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## THE BEAUTY OF GREEN GRASS.

One of the cares of the man who owns an individual house is the production of a flourishing and well-grassed lawn. In the aggregate an enormous amount of effort is expended in this task. It all pays, for nothing gives a neighborhood such an appearance of refinement as well-trimmed grass.

A dwelling may have a profusion of lovely flowers, but if the grass around the house and beds is untidy and untrimmed, the whole effect is disorderly. The beauty of flowers seems almost to attract attention to the disorder or lack of grass.

Pretty lawns are not found only in the wealthier quarters of a town. There one expects them as a matter of course. They represent largely the faithful work of laborers, but do not involve much personal effort on the part of the owner. In the more modest sections of the town one often finds home places that represent laborious toil on the part of hard working people. Many mechanics will get out on their lawns before breakfast, mowing and weeding, or work on them until dark. Frequently one sees the wife operating the lawn mower while the man is gone to the shop.

The production of a good thick grassy lawn is not always easy, even if the supply of water is sufficient. In many soils the grass must be coaxed and coddled with constant fertilizing, seeding and turling. A quart of grass seed may produce but scattering, reluctant and isolated spears, while the dandelions and other weeds grow with malevolent and indolent ease.

The man who maintains a thick, velvety lawn makes a real contribution to the beauty of a town. If his dwelling is located among neighbors that are careless about their surroundings, an example is set that almost always affects the neighborhood. It tends to make real estate more valuable as far as its influence extends. There are few people who are content for long to keep an untrimmed, thin and weedy lawn adjoining one that is carefully tended.

## WALKING AND THE WORKER.

The recent United States health bulletin warning the public of the dangers of sedentary lives, and urging every one to walk, has led many newspapers to comment very justly on the danger of lack of exercise. But many women who do housework or work in stores, and men who work in factories, say their daily labor leaves them weary, and they have no energy left for outdoor exercise.

Yet many of these indoor tasks provide little physical development. The organs of the body may degenerate almost as much as in the case of the business man who sits in a swivel chair all day.

People who give up walking because they are weary with daily work do not always realize how refreshing a daily constitutional is. In cities many thousands of working people ride in trolleys to work would feel better for walking. After a little training of their muscles they would find that the exercise would be a pleasure, and they would be better able to meet the strain of indoor employment.

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## SAFEGUARDING UNCLE SAM'S WORKERS.

There is one employer in the country who doesn't need a factory inspection act to compel him to look after the health of his employees. Uncle Sam is his name.

For many years past heads of executive departments in Washington had realized that there should be some adequate way to check up and correct conditions detrimental to the health of workers. Three years ago an executive order was issued to the United States public health service to look after this work. The service detailed for this work officers who had ample training and practical experience along the line of industrial hygiene.

Three years ago a manufacturing division in one of the government departments was rated as highly dangerous to the health of employees on account of the dust produced. Today that same establishment is absolutely free from dust and without menace to health.

When the inspection service was inaugurated many of the government workrooms and offices were overcrowded, even in the better class of buildings, the floor space and cubic air space per person in certain instances being less than half the normal requirements. At the present time there is not a government employee whose allotment is below the minimum requirement; the ventilation of offices having also been strikingly improved. Result, better health, fewer colds and infections, and no more breathing of a vitiated atmosphere by government workers.

There is not a single government building in which the standard of cleanliness is not higher than three years ago. The stacking of material on floors and in corners, the littering of desks, and the improper disposition of clothing have all been diminished, in some instances strikingly so. There is a better appreciation of the fact that disorder breeds dirt.

A greater number of electric fans are now used during the heated season. Locker accommodations have been increased in nearly every building, rest periods advocated where the employment is tiresome or monotonous, and temperature and humidity more carefully regulated. The common drinking glass has been prohibited, and in many cases bubblers, or sanitary drinking fountains, have been substituted, while insanitary water coolers have been replaced by those of a more approved pattern.

Would that the United States public health service could extend its field of operations to the workers in every industry in every city.

## THE WOMEN WILL GET YOU RESULTS.

"It will interest the many able knockers who insisted that the improvement of a park site in this city on the Southern Pacific right of way was impractical, to know that the ladies of the Civic Improvement Club of Ashland have accomplished just that. They will set out trees—as was here suggested; they have planted their lawn—as we never got around to do; they are installing a sprinkling system which uses the waste water of the company's tanks—just as we wanted to do. The S. P., in a sunny mood at the enterprise, will put a concrete wall about a spring on the lot—the Gold Hill plan included this, plus trout in the resultant pond. The cases are beautiful parallels, up to the fork in the road."—Gold Hill News.

Let us give you a gentle hint, Gold Hill. Put your women on the job.

Regardless of whether it's right or wrong, a republican newspaper hands out this choice bit of sarcasm: "Soon or later the attorney of Frank Walsh, the chairman of the federal relations commission, will be called to the handsome melon cut last week by the Ford Motor Company, and then what will happen? Here is a corporation which has made a remarkable record—it has apparently supplied a real public demand, but it has been phenomenally successful and therefore under the rule which seems to have been in vogue recently, it ought to be subjected to an investigation and should be harassed in a greater or lesser degree by the government. Mr. Walsh fairly ought to gloat over such a discovery as this. The fact that a lot of labor has been employed at highly remunerative wages and that prosperity has been brought to the communities where the factories are located probably won't count—a big melon has been cut and that, in Mr. Walsh's opinion, probably ought to be punished."

That whiskey dealer who arose in convention and declared whiskey relieves more misery than it causes must just have swallowed his first bracer after a hard night.

The Tidings is on sale at Poley's drug store, 17 East Main street.

## The Home Circle

Thoughts from the Editorial Pen

### Expecting Too Much.

A housekeeper's duties are many and exhausting, and under the best of circumstances many times trying. This is especially so of the nervous, delicate woman. While there are essential duties to be performed in all households, a great deal of trouble arises from expecting too much from others. A woman who wishes to make her home a happy haven of rest for husband and children must have sympathy and charity for the shortcomings of every member of the household. One may be untidy, a very trying fault, one must admit; another indolent, while a third has an irritable temper. But is it any use to fret over these daily trials? Far better throw the mantle of charity over faults that cannot be remedied, and learn not to expect too much. While extending leniency toward others, it is well to do the same towards ourself and not exhaust body and mind in endeavoring to do the work of two or three persons. How many women lose all the pleasure of home life in this never-ending effort.

Brightness is always attractive, particularly a bright face. It is seen, admired and favorably commented upon. There springs from it illuminations that draw. It wins favor, endures the longest, and speaks the farthest. It is akin to cheerfulness, in fact, it is the outcome of it. A bright face indicates a cheerful heart, buoyant with hope and glowing with expectation. It banishes doubt, despair and fear. It reveals the heart of trust, peace and contentment. It reflects the inner life, and images the divine presence. "Moses wist not that his face shone," but the people marveled at its brightness. May your life be such that the brightness of your countenance will illuminate the very atmosphere in which you move, and particularly the home in which you live. Such brightness in a home will disperse clouds of gloom, sadness of heart and the sorrows of the soul. It will cheer, comfort and console; happy hearts inspire life and turn darkness into light.

Wear a happy, smiling face,  
Wear it with the best of grace,  
Wear it—greatest good to give,  
Wear it and you'll longer live.

"At home after April 15," we read in the corner of an invitation card. "At home." How suggestive! Another one was to be established, another kingdom, another inner world. "At home;" may the revealing be as from heaven, with love as its angel with overshadowing wings. Home! That word touches every fibre of the soul. It is the magic circle in which is centered the heart's warmest affection. Years ago when Jenny Lind in Castle Garden was singing the sub-

lime compositions of Beethoven and Handel to an audience of 20,000, she paused and seemed to fold her wings for a loftier flight. With an impulse that was born of heaven she poured forth "Home, Sweet Home." Every heart was moved, and tears flowed as from 20,000 fountains. To attain a home and to stand as a tree with a vine and others twining about, pressing forth to a blooming, is man's worthiest ambition. "At home" in its truest sense suggests the best condition of Christian civilization, heaven's ante chamber.

### Rocking the Boys to Sleep.

I sit me down in the twilight cool  
Of a busy summer's day,  
And close my ears and live again  
The time so far away,  
When Eddie and James and John  
Were here;  
And the tears to my eyes will creep,  
For I seem to sit in the old brown chair,  
A-rockin' the boys to sleep.  
I bring John back from a home of wealth,  
Where fame and honor dwell,  
And sing and rock him to sleep once more,  
More happy than tongue can tell.  
I brave the storms on a shoreless sea  
Where tempest and surges sweep,  
And James is here and I rock again  
"My wandering boy" to sleep.  
I build a stair to the heavens tall,  
And reach in its sweet domain  
For little Eddie and bring him back  
To my lonely home again;  
My throbbing heart is heavy now  
With a yearning strong and deep,  
As I smooth the curls of my only babe  
And rock him once more to sleep.  
They say the old chair is useless now,  
'Tis creaking and dull with age  
And must forever be put aside,  
Like a well-leaved, wornout page.  
But the old brown chair sings a song to me  
As it whispers of other years;  
And it tells of roughened places smoothed,  
And murmurs of childish tears.  
Yes, the old chair tells in an undertone,  
In a voice so creaking and old,  
Of comfort it gave through summer's heat,  
As well as in winter's cold;  
How those little dependent lives were soothed  
Through their childish sorrows deep,  
As it did its best to ease each pain,  
While rocking the boys to sleep.

## NOT ENOUGH CHILDREN

ever receive the proper balance of food to sufficiently nourish both body and brain during the growing period when nature's demands are greater than in mature life. This is shown in so many pale faces, lean bodies, frequent colds, and lack of ambition.

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### Chautauqua Tickets.

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