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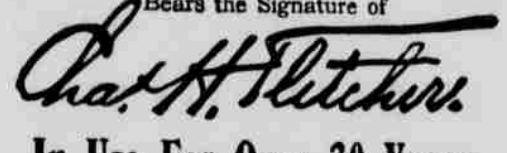
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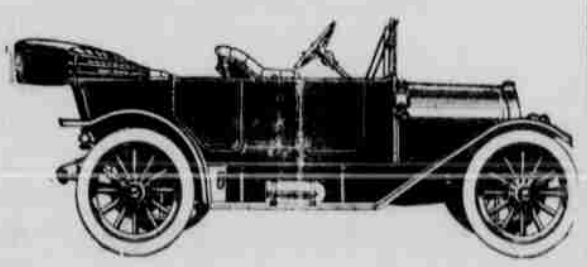
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SMILES.

The Elevator to Happiness Isn't Running—Take the Stairway of Smiles.

Did you ever notice how many different kinds of smiles there are? There is the smile of the good-looking dame that makes you want to go A. W. O. L. There is the smile of revenge of the fellow who is glad you got what you deserved. There is the silly smile of the fellow who never sees any farther than his nose. There is the cheery smile of the babe. There is the counterfeit smile of the pessimist and there is the smile of pride that the fellow has who owns a—Ford. Then there is the most common smile that the Kid (you know how he wears his rings and talks with his hands), who wants to sell you a \$35 suit for \$9.99. Of course, we don't get to see the latter smile now days. Instead we see the smile of satisfaction of the quartermaster sergeant, who is to get rid of the stuff. There is the cynical, smile, gastric smile, professional smile and numerous other smiles, but the smile of smiles is the sunshine smile that reaches from the heart to the soul, and seems to say: "Are we down-hearted? No!"

The fellow must have had a cheerful smile who said: "The world is so full of so many things I'm sure we should smile and be happy as kings."

There is lots of good philosophy in the Chinese maxim, "Cheer up! You'll soon be dead."

It would take a discharge to make some guys around this place smile. With their long faces they look worse than the poor old widow woman when some one wet her kindling and cut her well-roped. They haven't cultivated the easy habit of slanting the mouth upward and brightening the face. Maybe they don't know that smiling is an investment with small premiums that pays a big dividend.

The fellows you like to associate with most are the cheerful. Your most confidential friends are people who look on the bright side of life and smile. The fellows in G. H., No. 19, you like best are smilers. The reason Sammie Grossman is the most popular fellow in the detachment is because he has a smile for everybody and goes about his work in a superlative cheerful manner.

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DEFECTIVE GOODS.

Mother was attracted by the yells of her youngest offspring. For some strange reason she suspected that her son William had something to do with the vocal commotion. With father's Sunday-go-to-meetin' razor strap in hand she hurried to the nursery.

Willie met her with a disappointed look on his face.

"Say, ma," he began, disgustedly, "Mrs. Brown was all wrong. It won't do it at all."

"Won't do what?" demanded ma.

"Bounce," said Willie. "She the baby was a bouncing boy, but he ain't."

Weekly Health Talks

Where Most Sickness Begins and Ends

BY FRANKLIN DUANE, M. D.

It can be said broadly that most human ills begin in the stomach and end in the stomach. Good digestion means good health, and poor digestion means poor health. The minute your stomach fails to properly dispose of the food you eat troubles begin to crop out in various forms: indigestion and dyspepsia are the commonest forms, but this impure blood, headaches, backaches, pimples, blotches, dizziness, belching, coated tongue, weakness, poor appetite, sleeplessness, emphysema and bronchitis are almost as common.

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TO GET BACK HOME.

BY LIEUTENANT RICE, THIRD ARMY A. E. F.

To get back home again—and there to see
Old friends and faces of long vanished days,
To hear some friendly voice call out to me
From street or corner of remembered ways,
Where rain or shine or wind-blown winter snow
The lights of home hold up their golden shield,
With soft, warm arms from out the long ago
In waiting welcome from the silent field.

To get back home again—to know at last
The guns are still from Flanders to Lorraine;
The day of slogging through the mud is past,
The night of terror in the driving rain
Lies hidden in the midst of Argonne drifts,
A grim, yet holy spectre of the years,
That wait ahead, where every shadow lifts
Before the smile that welcomes through its tears.

To get back home again—O, dream of dreams
Too radiant to last but for a breath;
The drift of purple nights and singing streams
Beyond black dawns still rife with ghosts and death,
Beyond the dreamless sleep of those who wait
To hold the line they fought for to the end,
Eternal sentinels at Freedom's Gate,
Where none shall pass save those who whisper—"Friend."

To get back home again—yes, that is all;
The rest is less than nothing down the world;
To hear no more the bugle's waking call—
The tramp of marching feet—all standards furled—
And only silent thought of those who stay
To hold the guard across the endless years,
Who will not come again the ancient way
Nor know the "smile that welcomes through its tears."

BEYOND THE GATES.

I go on strange adventures,
Through the Gates of Sleep;
Ay, in a world of wonder
My will-less way I keep;
With marvel after marvel
Passing before mine eyes,
However great the mystery
It gives me no surprise.

I go on strange adventures—
Men proclaim them dreams,
Declare it all unreal,
Where nothing is—just seems;
And yet—and yet, I now not;
Forsooth, how can I dare
To say, the body slumbering,
How far the soul may fare?

I go on strange adventures,
And while agone I mate
With most amazing company
Beyond the Sleeping gate,
By paths not of my choosing
Most mystically led
Sometimes I greet the living
And oftentimes—the Dead!

I go on strange adventures,
I flit from place to place
Without a touch of weariness,
Defying time and space;
Sometimes I talk with monarchs,
With sages I converse,
And in majestic presences
Both fear and awe disperse.

I go on strange adventures,
But not unmoved, ah, no!
For oftentimes in them I meet
Dear ones of long ago;
And after I've been pilgriming
Adown the vanished years,
Sometimes I come back smiling,
Sometimes I wake—in tears!

MOST UNKIND

"Do you think I could borrow \$50 somewhere around here?" asked Jibway.

"You might," answered Doppel.

"What security can you offer?"

"My word of honor."

"You misunderstand me. I mean what security can you offer that anybody who knows you would be willing to accept?"

THE SAFEST WAY.

"I see it's etiquette for a man at court to walk out of a room backwards." It may not be etiquette around here," remarked Pizen Pete, "but it's the safest way if you think some galoot is liable to draw a gun."

A PROVISIO.

Pat—After all, it's a great pleasure to be missed by some one.

Mike—Sure it is, Pat; if yez can be there to enjoy it.

BRAIN WORK.

"Adam gave a name to each of the animals."

"Yes," commented the lesson-weary small boy. Maybe having to study all that zoology was one reason why he wasn't happy and contented in the garden."

PLAYED CARDS

Sunday School Teacher—"Is there any mention of gambling in the Bible?"

Bright Boy—"Yes'm, David played cards."

Sunday School Teacher—"How do you know?"

Bright Boy—"Why, doesn't the Bible say that he took four kings from the Philistines?"

TOO MUCH SYMPATHY

St Oates—Just like this dinged well to go dry the next day after the town did.

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

BRING THE AUTO BACK.

Men are taking good care of their automobiles these days. Most of them don't know where they will get another.

The other day a man ran away with our neighbor's wife and his automobile at the same time.

Our neighbor came up out of the basement just in time to see him driving away, and he yelled at the driver.

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WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

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