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Toronto times in Chicago. The Tribune solemnly and sincerely instructs the citizen should be he out after dark in the streets of that wicked city.

When a person sees a crowd in front of him he should cross the street. He should never under any circumstances pass between two or more persons, thus allowing himself to be surrounded. He should be very careful in crossing an alley, and keep near enough to the edge of the sidewalk to avoid a sudden attack. These precautions, however, are not always sufficient. It is, therefore, advisable for every man who is out at night to arm himself with a stout walking stick. A person who is thus armed is not as apt to be assailed as a man whose hands are empty. If he has a chance to see his assailant he is able to defend himself. With a good stick any man can make a good fight against one or more assailants until his cries have brought him aid. If a person does not choose to carry a stick, let him take a dagger, a small one, and carry it in the revolver pocket of his pantaloons, where it is easily graspable in case of emergency. A dagger is one of those noiseless, easily handled weapons which require less practice than any other, and which, in the hands of an untrained person, can do considerable execution.

The proposition of the South Carolina farmers to urge upon the legislature the passage of laws forbidding the cutting down of trees by possum hunters is not likely to bring about any effective results, even if the law should be passed. Just how little remedy there is for the outrage is told by the Gainesville (Ga.) Eagle: "There are some things in this world that defy all rules, and enactments, that overlap all barriers and laugh at all obstacles. One of these things is the cutting down of a possum tree, and the 'shine' of a possum's eye, and you have a combination that legislation will not affect, that the church is powerless to control, and that courts and juries, judges, and penitentiaries are unable to overawe. If that tree were mahogany and it involved the whole universe in civil war, and blood ran a foot deep in the streets, that tree must come down all the same."

On the subject of evolution it may be briefly said that it is much more encouraging to think that we have come from some lower form of life, through countless aeons of growth, than that we started perfect, and took a stupendous tumble downward because of the sin of our first parents, even though brought about by an over-mastering temptation of a being of which man could have had no possible knowledge, and who seemed to be greater than the Creator himself.

A YOUNG graduate who doubtless wishes to become a great journalist, asks the Boston Star what is the best style of writing and the best model to take, and is correctly answered by that journal that the paragraphic style of writing is the most popular. It is easier to write a long article than a short one; but harder on the reader, who generally likes to have the whole subject matter presented in a few pregnant sentences clothed in terse Anglo-Saxon.

REPAULING city clerk of Oakland, Cal., pleads that it was the law bank that ruined him. Like enough, but had he beat the game it would have amounted to the same thing in the end. It is the fashion among criminals to whine about "evil influences, etc.," ignoring the patent fact that they themselves set and bait the trap and then deliberately get caught.

MICHAEL DAVITT, the Irish agitator, originated a new phase. Speaking of legitimate forms of agitation concerning the continuous oppression of his countrymen, he mentioned the "moral dynamite of ideas," which aptly describes the whole matter.

DURING a circus performance at St. Petersburg, Russia, last Saturday, the building was consumed by fire and 150 of the occupants perished in the flames. The scene is described as being most horrible, the final opening of the doors revealing a mass of burning humanity within.

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