only believe that jus-
 tice is blind, but they think that jus-
 tice is crazy.

"The Dam Truth" is the title of a
 new Arizona publication. We were
 tempted to contribute until we learn-
 ed that it refers to irrigation.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. What did Joshua do with the
 city of Hazor?
2. Why was the place Bochim
 called "Weepers"?
3. What did the rest of the kings
 of Canaan do when they found that
 the Gibeonites had made peace with
 Israel?
4. What special command was
 given to Israel at the destruction of
 Jericho?
5. Whom was the book of Deu-
 teronomy written?
6. After the numbering of the
 Israelites, how many men were left
 who had come out of Egypt with
 Moses?
7. How did Balaam prove him-
 self bad in Moab?
8. What happened to the man
 who was found gathering sticks on
 the Sabbath?
9. Who was Ezekiel?
10. How many Philistines went
 to the top of the rock Ekem, to bind
 Samson?

Answers to Yesterday's Questions.
 1. Man was to have dominion.
 2. The Euphrates is the only
 river in the Garden of Eden that
 can now be traced.
 3. The children of Seth called
 themselves by the name of the Lord
 and kept separated from Cain's
 children.
 4. It was the custom for the an-
 cient patriarchs to bless their child-

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 morrow. And remember this price is only for
 tomorrow. Regular prices prevail Saturday.

ren before they died.
 5. Deuteronomy is a summary
 of much of the history and laws con-
 tained in the three preceding books.
 6. Joshua was the son of Nun,
 of the tribe of Ephraim.
 7. The city of Jerico stood near
 the west side of the Jordan.
 8. Joshua endeavored to ascer-
 tain the strength of Jerico by send-
 ing spies.
 9. The meaning of the word
 Bochim is "Weepers."
 10. The great host which fought
 against Joshua had chariots and
 horses.

**CHILD ADOPTION
 CASE SETTLED**

**FINAL CHAPTER IN HOTLY CON-
 TESTED ACTION**

Grandparents Given Custody of the
 Child of Divorced Parents; Mo-
 ther Gives Up Child

Adoption papers were signed yester-
 day by County Judge Couch whereby
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bucholz, of this
 city, became the legal parents of
 their grandchild, Winifred Bucholz,
 minor child of their son and his
 divorced wife. This action will recall a
 recent case in the circuit court here,
 which occupied two days for the hear-
 ing, was hotly contested by both sides
 and in which interest was shown
 by the public—namely, the case
 concerning the custody of the
 above-mentioned child. Her mother,
 when anticipating her divorce, it
 claimed, agreed with the father,
 that if she be allowed to secure her
 divorce uncontested and receive the
 custody of the child, she would
 leave the baby with Mrs. Henry
 Bucholz, his mother, who had cared
 for the baby since birth.
 After securing the divorce and
 custody of the child, however, the
 mother attempted to take it away
 from the grandmother, and out of
 the state, and it was then that the
 father petitioned the court to
 change the decree concerning the
 child's custody, and so modify the
 same, that the baby should remain
 within the county and under the
 jurisdiction of the court. The
 court issued a temporary restrain-
 ing order, restraining the mother
 from taking the child out of the
 county, and later, after the trial
 modified the original custody de-
 cree, so that the baby was to stay
 permanently within Union county.

and under the jurisdiction of the
 court.
 The court, however, gave the
 mother permission to take the
 child to Seattle to visit her mother
 but after little more than a week
 there, she wired her consent to the
 adoption of the child by Mr. and
 Mrs. Henry Bucholz, the paternal
 grandparents; if the grandmother
 here would come to Seattle and get
 the baby. The grandmother im-
 mediately went to Seattle, where
 the mother very willingly and vol-
 untarily signed papers, consenting
 to the adoption and forever relinqu-
 ishing any claim to Baby Winifred.
 The father also gave his con-
 sent to the adoption, and yester-
 day's action on the part of Judge
 Couch finally closes this case.

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 May 12, 1850. Henry Clay
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