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Less Than 10c Per Week
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budget**

but

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Swift & Company's total output (Meat and by-products)	5,570,000,000 Pounds
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Profit per pound	\$.0062
U. S. Meat Consumption	170 pounds per person per year
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One on the General.

The Goethals-Denman shipbuilding board was intact when this happened. A contractor seeking business was queried by the general: "How many steel ships have you built?" "Not any." "That's just like you business men; yet you have the nerve to ask for a contract for steel ships from the government." "General, let me ask you this: How many canals did you build before you tackled the Panama?"

Collector—I've called three times for this bill already. I can't keep coming around here.
Debtor—I'm gratified to hear it.

Horrid Man.

She—What is the correct translation of the motto of that lovely ring you gave me?
He—Faithful to the last.
She—The last! How horrid! And you've always told me before that I was the very first!—Minneapolis Tribune.

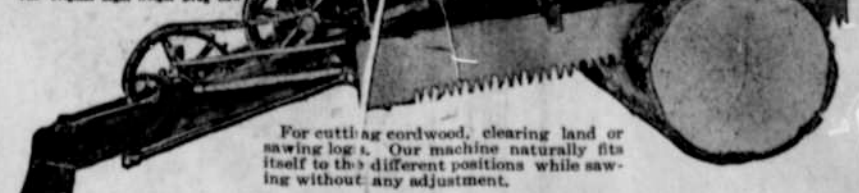
Too Literal.

The Junior Sub (conjugating at the men's smoker)—Now, are you quite sure the haversack's empty?
His Assistant—Absolutely, sir. The rabbit you put in it's got away, sir.—London Sketch.

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"Why don't you call on that fashionable girl? You claim to know her."
"I make no claims. The acquaintance was slight. I was merely engaged to her at a summer resort."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Fearless.

"Aren't you sometimes a little afraid of your wife?"
"Certainly not," replied Mr. Meekton. "I do exactly as Henrietta says in every particular. Therefore, what reason have I to fear her?"—Washington Star.

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9 a. m.-10 a. m. Morning hate (full dress).
10 a. m.-11 a. m. Thinks about Great German Sword.
11 a. m.-12 m. Congratulatory telegram to the sergeant-at-arms of the Landtag of Mecklenburg-Schwerin.
12 m.-1 p. m. Lunch.
1 p. m.-2 p. m. Lets heart bleed for Louvain.
2 p. m.-3 p. m. Has 60 great moments reverently admiring God's hand in history.
3 p. m.-4 p. m. Experiences horror at entente depravity.
4 p. m.-5 p. m. Tries not to think of the German navy.
5 p. m.-6 p. m. Wonders when the war will end.—New York Evening Post.

Mark Twain's Childhood.
Mark Twain used to tell the pathetic story of his childhood. It seems, according to the story, that Mark was born twins. He and his twin looked so much alike that no one, not even their mother, could tell them apart. One day, while the nurse was bathing them, one of them slipped in the bathtub and was drowned. No one ever knew which twin it was that was drowned—and therein, says Mark, was the tragedy. "Everyone thought I was the one that lived," he said, "but I wasn't. It was my brother who lived. I was the one that was drowned."—Exchange.

Natural Selection.
"We are all ready to talk about the duty of others."
"Yes," commented Miss Cayenne. "Duty is something like the Darwinian theory. It seems perfectly all right for a lot of people we know, but none of us like to bring it home to ourselves."

"Ethel," said her mother, "have you been at my preserves again?"
Ethel at once became very busy arranging her doll's hair. "Mother," she replied, "when you were a little girl didn't grandma teach you, same as you have me, not to be 'quisitive'?"

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Spring Chumps.
The man who rocks the boat.
The fellow who didn't know it was loaded.
The susceptible gink who went flower hunting with a girl and got engaged.
The man who thought he was immune from poison ivy.
The picnicker who sat on the ground before it was warm and was looked at sympathetically by his widow's relatives.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

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**IF BACK HURTS USE
SALTS FOR KIDNEYS**
Eat less meat if Kidneys feel like lead or Bladder bothers.
Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have headache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.
You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.
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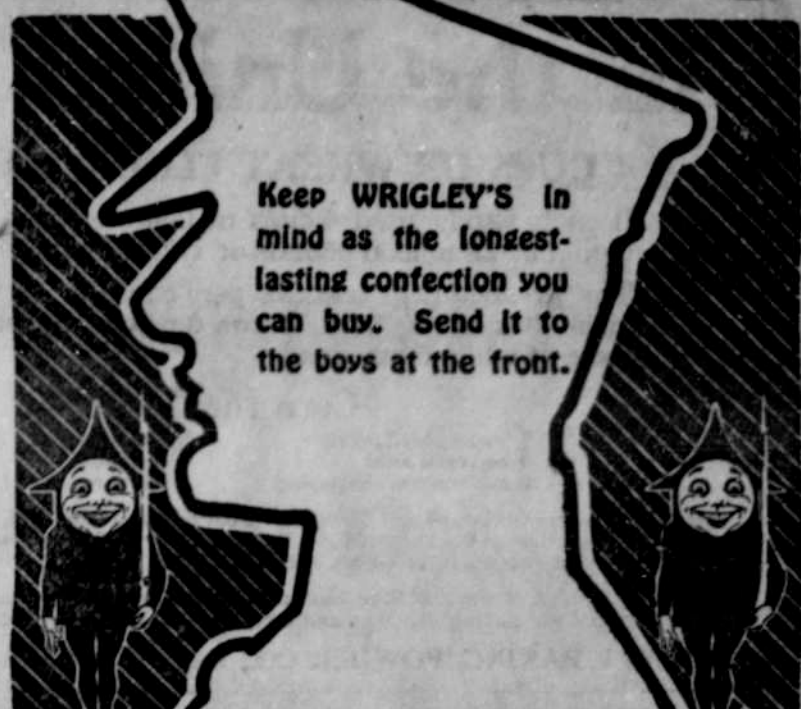
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Makes a Man Mad.
It always makes a man mad to reflect that his great-grandfather could have bought the postoffice block for \$1.50 and didn't do it.—Neodesha (Kan.) Reporter.

"You charge extra for an egg done on both sides?"
"Gotto," replied the waiter. "Requires that much more fuel to cook it."

It is said they tried to form a chapter of the Daughters of the Revolution in Russia the other day, but couldn't decide which revolution.

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