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THE KINGDOM OF GOD cometh not with observation;
 neither shall they say, Lo here! or, lo there! for, behold,
 the kingdom of God is within you.—Luke 17:20, 21.

Be Yourself

Sinclair Lewis is right; a lot of Americans do not get
 enough fun out of life.

The young intellectuals challenge contemporary life and
 thought because it is regimented and standardized. Daven-
 ports are put in front of fireplaces, not because the owners
 want them there, but because other people have them
 there. Mr. Babbitt installs a cigar lighter in his car, not
 because he thinks he gets fun out of a harmless glittering
 automobile accessory, but because he thinks it gives
 "class" to his machine. Doing things because other people
 do them, or doing them in sincerity to impress other peo-
 ple is one good way of leading a dull life.

Fun comes by being one's self. The exterior act should
 reflect the one within. The davenport is in its proper
 place when it is where you want it as a being living your
 own life, and not giving a fig for artificial mass standards.
 Golf is a good game if you play it because you like it.
 But it is a poor pastime when you find it but another
 way of doing what other people do. You might rather
 play marbles or hop-scotch, if marbles or hop-scotch bet-
 ter releases your fun instinct.

The remedy for much of which the young intellectuals
 complain lies in questioning ourselves more as to why we
 do things. Have our opinions come to us ready-made from
 our parents or from our environment, or have we thought
 things out for ourselves? Do we put cigar lighters on
 our cars for convenience of cigar smokers or to acquire
 a sham "class." Why not do more things, think more
 things, feel more things, that are really our own? That's
 one way to have fun.

Men want to make things and do things that reflect
 themselves. They want to create, in the spirit of play,
 things beautiful or odd or interesting. They get fun out
 of life to the extent in which the things they make or do
 reflect what they really are. But as long as the chief
 business of life lies in coming out better than our brothers
 in the competitive struggle the brighter business of mak-
 ing life interesting and creative must wait.

Our Highways

Counting mileage, the United States is not short of
 roads. According to the federal bureau there is a total
 of 2,819,386 miles of rural highways. Good, indifferent,
 bad and worse are included in this reckoning. Until the
 arrival of the automobile and the insistence on improve-
 ment which its presence precipitated roads for the most
 part were treated as of secondary consequence. It's dif-
 ferent now. A score of years covers the era of the zeal
 for good roads.

Now there are 175,000 miles of gravel roads, 30,000
 miles of various forms of asphalt, 27,000 miles of concrete,
 10,000 miles of brick or stone block and 100,000 miles of
 macadam. Last year 40,000 miles of improved road was
 constructed. The 340,000 miles of paved or hard surfaced
 highways is chiefly the product of the automobile era.

Had not the motor car been placed within the reach
 of so many people no such vast program of road-building
 would ever have been undertaken. Car ownership has em-
 braced the entire population so nearly that there are few
 to object to road-building programs. If there are those
 opposed to the huge expenditures for roads they are not
 numerous enough to make their protests heard. In the
 desire for good roads the flivver owner and the rider in
 the highest priced car are of one accord. They want smooth,
 hard highways, no matter what the cost.

The Romans gained fame because of the roads they
 built, and Napoleon did considerable in the same line, but
 the real road-building era is now and it's right here in
 America. With it all, however, we have quite a distance
 to go before all the nearly 3,000,000 miles of roads will be
 entitled to the appellation of "good roads."

La Follette may curtail speeches, says a headline, but
 that appears to apply to the number rather than the
 length of them.

It seems to be a modern notion that a murderer should
 not be executed unless he has a highly developed moral
 sense.

OFFICE CAT



BY JUNIUS

"You can make money in your
 spare time," reads an ad, "by sell-
 ing steel fences to your neighbors.
 They'll buy them if you have chil-
 dren."

A garden is where you hope let-
 tuce and cabbage get ahead in
 their race with the weeds.

One mystery still unsolved is
 why architects think that the in-
 terior of a bank must look like a
 morgue.

LUCKY GEORGE

"Why was it that George Wash-
 ington never told a lie, pa?"
 "Because nobody asked him
 where he stood on the soldiers'
 bonus."

What most annoys a bald-headed
 man is that every barber wants to
 use his head as an experiment sta-
 tion.

It begins to look as though
 Washington will never be dry un-
 til Congress begins meeting in
 some other town.

YES, INDEED

Teacher—"Does your father pray
 music?"
 Music—"Yes, teacher. When we
 sit down to supper last night the
 first thing he said was 'Good
 Lord! We've got beans again!'"

Moderns may be a bit more hard-
 boiled, but not quite so many are
 stewed.

It's a Dangerous Thing

To tell a dating mother that her
 boy is to blame.

To trust a man who promises
 more than 10 per cent dividends.

To put a cigar smoker in
 charge of a kindergarten.

To try to settle a neighborhood
 quarrel.

To think that life is only sun-
 shine.

To give your daughter expensive
 tastes and no earning capacity.

To keep all our religion in our
 wife's name.

The only two things that furnish
 light without heat are the lightning
 bug and a bald head.

The weaker a man's argument is,
 the more likely it is to be punc-
 tuated with a liberal supply of
 cuss words.

About the time a man reaches 55
 he forgets his boyhood ambition to
 be president, and only hopes that
 he'll be able to keep his funeral
 from being held at the poor house.

CANTILEVER

I stood on the bridge at midnight,
 And I sang that good old song,
 "I stood on the bridge at midnight,"
 But I didn't stand there long.

I stood on the bridge at midnight,
 While the steamer whistle blew,
 And the bridge where I stood at
 midnight

Divided and let me through.

GIVE AND TAKE

If you think your rent is too
 high, consider the gentleman who
 took a lease on a ground floor lo-
 cation at Broadway and Thirty-
 sixth street, New York City. His
 lease is for 21 years, and for a
 space 40 to 52 feet he will pay
 \$70,000 a year. "The Lord giveth
 and the landlord taketh away."

Home is a place where one can
 sit by the living room fire to post
 potatoes or clean spark plugs.

You can't keep a good secret
 down.

BOLT DESTROYS HOUSE

CANYON CITY, Ore.—The home
 of Luke McKern of Mount Vernon
 was struck by lightning and de-
 stroyed by fire.

Mr. McKern was sitting by the
 kitchen stove when the bolt struck
 the stove. In a remarkable short
 time the flames enveloped the en-
 tire house.

The family escaped injury.

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THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



Tom Sims Says

A single wire, says the radio ex-
 port makes the best aerial. And a
 single gossip, we say, makes the
 best broadcaster.

Epinard the French race horse
 has a name which means "spunch,"
 so he should have plenty of sand,
 if you know your spunch.

"I've stood all I can," said the
 wife of a famous comedian, proving
 that love chuckles at jokesmiths.

Twelve college girls spent their
 vacations in a New York tenement,
 and liked it because they didn't
 have to do it.

In Naples a pack of wolves gather-
 ed outside a church door, possi-
 bly thinking it was where the
 preacher lived.

Washington cops are making
 raids in dress suits. The life of a
 cop is indeed a hard one.

A Sioux City man lost his fight
 for divorce and \$50,000 alimony
 from his wife, so may have to work
 for a living.

It must be awful to be an around
 the world flier with no new world
 to conquer.

Nearest thing about the Chicago
 murder case in the women yard to
 read it and give you the rest of
 the paper.

At Budapest, in Bohemia, the
 cops have killed all the cats, so
 out that district and he was wide-

now the old maids must talk to
 themselves.

Tear bomb was exploded at St.
 Cloud, Minn., dance and every girl
 there looked as if her shoes hurt
 her feet.

Nature pays just rewards. If
 you take more exercise you can
 smoke more without being sick.

They think an Illinois crazy man
 is a woman hater, but they are
 wrong; the women haters are wo-
 men.

Presidential speeches are being
 sent by radio, which is very nice,
 because sometimes the radio
 doesn't work.

A toolmaker is suing Henry Ford
 for \$500,000 and if he designed
 those doors that won't stay shut
 we hope he loses.

Robbers hide in a mine in Colo-
 rado. This is something new,
 robbers, as a rule, own the mine.

Rebels are marching on the city
 of Chihuahua, in Honduras, but
 we'll bet they can't pronounce it.

If it gets much hotter we go
 to sweat instead of perspire.

Retired Pastor, Age 81, Dead.

SPOKANE, Wash.—Funeral ser-
 vices for the Rev. George L. Cor-
 tin, age 81, retired Methodist min-
 ister, who died August 10 at Way-
 side, were held from the Wild
 Rose Methodist Episcopal church
 on Wild Rose prairie and burial
 was made in Wayside cemetery.

For 25 years the Rev. Cortin had
 preached in Williams valley, Wild
 Rose prairie, Wayside and through-
 out that district and he was wide-

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 ago.

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 ters, Mrs. J. J. Jones at whose
 home he died, Mrs. C. Dean of
 Missouri, and one son, E. C. Cor-
 tin, of Clayton, Wash.

Congress isn't such a bad insti-
 tution if one is blessed with a sense
 of humor.

WALLA WALLA, Wash.—Thirty-
 five per cent of this year's wheat
 crop has been sold, dealers state.
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