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WHEN YOUTH PARES FORTH

It is now only a matter of a few days until the usual army of boys and girls, eyes but recently freed from the strain of examinations and hands clutching diplomas or degrees, will stand on the threshold of life.

But the older folks' smiles and criticisms contain more of envy than of pity. How often have they wished they had more of the idealism, nay, heartless courage, of youth!

What a pity the youngsters cannot profit by the experience of the older folks and thereby avoid the countless pitfalls which drag down so many promising youths!

MOTOR INSURANCE

Not a little agitation is going on over the country with respect to some plan whereby automobiles shall be required by state law to carry liability and property damage insurance.

Much opposition is developing in the states passing law that will establish a state department to handle this insurance, the belief being that this is another interference with private enterprise.

The workmen's compensation law is cited wherein the state is charging as much for compensation insurance as a private concern and no refunds are being made to the policy holders.

That automobiles should be required to carry liability or property damage insurance, one or both, there is no doubt. As it now is, the person who carries property damage insurance with his car, in the event of a collision with an uninsured car, is at the mercy of the owner or driver of the latter when it comes to repairing the damage he has sustained.

Such a law should be passed that when a person gets a license he should also be required to take out an insurance policy at least to cover property damage, or should exhibit such insurance policy running concurrent with the license.

LIVING COSTS COMPARED

Living costs are not any higher now than the first few years following the Civil War.

Talk not of the high prices of living—at least not after one considers the prices of foodstuff and necessary articles as they were immediately following the close of the Civil War.

The Pasadena News is indebted to Mrs. Clara Dickard of 94 North Chester avenue for the following interesting data regarding the prices which ruled during the years from 1865 to 1868:

The prices of some of our farm products were as follows: Wheat, \$2.50 to \$2.75 per bushel; live hogs 12

cents per pound, and other produce in proportion. And merchandise from the stores as follows: Dry goods, calico 45 cents per yard, brown sheeting 50 cents, denims 75 cents, Kentucky jeans 95 cents, wool pants goods \$2.25 to \$2.75, spool of thread 15 cents, pins 15 cents, paper of needles 15 cents, A. C. A. bed ticking 90 cents and other articles of dry goods and notions in proportion.

It required \$2.45 of our currency to get a gold dollar. There were thousands upon thousands of men discharged from the army, all with more or less of this money, and, of course, but a very small per cent could get work, and a great share of this money drifted into the hands of business men until the fall of 1878, at which time the bottom seemed to drop out of everything.

Then we realized what hard times meant. Many business men went to the wall. A good horse could be bought for \$35 to \$40, and good cows for \$12 to \$15.

STEWART'S WASHINGTON LETTER

BY CHARLES P. STEWART NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—We have in very conservative government just now. This isn't a criticism. The government means to be conservative—believes in conservatism.

A conservative administration. A conservative Congress. The judiciary always is predominantly conservative—was originally intended to be.

Very conservative—according to the standards of a liberal today.

But how about a liberal of a third of a century ago? What would he think of present day conditions? Would he say that, in his time, we've progressed or stood still or gone backward?

We can find out. Representative Henry Allen Cooper's a liberal—a member of the progressive Republican group in the lower house.

He first came to Congress 33 years ago. He's here yet. He lends the representatives in the number of terms he's served, having missed only one out of the last 17.

Representative Cooper's verdict is that we've progressed. What would have been radicalism in 1893 is conservatism in 1926.

"Much remedial legislation," the veteran congressman told me, "has been enacted in my time in Washington. We have, and take as a matter of course, many liberal laws which, when they were first suggested, maybe two or three decades ago, were denounced as ultra-radical.

"But there's another side to it." "The power of concentrated capital is greater today than perhaps at any other time in the world's history.

SAP AND SALT BY BERT MOSES

As the citizens, so the city. There is no benzene of soda in a real kiss.

Lovers are what create the dividends in soda water and jewelry. The life of trade isn't competition; it is simply hustle and plenty of it.

Instead of trying to "get a line" on others, suppose you get one on yourself.

When a man's ignorance consists of 51 per cent of the whole, neither loan him money nor take his advice.

Her Heck says: "It's a lot easier for a man to get a marriage license than it is to get a life insurance policy."

RUTH GETS ANOTHER BOSTON, Mass., May 26—Babe Ruth hit another homer yesterday in the seventh inning of the game with Boston. This makes 16 home runs for him this season.

Baker—Light & Power Company will spend \$6,000, in extending gas mains.

TOM SIMS SAYS

Judge gave an Atlantic City man 60 days to learn to tell the truth. Takes most people 60 years.

There ought to be a charge for the fight between the managers over who is going to fight Dempsey.

Pilsudski heads a new Polish revolution, and his name reminds us of the coming beerless summer.

They served tea in an airplane high over Atlantic, Ga. Getting so a man isn't safe anywhere.

Sad thing about Irving Berlin having a youngster is we all will have to sing each other to sleep.

American women spend only \$12,000,000,000 annually on clothes.

DRUG ADDICT JUMPS FROM HIGH WINDOW

Seattle Suspect Escapes From Police; His Companion is Captured

SEATTLE, Wn., May 25.—An unidentified opium addict, full of "hop," was at liberty today because he chose to jump two and one-half stories from an apartment roof to elude police.

Police chased two alleged opium users across the roofs. When the fleeing men reached the edge of the second building one barely hesitated before jumping into the darkness.

The other didn't have the courage. He turned and surrendered, giving his name as E. T. Winters.

Railroads of the Northwest on a \$110,000,000 improvement and maintenance program, the heaviest Northwest railroad building program in five years.

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Palmer Piano House

BIG FOREST FIRES HURT TROUT FISHING

SANTA BARBARA, Cal. (UP)—Trout fishing in four of Santa Barbara's county streams has been ruined by forest fires of the past three years, according to County Forester Frank S. Dunne.

Mono, Gidney and Blue Canyon creeks, and Santa Ines river are virtually barren of the speckled finches, Dunne said.

Ashes washed from the mountainsides into the streams collect in the gills of the fish and strangle them, Dunne said.

He recently buried two tons of dead trout gathered from the four streams.

Boxer Helps To Support Family

LOS ANGELES, (UP)—"Knock-em-dead" Shea, Chicago, who made his California debut here recently by winning a decision from Oakland, Johnny Farr, supports 12 brothers and sisters on his ring profits.

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25 PEOPLE