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The measure of a man's life is the
well spending of it, and not the length.
—Plutarch

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Few Nonswimming Animals

All animals excepting man, mon-
keys, and perhaps the three-toed sloth,
either swim naturally or go through
the motions of swimming when sud-
denly immersed in water. There are,
however, several animals that, al-
though they swim naturally, drown
as they swim. This is the case with
rabbits, mice, moles and the smaller
rats, drowning being the result of the
fur becoming saturated.

Test Your Brain

The "ask me another" fad is the
first definite successor of the cross
word puzzle. Conversations over
heard in public conveyances indicate
that many of the "ask me's" are as
intriguing as the puzzles over which
enthusiasts worried far into the night.
"It's always a challenge to try one
more, and if you want to find out just
how little you know, have some one
start 'asking,'" a fan said.

Male Hatches Egg

The cassowary lays from six to
eight eggs of a light greenish color,
and these are incubated solely by the
male, says Nature Magazine. The eggs
are about six inches long and are dif-
ficult to hold because of their great
bulk, but when scrambled or prepared
as an omelet, are said to be excellent.
A single egg will furnish a meal for
several persons.

Large Breed of Rabbits

The gray Flemish giants are the
largest rabbits bred by American fan-
ciers. They attain their full develop-
ment at about fifteen months, when
the bucks should weigh 13 pounds or
more and the does not less than 15
pounds. The adult has the appendage
known as "dewlap" well developed.

Architectural Secret

Russia's "house of cards" still holds
its secret. The magic construction of
the old imperial riding academy's roof
at Moscow, which doesn't have a
beam, brace or pillar, has again baff-
led inquisitive architects and engi-
neers who tried to find out how it
was put together.

First Perforated Stamps

Postage stamps before being per-
forated, which was first practiced in
1851, in Great Britain, were cut apart
by scissors or knife. The British gov-
ernment bought the patent for per-
foration of stamps from a man named
Archer in 1853 for \$20,000.

Curious Book

There is a book belonging to the
family of princes de Ligne of France
that is neither written nor printed.
The letters of the text are cut out of
sach folio upon the finest vellum, and
being interleaved with blue paper, it
is as easy to read as print.

Earliest German Settler

It is recorded that the first German
in America was Tyrker the German,
brought in the Saga of Leif Eriksson's
expedition in the Eleventh century.
There were several Germans among
the settlers of Jamestown, also in the
Massachusetts Bay colony.

Buried in Loved Flag

In Hallock's life of Stonewall Jack-
son, the following statement appears:
"He (the body) was enveloped in the
saw flag of the Confederacy and the
first use that was ever made of it was
to enwrap the remains of the de-
serted chieftain."

Not a Matter of Age

"Don't you sometimes wish you
were young again?" "No," answered
Senator Sorghum. "I have been read-
ing the papers. A man can be just
as foolish at thirty as he can at six-
ty."—Washington Star.

How to Torture Tourist

The Maid—Yes, sir, your suitcase
looked so untidy with all those old
whats on it from Japan and America
and Egypt and Africa that I thought
I'd clean them all off.—The Passing
Show.

Idleness Has Value

Certainly work is not always re-
quired of a man. There is such a
thing as a sacred idleness—the culti-
vation of which is now fearfully
neglected.—G. Macdonald.

Should Get Them In

The only favorable credentials
one will have to show St. Peter will
be the obituary notice.—Marion
County (Ala.) News.

First Journalistic School

Robert E. Lee established the first
school of journalism in the United
States at Washington and Lee univer-
sity in 1869.

Weakness in Ignorance

The weakness of human reason ap-
pears more evidently in those who
know it not, than in those who know
it.—Pascal.

Honors Even

Two Englishmen playing golf on the
North Foreland course in London each
made a hole in one during the same
round.

Good Manners

"Manners are not bits, but the fruit
of loyal nature and of noble mind."—
Tennyson.

Yes, We've Needed It

Demand for Gold Greener than Sup-
ply.—Goldfield Daily Tribune.

At the Christian Church

Sunday evening service now be-
gins at eight o'clock. Subject:
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NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

At a regular meeting of the Com-
mon Council of the City of Ione, Ore-
gon, held on the 2nd day of May,
1927, the Council of said City set the
following rates for water to consum-
ers:

Minimum rate, first 3000 Gals., \$2.00
Each 1000 gallons in excess of 3000
gallons, 30 cents per 1000 gallons.

It was further ordered that consum-
ers be informed, that under sec-
tion 20, Ordinance No. 63, water
rent is due and payable on the 1st
day of each month, at the office of
the City Marshal, and if payment is
not made within ten days thereafter,
the water shall be shut off from the
premises until payment is made of
the amount due together with a 50
cent extra charge against consumer
for turning water off and on.

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Council of the City of Ione, Ore.

F. H. Robinson, Recorder.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. W. W. HEAD, Pastor

Services

11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M.

Prayer Meeting, Wed., 7:30

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Ione, Oregon

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The Garden's Message

Within my garden, hedged around
With many a fragrant flower is found,
When summer spreads her azure skies,
A host of brilliant butterflies

I know not how each rover brings
So much of beauty on his wings:
I only know the dark cocoon
Once hid this joyousness of June.

Such wondrous grace is there it seems
More like the witchery of dreams;
My eyes behold, yet I am slow
To sense the transcendental glow.

But since these things I see are true,
May not some realm I journey to
Be my all beautiful life, while this
Is but the cruder chrysalis?

Nixon Watermann

three weeks, returned Sunday
and is staying at the home of her
sister, Mrs. C. W. Swanson.

Frank Engelman and Mr. and
Mrs. Casper Hanson spent Mon-
day afternoon in Heppner.

Walt Smith and Mrs. Joe Nap-
penberg left for Portland on Mon-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Griffith
returned, Sunday, from a week
end visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wood and
son Billy were Heppner visitors,
Tuesday.

Earl Murray went to Freewater
last week and returned Monday
with all his family except Beryl
who will remain in Freewater a
few weeks longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Blackwell
moved into the Wayne Sperry
house on Second street, Wednes-
day of this week.

Walton Young came home on
Wednesday morning from Salem
where he has been for some time.

Ralph Akers left Thursday
night for Portland to meet his
wife there and bring her home.

Edmund Bristow is working
at Bristow & Johnson's store
during the absence of Ralph Ak-
ers and E. J. Bristow.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wood and
family left, Thursday afternoon,
for La Grande, on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Balsiger
left for Salem, Wednesday. Mr.
Balsiger will return in a few days
but Mrs. Balsiger will remain in
"the valley", visiting with friends
and relatives till school is out.

The Way of Wisdom

The only way to convince a
fool of his folly is to let him have
his own way.

Farm Population Decreasing

The farm population of this
country decreased 949,000 per-
sons last year, the largest de-
crease in any year since 1920,
according to estimates by the
United States Department of Ag-
riculture. The number of people
living on farms, January 21, 1927,
is estimated at 27,892,000 as against
28,541,000 Jan. 1, 1926. The 1925 agricultural census fig-
ure, 28,982,000, was used as a
base for these calculations.

Community Silver for that June
Wedding.—Bullards Pharmacy

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surance.

FIRE WARNING

Numerous roofs are covered
with cotton from trees and it is
as inflammable as powder. It takes
but a few minutes to sweep the
roof. Why take chances on hav-
ing your house and those of your
neighbors burned when it can be
prevented? Get busy.

Bert Mason, Mayor.

CLEANING EGGS

Because the American break-
fast table wants its eggs spotless
and clean, Petaluma, California,
has spent a good deal of time
and money on the task of wash-
ing eggs. Hand cleaning was a
slow and expensive process, as
even an expert could not handle
more than seven cases a day.

"After much experimenting,
electrical engineers finally appli-
ed an electrically operated cen-
trifugal compressor which would
direct a blast of sand upon a con-
tinuous procession of eggs mov-
ing in stately form on an auto-
matic conveyor. This blast re-
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immediately and imparts fine ev-
en finish to the most untidy egg."

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Two Types

Lots of folks who humbly aren't
worth a cent, wouldn't sell themselves
for a million; and some millionaires
have at some time or other sold out
for a song.—Greenville (Ala.) Advo-
cate.

Consider All Sides

It is well to consider, before walking
along the railroad track, that while
the locomotive's intentions may be good
the locomotive's aim is also good.—
Louisville Times.

Credibility of Ignorance

Scientists are doing a great work,
telling us many startling things we
have to believe because we do not
know enough to contradict them.—To-
ledo Blade.