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On Business Trip—

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J. C. Lowe, manager of the Home Telephone Co. of Corvallis, came over this morning on business.

Has Influenza—

H. S. Logan returned to Albany on Monday from Portland and is confined to his home with an attack of influenza.

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FRED DAWSON'S DRUG STORE

First Yank Talks

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watery soup.

"After I had begun to mend, they removed me to the Giessen prison camp. Then I was taken to Darmstadt, and finally to Tüchel, where I stayed until the armistice.

"The first thing they did was to take off our shoes and give us wooden slippers. The next was to tell us to get to work.

"Still all we had to eat was a little black bread and watery soup.

"After four months of hard manual labor we were so weak we couldn't walk.

"One day a German general visited the camp, accompanied by a man who said he was an American newspaperman. We refused to believe him at first, thinking it was another German trick to put us off our guard. He was continually asking us if we had any message to send the home folks.

"Finally one of our crowd called out. 'If you tell the folks anything, tell them we never expect to see them again. Before long we shall all be over there in that graveyard near the camp, where 30,000 Russians are already buried. The Germans are slowly starving us to death.'

"Well, the general got pretty red in the face and said it was all a lie.

"But the next week a bunch of American Red Cross packages showed up, each with 22 pounds of food. After that they appeared regularly, and we grew fat and strong. We never ate another bite of German food. We turned our prison rations over to the Russians in the camp with us, while we had the time of our lives eating good old American food.

"When the revolution broke, the revolutionary troops disarmed our guards and told us we were free."

Lester took another bite of his bar of Yankee milk chocolate, took another delighted look at the pretty Red cross worker from San Francisco in the chair opposite him, and continued.

"No, I don't know a thing about internal conditions in Germany. The people may be starving or wallowing in plenty for all I know. They never let us outside the prison fence except when they took us to the train after the armistice. And as the railroad seemed to run thru a desolate, uninhabited part of the country, we didn't get a chance to get a line on things then.

"We came through Holland to England.

"Say, but isn't this chocolate great?"

PEOPLE IN EARTH'S INTERIOR?

Man of Science Believed There Were, and Sought Funds to Make an Investigation.

On November 19, 1822, one of the most peculiar petitions ever presented to congress was brought before that body of lawmakers, which was none other than a request from John Cleves Symmes, asking that aid be given him to make a voyage to the interior of the globe, which he believed to be inhabitable. He was permitted to lecture before Union college, at which he expounded his theory, which, however, was met with universal ridicule.

Notwithstanding which he was greatly respected as a man. He held that all planetary bodies, including the earth, are composed of concentric spheres, open at their poles. In one of his memoirs he thus illustrates his conception: "With dividers describe a plane of matter of loose texture, and in the center add a very small circle; draw a line through the center. It is evident that either half of the inner circle, being almost equally surrounded by matter, must be very little gravitated centerwise, so being suspended, only a rotary motion is needed to throw it compactly toward the outer circle. This being admitted it follows that half way from the outlet to the inner side of this circle of matter thus thrown out, a like rarity, suspension or balance of gravity should prevail, and hence a disposition to concentric circles; therefore it follows that successive similar subdivisions should exist, gradually lessening in force and quantity. By applying this principle to the earth I find the necessity of hollow concentric spheres."

MARKED PROGRESS OF MAN

Invention of Outrigger Canoe Was One of the Greatest in History of the World.

One of the great epoch-making inventions was the outrigger canoe, which is of Polynesian or perhaps Malay origin. It made practicable the exploration of the Pacific and the settlement of island groups separated from one another by vast distances. The great sailing canoes in which immigrants from Tahiti voyaged northward over thousands of miles of trackless ocean to the Hawaiian Islands, nobody knows how many centuries ago, giving to that archipelago its first population, carried 50 or more men and women, presumably with children accompanying.

Captain Cook, the first white explorer to map the Pacific, found all the island groups inhabited. The people did not say to him: "We are discovered at last!" They were themselves the discoverers. Long centuries before Captain Cook was born they had traversed all parts of that ocean; and the Polynesian navigators had mapped it for themselves with curious charts made of little sticks. Children in that part of the world are brought up in boats. They are amphibious. Canoes for themselves they make out of hollowed logs, with sticks of bamboo for outriggers. Land and water are the same to them; they are equally at home in the sea or on terra firma.

Illness and Literature.

There is nothing like a good, long illness for the cultivation of pure literature. It should not be too severe or needlessly painful, for then you may overshoot the mark and be too weary to read or be read to. It is possible to have too much of even the best things. But a proper, comfortable illness, that keeps you in bed, yet leaves you free to read; that banishes all the interruptions of life, the constitutional walks, the stupid visits, the annoying correspondence, the dressing and the undressing, and all the amenities of modern civilization, and allows you to lie at peace and read your fill, is among the best gifts of the gods. You soon forget to be sleepy and lazy, your mind displays an unwonted activity, and you become conscious of an insatiable craving for books.—Ohio State Journal.

Then It Happened.

"I wonder if it would?" mused the Rummy.

"You wonder if what would?" demanded the barkeep.

"Why, if a man works all night and sleeps when others are working, I wonder if it would be right to call him a day dreamer?" replied the rummy, as he headed for the door.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

SINCERITY SHOWN IN LIFE

Venerable Declaration That Faith Without Works is of No Avail Remains True.

An author tells us that sincerity is the supreme virtue; but that sincerity is not expressed in words—only in real life. The venerable declaration that faith without works is dead is true. And one will see an illustration of the fact on every side every day. The fact is the world does not live what it believes. We noted in a book the other day that there would be little, if any, controversy if men said what they thought and felt. This is surely true. Men differ as soon as they appeal from the spirit to the intellect. This is because the spirit deals with the fundamentals and the intellect with the details. Sincerity belongs to the former. It is more than an opinion. It is bigger than a standpoint. It is where sincerity gets its influence, which is the still, small voice that comes out of the whirlwind that roars around every man's life. But we should remember that sincerity is not a conception, but a virtue, as real as a mother's love. They too, as real as a mother's love. And don't mistake sincerity for consistency. They may be acquainted, but they are not related.—Ohio State Journal.

Thomas Sully.

Thomas Sully, the portrait painter, was born at Horncastle, Lincolnshire, England, in 1783. He was brought by his parents, who were actors, to Charleston, S. C., in 1792. In 1803 he returned to New York, and in 1809 he returned to America and settled in Philadelphia. Among his best known portraits are those of Commodore Decatur, in city hall, New York; General Lafayette, in Independence hall, Philadelphia, and George Frederick Cooke at the Philadelphia Academy of Fine Arts. Other noted portraits by him are those of Charles Kemble, Frances Anne Kemble, Rembrandt Peale, James Madison, Andrew Jackson and John Marshall. In the Corcoran gallery in Washington, D. C. He died in 1872.

Legend of the Garnet.

The Indians who live in Arizona have a great deal of sentiment about the garnet mines. It is said, and there are numerous legends concerning it, one of which is that centuries ago on a cold winter night the little daughter of a great Indian chief died, and as she passed away Indians standing outside the place where she lay noticed an immense multitude of sparks that flew up from the chief's chimney and settled upon the mountain side, where they shone as brightly as stars, never growing cold and dead.

Later they sank into the earth and formed the garnets that gem the entire mountain.

Inalienable Feminine Right.

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Morse Inventor of the Telegraph.

Samuel F. B. Morse, inventor of the electric telegraph, was a literary man and an artist before he became one of the world's greatest inventors. He was a graduate of Yale college and had qualifications for authorship that would have won success if he had turned his attention in that direction. Then he took up art and studied under the great Benjamin West, in England, and painted portraits for a few years, and was the first president of the Academy of Design in New York. But he did not develop his true mission until he took up electricity and invented the telegraph.

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