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Are You Worthy of Your Child's Confidence?

end of a day's work and feel the ther congested in the great centers. tiny arms of your little boy or girl It would also be a solution of our around your neck and realize the labor problem if we have one." love and absolute confidence the child has in you, do you ever ask yourself the question, Am I worthy of that confidence? asks Frederick D. Strickler, state health of-

Probably all of us are doing our hest to provide the material things which will make our children's what of the less tangible things which may have a far more pro found influence on the child's later life than any of the material things which we seek to supply in abundance? Are they learning through parental guidance such things as neatness, belpfulness and self-reliance? Is the child receiving all the guidance and protection which will insure his development, both | high school, Tacoma, has accepted physical and mental, into a capa- an invitation to address the high ble, useful, healthy and happy citizen? Is he being taught safety first both with respect to the avoidance of disease and accidents?

Many of us are likely to take the attitude that a child does not need to learn until he goes to school. Such an at'itude is, however, most unfortunate for the first few eyears of a child's life are far more important, in the probable effect they will have on his later life, than any period of equal length in his life. It is upon the habits of conduct, thought and personal hygiene, developed in these early years that the child's future character and heal b will to large extent, depend. The characteristics which you admire in a certain man or woman are usually the result of proper early parental training before school age has been reached. The reverse is likewise true, Many of the qualities which we find undesirable in an individval are the result of a lack of proper early training. - Frederick D. Strickler.

Solution of Farm Problem

Solution of the farm problem by developing industrial projects in the rural districts, rather than by political measures such as the Mc-Nary-Haugen bill, which would do barm to the very classes it pretends to benefit, was advocated by Thos. R. Preston, president of the American Bankers Association, in an address in New York recently



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H: said, among other things: "There is no legislative remedy for agriculture. It is an economic question pure and simple and must be worked out accordingly, it is a fact that no community and no state bas ever become great from agriculture alone. There seems to me a real remedy for small communities and for agriculture. This remedy is the mixing of industry with agetc., whose object is to raise money, riculture and it is now being applied in many localities with satisfactory results. I would not suggest that manufacturing institutions move from the city to the small villages, but it would be better for future industries to be placed in When you return home at the small villages rather than be fur

Marshal Hotchkiss Commended

U. S. Marshal Clarence Hotchkis is performing a splendid public service in his direction of the KEX 'Better Cirizenship'' program, broadcasted every Saturday eyening at 8 o'clock, says Oregon Voter in a recent issue. Addresses of an lives happy and comfortable but informative character on governmental subjects are delivered by leading citizens and public officials. the series commenced on Constitution Day, Sept. 17, and will continue until Flag Day, June, 1928 Western Broadcasting Co. deserves credit for turning its station over to this educational and patriotic

> H. F. Hunt, principal of Stadium school principals of Oregon when they assemble at the university of Oregon, January 13 and 14 for the first annual principal's conference to be held in conjunction with the regular conference of student editors and officers this year.

WORKING UNDER DIFFICULTIES

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK Dean of Men, University of

OU'LL have to go to bed and be flat on your back for some time.' the doctor said to me.

I knew his reputation and that he was no doubt right. There would be no argument. I had a tremendous lot of work that should be done-writing most of t. I had no temperature; I was not really sick; what little brain I have was working in as active and normal a way as it had ever done. It was only that an accident had made it necessary to spread me out and lung weights on my left arm to pull it back into a position which it refused to assume. I write with my right hand; even lying on my back my knee can be flexed and a pad of paper balanced upon it. I would write even if I were on my back!

The process was slow and wearisome. I had to rest at short intervals, but it was amazing how much I could get done in a day, strained though the position was. And the work made the time pass more quickly. I was more cheerful from having something to do; my back ached less Jecause I had less time to give to pondering over my aches. Difficult as it was, I came to enjoy it; and the work got done.

A friend of mine, because of a peculiar accident was forced for a month to be face downward on her bed. She could look over the edge of the bed which was low and near the floor, and she devised all sorts of things to occupy her time-some of them useful work, others play-and so, while doing something worthwhile, kept herself cheerful and happy. It was not an easy condition under which to work, but she was resourceful and energetic.

I have just been told of two men lying in a hespital, neither permitted to move his body, but free to do what he wished with his hands. One was a stock broker who had a long-distance telephone installed and did business regularly during business hours. He admitted that he got on more successfully than when he was in his office in the city because, lying prone in bed, he was not interrupted, not disturbed. He gave his letters to his stenographer early in the morning and then he had all his time to himself.

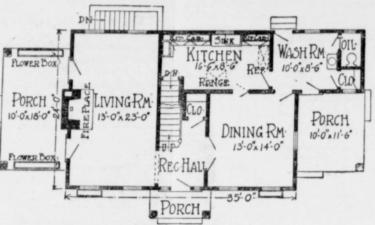
The second man was a writer. He had a typewriting machine suspended above the ted in such a way as permitted him to move it up and down to admit the sheet of paper on which he was writing, and in such a position as to make it possible, lying as he was, to operate it. He worked along all day, forgetting that he was invalided, that at times he suffered pain, and got his regular work done almost as well as if it were possible for him to be on his feet. He was the sort that wouldn't let difficulties keep him

from work. Whether a man works or not often depends upon the difficulties which he is willing to overcome.

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Stucco Colonial Is Attractive Design for a Comfortable Home





First Floor Plan.

By W. A. RADFORD Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to prac tical home building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as editor, author and manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William Radford, No. 1827 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.

The colonial style of architecture is popular among those who build homes both in the city and the smaller communities as well. It is economical to build because the lines of the building are straight. It is attractive in exterior appearance and the greatest amount of room may be secured on the two floors.

The home design shown is of a seven-room house, 35 by 24 feet, exclusive of the porches on either end. It follows the colonial style of room arrangement, with an entrance hall in the center, a living room extending the depth of the house on one side and dining room and kitchen on the other. In addition to this arrange ment, a large washroom with lavatory is added for the convenience of the farm family.

The living room, as will be noted by the floor plans that accompany the exterior view, is 13 feet wide and 23 feet long. In the center of the outside wall is set an open fireplace with doors opening onto the porch on either side. The dining room is at the front and is 13 by 14 feet. The kitchen is rather large, while the washroom

The stairs to the second floor run out of the entrance hall and lead to a central hall above. Each bedroom is a corner room, giving plenty of light and ventilation. The bathroom is at the end of the hall at the front of the | farm home building design.

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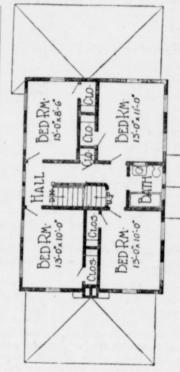
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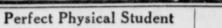
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