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SWAT EARLY AND OFTEN.

Are you swatting the fly? Have you seen any flies to swat? If not, be on guard and massacre the first one that shows himself.

Scientists tell us that every fly we kill now means that there will be millions less to kill later in the season. And others, who are paid by commissions to pay attention to the war waged upon this pest last year are firm in their belief that the nation is on the right track to exterminate the little nuisance.

Think of thirty million women with perhaps as many children each swatting a dozen flies a day! It is plainly seen the war can be won.

All that is needed is determined effort in every home. And the swatter need not be the only instrument used. Aided by the use of good fly paper or traps, the work will go forward much more rapidly.

It is a cause worthy of your co-operation. At first, the idea of exterminating the fly by killing them individually was ridiculed, but a season's determined effort proved that it is not impossible, and the coming summer will give even more positive proof.

But all must help. Do your swatting early.

WALT WRITES WISDOM.

Walt Mason, the Emporia, Kansas, poet, put in rhyme the following words of wisdom:

Kersmith & Kickshaw deal in wax and Chinese eggs and carpet tacks. They are good sports in every way; they cough up money every day to make the town a better place in which to live and push your face. They hire a dozen clerks or more, who wait on patrons in their store. Our crossroads burg they would up-build, and see it with glad people filled, and to that end they blow their seeds like truly patriotic lads. But when we need of eggs a few, we send away to Timbuctoo; and when a carpet tack we wish, it's shipped from Ypsilanti, Mich. Each has the notion in his dome that things are best away from home, and so we order hods and hats, and humming birds and maltese cats, from strangers in some town remote, who would not know us from a goat. We ship away our hard earned kale, and get our fourth rate junk by mail. Say, are we seers, or are we fools? Those strangers don't support our schools, or keep our peeler on his beat, or help to pave the Court House street. They do not paint the village pump or build a fence around the dump. If our old burg were blown away they wouldn't care a bale of hay. Kersmith & Kickshaw ought to get the local trade, already yet.

An exchange says that parents at Grand Rapids, Mich., had their girl placed in a detention hospital because she was going to marry a man without any legs. And to think that not infrequently a father and mother are hilariously joyful when their daughter marries a man without any brains.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

Henry Ford, the automobile manufacturer, was as engineer in an electric plant in Detroit. Charles Murphy, the baseball millionaire, was a reporter on the Cincinnati Enquirer. Thomas H. Ince, the motion picture magnate, was a comic-opera comedian, glad to get \$50.00 a week.

Charlie Weegman, owner of the Chicago Federal baseball team and a string of restaurants, was a waiter in a quick lunch room. And so it goes. The list could be strung out to a column's length. Therefore, when you hear a boy or a young man complain that he has no chance, take him by the arm and tell him a few things. There never was a time in the world's history when there were more opportunities for a young man to push to the front. There never was a time when a little intelligence and determination would provide a man with a competence in a few years. This is particularly true in the farming business—for farming is a business. The young man of today who will take hold of a farm with the idea of making it the best farm in the county and who will work intelligently for ten years, with that idea always before him, will not have to work for the remainder of his life.

A little white spitz dog, mad on the streets of Portland, bit eleven people Friday and Saturday before it was finally killed. Besides the persons bitten, at least a dozen other dogs were known to have been infected by the rabid little animal during that time. Most of the persons attacked were school children and women. Practically all of them are taking Pasteur treatment.

There are, in round numbers, 2,250,000 miles of road in the United States, less than 250,000 or one tenth of which are improved. More than 1,000,000 miles of them are impassable several months during the year. It looks like a fertile field for the investigation of those who would find a solution for the problem of the unemployed.

O. Laugaard will be chosen to complete the unfinished work of State Highway Commissioner Bowlby. Laugaard is a good engineer, one who gets about \$1.25 worth of work for every \$1 expended, as the construction of the Tumalo project proved conclusively.

It cost \$4,054,646 to govern the city of Portland during 1914. Based on a population of 275,000 the above sum represents an average of \$14.75 for each individual which is probably more than some of them are worth.

SYNOPSIS OF THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE

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