

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 25.—They are still talking about the big hoss race—particularly those who bet on Time Supply.

Our own hunch is Wright, the jockey imported for that one race, pulled a fast one and got away with it.

The predicted showers failed to materialize,—another nice day—cool for Los Angeles, but not too cool for the bench warmers in Pershing Square.

The man with pants pockets, such as Gus Newbury is reported to have worn, once upon a time, propounds this hypothetical question:

"If I had a corn on my foot,—an aching corn,—and they cut off my leg, but that corn still hurts, what would that be?"

"Psychology," replied the small clean shaven man on the bench with a knitted muffler about his neck.

"No," replied Gus solemnly, "it would be just human imagination—illusion. The trouble with us is, there are too many corns on our feet these days."

This profound observation appeared to impress the group tremendously—at least there was silence, for several minutes—while Gus pulled his hands out of his front pants pockets, pushed them back again, and strolled on.

"He's a theosophist—a great talker," the old man on the left announced again.

"Feet ain't the only place some birds have corns," a voice at the far end of the bench observed, irreverently.

More silence, then an old boy took the pipe from his mouth and remarked: "They say Dr. Townsend has sold out for a million dollars."

PERSONAL HEALTH SERVICE

Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene not to disease diagnosis or treatment will be answered by Dr. Brady.

Woman 60 pounds overweight had tried many times to reduce, but had felt so let down and weak after a few days of restricted diet.

What has happened to this woman? I'll give you my own notion. Take it or leave it.

I do not base this explanation on the incident mentioned, but on some thousands of similar cases observed.

Since the optimal vitamin ration referred to is itself good food, each teaspoonful representing 30 to 40 calories, it may seem strange at first that a person can reduce more successfully by supplementing his reduction diet with it.

With the times frowning on outward display, people of wealth may let themselves go in the privacy of the bath.

The grass is bright green, the palms rise high in the air above, like flagpole parasols, the pigeons coo and wobble about for food that may be thrown,—it's NICE in the sun, and as the sun moves so do the boys in Pershing Square!

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COMMENT ON THE DAY'S NEWS

FORMER Governor Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland, one of the outstanding critics of the New Deal, died suddenly in Baltimore, the victim, apparently, of a stroke.

MAJOR GENERAL JOHNSON HAGOOD, commanding the eighth army corps area at San Antonio, Texas, criticizes the New Deal in testimony before a house appropriations committee, and is promptly relieved of his command and ordered to "await orders."

IN HIS testimony before the appropriations committee, he suggested that congress take advantage of the WPA "stage money" and use it to improve housing conditions at army posts.

HE explains today that he called WPA funds stage money, "because you can pass it around but you can't get anything out of it in the end."

WELL, that's criticizing. One can hardly blame the New Deal for calling him down pretty sharply after that.

THEY are several nice things about making cookies, in addition to the pleasure of eating them.

BARBARA HUTTON has been about as outstanding an example of the wealthy flapper as could be imagined, and to date she has been about as worthless to the world as a young woman could be.

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REDUCTION AND VITALITY

PLEASE explain the air bath. Does it take the place of tub bathing? (A. P.)

ANSWER—Tub bathing? Ah, fond memories of Saturday night, behind the clothes bars. The great drawback was carrying the water out to water the tomato patch afterward.

I really have no doctor. About a year ago I strained my wrist driving steel posts on my farm.

I have been coming across centipedes in my home and am greatly worried because one day I found one under the baby's crib.

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with which they enter the barber shop. She says the defects that cause the most self-agonizing self-consciousness are the sunken effects almost inevitable with dental plates.

Fannie Ward, not a whit changed since she became known 15 years ago as "the eternal flapper," has been conspicuous in the public gathering places this winter with her titled daughter from London.

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The esteemed Albany Democrat-Herald editorially opines the "fantastic economic schemes . . . are causing the people to think as they have never thought before."

A Yale professor views with "horror" the possibility of a world without newspapers for 30 days.

A number of Jackson county Republicans are in mid-campaign form. The speeches of the postmaster-general makes them ponder that the writings of Eleanor Ann Roosevelt.

AND, THEY BETTER (Pendleton East Oregonian)

A chinook in the office and the snow melting but slowly as it falls, are all signs that the weather is all raising and from all appearances water will reach Cecil for the first time in a few years and proceed to the Columbia river which is as it should be.

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