

"LISTEN IN"

That's what many people do when they shouldn't. You wouldn't join a business or social conversation between two persons unless you were welcome to do so. Why then do you listen in on a telephone conversation when you are not wanted? Do you know that to do so

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for the parties who are entitled to have their conversation secret and uninterrupted?

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The following program for one-year and five-year subjects has been arranged:

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Capitol at Washington Recognized As the Finest and Noblest Building on the Earth.

Foundations for the central structure of the present capitol in Washington were finished on August 24, 1818. The old capitol had only two wings, connected by a covered wooden bridge, which was destroyed and the wings damaged by the British, who set fire to the building in 1814. Three years later congress voted to remove the wings and build the new central structure, which with its dome was completed in 1829.

The two great marble extension wings in which the senate and house of representatives meet were begun in 1851 and completed for occupancy in 1859. The old dome, made of wood and brick, was torn away in 1855, and the present dome completed in 1864. The great statue of the goddess of freedom, which rests upon the dome, was designed by Thomas Crawford, father of Marion Crawford, novelist. Charles Bulfinch of Boston was the architect of the original central structure and Thomas U. Walter designed the marble extensions and the present dome. He was a Philadelphian.

The total cost of the present capitol was about \$16,000,000, and it has been pronounced by architectural authorities, both in America and Europe, to be the greatest and noblest building in the world.—Chicago Journal.

KNOWS NOW HOW IT FEELS

Dentist, Given Emergency Toothache Treatment, Dreads Further Ordeal of a Session in the Chair.

A haggard-faced man rushed into the Park Emergency hospital shortly after 3 o'clock a few mornings ago.

"For the love of mud will you give me something to stop a raving toothache? It's had me up all night, and I've tried everything," he moaned to the steward in attendance.

The steward made the pain-ridden patient comfortable in a chair and then applied soothing remedies to the offending molar.

"Why, the pain's gone," the patient exclaimed after a while.

"Well, that tooth won't bother you any more for a while, but you had better see a dentist in the morning," said the steward.

"Guess I'll have to," said the patient gloomily.

"Everybody hates to go to a dentist," remarked the steward. "Will you give me your name for our records?"

"Yes," said the patient. "I am Dr. A. Karageorge."

"Are you a physician?" asked the steward.

"No, I'm a dentist," smiled the patient. "I have cured scores and scores of aching teeth, but this one of mine sure unnerved me. Guess I'll have to go to a dentist in the morning. Gee, I hate to."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Hearing of Butterflies.

The hearing of certain butterflies, the moths and the spiders has been a subject of much study by F. Eggers, whose results have been reported in a Berlin zoological annual. The seat of hearing is found to be the "tympanal organ" of the last ring of the thorax. The air-filled vesicle or bladder of this organ adjoins two very thin spots in the external chitin, and one of these is the true drumhead, connected with a nerve strand having two sensory cells, while the other, the so-called opposite drumhead, seems to serve as a sounding board to reinforce vibrations. Experiments with crickets have shown that the chirping of the male is heard only by females having the tympanal organ intact. The organ of the butterflies, which is more sensitive, cannot be tested in the same way, but response has been had to very high, shrill tones, such as that made by rubbing a cork against a wet glass, and in one species to a clattering sound made by the wings of the male. Butterflies flying by day seem to have hearing organs more generally than those that are active at night.

Snap Eruption Ten Yards Away.

An unnerving but fruitful incident occurred recently as the volcano of Kilauea, H. I., described as the most continuously active in the world, was being examined by scientists of the Hawaiian Volcano Research association. At the climax of this expedition they had determined to photograph a towering crag of solidified lava that rises, Gibraltarlike, from the surface of a swelling, overcrusted lava lake, declares an illustrated article in Popular Mechanics Magazine. But at the instant the cameraman was squeezing the bulb, an explosion with in the uneasy mass threw into the air not ten yards from the party, and directly before the lens of the camera a tumbling mass of white hot lava crashing back, and so breaking the surface crust, these erupted fragments roused the entire lake into a "seething bellowing mass of fountains."

The Whitewashers.

Representative Frear was talking about a committee of a notorious record for whitewashing.

"That committee," he said, "ought to go out to Los Angeles and start up in the moving picture business. They'd certainly have a grand success."

"Why?" asked the puzzled reporter. "Why do you say that, congressman?"

"It stands to reason they'd have a grand success," answered Mr. Frear. "Look how beautifully they screened Dash last month."



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