

# Roosevelt's, Pershing's And Billy Sunday's Teeth

During the world war period, when the needed man like Theodore Roosevelt more than anything in the world, his teeth killed him. General John J. Pershing led an army selected from American manhood, from which over five million had been rejected as unfit. When the war was over he became an important factor in diplomatic relations and when the discussion of his height in Chili the noted general was ordered home for dental treatment.

The Rev. Billy Sunday, the most talked of evangelist, finds tooth at an infection in one of his teeth poisoned his system and topped him in his campaign to "Brighten the corner where you are."

Not many months before this, the same infection laid low the well known fighter, Pancho Villa who was the leading fly weight boxer. Four fighters, four knockouts, four common things, as an infected tooth, from our most noted fighters out fought by an absolute preventable thing. Ironie, isn't it?

This little incident serves to illustrate the important part that teeth play in the general health. They are not, as some people consider them, a collection of miniature man's long teeth set in the mouth for chewing purposes only. Nor are they made primarily for adding to one's good looks.

They are connected with the rest of the body and their health will affect the general well being of the individual.

These men were world champions in perfect condition—yet they have been stopped in the prime of their life from a preventable cause of disease.

Here were strong men—presumably in better physical condition than you and I—cut off from their share of the world's joys by an abscessed tooth. If it could affect these men, the ailment is serious enough to be prevented by the average person who is soft from lack of exercise and hasn't the full amount of resistance to disease that he should have.

Danger Comes From Abscessed Teeth

Before a tooth can get into a dangerous condition of this kind, it must become abscessed. This abscess results from the decay of the pulp which becomes infected, a condition brought about at the start through a small opening in the tooth where decay befalls from the outside of the tooth and enters its way inward like a worm burrowing its way to the center of an apple.

As the enamel and dentine back of it are slowly destroyed, the opening gets larger and larger, until it reaches the pulp of the tooth. It takes but a few months for a tooth to decay to the point where the pulp is reached.

At this point, there is the first sign of trouble. A sharp pain for help is given by the stricken tooth in the form of a toothache. Most people are only interested in stopping the shrieking pain instead of getting at the cause of it. This ache is a sign that inflammation has set in. Pus soon forms and destroys the tissue around the root end of the tooth.

When the toothache first comes on, the tooth feels "too large," for it is shoved out of its normal position in the socket by the inflammation around the tooth. When the tooth is closed it causes pain because it is the first tooth to touch the teeth.

This pus digs its way out to the surface a few days after the toothache begins. It collects in a mass underneath the gums and causes swelling, for the inflammation has increased the size and the pus collects and heads toward the mouth or the outside of the face.

The pus enters the blood stream and floats around in the body. Here it has ideal living conditions. It may stop at any of our vital organs—heart, kidney, liver or lungs—and so we get infectious diseases—caused by these abscessed teeth at various points of the body, such as rheumatism, head aches, back aches, enlarged joints, eye trouble, ear trouble, nervousness, tired feeling, and a great many other ailments.

This was the probable type of abscesses that afflicted those strong men for they had an abscessed tooth that resulted in blood poisoning. Lowered physical resistance following an over exertion might have hurried the case along to its fatal results—but it was neglect that caused the final crisis.

Insuring Against Such Trouble

Periodic examination and treatment by a dentist will ordinarily discover and take care of decay before it causes an exposure of the pulp. The real lesson to be learned from the death of such strong men is not so much to fear an abscessed tooth as to fear neglect which may cause it, and the realization that further neglect of the tooth may cause even death. A regular examination of the mouth is therefore much like taking out

# W.C.T.U. MEET ENDS

Regional Campaign Conference Ends at Frisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11.—(AP)—The regional campaign conference of the national W. C. T. U. for California, Arizona, Nevada and Hawaii, closed here tonight after a two day session in which the delegates adopted a resolution asking the republican and democratic parties to incorporate a "dry" plank in their national platforms.

Mrs. E. C. Wheeler, president of the southern California W. C. T. U. warned the conferees of the "dangers of a wet president in the White House." She declared that a "wet" president could cripple prohibition enforcement by cutting down the enforcement budget, and by his treaty-making powers.

Mrs. W. W. Green, president of the California Federation of Women's clubs, said that the organization she represented had among its members thousands of women in sympathy with W. C. T. U. work and added that she wanted to align herself in the campaign to support those principles political.

# Mrs. Ruth Snyder Left Estate Nearly \$12,000

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Disposition of an estate valued at approximately \$12,000 was provided in the will of Mrs. Ruth Snyder, recently electrocuted for the murder of her husband, filed today.

Jewelry valued at \$1,000 and other personal property was left in trust for Mrs. Snyder's daughter, Lorraine, and the residue of the estate was left to Mrs. Snyder's mother, Mrs. Josephine Brown.

# Lad Writes Note To Tell How Whole Family Died

STEVENS POINT, Wis., Feb. 11.—(AP)—While his father, mother and brother lay drowned in a water hole on the family farm at Belmont, Alva Rice, 10, today was found scrawling a letter to his aunt telling of the accident.

From the youngster authorities pieced together an incoherent story that pictured Allen, 11, breaking through the ice and his parents' vain attempt to save him. A neighbor boy visited the Rice home today and learned of the tragedy.

# Fairview Man Returns From California Visit

FAIRVIEW, Feb. 11.—(Special)—R. C. Day, who has spent the winter in Fresno, Calif., left for a short trip to the coast cities after which he will return to his home in Fairview.

Arnie Hjalmsen visited school Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dent were guests at the Greenlee home in Aumsville Tuesday.

Miss Lucille Bingenheimer visited at the Day home Sunday.

W. Y. Dent had his tonsils removed while in Salem Saturday.

Helen Kuedell visited her sister Monday evening.

Miss Leah Day spent the weekend as a guest of the Ryans.

# Well Known Veteran of Spanish War Passes On

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—(AP)—William H. La Mar, 65, veteran of the Spanish-American war and solicitor of the post office department during the Wilson administration, died here tonight. He was born in Auburn, Ala. He was a member of the second Greeley arctic relief expedition in 1883.

# Marshfield Gets High Powered Radio Station

MARSHFIELD, Feb. 11.—(AP)—A high power radio station will be established here within thirty days. This was announced here today by Mrs. Thelma Cullen of Eugene.

Mrs. Cullen and H. H. Hanseth will move the apparatus now at Eugene to Marshfield, where they hope to establish the station in the new nine story Marshfield hotel building, nearing completion.

# Little Wall Street Serves Palm Beach

office a few moments before continuing their match.

Frequently men and women saunter into the offices on their way from the beach to the Everglades club, or to their favorite sport. Several of the offices are near the dining rooms in large hotels.

J. Leonard Replogle, E. F. Hutton, John Francis, Harris, John Hays Hammond and others have high speed fishing boats which are capable of taking them out

# Young New Jersey Pupil Has Every Illness In List

WEST ORANGE, N. J., Feb. 11.—(AP)—Some kids have all the 'uck.

Howard Mitchell's parents would not let him start school until last September when he reached his sixth birthday. Soon after being in the first grade, Howard became ill with measles that kept him home for several weeks. Two days after his return to school he was stricken with scarlet fever and did not resume his three R's until last Monday. Now Howard's home again. He has chicken pox.

# Colored Bootlegger Has Wee Bit of Hard Luck

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 11.—(AP)—It was just hard luck that a police sergeant happened to be standing near when he slipped and fell today, John Carr, negro, believes. The sergeant, Jess Merritt, generously helped him to his feet. The tinkle of

# Whale's Evolution Of Much Interest

Some of the anatomical modifications which were tried out during geologic time proved more successful than others. As a result, old species continually disappeared and new ones took their places. No traces of hind legs have been found in living toothed whales, although they appear, in undeveloped form, in the skeleton of one found in Egypt which died at least 3,000,000 years ago, and are present today in the structure of whalebone whales, buried deep in the flesh of the hip region. The bones, muscles, blood vessels and nerves of the forelegs have been overlaid with blubber, forming flippers to enable the whale to ascend, descend, or turn, while powerful horizontal flukes have been developed at the end of the tail to provide a means of propulsion.

A blanket layer of fat affords protection against water temperatures much lower than those of the whale's body, which is only

# Doctor at 83 Found People Preferred His Prescription

The basis of treating sickness has not changed since Dr. Caldwell left Medical College in 1875. nor since he placed on the market the laxative prescription he had used in his practice, known to druggists and the public since 1892, as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

Then, the treatment of constipation, biliousness, headaches, mental depression, indigestion, sour stomach and other indispositions that result from constipation was entirely by means of simple vegetable laxatives, herbs and roots. These are still the basis of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is a combination of senna and other mild laxative herbs, with pepsin.

Dr. Caldwell did not approve of drastic physics and purges. He did not believe they were good for human beings to put into their system. If grown people want to use them no one can deny them the privilege, but they should never be given to children.

The simpler the remedy for constipation, the safer for the child, and for you, and the better for the general health of all. And as "Syrup Pepsin," Monticello, Illinois, can get results in a mild and safe way by using Dr. Caldwell's FREE SAMPLE BOTTLE.

yet reached the stage of their evolution, the structures are present but usually are undeveloped.

Like the eyes, the organ of hearing has been radically changed, on the foundations of the old structure, to meet the requirements of responding to water-borne sounds rather than those carried on the air. Even the external ear which was at one time possessed has almost disappeared, although in this respect, as in others some species are more advanced toward its elimination than others.

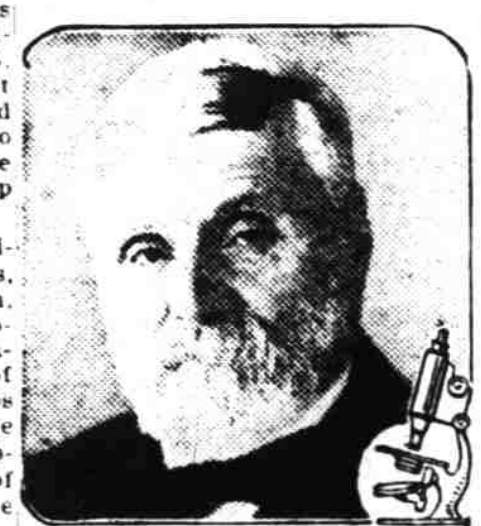
# BETTER HOMES FOR THE CAPITAL CITY

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play at home with neighbor children rather than have her children always at the neighbor's?

Make the home attractive and home-like, and the children can easily be taught to love and enjoy the flowers and plants just as well as they do their swing or sand pile.

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J. B. Caldwell, M.D. AT AGE 83

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Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Fig Syrup," then see that it is made by "The California Fig Syrup Company."

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