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**ROAD LEGISLATION OPPOSED**  
 Engineers, Dairy Farmers, Fruit and Vegetable Growers Making Vigorous Protests.

All industry and a great portion of the agricultural interests of the country are up in arms against the hasty and ill-considered legislation already enacted by a few states and pending in others which threatens to strangle one of the nation's most essential industries, motor truck transportation, says a writer in an exchange.

The protests come from highway engineers, dairy farmers, fruit and vegetable growers, grain belt shippers, all lines of industry and commerce and other operators of motor trucks and their patrons.

They say increased license fees and restrictive legislation have been effected without sufficient investigation and without conclusive evidence.

A sensible solution is being worked out by the state of Illinois. The state highway department has under construction an experimental road containing 64 test sections, each section differing from the others in design.

**Building in South.**  
 A stretch of hard-surfaced road in the southern states, twenty-five miles in length, was difficult to be found six years ago, whereas at present there are any number of hard surfaced roads from twenty-five to 100 miles in length.

**Acquire Road Trees.**  
 The state highway commission in California has the authority to acquire roadside trees along its highways.

**Construction in India.**  
 Highway construction is now making important and extensive strides in various cities in India.

**Traffic to the Right.**  
 Vehicular traffic on highways in France keeps to the right, while railway traffic keeps to the left.

**Buy Pedigreed Animals.**  
 There never was a better time to buy pedigreed farm animals. Why not start a campaign in your neighborhood for "Purebred live stock on every farm?"

**Longest Hard Road.**  
 The longest continuous stretch of hard-surfaced road, east of the Mississippi river, 700 miles in length, is from Portland, Me., to Washington, D. C.

**Have Private Fish Ponds.**  
 When the natives of Nauru, in the Pacific, go fishing they bring the fish home alive and put them in lagoons or small lakes in the hills. Every village owns a lagoon and every villager owns a portion of the water, fenced off with palm leaves, where the household supply of fish is kept alive until needed for food.

**Satisfied With Lot.**  
 Of course, the goat has his weaknesses, but he never tries to pose as a gazelle.—Dallas News.

## Something to Think About

By F. A. WALKER

### OUR WASTEFUL HABITS

IT IS frequently remarked by close-observing Englishmen who visit America, that our people are shamefully wasteful, and fling away money without any apparent thought of the proverbial rainy day.

Whether these alien commenters have penetrated deeply into the subject is not definitely known, but judging from their oft-repeated averments, assuming at times a form of caustic criticism, there is doubtless more truth in the matter than we suspect.

It is not without a pang of regret—a ruffling of our pride, perhaps—that we Americans, who are disposed to analyze conditions with unbiased minds, reluctantly admit that our English cousins are right.

We recognize that we have many spendthrifts, constantly setting a bad example to the young, that they are extravagant and decidedly foolish.

Money is poured out like water, as though, like Topsy, "it just grew."

There is consolation, however, in the thought that these prodigals come mostly from the ranks of the newly rich and thoughtless inheritors.

They have no idea of the stern realities of life, nor the long dragging years of incessant labor and self-denial that are necessary for a working or professional man to accumulate even a moderate competency for old age.

These people congregate where the music flows, where the tables are heaped with dainties. They smile and backbite, puff themselves up like frogs and spend recklessly. They fall naturally into a state which is common to their kind.

If we could follow them through their improvident course to the end, we would find them in pitiable plight, repentant and likely as not homeless.

The necessity of conserving time and money ought now to be impressed upon all of us with considerable more stress than it has been in the recent past, and particularly upon the inconsiderate young men and women.

Let high thinking, hard work and thriftiness form the important part of our spiritual bill of fare, so that in the end we may be robust of body and soul, sound of purse, unafraid of landlords and in position in old age to accept all the vagaries of life with supreme confidence and complacency.

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## LYRICS OF LIFE

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

**WHY NOT TELL HER SO?**  
 OF COURSE you love her just the same  
 As when at first you wed,  
 Perhaps with not so hot a flame,  
 But still the coals are red.  
 The new-made blaze is bright with heat  
 And ruddy with desire;  
 But time shall give you something sweet—  
 Peace, and the quiet fire.

Of course you love her as of old,  
 Your love she ought to know,  
 New loves burn hot, new loves turn cold.  
 With all the winds that blow,  
 But time shall bring the steady blaze,  
 The flame that never died;  
 Yea, time shall bring contented days,  
 The quiet ingleside.

Of course you love her as of yore—  
 The years that you have shared  
 Have made you love her even more  
 Than ever you have cared.  
 Of course you love her just the same,  
 Your love she ought to know,  
 For time has brought the steady flame—  
 But why not tell her so?  
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## HOW DO YOU SAY IT?

By C. N. LURIE

**Common Errors in English and How to Avoid Them**  
**"SPOONFULS," ETC.**  
 IN CONSIDERING the proper form of the plurals of such words as "spoonful," "cupful," "armful," etc., it must be borne in mind that the unit considered is not the spoon, the arm, the cup, etc.; but the material that fills the spoon, etc. Thus, the unit is the spoonful, not the spoon, and as "spoonful" is the name of a thing in itself, the proper form of the plural is found by adding an "s" to the word "spoonful," and not to the part of the word "spoon."

Of course, there are times when the unit is the spoon itself; that is, when two or more spoons are filled. When, for example, you have before you two spoons filled with sugar, you should say "two spoons full," and not "two spoonfuls." But when you take a spoon, fill it with sugar and empty it into your coffee cup, and repeat the process, you have taken two "spoonfuls" of sugar, and not two "spoons full."

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## STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

**Prineville.**—During the last week 19 cars of cattle were shipped over the City of Prineville railroad, eight cars going to Portland markets and 11 to Chicago.

**La Grande.**—Victory Way, a memorial to La Grande's fallen heroes, is to be completed this fall. The city has decided to rush the grading of the road, which leads to Riverside park outside of the city limits, and has advertised for bids for the work.

**Nyssa.**—The beautiful home of C. C. Hunt, manager and president of the Nyssa Fruit Growers association, was destroyed by fire this week. Incendiarism is suspected.

**Albany.**—Acting under instructions from the postoffice department, C. H. Stewart, postmaster of Albany, is arranging for the transportation of mail by auto truck in several directions from Albany in the event handling of mail by trains is stopped because of the threatened strike.

**Woodburn.**—While the family was absent Sunday afternoon the house of Dan Webb caught fire and burned to the ground, all of the contents, including small sum in cash, being consumed. The loss was about \$3000, and it was said there was no insurance. The cause was not determined.

**Hood River.**—The Apple Growers' association has closed its Gravenstein pools on the 1921 crop, showing an average net price to the association of \$2.08 a box. The general average of last year was \$1.73. A total of 10,178 boxes was landed this season. The apples were packed in fancy and C grade only.

**Grants Pass.**—Unless an embargo is placed upon fruit destined for eastern points the local apple crop will be moved soon, according to C. N. Davis, manager of the Oregon Growers' Packing association. The last car of Spitzzenbergs has been shipped, and three remains but 15 carloads of Newtowns and Winesaps.

**Salem.**—Officials of all railroads operating in the Pacific northwest have been asked to use their best efforts in getting increased car service to take care of the fruit shipments, in a letter prepared here Saturday by the Oregon public service commission and sent to officials of the various transportation lines.

**La Grande.**—Even if the railroad strike comes there will be one railroad in the state that will not stop operation. This is the Central Railroad of Oregon, which runs from Union to Cove, and is about nine miles long. Announcement has been made by the state's head office at Union that the strike will not affect the line.

**Salem.**—A total of 9552 applications have been filed in the offices of the world war veterans' state aid commission by ex-service men entitled to benefits under the so-called bonus law enacted at the last session of the legislature and made operative through a favorable vote of the electors at a special election held last July.

**Roseburg.**—W. R. Scott of the Puyallup & Sumner Fruit Growers' Canning company is in the Umpqua valley purchasing ten carloads of apples to be shipped to the Albany cannery, which is operated by that company. Mr. Scott is well pleased with the canning outlook and stated that the demand for apples this year exceeds that of any former season.

**Marshfield.**—Coos county is going to the Pacific-International land products show at Portland in November with the best exhibits to be obtained here. The work has been put in charge of County Agent Garr, who is already gathering vegetables and fruit. All varieties of standard apples will be included, with vegetables, cheese, condensed milk, butter, grains, roasters and other crops.

**Salem.**—Members of the Marion County Realtors' association are not satisfied with the announcement made by the state some time ago that the flax industry was to be eliminated as far as the penitentiary plant is concerned. The realtors have named a committee to confer with Governor Olcott and members of the legislature with a view of continuing flax operations at the prison.

**Salem.**—Some man, apparently without any official authority, has taken upon himself the burden of compiling a census of cats in Salem. A woman reported to the officers Saturday that a man visited her home, and upon being greeted at the door, pulled out a memorandum book and asked the woman of the house how many cats were on the premises. "No cats here," said the woman as she closed the door in the stranger's face. The identity of the census taker has not been determined by the officers.

## PAIN IN BACK? IF YOU ARE A SUFFERER HEED THIS ADVICE

Los Angeles, Cal.—"I wish to give to the world the benefit of the experience I have had with Dr. Pierce's medicines. I took four bottles of the Favorite Prescription, and five of the Anurie Tablets for my kidneys, and I must say no doctor has ever done me one-half the good I derived from the use of these medicines. I suffered with neuritis in my back for three years and it has disappeared and the kidney trouble also."—Mrs. Helen Pierce Reed, 653 W. Belgrave Ave., (Huntington Park).

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The Right Sequence.  
 A top-line quotation in a contemporary runs: "Tell me my faults and mend your own." Before starting any other mending, neighbor, suppose we first mend the motto so as to get the proper sequence. Isn't this better: "Mend your own faults and then tell me mine"?—Brooklyn Eagle.

Perfectly Clear.  
 We have to thank a cheerful dean for this little bit of society letter written by a clergyman who took the wrong hat away from last night's party: "Mr. A presents his compliments to Mr. B and he has a hat which isn't mine. So if you have a hat that isn't his doubtless they are the ones."—Sketch.

Hooded Seal.  
 The hooded seal for many years was hunted along the Atlantic coast for its oil, and fishermen insisted it shed tears when surprised and caught, and had a large cartilaginous hood that could be quickly thrown out to cover and protect its head.

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 On retiring gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Make them your every-day toilet preparations and have a clear skin and soft, white hands.—Adv.

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Doused, as It Were.  
 No man can carry water on both shoulders and make much headway. He gets cold water thrown on him from all angles and acquires the appearance of a drowned rat.

Derivation of "Magnet."  
 The word "magnet" is derived from the name of the city of Magnesia, in Asia Minor, where the properties of the loadstone are said to have been discovered.

The One Absorbing Topic.  
 The reason some people don't talk more than they do is that they can't think of anything else to say about themselves.—Boston Transcript.

Quick Service.  
 Telephone Patrol—Central, get me double-six double five nine, Main—and get it quick, like they do it in the pictures.

Revised.  
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