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PHOOLISH PHEELINGS.

When, while being introduced to an especially attractive young lady, you make your most polite bow and hear an ominous ripping from behind.

Things to be grateful for: That chickens aren't all neck.

The campaign song in South Carolina this fall will undoubtedly be "Blessed go 'way and let me sleep."

Henry Ford's peace party cost him \$400,000 and Europe is still at war. At any rate Henery has shown himself to be a dead-game sport.

An editorial in the Sandhill Citizen bears the caption: "The Colonel for Instance." That's about the only office which we would like to see him fill.

A REFORM OF THE SALOONS.

Heavy drinkers will have difficulty in assuaging their thirst hereafter in Passaic, N. J. The liquor business is being reformed.

The city's retail liquor dealers' association has adopted a rigid rule to do no business with drunkards. It doesn't matter whether a man is a wild-eyed "periodic" or a "regular souse," he will be barred from the saloons of Passaic.

The reform is all the more impressive from the fact that Passaic was recently known as one of the ten American cities whose saloons kept open twenty-four hours every day.

That is the very best way to reform saloons—to have them reform themselves. It also brings out another point, and that is that the advance of prohibition is so rapid that the liquor interests realize they must take steps of reform or else lose out in a hurry.

A CHANGE IN POLICIES.

Republican newspapers, and others which are opposed to the administration, are endeavoring to make capital out of the fact that President Wilson has made certain changes in policies which he advocated previous to his election and shortly afterwards.

So it has been with Wilson, and, fearless as he is, he has not hesitated to adopt himself to the changes. It is only a fool who doesn't change his mind and the president has shown himself to be anything but that.

AMERICA AND BELGIUM.

Most Americans probably wish today that the United States had protested against the German invasion of Belgium at the time when it happened. The whole attitude of the nation ever since has been a protest against that ruthless act.

As we look back on that event, in the light of the disaster it brought to a brave nation, and the world's judgment on it, most of us probably feel that we were at least under a moral obligation to protest—that we failed in our moral duty.

Whether we were legally bound to protest under the terms of the Hague convention, guaranteeing the neutrality of Belgium is harder to decide. It is a question for legal experts—and they are not agreed about it.

But there needn't be any doubt as to whether the United States was obligated by the Hague convention to intervene by force in aid of Belgium when Germany attacked her.

"Nothing contained in this convention shall be construed as to require the United States to depart from its traditional policy of not intruding upon, interfering with or entangling itself in the political questions of policy or international administration of any foreign state."

That provision was inserted at the instance of our own delegates, partly to relieve us of the legal necessity of taking part in any of Europe's quarrels, and partly as a pledge of good faith to Europe.

There ought not to be any confusion about this important matter. We were under no legal obligation to interfere by force. We are under no legal obligation to interfere now or in the future, in any part of Europe, no matter what happens.

It is conceivable that we might undertake to fight for Belgium even yet if she failed otherwise to get back her independence, with compensation for her wrongs. But if we should do so, it would be as a gratuitous act—not an act to which we are bound by any pledge ever given.

Proselyting in Preparatory Schools an Evil of College Athletics

By Former President WILLIAM H. TAFT

THERE are certain abuses that I think the attention of the Collegiate association may well be directed to. I think that it should be the ambition of those regulating college athletics to create a distinction between professional and college athletics.

THEIR BEING COLLEGE MEN—UGHT TO TEACH THEM TO BE GENTLEMEN AND TO BE SELF RESPECTING AND SELF RESTRAINING.

The other abuse to which I referred was that of proselyting in preparatory schools by self constituted agents among the alumni of various colleges, to induce likely athletes to go to one college rather than to another by promise of support through college.

I should think strict rules might be drafted and that with the earnest desire which we know exists on the part of the faculty committees schemes of this sort might be unearched and discouraged by one or two revelations and THE EXCLUSION FROM COLLEGE CONTESTS OF TWO OR THREE PRIME ATHLETES WHOSE SERVICES HAVE BEEN SECURED BY SUCH ARRANGEMENT.

Small International Army and Navy Can Keep World at Peace

The Rev. NEWELL DWIGHT HILLIS, Pastor of Plymouth Church, New York City

IT may be that the chariot of progress in the future will be a powder cart. It may be that the saviors of the future will be the MAKERS OF LYDDITE SHELLS AND GUNPOWDER AND PIGRIC ACID.

I am a plain, simple believer in the old fashioned doctrines of "Peace on earth, good will to men," in the forgiveness of sin and the Golden Rule.

There may be two sides to war. War also may be of God. It may be that it is peace that is of hell. Humanity is now in its Gethsemane, perhaps across there where the nations of Europe wallow in the mire Liberty is waiting with the scepter of justice.

INSTEAD OF PREPAREDNESS THE WORLD NEEDS ONLY A SMALL INTERNATIONAL ARMY AND NAVY FOR PATROL DUTY AND A GREAT INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL TO SETTLE DISPUTES BETWEEN NATIONS.

Modern Plays Lack the Instruction That Romantic Drama Affords

By JULIA ARTHUR, Famous Actress

IN coming back to the stage I find but one difference—we are getting away from the most telling of all things, the romantic drama. Most of our plays deal with the ephemeral things which amuse and divert, but lack the instruction which romantic drama affords.

BUT I FEEL JUST AS SURELY THAT WE ARE TO COME BACK AGAIN TO THAT TYPE OF DRAMA.

I think the motion pictures are wonderful, and I've already been asked to play for them, but I do not think they ever seriously cut into the spoken drama. There will always be a vast audience for the voice, because we can be stirred far more deeply by it than by a pictorial presentation of emotions. MOTION PICTURES ONLY SUGGEST; THE SPOKEN DRAMA NOT ONLY SUGGESTS, BUT CONVEYS EMOTION DIRECTLY.

Salt For Cows.

While salt may be provided in the daily ration by mixing it with the grain, an equally satisfactory method in practice is to keep it in a convenient place where the animals may have ready access to it when they so desire.

Sausage a la Rheims.

To prepare this dish take half a pound of sausages, two cupfuls of mashed potatoes, seasoning, milk or gravy, two tablespoonfuls of breadcrumbs. Blanch the sausages by putting them into a saucepan with cold water and bring them quickly to the boil.

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DAIRY and CREAMERY

CHOOSING A DAIRY BULL.

Factors That Indicate Desirable Qualities in the Head of the Head.

After looking over an individual that is intended to go to the head of a herd the first question that should arise is as to the character of his dam, next of the granddam, and then might be considered the sire and grand sire.

In regard to the individual quality of the dairy bull, I believe the first in importance is what might be termed strength of individuality or character. He must be one of those animals that after looking at them it is not easy to forget. The impression must be of good lines, quality and force. After



The Ayrshire is a hardy cow with a vigorous appetite. In general appearance she is sprightly and full of life. The Ayrshire cow is healthy, rarely having ailments of body or udder, and is a very persistent milk producer, giving a uniform flow well up to frost.

This impression is gained so "in-a-de-talk. First of these is a good head, denoting masculinity. The head must be well carried, then the right kind of neck that bleeds nicely into good shoulders, a good back—not best—straight to the tail head, good length of hind quarter, thighs not beefy, under line indicating capacity; valuing showy good circulation, the skin underneath the body loose and pliable, rudiments not too close together, a good thickness through heart and lungs and the body placed on good, well set legs. The eye should be bright, prominent and large to indicate the quality of the nervous organization, and the skin should be loose and not too thick.

Now, in purchasing a dairy sire if one can be found that is a proved producer of desirable progeny that is the bull you want. The prevailing idea that a bull must be young is wrong. Where those animals have been properly cared for, with an opportunity for exercise, they should be productive for many years. It takes years to try out a herd bull, and when you find one that is tried do not undervalue the time that has been spent in proving his worth. I have known some noted bulls that were prepotent at the age of seven years and others even older. The young bull, at the most, is a prospect. The aged bull of proved merit is a valuable mine.

Take good care of the bulls. Don't turn them with the herd. Conserve

EAT LESS MEAT IF BACK HURTS

Take a glass of Salts to flush kidneys if bladder bothers you—Drink lots of water.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the urine and in most cases the kidneys themselves become overworked, get sluggish, stop up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and edema in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The remedy, your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with bicarbonate and has been used for generations to flush closed kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

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Get Busy. If you are going to save up for a rainy day don't wait until the clouds begin to gather.—Detroit Journal.

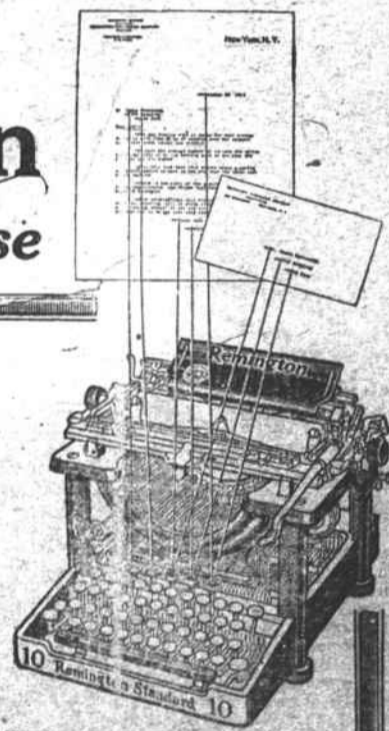
WHAT CHILDREN NEED NOW. In spite of the best care mothers can give them this weather brings sickness to many children. Safe, reliable family medicines are in demand. Mrs. T. Neureuer, Eau Claire, Wis., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar cured my boy of a severe attack of croup after other remedies had failed. I recommend it to everyone as we know from our experience that it is a wonderful remedy for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough." It stops the coughs that hang on and weaken after the influenza. Davenport Pharmacy.

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