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TRUST IN THE LORD, AND DO GOOD: so shall thou dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt be fed.—Psalm 37:1.

About 750,000,000 pencils are sold in America yearly, but we can't learn who buys them.

It disappoints a man to return from his vacation and find that his long rest has done his creditors no good.

GO TO WORK.

Go to work! Knowledge does not come from impressive books, but from the principle of working out these theoretical truths in actual practice.

The world is overpopulated with people who work harder-killing time than they would have to work if they used time intelligently. The efforts of such people are reminiscent of the old horse once used in the brickyards to mill the clay. Round and round the circle he went, getting nowhere. A merry-go-round is a rollicking sport for children, but when adults do a lot of traveling they like to feel that they have been somewhere.

Do not wait for something to turn up and happen. Make things happen. The precious gift of the gods is initiative—the ability to start something and keep it going. In the business world this gift commands the highest wage. In all of life the initiator of new outlets for the bubbling spirit of man is a benefactor.

Everywhere today the call is for the man who can make himself busy in new ways to reach old ends. The burden of civilization is he who means well, but means well feebly.

ENTERING HIGH SCHOOL.

Thousands of young men and young women (they aren't boys and girls after they get out of the grades) are entering high school this year, and if they are the right kind of young people they will get the right kind of a thrill from this experience.

Entering high school is an epochal event in the life of anyone who is blessed with the opportunity. Most students never get beyond the graduation period in the high schools. After that they either go to work or loaf or do a little of each.

A great many young people who enter high school never graduate, which is a very sad mistake for them to make, and a still graver mistake on the part of the parents, providing the latter deliberately give their consent to a child leaving high school without graduating, when it is not necessary.

The first day in high school marks the beginning of an important event in the life of the young man or young woman who enjoys the privilege of acquiring this important education.

There will come a time in the history of this country (and it is approaching rapidly nowadays), when a young person without a high school diploma is going to find things pretty hard in this life. For education is the stepping stone to success and independence and without it all is slavish labor and interminable discouragement. Those who enter upon high school life September 14 are to be congratulated. They will march over a royal road and pave their own life's highway so that progress will be smooth and sure.

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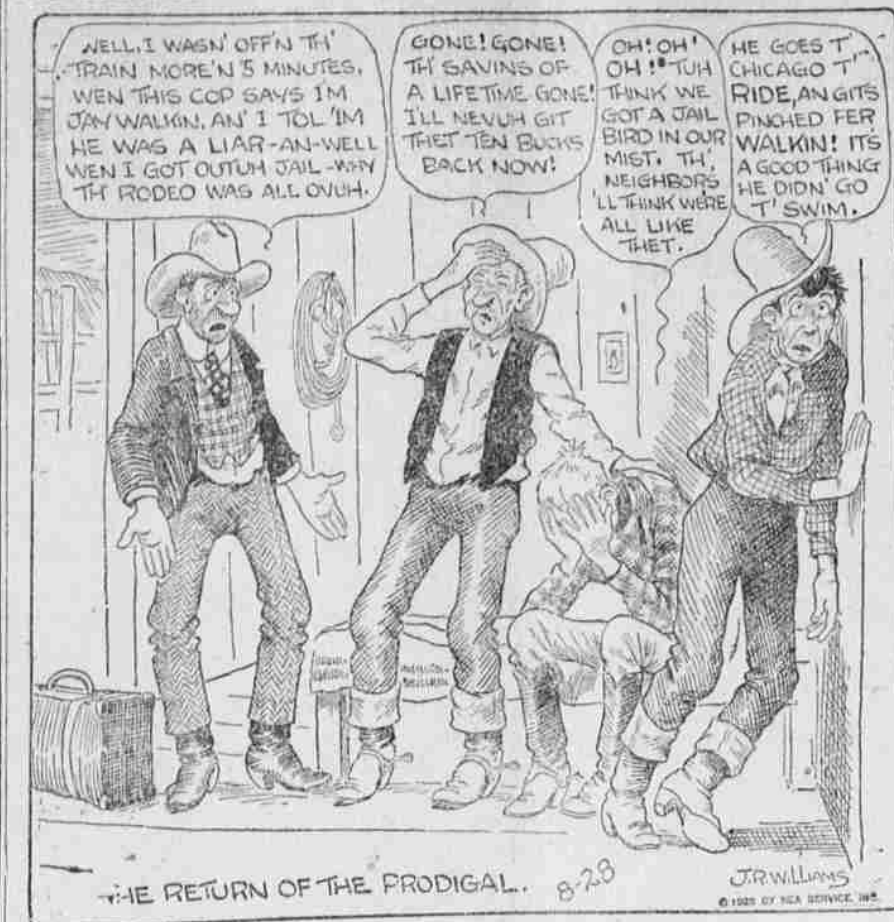
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OUT OUR WAY



THE RETURN OF THE PRODIGAL. 8-28

By WILLIAMS



OFFICE CAT
By Junius
Down deep in his heart every man has a secret ambition to have a little to do as a dog or an Indian.
At the age of 16, a girl stops crying and begins to weep.
Some merchants are up at sunrise seeking the elusive dollar. But what we started to say was that Early Day has a general merchandise store at Peytona, Kentucky.
You can't kiss a girl unexpectedly. The best you can do is to kiss her sooner than she thought you would.
Another entrant to the outdoor contest is the goat who thinks he is going to save money by eating at a cafeteria.
FAMOUS P. S. S.
I shall send check tomorrow. Package just arrived. Remember me to everybody. Do you miss me?
Willie's cold is better. I love you.
Never darken our threshold again. Don't forget to feed the rooster.
Dressing when mother was a girl meant dressing, but in daughter's day it means nearly the opposite.
A priest is a daughter gone crazy.
Garlic grows wild in many countries, we're told. Who can blame it?
A woman who can vasp her own husband never needs to exercise her powers of fascination over other men.
Sam: "What are you doing now?"
Bo: "I'm an exporter."
"An exporter?"
"Yep, the Pullman company just fired me."
We heard a bird say yesterday that he cannot get his wife to listen to him. He should try talking in his sleep. If that don't get her she has an arthritis—or something.

WRITE YOUR OWN HEAD TO THIS ONE
LOST—Valuable walking stick by a gentleman with polished ivory head.—(Want ad in a New York paper.)

A THOUGHT
All are quiet, and under the rose,
Let me tell you, kind sisters and brothers,
There isn't much good in the hearts of these,
Who only see bad in others.

The office excise says he never will believe in dreams again. One of them assured him she wasn't married.

An unsophisticated child, is one that will also get mad for a comb instead of the hair or for a razor.

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The less advertising a man gives a paper the more he expects for his money.

Every man considers himself a committee of one to look into the innermost problem.

There come one filtering through to Paris and America in numbers so large that they suggest that a valuable find has been made. It is believed to be in Persia.

HEALTH

CARE FOR THE HUMAN MACHINE DURING HARVEST
Hiring help is easier than keeping it to the end of harvest! Breaking in a new worker takes the time of the foreman and usually involves expense for transportation from the railway. It slows down the output and often costs the loss of a part of the acreage.
The State Board of Health makes the following suggestions with the hope that Oregon's farmers may keep their harvesters at 100 per cent efficiency, and that they may save the state the expense of stamping out epidemics which frequently arise in temporary camps. The board will issue a bulletin soon with suggestions for the workers themselves which may be posted in camps.

LOCATION OF CAMPS—Should be on well-drained ground, and should be chosen after consultation with county health officer.

PURE WATER SUPPLY—If any water is to be used for drinking purposes it should be analyzed to determine its freedom from disease producing germs. Upon request the laboratory of the State Board of Health will send a sterile bottle and full directions for the collection and shipment of the water sample. There is no charge attached to this service; the only requirement being that the bottle must be obtained from the state laboratory. Address all inquiries regarding the examination of water to the Director of the Laboratory, State Board of Health, 201 Fitzpatrick Bldg., Portland, Oregon. If the water comes from a well be sure that there is no drainage back into the well from water used in washing hands, dishes and similar purposes. Drinking water should be supplied within 200 feet of each camp. All privy vaults and cesspools should be at least 200 feet from the water supply and so located that pollution is impossible.

PERSONAL CLEANLINESS—Make it easy for the workers to wash their hands often, and always before eating. A washbasin attached to the wall near a faucet, and the provision of soap will encourage cleanliness and may prevent the loss of many workers through illness. A camp sanitation expert says, "The chief cause of disease in camp is either with unwashed hands."

WASTE DISPOSAL—Garbage of food leftovers should be placed in tightly covered receptacles and removed daily, and other buried or burned. Fly light privies or water-flushed toilets should be maintained in a clean and sanitary condition. Toilets for women should be provided in the fields. At least one caretaker should be employed by the management to see the camp grounds in sanitary condition.

FIRST AID SUPPLIES—Increase the probability of health among your harvesters by getting from your local druggist a supply of bandages and sterile remedies which will assist.

Among other dogs used by the Department of Agriculture to follow down lost hounds was a bull pup that was found to be immune. As fast as the insects were placed on the dog they hopped off. Scientists are trying to find out the secret of his defensible armament.

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(By the Associated Press.)
Mexican and American leaders conferred on immigration problems.
Daniel F. Stock continued to gain in the senate recount in the Iowa election contest.
The agriculture department announced that it saw little prospect now for lower potato prices.
The government resumed its moves to bring about early negotiations with the smaller debtor nations.
Officials disclosed that they expect the Anglo-French settlement to complicate Franco-American debt negotiations.
The state department was informed that Canton had been occupied by Whampoa cadets avenging the assassination of Liu Ch'ung Hoi.

Memory of Bill Nye Will Be Perpetuated by North Carolina
FLETCHER, N. C. (AP).—Five memorials to Edgar Wilson ("Bill") Nye, grouped about his last resting place in the heart of the Blue Ridge mountains, at Fletcher, were dedicated yesterday. These reminders of the family.

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