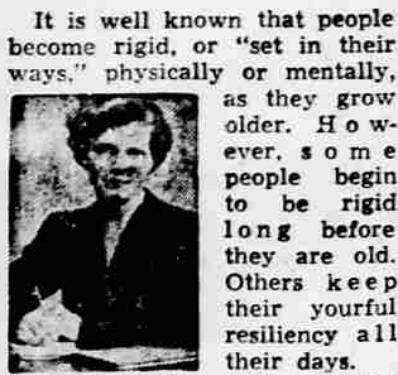


As We Live

Rigidity Needn't Come With Age



It is well known that people become rigid, or "set in their ways," physically or mentally, as they grow older. However, some people begin to be rigid long before they are old. Others keep their youthful resiliency all their days.

Physical rigidity is a great handicap because it means that one is unable to do many of the things one would like to do. It pays to make the effort to keep "in shape" physically. But mental rigidity is even more of a handicap.

If a person could guarantee that his life would continue in the same groove for the remainder of his days, mental rigidity would be no real cause for concern. But life rarely treats people that way. Sooner or later everyone must make adjustments. And adjustments mean changes which the rigid person finds difficult, if not impossible, to make.

If you suspect that you are allowing yourself to become rigid, here are some ways you can test yourself to see if your suspicions are justified:

- Can You Change Plans**
1. How upset do you become when plans must be scrapped and you are forced to begin from scratch? How well can you change your plans at a moment's notice?
 2. How willing are you to change your opinions about people or things when you are given facts which show that your opinions are not completely justified? Do you try to convince yourself and others that you are right, even in face of these facts?
 3. How do you feel about anything new, whether styles in women's hats, new cars, or new methods of educating children? Do you maintain that the old methods were better and that you preferred the old styles to the new?

LETTERS FROM READERS

"Why is it that some people are calm in emergencies, while others go to pieces and act like chickens without their heads?"

(A) How a person meets an emergency depends partly upon his temperament and partly upon his past experiences. Some people are by nature and training calm and unemotional. A person who has been accustomed to shouldering many responsibilities learns to meet emergencies in a calmer way than

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does one who has always been able to call on others for help in a pinch.

Lack of Escort
"My daughter, who is a sophomore in high school, simply won't go to any of the parties because she has no boy to take her. She says no one goes to parties without a date. Is this true?"

(A) Yes, it is true that very few high school girls of today go to parties without a date. In fact, many of the invitations are given with the statement, "Bring your date." If a girl goes to a party alone or with another girl, she is likely to have a pretty dull time. Doesn't your daughter know any boys she could invite to the parties as her dates? You might try having a party for her and see if this does not help her to get to know some boys well enough that she can call on them to take her to parties.

Husband in Service
"My daughter's husband is in the service and she has been living with us. She has a good job and is saving for a home when her husband gets out of the service. Now she wants to join him. Do you think this is wise?"

(A) I think your daughter and her husband should decide this matter. It is to be sent overseas in the near future, it is understandable that she would want to be with him. She could doubtless get a job where he is and thus continue to save for their home.

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Marion Judge Rules Against Dammasch

Salem—(U.P.)—Marion county Circuit Judge Val Sloper has ruled that Dr. F. H. Dammasch (R-Portland) cannot serve as a member of the Oregon state legislature and at the same time work part-time for the State Industrial Accident Commission.

Dr. Dammasch had sought a declaratory judgment in a suit filed against the commission. Dammasch, who has served several terms in the House, until recently also was employed on a fee basis by the commission in Portland.

Judge Sloper held that to serve both posts at the same time would violate a constitutional provision against holding two state posts at the same time.

Dr. Dammasch said he would appeal Judge Sloper's ruling to the Oregon Supreme Court.

THOUGHT IT WAS POKER

Milwaukee—(U.P.)—State police reported Saturday that a masked gunman held up a private bridge game at the home of Mrs. Elsie Hedge here Friday night and escaped with \$2.



WEeping WITH JOY, Samuel Girvan, 32, sees wife, Kathleen Girvan, 31, mother of four, crowned "Mrs. California" by David Brian at Los Angeles contest. Chino housewife will compete next month for "Mrs. America" title in Florida. (International)

California Declares Week-Long Delays on Polio Vaccinations

Berkeley, Calif. — (U.P.) — California declared a weeklong ban on all polio vaccinations Saturday but officials hinted it might be lifted in view of a public health recommendation that inoculations "should be continued."

The state imposed the moratorium on vaccinations with all Salk polio injections in order to give federal medical authorities time to determine whether the vaccine caused a number of cases of polio across the nation.

Encouraging Statement
Dr. Robert Dyar, chief of the preventive medicine division of the State Department of Health, called the federal department statement by Dr. Jonas Salk and 10 other top polio experts "an encouraging and reinforcing statement."

The State Board of Public Health called the seven-day ban Friday night but left a loophole by saying shots should be given until federal authorities had an opportunity to explore the situation.

The 18-member advisory committee of the State Department of Health recommended the ban.

Two Measures Killed By Oregon Senate

Salem—(U.P.)—The Senate Saturday killed by a 16 to 14 vote a bill that would have provided that an injured workman could choose arbitration instead of court appeal in case he was not satisfied with the compensation award of the State Industrial Accident Commission.

The Senate also killed a measure that would have called for election of state representatives.

The Senate approved Senate Joint Resolution 31 called for an interim committee to study local government and urban area problems.

FISH BAIT

Augusta, Me. — (U.P.) — Weighty matters were put aside when the statehouse doorkeeper, Clarence P. Chase, presented a five-pound pickerel he caught while fishing to House Speaker Willis Traflet. The lawmakers unanimously demanded to know what bait Chase had used. He reluctantly told them—a live smelt.

OVERSIGHT

Indianapolis — (U.P.) — A burglar broke into the apartment of Miss L. Gail Burt and stole two mink capes valued at \$1,000, a diamond watch worth \$1,500, jewelry valued at \$500 and \$50 worth of liquor. None of her valuables was insured. Miss Burt is an insurance company secretary.

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