

#### HUMAN VALUES

A large insurance company has been compiling figures to show the actual economic value of human beings. The figures show that in a family having an income of \$2,500, it will cost the parents \$7,238 to bring a child into the world and raise it to the age of 18. Indeed, the actual cost to the community as a whole is even more, for grade to plant peach trees near allowance must be made for human wastage. To raise the highway. 88,264 children to age 18, it is necessary that the community pay for the birth and partial rearing of 100,000 children. Besides, there is the interest on investment. This brings the total to \$10,047 for each 18-year-old childown hook. Even then nothing has been figured for the value of time devoted to children by mothers.

Now, then, having invested \$10,04 in a child, what is counterfeit o' the times is the the economic return to be! According to the insurance drug store blush." company's figures, average earnings of an individual at 18 are \$963. At that age life expectancy is 46.6 years. His estimated future earnings above expenses are \$28,-654.

### "DRESS UP AND BE WELL"

Belief that apparel oft proclaims the man" got into the slogan""dress well and succeed," and now a prac-titioner of suggestive therapeuties is advocating clothes it life is so hopeless. for cures-"dress up and be well," she tells women. And why not this counsel for men, too? What better setting-up exercise than a new suit !. What better medicine than a is almost compulsory. That's why new overcoat to put up a good front, or a swanky lounge most of us hate to be alone. robe for that tired-business-man feeling! These prescriptions for successful stepping up or stepping out are pleas- A horse which chased William ant in prospect, and the enjoyment of their benefits waits G. McAdoo in Santa Barbara, Cal., not on the practice of medicos but on the practice of mer- was not the Democratic donkey, chants-whether that practice be cash, charge or something down and something now and then.

#### DOCTORS FEAR LARGE APPLE CROPS

Although consumption of apples in the United States is less than the proverbial "apple a day," averaging about three a week for each person, the American people lead the world in apple eating, according to the Department of Agriculture. For answer to the profane query, "What of it?" consider the disturbing consequences of a taste for apples. And who knows whether a cider tip-pler is less gullible than an apple sauce addict. Some day some one may get around to writing "The Confessions of an American Apple Eater." Much more convincing than the consumption figures, of course, would be a line-up of all those doctors who were kept away.

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