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QUILL POINTS

The secret of success? Ambition, ability, and a look of glowing admiration while the big boss talks.

Americianism: Sitting at little square tables, cards in hand, to give a demonstration of bad manners.

The more you study Germany, the more you suspect that what the world needs is a good licking.

Nothing is perfect, and when they find a man for the Supreme Court who pleases everybody he will still be a lawyer.

Ruling India is like ruling the seas. You just stay on the surface and pray for luck when a storm threatens.

As Al reads the Digest poll he must wonder where that wet majority was hiding out on election day.

Why not the same number of congressmen for all States? Why punish a state because it has a big population?

Of course distant cities know more than people on the scene. Note how often the bleachers catch the ump. in error.

Correct this sentence: "The girls were required to make their own graduation frocks," said the mother, "and I didn't help my daughter a bit."

That among these are life, liberty and the pursuit of a kick.

The Russians may like sad literature, but they don't portray assault, accidents and injustice in the comic strips.

It seems fair enough. The dries can't keep liquor down, but some of the wets are affected the same way.

Still, the people in some other town would seem just as narrow minded if you behaved the same way.

Poor farmers! Not a single broadcasting station is fair enough to provide setting-up exercises at 4 a. m.

And in the spring a young girl's fancy prompts the planting of vines to screen the porch swing.

What this country needs is a little more sameness among those who are found out and those who are kicked out.

What a world! One bunch of rebelst making salt, another making hooch, and the rest makink whoopee.

The Digest poll proves, among other things, that people who vote that way don't care for political polls.

Americianism: Making news stories about the on black sheep in the flock; thinking the land full of black sheep because the other 99 are too tame to make news.

Maybe Russia could make herself worthy of recognition by burning her victims.

Evidently Byrd will keep on being a hero forever, nobody having thought of making him President.

Wonderful tariff! You see, if Europe can't sell us anything, she'll quit manufacturing and will have to buy everything from us.

You can't always tell. Serving a sharp knife with a meat order may be either a courtesy or an alibi.

Gandhi says the only way to deal with force is by using no force. This is especially true of traffic cops.

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Come to think of it, a pig's corkscrew tail may be illegal.

You can tell a land of opportunity by the number and prosperity of its clipping agencies.

"The next war will be a contest between machines." Happy day! Machines can't write memoirs.

You can't build a big navy in a land where the movies prove that one Marine can lick forty aliens.

At times we wonder if Mussolini ever heard of St. Helena and Doorn.

She will be a social success if at 18 she has learned to tell a homely man he looks distinguished.

There's at least one unalloyed advantage in being President. The fish bite.

People who buy presents must think the bride needs a fork for each of Mr. Henz's 57.

There's one thing about daughter's graduation. Dressing her as a bride won't be such a shock to dad now.

Americanism: Thinking a magazine editor a wonder because the business offices garner ads enough to make people enjoy the magazine.

"Been strangely active in moonshine liquor regions." Especially lynching bees.

An "undeveloped people" is one that some strong nation lifts up and holds up—Chicago style.

Why worry when a West Pointer resigns before completing his eight years of service? The Army doesn't want men who feel that way about contracts.

The great man has one peculiarity. He never admires himself in the mirror when he climbs from the barber's chair.

And to think that kids of 1890, sneaking behind the barn to smoke awful tobacco, were enjoying personal liberty.

Courtesy created the "treating evil"—and then killed it. Now everybody is ashamed to ask a friend to have another like this.

No wonder the Germans held out so long. The movie of "All Quiet on the Western Front" shows that hardly any scratching was necessary on the German side.

The Russian experiment has proved that the bosses can own nine Rolls Royce cars if the little fellows will forget self and work for the common good.

Correct this sentence: "Tomorrow," said he, as he took his throat medicine, "I'll limit myself to one smoke after each meal."

Auto Victim Dies. MARSHFIELD, Ore., June 7.—(AP)—Mrs. W. W. Ladd, 79, was injured fatally when she was struck by an automobile driven by Ralph Taylor, Romoland, Cal., here late yesterday. She died in a hospital of a fractured skull.

MacDonald in Storm. LOSSEMOUTH, Scotland, June 7.—(AP)—Prime Minister MacDonald arrived at his home here at 2:00 a. m., today by motor after a stormy trip from London which finally forced him to abandon his plane and take to the open road.

Hot in Pendleton. PENDLETON, Ore., June 7.—(AP)—When it was 98 above here yesterday, the highest temperature for the year.

Oregon Weather Generally cloudy tonight and Sunday, probably local showers in the mountains; cooler in the east portion tonight. Moderate south to west winds on the coast.

The private wealth of Italy is estimated at \$23,220,000.

Personal Health Service

By William Brady, M. D. Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease, diagnosis or treatment will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped self addressed envelope is enclosed.

MAIL TRIBUNE DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words. Includes solutions for yesterday's puzzle.

Grid for the crossword puzzle with numbers 1-60 indicating starting positions for words.

Do You Remember? TEN YEARS AGO TODAY (From files of the Mail Tribune.) June 7, 1920. Suncrest orchard sold to Jones Bros. and company of San Francisco for \$250,000.

SUNDOWN STORIES by Mary Graham Bonner. "There are all sorts of 'Wait and See' adventures and puddings and everything else," began the Little Black Clock.

MIKADO The YELLOW PENCIL WITH THE RED BAND. Have Your Scribbles Analyzed.

THE CLIFT GEARY AT TAYLOR ST. SAN FRANCISCO garage adjacent. Your purpose in visiting San Francisco will be better served at THE CLIFT.

Ye Smudge Pot

(By Arthur Parry) There has been a taste of summer after a mouthful of winter.

"A heavy drivel was noted in this vicinity the first of the week" —(Port Orford Reporter) Any vicinity is liable to the same.

"DENTISTS WILL INVOKE PULL" —(Hdline Humboldt Standard.) When did they start doing that?

Quite a number have been committing perjury by claiming they saw the sun come up two morns this week.

"Al Matheny has been tolling with a sick horse all week" —(Goshen Items) Why the furrow was crooked.

An argument has been started on the Pacific coast, viz: which is the "most indelicate"—gum chewing or tobacco chewing. A tobacco chewer can't make his cud "pop."

"METHODIST WOMEN TO KALSOUMINE" —(Malheur Enterprise.) You guessed it: the walk.

It is now apparent it will be a windy fall in this state, as Wall St. is after a candidate for the legislature in Grant county, and martyrs have started to germinate with the fecundity of mushrooms. Do not be surprised if the leaders of the Republican party hitch up their pants and go after Tammany shortly after the Fourth of July. Tammany has nothing at all to do with Oregon, and is therefore an ideal opponent. The eagle will scream, and nobody blames the bird for giving vent to its feelings.

In the midst of the deluge of "Amos N' Andy" stories, along comes Melvin N. Hogan with one about a fish hook, that can be told in the parlor or Sunday school.

The writer has been approach again with an "Easy Payment proposition" and it looks like the payments had nothing on the writer. The up-payment is the toughest.

CONFESSIONS Not all of our contributors did so well. There were some who took advantage of our invitation to enjoy the self-mortification of ex-sanguinating their own faults.

Others, especially girls, told us of following their impulses recklessly into the face of danger; but when danger turned into trouble and unhappiness, they whimpered. Sometimes a single phrase in an otherwise dull manuscript revealed the situation. "I used to torment my folks something awful. And now I am sorry—but glad for the experience."

Others achieved an occasional simplicity that would have done credit to any writer. "My childhood," one girl wrote, "was hard on both me and my parents." Or: "I was young and aware, but I was stupid." Or, rare occasions a contributor actually manipulated his language. One imaginative youth wrote: "My father was a farmer but loved nature so much that he wouldn't ruin her with a plow. So we were always very poor."

When our writers, like more sophisticated ones, did pretend before the world, it was in such obvious ways that there was no mistaking it. They knew little of the subtle pretense that an artificial culture develops; what they wanted us to believe was merely that they were beautiful, or that they had rich friends, or that they were respected by their neighbors.

"I was very beautiful" appeared so often that it seemed to have become a stock phrase. And the more nearly iliterate the manuscript, the more often I stumbled on such claims as: "I also have and use the best manners," or, "Three butlers met us at the door." (Republic.)

CITE PRISON HOLocaust TO MARION GRAND JURY

SALEM, Ore., June 7.—(AP)—In charging a grand jury just sworn in here today, Circuit Judge Percy R. Kelly called attention to the recent appalling catastrophe in the Ohio state penitentiary where a great loss of life was suffered and urged the grand jury to take its duties as inspectors and investigators outside the grand jury room seriously and more than as merely perfunctory performances.

MUTT AND JEFF—All Is Not Gold That Blisters

Cartoon panel showing a man on a horse. "ENJOY A GALLOP IN THE MOUNTAINS—EVEN IF THE RABBIT COULD GALLOP—HE WOULDN'T ENJOY IT!" "SNOBVILLE TERRACE BRIDLE PATH."

Cartoon panel showing a golfer. "THEY SAY IN THE CATALOGUE—'A BEAUTIFUL GOLF COURSE—ALL THE HOLES ARE ON THE FIRST FAIRWAY.'" "SWEPT BY MOUNTAIN BREEZES—AND IT AINT USING A WHISK BROOM!" "SNOBVILLE TERRACE GOLF CLUB."

By BUD FISHER

Cartoon panel showing a man with a shell. "DOC, THE CATALOGUE SAYS—'TWO WEEKS IN THE SUNSHINE—GET A HEALTHY TAN'—I AIN'T TANNED—I'M SHELLACKED!" "LINSUED OIL FOR SUNBURN" "SUNBURN CREAM."