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AUGUST 13  
THE KINGDOM OF GOD cometh not with observation: Neither shall they say, Lo here! or, lo there! for, behold, the kingdom of God is within you.—Luke 17:20, 21.

### RAW MATERIAL IN MAN

When one is inclined to swell up over the thought of one's importance in the world it might be well to reflect on one's actual value in the market at the rate of 60 cents a hundred pounds. A scientist has estimated the constituents of the average man, weight about 150. In that body there is enough fat to make seven bars of soap, enough salt to fill a small shaker, iron to make two 2-penny nails, lime to whitewash two chicken coops, and enough sulphur to kill the fleas on the average dog. Thus the genus homo ranges in value from about 60 cents to around \$1.80.

Valuable animal! A hog is worth a lot more. Consideration of one's bodily constituents convinces that man is made of pretty common material. Soap grease isn't pleasant stuff to handle, yet there is more of that in volume than anything else. The scientist's analysis is not even as gratifying as the Biblical statement in regard to mud, for dust becomes mud when it is wet. The expenditure for raw material is not great. That much is clear. This is one side of the subject.

When we reflect on what that combination of soap, grease, whitewash and other ingredients is able to do when mixed properly we are forced to the conclusion that it was a remarkable job. Certainly there was little work when such material was used and the result is all the more creditable when the output acts according to the original design and fulfills the purpose of his stay on earth. It demonstrates that a good product can be made from discouraging elements. Not that every person is good, but that the idea back of the product was good. How the individual acts determines whether he is just a mixture, or vastly more than that, is a man according to the design of the Creator.

Of course more goes into the real man than the chemist can find in his analysis, and that is what lifts man above the rest of creation, makes him more than so much raw material. If it were not so, man would be of about the least value conceivable. It lies with the individual to determine whether one is a mixture or a man. One can be either.

### YOU CAN'T RIDE ON A GRUDGE

Do you carry grudges? Cast them aside. Your burden in life is heavy enough without them.

Do you boast of your grudges as a sign that you are a free man? Don't do it. Though you may have created your grudges and though you may feed them, they are your masters. You may carry your grudge uphill through life, but it will carry you down.

How often we hear the voice in the street in violent impatience. Smith cries: "If Jones is for it I am against it." Then Jones controls Smith's mind more firmly than if he were his closest friend.

It is not worth while to waste our energies and vitiate our minds in hate and resentment. It is right to hate evil, but merely pity evil men.

If you have been wronged, forget. Why keep the injury fresh? You suffered enough at the time.

Do you long for revenge or to "get even" with some enemy, actual or imaginary? You magnify his triumph. You continue his ascendancy. You hypnotize yourself within his spell.

It doesn't pay  
Many happinesses are shared by the least fortunate of us, and many misfortunes befall the happiest of us. None of us can well afford to spend the hours of retrospect or prospect in other than the happiest memories and the brightest hopes that charity and love can summon.

### OUR INTENSIVE CAMPAIGN (?)

That a Medford paper charges Ashland with conducting an intensive campaign in registering out-of-state motorists in an effort to maintain the lead over that city is a trivial affair and not worth comment were it not so far from the truth. The fact of the matter is Ashland has never approached Medford in the matter of a campaign to register out-of-state motorists. This is substantiated in many ways, not the least of which is the fact that the local registration office was not opened on Sundays until about three weeks ago. The local office was also closed July 4th and other holidays. Nor have any flamboyant road signs been erected near the state line calling attention to the registration office located here. Compared with Medford, Ashland's efforts to issue non-resident permits to motorists has been insignificant.

A fact worth recognizing in connection with the Ashland registration bureau is that it is conducted for about half the expense entailed by other offices throughout the state, this in spite of the fact more permits are issued here than through any other bureau in Oregon.

Despite all the testimony and scientific conclusions of alienists and psychiatrists, in an attempt to prove Loeb and Leopold mentally incapable, the general public

realizes they are criminals and murderers of the worst type, and were the public the jury there could be but one result.

Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their party is a common practice line for the type-writer student, but just now it holds appealing force for Messrs. Coolidge, Davis and La Follette.

There is something radically wrong with old Jap Pluve's system of distribution, when it spills all over the East and Middle-West and never leaves a drop west of the Rocky mountains.

The man who devised the slogan, "Power to start and power to stop," said something. It is just as important in one case as in the other.

## John W. Davis

The Democratic Presidential Nominee at Close Range at Work and at Play

EDITOR'S NOTE—This is the third and last article on the personality of John W. Davis, Democratic Presidential candidate, written while observing the nominee at work and play on Seven Hundred Acre Island, Maine.

DARK HARBOR, Me., Aug. 12.—John W. Davis, Democratic nominee for President, will reveal himself to the American voters as a new type of political candidate when he takes the stump in his forthcoming "swing around the circuit." If the character impression he has made while vacationing in Maine is upheld he will also unfold to the public a brand new type of campaign.

The voters will view a distinguished gentleman with kindly eyes and a fighting chin, radiating an air of deep sincerity. Clem Shaver, Davis' campaign manager, regards the favorable impression that Davis is expected to make on the stump as one of the biggest campaign assets of the Democratic Party.

As the American electorate gets to know its Democratic Presidential candidate the Davis stock is due to a continuous rise, his supporters believe. Whether it will pass beyond the high political mark, at present registered by President Coolidge, depends to a large extent on how the revelation of the Davis personality is managed.

Davis is capable of making a fiery campaign. It will not be the flaming oratory of the demagogue, but rather the brilliant torch of the trained debater who devastates opposing issues with an array of carefully chosen facts.

Associates of the candidate at Davis vacation headquarters here claim that the nominee is as interesting a public speaker as he is a conversationalist. The Davis anecdotal instinct is certain to make him popular on the stump. He possesses, in addition, an epigrammatic flare which sums up the point he is trying to make into an easily remembered phrase. This quality is going to aid Davis in sloganizing his view points on the voters.

The favorite stories of John W. Davis are destined for the newspaper front page before the coming campaign is half way over. He has an insuppressible fund of wit which he draws on at every occasion.

Here are a few samples of vacation witticisms made by the candidate:

"Most politicians who sit on the fence would never think of standing on a plank."

"I believe in short speeches. You will have to save a soul in twenty minutes or never."

"The reason I decided to address the Democratic convention after my nomination was to give the party an opportunity to see the color of the horse they bought."

John W. Davis appears too much the dignified gentleman to attack the personality of his political opponents. It will be the issues of the opposing parties that will be impaled in steely phrase. As the heat of the campaign develops, however, it is possible that this attitude may change. It will be interesting to see the West Virginian in anger. None of his friends can remember ever having seen the candidate lose his temper.

The even disposition of the candidate is accompanied by a perfect poise. Davis cannot be stamped and it will be difficult to "heckle" him on the stump.

The Democratic candidate owns a good speaking voice and a strong constitution, which should aid him in standing up well under the stress of the contemplated transcontinental speaking tour.

The figure of Davis with a pipe in his mouth and his dog at his heels is a regular part of the landscape at his home in Locust Valley, N. Y. Since the candidate arrived in Maine he has limited his smoking, which has always been one of his chief enjoyments. The candidate prefers the long-stemmed variety of pipe and owns dozens of them. It is said that as the speech-making tour approaches, the nominee will give up smoking entirely to save his voice.

Albany — New bridge to be built across Santiam at Waterloo.

## NEWS LETTER

PARIS, August 12 — Every bridge in Paris has its beggar. The Pont des Arts, which is the famous little footbridge built by Napoleon to cross over from the Louvre Palace to the Institute, is not such a good one for business, according to the celebrated one-legged blind man who holds down the fort.

"Crouched up here from morning till night, I only make about seventy-five cents a day. These wise academicians who pass this way are not very free with their pennies, even when they have some. The best bridge of all is the Pont du Carrousel, where many little bourgeois pass by and put their hands into their pockets when they see me. There I can easily pick up two or three dollars, but woe unto me if the police find me out!"

Every morning at the Pont Royal a poor woman installs her blind husband in a corner, arranges his hat in his hand and leaves him till night, when she comes back to fetch him.

The beggar on the Pont de l'Alma has a white rat in a little cage as attraction. One of his small children stands guard, and when the crowd gathers around, the beggar procces to write something one desires—his name, the names of his sweetheart, a love declaration, or a proverb—by means of the little Braille planchette and pencil. The price is what one wants to give.

There are just as good fish in the sea as there ever were—and many more vegetables. Rather than accept a great falling in the prices on the vegetable market, "greens" vendors near Amiens recently dumped great cartloads of fresh vegetables into the little canals. The fishermen got busy and had a bigger and better haul than ever.

Hearts were saddened on the old Hill of Montmartre the very day France was celebrating the birthday of her independence. For the Mayor of the Commune, Monsieur Depaquit died at his old home in Sedan, South Africa. The artist-Mayor of Bohemia was a famous caricaturist who long led artistic activity in the world's greatest art colony. Born in 1869, Jules Depaquit had been known for many years through his clever and highly Parisian cartoons. He was a typical representative of the old school of Bohemian artists and was known to every Montmartrois as "Jules" a cheery, kindly soul who dressed up in a silk hat and frock coat when performing his duties of Mayor, but contented himself with pajamas and felt slippers for everyday wear. He was an un-

que as the free Commune he represented. Artists, writers, musicians and every true Bohemian dwelling on the slopes of the famous Hill of Montmartre, which overlooks Paris, claim citizenship in an independent government of their own. The summit is its capital, and Jules Depaquit was the Mayor. To call one of the Montmartrois a Parisian is like calling an American an Englishman.

A big three-motored biplane "air express" will soon enable Londoners to see Paris by night as well as the theatre. Regular night flying is about to be started between London and Paris, giving playgoers in the English capital an opportunity to fly in the evening to Paris, see the play and return the same night ready for work the next morning.

The street of the "bad boys" was the scene of a lively spanking one day last week. Two American "gobs" on leave in the French capital, found it necessary to use the hairbrush upon a Paris guide in a hotel of this quaint street of the "mauvais garcons." A more appropriate spot could scarcely have been found.

## INTERNAL REVENUE BUREAU MAILED TAX REFUND CHECKS

PORTLAND, Aug. 13. — Taxpayers who paid their 1923 federal income tax in full are receiving refund checks for 25 per cent of the total tax paid at the rate of about 600 per day from the office of Clyde G. Huntley, collector of internal revenue. More than 3000 have already been mailed taxpayers. This refund was authorized by the recent congress and applies only to taxes paid by individuals for the calendar year 1923.

These checks range in amounts from one cent to \$1769.17, which is the largest that will be issued any individual in this district. The total number of checks to be issued is 22,030 and the aggregate amount of money that will thus be returned to Oregon taxpayers is \$153,055.64.

Coquille — Port of Coquille rives votes to build concrete retaining wall in middle fork of Coquille river at Carlisle Shoal. Wall will be 515 feet long and estimated to cost \$8,000.

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## Health Hints

by the Father of Physical Culture

There are many infections producing backache, as tuberculosis and typhoid fever. In tuberculosis there is frequently a deformity produced. The treatment should be quiet rest on a fairly rigid bed, a nourishing diet of natural foods avoidance of constipation, proper care of the skin by sun, air, and friction, and cool sponge baths, plenty of fresh air, and sleep.

Backache resulting from typhoid fever is not associated with deformity though the spine may be rigid and very tender. This usually is self-eliminated, but by proper upbuilding and local measures the backache will disappear more quickly.

Many backaches are due to a relaxation of the joints of the lower spine and hip bones. There may be a genuine arthritis develop in these joints as the result of rheumatic or other infections.

Long illness and surgical operations requiring long lying in bed may result in the relaxation of these joints. Some of these cases result from sleeping on very relaxed springs of the bed, on which the individual sleeps as in a hammock. Merely stiffening the springs, taking cool baths, and exercises will correct these cases many times. Sometimes if there is too much relaxation, strapping may be necessary for a while. Manipulation treatments are good in most of these cases.

Lumbago is a term frequently wrongly applied, as it is not a particularly common condition. True lumbago is a severe paroxysmal form of muscular rheumatism affecting the muscles of the loins and their tendinous attachments. One may be unable to twist or turn the back, or to rise to an erect position after stooping. Even the jar or motion of walking may bring great pain. Hot water applications and especially hot sitz baths followed by proper massage together with a proper eliminative diet, and a correction of constipation, will usually be perfectly successful. Manipulative, electrical and vibratory treatment may also be used.

Highway from Stanfield to Nolin being resurfaced.

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COPCO MEN SAW MAN START FIRE  
WEED, August 13. The fire burning near Igerna has swept over an area of four square miles in extent.  
The ranch houses occupied by J. J. Murphy and George G. Murphy were threatened, the families moving out of each house. The houses were saved.  
A tent full of supplies for a road gang was destroyed.  
Members of a crew of California-Oregon Power Company setting poles claim they saw a man set the fire but were unable to catch him or give his identity.  
State Editorial Association to meet in Grants Pass in 1925.

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Make a quick disposal of these surplus articles by using a classified advertisement in

**The Tidings**

**What the World Is Doing**  
As Seen by Popular Mechanics Magazine

**Bugs, Not Cold, Take Birds to Southern Climes**  
Scarcity of insects, owing to the approach of winter, and not cold weather, causes birds to start south when the frosts arrive, according to a western scientist. Seed or flesh-eating fowl, unaffected by the lack of bugs, survive all year as far north as the Arctic Circle. While migrations are largely determined by the food supply, it is believed that habits inherited from the glacial ages partly influence some species. The tern makes a continuous 11,000-mile flight between the polar regions of the north and south, while the golden plover, which spends its summers in the Arctic and its winters in South America, goes first to Nova Scotia as it starts southward, then flies 2,400 miles to Brazil.

**Shoe Protector for the Youngsters**  
It is a common experience that boys constantly using their coaster wagons wear out the sole of one shoe much faster than the other one, owing to the manner in which the wagon is propelled and braked. Three pairs of shoes and sometimes more are often worn out in this way in one season. A good method of preventing the shoe from such quick wear is to protect it by means of an extra sole, made of thick leather and strapped on as shown, the straps being riveted to the extra sole. Two straps are most convenient to use for this purpose, one for the heel and the other for the toe.

**Finishing Radio Panels**  
Panels on radio cabinets usually have a highly polished surface but it is sometimes desirable to have a dull satin finish instead. Such a surface may be obtained by sanding the panel down with a piece of No. 0000 sandpaper, attached to a block padded with a piece of felt or similar material. The block should be about 3 or 4 in. long and the felt about 3/4 in. thick. The panel should be rubbed in one direction only. After the glossy surface is removed the panel should be wiped with an oily rag, and it will then have a beautiful satin finish.

**Fighting Rooster Fish Is Caught off the Mexican Coast**  
Rarely caught, and then only after a terrific battle, the rooster fish is described by sportsmen who have encountered it as one of the most beautiful and finest game fish to be found anywhere. Because it roams only in the waters off the west coast of Mexico and South America, it is said to be still unknown to most fishermen. Many expert anglers in the resorts of Lower California have reported the loss of their tackle after a struggle with this fish, so-called because of the grotesque appearance given it by a long fin on the back.

**Seven Men Lifted by Magnet, One Hanging Downward**  
To demonstrate the pulling power of an industrial type of electromagnet used for separating metallic substances from other materials, seven men, totaling 1,150 pounds in weight, were suspended from it and lifted clear of the ground. The magnet was hoisted in a rope sling about eight feet from the floor and a metal bar was placed in contact with it. When a current of 220 volts was applied, six men grasped the bar and were lifted clear of the ground. A seventh man, into whose shoes had been placed thin metal plates, was hoisted up and held head downward.

[In the last twenty-three years, only seventy-three persons have been killed a railway accidents in England. The cars 1901 and 1905 were without a single fatal accident to passengers and 1923 only one railway accident involved loss of life.