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Cutting Flowers

Flowers cut in the early morning before they are in full blossom last longer than those cut late in the day.

Fishing by Telephone

Apparatus somewhat in the nature of a telephone is used by the heroic fishermen at Stavanger, Norway, to locate shoals of fish. A microphone is attached to a sunken wire and it is stated that the movement of the shoal is audible through a telephone receiver in the boat.

Broken Umbrella

One rainy day as I was going to work my wife gave me an umbrella which was broken. It would open without pressing the button. Think it was better than nothing on a rainy day I took it. When I got on a street car it was crowded so I had to stand. Suddenly the umbrella opened up and with it lifted the dresses of 12 women around. I was never so embarrassed in all my life.—G. W. Chicago Tribune.

How to Get There

An Englishman, who was far from his course and confused about his directions, asked an Irishman, cut-throat in the wilds of Connemara, how to get to Letterfrack. The Irishman labored over the directions, so intricate and roundabout were the roads, until, having done his best, he added: "If it was meself that was going to Letterfrack, faith, I would start from here!"—New Outlook.

Live Long on Simple Food

Up in the Himalayas where the people live on simple natural food the life expectancy is 100 years. It is nothing of bacterial infection. People live to a good old age and men who live properly become fathers when one hundred and twenty-five years old. They eat very little meat. They eat a simple pottage made of whole grain ground in a hand mortar, plenty of vegetables and fresh or dried fruit.—Dr. William Howard Ray in Scientific Therapy and Practical Research.

Early Greenland Settlers

Remains of old churches and graveyards belonging to the Norsemen settlers of the Tenth century have been found in Greenland by a Danish expedition. The colony became lost about 1400, when intercourse with Europe ceased.

Liking Nature

There appears to be no end to mankind's liking for nature; whether a tree is so leafy that it reduces the whole heavens to a few blue eyes, or whether the twigs are as thin and bare as the birds' legs that use them—it is all the same to me.—W. H. Davies, in Late Days.

Little Really Endures

History fades into fable; fact becomes clouded with doubt and controversy; the inscription moldered from the tablet; the statue falls from the pedestal. Columns, arches, pyramids—what are they but heaps of wind and their epitaphs but characters written in the dust.—Washington Irving.



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FICTION

Teller—That fellow Booboo saw a \$20 bill on the sidewalk yesterday but refused to pick it up.

Asker—What was the matter; was it counterfeit, or was it pasted down?

Teller—No, it was all right; but yesterday was Friday and Booboo thought it would be unlucky to find money on that day.—Troveur de Sentiers.

THE WRONG WAY



She (stamping foot)—You mustn't kiss me that way.

He (quietly)—What is your favorite way?

Plenty of Time

"Beat the train? Oh, sure! Lots of time," said he.

"Lots of time" was right—All eternity.

Naturally

Pater—Robert, how is it your report card shows a D for department?

Robert—You see, pater, I have been so continually in conference with my instructor that the other pupils would deem it a prearranged affair should I flaunt a too inspiring mark on my record of endeavor.

The Difference

Mr. Bragg—I suppose you know I'm singing in the church choir now?

Patient Friend—No, I didn't.

Mr. Bragg—But surely your brother Tom told you I had joined the choir?

Patient Friend—Oh, yes, he told me that.—Peabody Star.

Father's Cue

"Dearest," passionately exclaimed the daughter's young man, "you have led me to adore—"

"Good!" interrupted her father's voice from the stairs. "Now open it and get out."

UNTHINKABLE



"Did you turn down the count's proposal?"

"Why of course. He's a noted mind reader. Think how terrible it would be not to be able to keep a secret."

Variety

The beautiful girls on the cover page can all my cares and woes assuage.

I fall in love at the very first peek and get a new one every week.

An Efficient Druggist

"What did you put in this prescription?"

"That I can tell only to the doctor," said the druggist.

"The doctor wants to know. Seems I gave you a Chinese laundry ticket and you filled that."—Peabody Star.

Faithful Admirer

"Wasn't that story you told rather funny?" asked the husband.

"Not at all," answered the wife.

"You told it to me yourself. I was newly trying it out in a crowd in hope of seeing what was funny about it."—Washington Star.

Mean

"Old Blinx is a mean old cuss, isn't he?"

"Mean! If that guy was cruising in the South Sea Islands he would throw out nickels over the rail for the natives to dive after."

Rare Days Nowadays

"A dull day," remarked mild Mr. Coolidge.

"Why?"

"Nobody has asked me to contribute money for anything."

He Was

He—Haven't I seen you some place before?

She—You do seem rather fresh in my regard.—Wisconsin Octopus.

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Congress No. 1

I went to Washington the other day. I visited "The House of Representatives," they were in session. What I mean by being in session, the tax bill was up for debate and they were arguing on "Better Golf courses for the medium salaried man." I suppose if the World Court bill had been up, they would have been talking on "Shall America park oblong or parallel."

Well, then I went over to the Senate. They had adjourned, so I felt that America was not having such a bad day at that. We were only 50 percent inefficient THAT DAY.

You know we all joke and kid about Congress, but we can't improve on them. No matter who we elect, he is just as bad as the one he replaced. So with all their faults we love 'em. They are as good as the people who vote to put them there, and they are 10 times better than the ones who don't vote at all. They are like "Bull" Durham, they are not perfect, but they are the best in their line.

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P.S. There will be another piece in this paper soon. Look for it.



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The Goat
A schoolboy's essay: "A goat is about as big as a sheep if the sheep is big enough. A female goat is called a buttress. A little goat is called a gontee. Goats are very useful for eating up things. A goat will eat up more things than any animal that ain't a goat. My father had a goat once. My father is an awful good man. Everything he says is so, even if it ain't so. That is all I know about the goats."

No Baggage on Rio Cars
In Rio Janeiro there are strict limitations on the amount of baggage that may be carried by a passenger in boarding a street car. He may not pile on certain cars with a grip, valise, bag or smaller article larger than a vanity case. Neither can he travel in a first-class street car apartment without a coat. Also it is required that all passengers wear socks when boarding the cars.

One Thing Missing
The modern home today is supplied with everything except the family.

LEXINGTON ECHOES

Karl Beach, accompanied by Mrs. Florence Beach, motored to Walla Walla Saturday and remained until Monday with Mrs. Karl Beach and the boys.

Mrs. James Cox, hair goods worker from Walla Walla, called on Lexington customers Monday.

Mrs. Emma Breshears was called to Walla Walla last week by a telegram which announced the sad passing of her mother, Mrs. Anna Wright, who was an aunt of Ed Burchell. Mrs. Wright was a former Lexington resident and had many friends here.

Mrs. W. O. Hill and little Lucille are at home after ten days with Portland relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hunt are entertaining Mrs. M. D. Tucker who arrived on O. W. R. N. Monday from Portland. Mrs. Tucker is Mrs. Hunt's mother.

After being employed for two months in Lexington, Earnest Frederickson has gone to Salem where his family resides.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Walker and son drove to Heppner Mts. Sunday where they expect to enjoy camp life.

The members of Mrs. George Allen's Congregational Sabbath school class will present a play, "All a mistake" on Friday evening, April 23, in Lexington auditorium. Proceeds from the play will be added to the Near East Relief fund.

Cast of Characters
Capt. Obadiah Skinner—James Keer
Lieut. George Richmond—Marion Palmer
Richard Hamilton—Elmer Palmer
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Iceland Once a Republic
Iceland was an independent republic from 890 to 1263, when it joined with Norway. Both countries came under Danish rule in 1381. When Norway separated from Denmark in 1814, Iceland remained under Denmark. In 1918 Denmark acknowledged Iceland as a sovereign state, united with Denmark only in that the Danish king was also to be king of Iceland.

Has a Dual Advantage
It has been found that half an hour's vigorous singing in the morning is a healthful exercise. The practice is also recommended as having a tendency to lower rents in the neighborhood.—Boston Transcript.

Zulu Death Chamber
Near Durban, South Africa, is the "Place of Death," a funnel-like cleft in the coast rocks, into which, in times gone by, the Zulu chiefs were accustomed to place the victims of their wrath to die.



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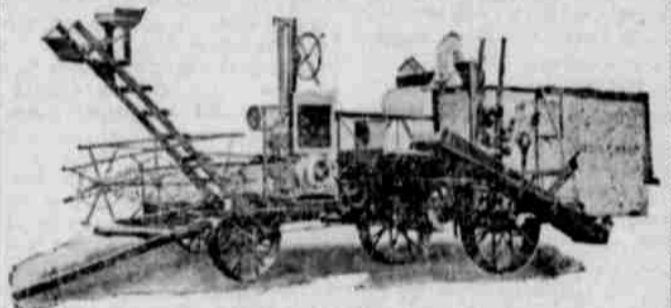
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