

Artificial Ears.
Artificial ears are so skillfully made that they may with difficulty be distinguished from natural ones, so it is claimed.
When the person who has lost an ear applies to the manufacturer for a substitute there is made a mold of the remaining ear. If there be left any part of the other a mold of that part also must be taken to assist in the fitting of the artificial. Manufacturers assert that no two ears are alike and that it takes a skillful workman to prepare an ear from the mold or molds.
When finished the new ear is pasted on the stump or simply set in the position of the lost ear. It is really only the first artificial ear that is expensive, the chief cost pertaining to the making of the mold. Vulcanized rubber, which can be bent and twisted, has been found to constitute the best material for the making of artificial ears.—Detroit Free Press.

A Question of Size.
If old Garge Jones was the most inquisitive man in the village, Tom Morton was certainly the surliest.
One afternoon, as Garge perambulated slowly along the one narrow street, he paused at Tom's garden fence and gazed inquiringly over at Tom, who was busily nailing a very large box together.
"Afternoon, Tom!" said the old chap genially. "Whatever be 'ee puttin' that great box together for?"
Tom paused in his hammering long enough to retort curtly:
"To hold all your questions, if so be as it's big enough!"
Garge eyed him in pained silence for a few moments. Then he took an empty matchbox from his pocket and threw it over to sandy.
"Then that'll do for yer civil answers if so be as it's small enough!" he retorted quietly.—London Express.

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Fundamentals.
If your outlook on life is wholesome and you have nothing worth while to think upon it is permissible to let your mind drift to the subject of fundamentals. Fundamentals are all right as long as you don't take them seriously. But if you begin to believe what you say about basic principles and elementary laws you are likely to become an uplifter or a Black Hand artist. The trouble is that when you get to brooding over such massive matters and the eternal consequences that attend them you invariably come to the conclusion that humanity is dallying in the primrose path, and then, nine times out of ten, you decide to reform something.
The golden rule of reforming is: Do unto yourself as you would like to do unto others. But nobody pays any attention to it. It is just as popular in theory and as unpopular in practice as other fundamental laws of conduct are. Uplift, like charity, should begin close up.—Judge.

Old Friends.
Those that have loved longest love best. A sudden blaze of kindness may by a single blast of coldness be extinguished. But that fondness which length of time has connected with many circumstances and occasions, though it may for a while be suppressed by disgust or resentment, with or without a cause, is hourly revived by accidental recollections. To those who have lived long together everything heard and everything seen recalls some pleasure communicated or some benefit conferred—some petty quarrel or some slight endearment. Esteem of great powers or amiable qualities newly discovered may embroider a day or a week, but a friendship of twenty years is interwoven with the texture of life. A friend may be often found and lost, but an old friend never can be found, and nature has provided that he cannot easily be lost.—Samuel Johnson.

The Only Difference.
A Massachusetts congressman went to England a few years ago and spent some time studying the British parliament at close range.
Immediately on his return he was asked if he couldn't make an analytical comparison of the house of commons and the house of representatives. He wrinkled his face up learnedly and spoke as follows:
"The two houses are a good deal alike. The members there swagger in just as nonchalantly as they do here and have much the same knack at paying no attention to what is going on. About the only great fundamental difference between the two lower houses that I could discover after a great deal of thought and study was that in the house of commons they have more cuspidors."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Four Great Musicians.
Palestrina was a revolutionist in his day, but is now virtually obsolete even for the severest classicists. Gluck was as radical an innovator as Wagner, yet it is only occasionally and with difficulty that one of his works can now be briefly resuscitated. Beethoven was a madman even to many of the best musicians as late as 1805, when, as that musical veteran, Professor Haupt, himself said, the "Fifth Symphony" was rehearsed in Berlin for the first time and the orchestra dashed the music from the racks, declaring it was crazy and could never be played. Now this same "Fifth Symphony" is considered a model of form, and its composer is the cherished idol of conservatives and classicists.

Vicarious.
Busy Business Man (after standing for a quarter of an hour at the telephone, cautiously behind his hand to his clerk)—Here you, William, take the receiver for awhile. My wife's got a lot to say to me still. You don't have to answer anything. Only whenever she says "Are you still there, Henry?" you say very nicely, "Certainly, my dear Jane."—New York Post.

Overzealous.
"Always speak the truth," said the man of precise standards.
"Of course," replied Miss Cayenne, "but some people in their desire to do so think they're called upon to constitute themselves private detectives in order to find out all the truth there is."—Washington Star.

Uncle Knew All About It.
"Uncle Frank," said little James, "what is the difference between 'cute' and 'sneaky'?"
"According to your mother," said Uncle Frank reflectively, "it's the difference between what you do and what Mrs. Brown's little boy does."

Paper Pulp.
Year by year the demand for materials other than wood and rags capable of yielding paper on a commercial scale becomes more urgent in this country. Wood is now used for pulp manufacture to the amount of about 4,500,000 cords a year.

Acquired.
Wife—It's a mystery to me that I didn't see these faults in you before we were married. Hub—No mystery about it, my dear. I didn't possess them then.—Boston Transcript.

Common Sense.
"Darling, fly with me!"
"Stay down on the earth, Freddie, and I'll consider your proposal."—Detroit Free Press.

PORTLAND MARKETS

Portland, May 15.—Today's market quotations were:
Wheat—Club, 93@97; bluestem, 1.04@1.06.
Oats—No. 1 white feed, 26.50 @ 27.
Barley—Feed, 27.25 @ 29.
Hogs—Best live, 9.10.
Prime steers, 9; fancy cows, 7.50; best calves, 8.
Spring lambs, 10.
Butter—City creamery, 29; country, 27.
Eggs—Selected local extras, 21 1/4 @ 23.
Hens, 17 1/2; broilers, 30 @ 35; geese, 10 @ 11.
Copper, 28 1/4.

PORTLAND PRINCIPAL CHARGED WITH ASSAULT

Portland, May 15.—Charged with assault and battery on Myer Brown, 10 years old, Prof. L. D. Roberts, principal of the Holman school, was arrested today and will be tried tomorrow afternoon. The lad's father swore to the complaint against Roberts. Huge bruises on the boy's breast, where Roberts had seized and shaken him, a bump on the back of his head, where he was thrown against the radiator, and torn clothing were exhibited as evidence against the teacher. Roberts said he had twice shaken Myer for disturbing the class by tapping on his desk with a pencil.

ART SMITH, AVIATOR, STONED BY JAP MOB

San Francisco, May 15th.—Friends of Art Smith, the boy aviator, were agitated today by reports that he had been stoned by a Japanese mob at Osaka, Japan, because he delayed making an advertised flight. The reports said his machine was damaged, its hangar destroyed, and that Smith was taken to a hospital.

AMERICAN PRISONERS RELEASED AT ACAPULCO

Washington, May 15.—Three Americans who had been imprisoned at Acapulco have been released, according to a navy department message today. They included Frank Horn and George LaVollette, both of Oakland, Cal.

Senator Phelan of California took up their cases with the state department. His demand for their release was promptly granted, apparently because the charge against them, that of burning the American schooner, Mariscal, was only a pretext.

Fragments of Guinea.

Few geographical names have in turn swollen and shrunk in importance as "Guinea" has. Originally this or something like this appears to have been the name of a forgotten little town and "kingdom" in the Niger region. Then the name expanded in European use to signify everything from the coast opposite the Canaries to the boundary of Southwest Africa and gave us not only the coin called after its gold and the guinea fowl, but also, by a natural error, the "guinea pig"—really the Guinea pig from South America. Now those tiny fragments, the Spanish, Portuguese and French Guineas, alone preserve the name on the map, together with the gulf.—London Chronicle.

The Boy of It.

A boy wanted a dog, and the rich uncle said:
"Well, Eddie, suppose I give you \$200 for a dog. Would you spend that whole sum in one dog, or would you buy a pretty good dog and put the rest of the money in the savings bank?"
"Well, uncle," replied Eddie, "if you leave it to me I would buy 200 one dollar dogs."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Winning Success.
As a matter of fact, the world owes a man nothing that he does not earn. In this life a man gets about what he is worth, and he must render an equivalent for what is given him. There is no such thing as inactive success.—Dr Russell H. Conwell in American Magazine.

Benevolence.
There cannot be a more glorious object in creation than a human being, replete with benevolence, meditating in what manner he might render himself most accepted to his Creator by doing most good to his creatures.—Fielding.

Artful.
Papa—I promised to buy you a bicycle if you passed your exam. at school, but you have failed. What have you been doing? Tommy—Learning to ride a bicycle, papa.—Chicago Herald.

Economy.
Scot (at the baths)—What's the price of a bath? Attendant—One shilling. Scot—Heeb, man, that's a lot. Can ye no' say sixpence and put in less water?—London Tit-Bits.

Classified Advertising

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40 ACRES—4 1/2 miles from Grants Pass, no improvements, for sale at \$40 per acre. Under ditch survey. Address No. 2415, care Courier. 657tf

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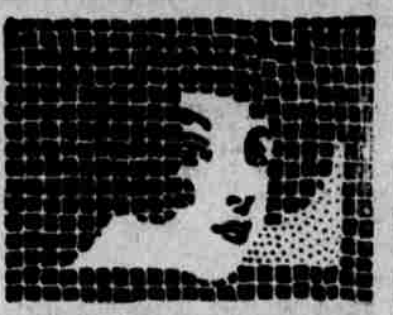
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REDUCED FARES TO CRESCENT CITY
The Crescent City and Grants Pass Auto Stage line have reduced fares to Crescent City to \$7.50; Waldo, \$2.50; Kerby, \$1.75, and Selma, \$1.50. 23tf

BE CHEERFUL.
We all ought to be as cheerful as we can. Every one must have felt that a cheerful friend is like a sunny day, shedding brightness on all around, and most of us can, if we choose, make of the world a palace or a prison. To be bright and cheerful often requires an effort, but the effort is well worth the making and will amply repay those who succeed in making it a success.—Avebury.



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