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Early Days of Tea Drinking.

In the beginning of Eastern tea drinking in England in 1740 the women spent as much as 40 shillings (\$10), on a tea equipage, with its silver spoon and the teacup and saucer of fine porcelain holding as much as a wine glass. These each good gossip carried with her to the party!

Has Different Place in Alphabets.

The letter A, in the Runic Futhark alphabet, stands in fourth place, and in the Ethiopic occupies the thirteenth place.

Human Mind at Rest.

As the firefly only shines when on the wing, so it is with the human mind—when at rest, it darkens.—L. E. Landon.

WALK FAR FOR MOTOR BUS RIDE

Chinese Enthusiastic for Travel in Vehicles That Are New to Their Nation.

"It is no uncommon thing for a poor Chinese to take a motor bus ride for a couple of hours and then walk back home because he cannot afford the return journey," says William I. Irvine, trade commissioner of the United States Department of Commerce, just back from a tour of investigation of the automotive markets of Asia. "From this you can conclude safely that education of the Chinese into the joy and utility of the motor vehicle is not a thing of the distant future. What the Chinese do need is roads, and they are being built, but under far from propitious conditions, and the motor car is the cause.

"The desire to ride in motor vehicles is responsible for at least 90 per cent of the road construction that is now going on in China. Here is how it works out: A group of Chinese are attracted by the bus idea; there is no

Scottish Laborites Bar Hobnobbing With King

London.—The dour Scots of the labor party in the house of commons have sternly denounced participation in any royal functions. Most of them signed a declaration they would accept no invitations to such affairs "when there is so much unemployment" in their constituencies. Only about a half dozen withheld their signatures.

The English members of the party were not asked to sign, but it is un-

Dare Be the Thing You Are

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

TO DARE to be the thing you are, Not something else to seem, Your journey near, your journey far, And dark, or all agleam— To walk your way with head erect, Whatever it may be, Will bring you more of men's respect, Than cheap chicanery.

To wear a gloss, a thin veneer, Your inner self to hide, Some other person to appear, May please your petty pride, May satisfy you for a day, A little while deceive— But men shall tear the mask away And doubt who now believe.

If you are poor, to dare be poor Is truly to be rich; To live, if need be, on the poor, If fated, walk the ditch, Will bring you more regard, I know, Than velvet garments gay, Than all the artificial show For which you cannot pay.

If rich or poor, if small or great, If age is yours, or youth, Whatever fortune, 'ever fate, Your greatest charm is truth; And they more quickly find the dream, The goal, however far, Who do not something try to seem But seem the thing they are!

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Something to Think About
By F. A. WALKER

LARKS ARE SINGING

TO THOSE hopeful individuals who keep their gaze on the towers of Utopia, glinting like gold in the far-off dreamy distance, give thought to the golden rule and put its fine precepts into actual practice, the larks are always singing.

These humans have their trials and difficulties, "even as you and I," but with them all, they manage to wear a smile of content.

They go about their duties, however discouraging they may seem, with a cheerfulness that gives inspiration to the discontented and fault-finding souls, frequently losing their way and falling in the mire of despair.

They know intuitively when to speak and when to curb their tongues, for they have learned the most difficult of all arts, the art of self-control, which the venerable sages will tell you is the first stepping stone to worldly success and an enduring happiness.

Hope never deserts them, even in their darkest hours.

She holds her blazing torch over her head and bids them follow.

So the gloom of somber night is transformed to day, and the trusting disciples move from place to place, confident of their ability to find their way to the hills where the larks are singing and the sky is forever light with glorious sunlight.

The world owes a debt of gratitude to these optimistic people which it never can pay, and you and I, being a part of the world, are likewise delinquent and possibly thoughtless of our increasing obligation.

We are too self-centered, too greedy for gain, too faithless.

We brush aside the weak in our pursuit of earthly dross and trample them under our hasty feet, never stopping to look back to see whether we have hurt them. We forget that we all are of one flesh, and if we have injured them, we have injured ourselves.

Every day the Wise Keeper of the Book of Life is calling on some debtor to blot out his or her delinquencies, always hanging over his or her head until the account is paid in full.

If you have canceled your obligation and kept the faith, the day of reckoning will have no terrors, for you will find you are as free and happy as the larks singing in gladness all about you when the dawning is rosy and the air is fragrant with the scent of flowers.

Forty Wild Deer on City Lawns.

Forty wild deer from the hills are roaming about the residential section of Nyack, N. Y., feeding on lawns and flower beds. Nyack is only "44 minutes from Broadway." Heavy snows in the hills are believed to have sent the deer down in search of forage.

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Go to your neighborhood drug store and get Favorite Prescription in bottles or bulk. Write Dr. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel, in Buffalo N. Y., and receive good medical advice in return, free.

"Pig Iron."

Pig iron is so called because the molten metal is run into a long mass with shorter pieces attached to it at right angles. The long pieces are called the sow, and the shorter are called the pigs.

Youthful Chivalry.

A second grade teacher asked her pupils what a coward was. One little boy raised his hand and said: "A coward is a boy who fights girls."

Derricks Must Be of Steel.

Because of the high winds prevailing in the Alaskan petroleum fields it has been found advisable to build the derricks of steel instead of wood.

Lincoln vs. You

Lincoln belongs to the ages. He was a man among men and all the world today recognizes his genius of character.

Lincoln was self-taught. Instead of waiting for someone to pound knowledge into him, he would walk miles to secure a book that he might pursue the quest of knowledge which was a supreme passion with him throughout his life.

Lincoln instinctively knew that knowledge was the key that unlocks the door to fame and fortune or any success that man desires. He went directly after knowledge to prepare himself so that when his chance came he would be ready.

You may look handsomer than Lincoln; you may have more native strength than Lincoln; you may have an intellect that could easily be developed; but if you have not the burning desire to develop yourself, you are certain to stick in the mud-sock class.

Knowledge is distinctly a matter of inclination. If you do not secure knowledge you are just as certain to suffer for your lack of development in a mental way as you would certainly suffer for lack of physical development.

If you laid in bed all the time and would neglect to develop your muscles, Lincoln would lead to ruin and failure. If you insist on being lazy, the law of compensation will force you to pay compound interest in ill-health. You will be whipped and scourged and made to do the meanest work of the world. The hard laws of necessity are sure to overtake you. You must eat and people will insist that you earn what you eat. The whip of necessity will beat your back and the sharp tongue of a heartless world will tear to shreds your sensibilities. When you are stretched on the cross of necessity, people of this world will crown you with thorns and drive into your flesh, nails expressing their scorn.

Lincoln knew that the world will never forgive failure. Logically he equipped himself to succeed and he did succeed. You, too, can succeed, but you must prepare yourself for the battle of life.

The great asset in life is a strong character and the ability to express yourself. If you are dumb as a dog you will receive the reward of a dog, the crumbs from some rich man's table, who understands the way to express himself.

The great mass of men have made no effort to develop themselves. Scurily all are capable of infinite development, but they do not realize it. They are paralyzed by the thought that they are inferior when in reality the only difference between a successful man and themselves is development.

They could easily grow if they would get busy and develop themselves as Lincoln and other great men have done.

You do not have to be a super-man or a giant of intellect, but you do have to be a little better than the average to be selected to occupy a seat of honor and ease where you will work less and get more.

If you simply develop the stiff back of a jack-ass and the physical strength of a mule you will naturally be paid for brute strength and nothing more, because that is all your equipment will enable you to render in doing the work of the world.

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STRIKE IN RHUR SPREADING

French Block Red Demonstration at Wanne—More Miners Out.

Essen.—The strike movement is spreading throughout the Ruhr and fresh walkouts among the metal workers and miners are reported in nearby unoccupied territory.

A general strike called at Hamborn is affecting the iron works there belonging to the Stinnes interests. Communists manifestants at Wanne became so threatening that the French intervened for the first time, as a result of which the demonstration collapsed.

The sale of alcoholic liquors has been prohibited in the entire disturbed area by the German authorities, but the regulation is not being greatly observed.

The communists in Bochum extended their position Monday, but the city firemen and civilian volunteers, wearing white arm bands, still hold the firehouse. The communists for the third time stormed this position at daylight Monday, the fighting lasting more than an hour.

The shooting was the heaviest since the siege began, but only a few casualties were reported. Further attacks were expected tonight, and in the meantime the reds are in control of the western part of the town, the factory district, the whites holding the business quarter, where the banks and chief shops are located. Two shopkeepers in the working district were taken as hostages, and other shopkeepers likely will be seized unless food prices are reduced.

The communist efforts at Duesseldorf to reduce prices were blocked by the report that security police were proceeding to that place, in consequence of which the control commission disbanded.

Governors of Washington, Oregon and Idaho are co-operating with the United States Veterans' bureau in the campaign to place in employment disabled World War veterans who have finished vocational training courses under the direction and at the expense of the government. More than 1,000 trainees will complete their training during the summer and early fall months.

"It is my hope that the employers of Oregon will assist in providing these men with employment," says Governor Pierce of Oregon, through the state press. "They are fitted by instruction in Oregon schools and colleges in hundreds of occupations and it is our duty as citizens, not only to permit them the right to earn their living, but to do whatever possible to bring man and job together."

Governor C. C. Moore of Idaho was equally as enthusiastic about the employment campaign. Here is what he says:

"During the World War these men went from Idaho as our representatives in that struggle, returning to us injured, broken, and disheartened.

"As governor of the state of Idaho, I do hereby officially and earnestly request the employers of this state to interest themselves in these rehabilitated men and to assist them to find employment. Public officials should remember that these men are entitled to preferential rights in employment."

Governor Hart of Washington is also preparing publicity matter urging employers of this state to give preference to rehabilitated ex-service men when vacancies occur or new jobs are created.

An unusual case of government insurance benefit has come to the attention of the Veterans' bureau. Compensation of a Tacoma war veteran, totally disabled, was cut off when a definite diagnosis showed that his disability was of a non-compensable nature. Fortunately, he retained his war risk insurance and, upon proof that he had been incapacitated since August 12, 1921, he will receive \$1,300 insurance money in a lump sum and enough in the future to live on. This is just one of many instances showing the value of war insurance.

Port Bond Issue Sold.

Seattle, Wash.—The port of Seattle commission awarded the \$250,000 issue of port bonds to a local syndicate of bond buyers at \$99.16, a total discount from par of \$7,140. The bonds were sold to provide money for the purchase of the shipping board's waterfront tract of 26 acres. The commissioners require the buyers to produce the cash by June 1, otherwise the award is to be cancelled and the next best bid accepted.

California Road Open.

San Francisco.—Regular train service between San Francisco and Portland, which was interrupted by the burning out of the tunnel between Coram and Kennett, Cal., last week, has been re-established as the result of the building of a track around the tunnel. Trains starting from Portland, or San Francisco will go through without change. All freight embargoes have been lifted.

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World's Debt to Doctors.

Malaria remained a mystery until the patient detective work of doctors proved that it was the bite of a certain genus of mosquito that conveyed the disease to man. Now that the facts are known, destruction of the breeding places of these mosquitoes is followed by immunity from the disease.

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Various Types of Buoys.

There are 40 different types of buoys used at sea, each of which has a meaning of its own. That of a green color, for instance, marks a wreck, while other similarly distinctive show where rocks, shoals, sandbars and deep-water channels occur.

Reached Absolute Limit.

A young neighbor, my sister and myself were coming home from the store one evening when it began to rain. We started to run, but after hurrying for some time, slowed up again. My young neighbor, between gasps, cried: "Virginia, please don't run any more; my heart's broke now."—Exchange.

Everlasting Mystery.

Flora had hash for breakfast. She looked at the last mouthful of her portion earnestly as she poised it on her fork. Then she passed it out of sight. But the mystery was still in her mind. "Daddy," said she, "what was hash when it was alive?"

Cork Production.

The tree from which cork is obtained is only fit to be barked when about twenty-six years old, and this can be done successively every eight years, the quality improving with the increasing age of the tree.

Original Scavengers.

Scavengers were originally officials who collected scavage, a tax imposed in many English towns on all goods exposed for sale within their boundaries.

Noted Athlete Lived Long.

Henry E. Buermeyer, who lived to be eighty-four years old, held more than 50 medals which he had won in athletic events.

Wrong Never Pays.

It is vain to trust in wrong. As much of evil, so much of loss, is the formula of human history.—Theodore Parker.

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