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Poor Economy.

Probably the poorest economy in the world is to buy things you don't want in order to make acquaintances you don't need.—Galveston News.

Mistakes Must Be Expected.

Most people go over the same routine every day. They rise at the same hour and lie down at the same hour. In all that space of time between their rising up and their lying down they are doing familiar things. Every movement they may make is one that they made yesterday, and the day before that. There is no excuse, apparently, for errors. But every man who is familiar with office work, shop work or any other form of human endeavor knows that there is always a certain percentage of mistakes to be expected.

Cannot Eliminate Love.

A periodical devoted to the drama pleads for plays based on some emotion other than love. The difficulty in producing such plays is that every play must have a hero, and in making a hero the playwright, as well as his audience, almost inevitably adopts the view expressed two thousand years ago by a scribe on one of the dead walls of Pompeii: "He who has never loved a woman is not a gentleman."

Mountain Stops Wireless Message.

It has been observed repeatedly on board vessels stationed west of Cape Otway (at the southern tip of Australia) that it was impossible to communicate with vessels situated in the port of Melbourne. This has been attributed to the fact that the mountain which forms the cape contains large quantities of metallic minerals which absorb electric waves.

Utterly Wretched

Nervous Prostration Long Endured Before Remedy Was Found.

Miss Minerva Remington, Upper Bern, Pa., writes: "For several years I had nervous prostration, and was utterly wretched. I lived on bread and beef tea because my stomach would not retain anything else. I took many remedies, but obtained no relief until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla, when I began to gain at once. Am now cured."

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Ninety Years in One Service.

Perhaps the world's record for service is held by the occupant of a grave in the churchyard at Battle, Sussex, England. This is Isaac Ingall, who died in 1798 at the age of 120. For ninety years he was in the service of the Websters of Battle Abbey. Sarah Thompson of Belfast served 33 years with one family, dying in 1895.

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The Rialto.

The architect of the famous Rialto bridge in Venice was Antonio da Ponte. The bridge is a single arch, 94 feet in length, and is exceedingly strong and graceful. It is crossed by means of ascending and descending steps, while on the top are two ranges of shops, dividing the structure into three parallel streets.

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The judge told the lawyer to stand up. "While your contempt of court was clearly expressed," he said, "I am going to give you the benefit of extenuating circumstances. In all my official connection with you I have never heard you use the expression 'lots of proof.' Discharged."

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NEW ALPHABET VERY SIMPLE

Light and Dark Marks Have Different Meanings in System Just Completed by Prof. Scott.

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Prof. Fred Newton Scott of the University of Michigan is the father of the system. He calls it simple and predicts its adoption by the English-speaking world on the theory that it will meet the modern demands of scientific management.

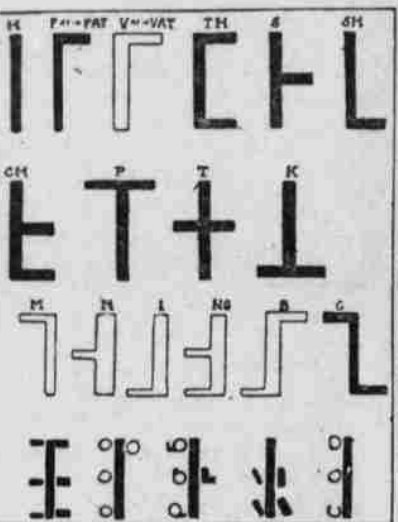
The new code of letters is intended to save time, to shorten words, and to make spelling "more rational."

Prof. Scott, a bearded, bald-headed, studious man just past middle age, after many months of patient study, has completed the system, which he outlined in detail in a lecture before the Modern Language association in Mandel hall at the University of Chicago.

He has just completed the preparation of a series of papers in which he discusses the subject from the technical standpoint. These, he promises, will be made public in a few weeks, after which he expects to get thousands of endorsements from the "thinking studious public."

"The elements of the new alphabet are so simple that a child easily can comprehend them in two hours," said Prof. Scott. "For a consonant a perpendicular stroke, stem or column will be used, to which may be added horizontal projections at the top, middle and bottom, while a dash or broken circle should represent vowels. Each of these marks will have one meaning when they are light and another when they are heavy."

"Simple vowels are presented by a dash, while rounded vowels would be marked by a circle with the open vowels heavy and closed ones light. A



New Alphabet.

horizontal dash, for instance, placed in front of the stem would mean a simple vowel, while the back position would be represented by a vertical dash and the intermediate position by an inclined dash.

The alphabet is said to have the approval of type manufacturers and typewriter houses. The system is to reduce the modern English alphabet by nine characters and do away with combinations, which, Prof. Scott contends, are "cumbersome, wasteful and complicated and do not express clearly the thought of the speaker or writer."

The design of the new alphabet is to take the place of the old code, but no attempt—at least not for a time—is to be made to adapt it to ordinary or to stenographic writing.

The professor asks this question: "Since we have devoted—and do devote—so much energy and thought to time-saving devices, why not save time in that which would benefit every man and woman, especially those in business?"

Prof. Scott argues that his new alphabet, when firmly established, would be a hundredfold more beneficial than even simplified spelling.

"What tired business man at some time of the day or other has not laid down a long letter because the long words and sentences were tiring his brain?" asks Prof. Scott. "What jurist has not at some time or other been entangled in the maze of verbiage until his eyes swim?"

"Yet all of this could be so simplified that writing would take only half the time that it does with the old alphabet. We surely need a simplified method of writing English."

"Some will argue that the system I have obtained is too complicated for the lay mind and that it is more or less of a scientific proposition. To these critics I will answer that the elements of the system are simple—far more so than those of our present language. In the code I offer there are two kinds of sounds, a voice and a breath sound, the former being designated by a heavy stem and the latter by a light one."

"For instance, a thin perpendicular column or stem with a dash at the top of the stem stands for 'f' as in fat, which you will see is only a sound of the breath and lips."

"By widening the column and making it heavier and thicker I get the voice of 'v' as in vat, a vibration of the vocal cords and purely a voice sound. The same as in thin, the 'th' is a breath sound, while the 'th' used in 'there' becomes a vocal sound."

Governors and Their Salaries.

In Alabama a futile effort has just been made to raise the salary of the governor from \$5,000 to \$7,500. Alabama is one of the 16 states that pay their governors \$5,000 a year. There are three states that pay only \$4,500. There are seven in which the salary is \$4,000 and eight that pay \$3,000. Wyoming, Vermont and Nebraska think that \$2,500 is enough for a governor. There are 13 states that pay salaries higher than \$5,000, the range being from \$6,000 to \$12,000. Only one state, Illinois, pays the latter amount. Five states, including New York, pay \$10,000 each. Alabama is one of the leading commonwealths in the \$5,000 group. Colorado, Florida, Oregon and Idaho are others in this group. The governors of Alaska and Hawaii, both appointive, get \$5,000 a year each, while the governor of Porto Rico gets \$5,000.

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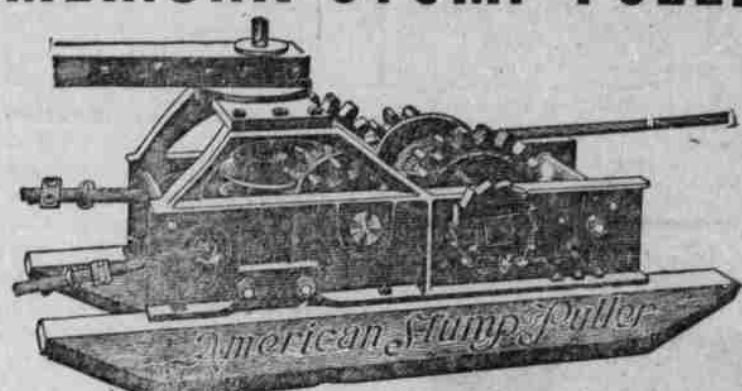
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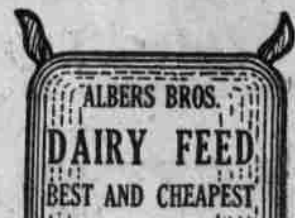
A poor fellow having with difficulty procured an audience of the duke of Newcastle, told his grace he only came to solicit him for something towards a support, and as they were of the same family, both being descended from Adam, hoped he should not be refused. "Surely not," said the duke, "surely not—there is a penny for you, and if all the rest of your relations will give you as much you'll be a richer man than I am."

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