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### GEMS OF THOUGHT.

Pardon others often; thyself never.—Publius Syrus.

We like to divine others, but do not like to be divined ourselves.—Rochefoucauld.

The Good Spirit never antedates. He never gives us today what we shall need tomorrow.—Emerson.

Do not make excuses to yourself for your failures, but look them squarely in the face and study how to avoid their repetition.

Life is a burden imposed upon you by God. What you make of it, that it will be to you. Take it up bravely, bear it joyfully, lay it down triumphantly.—Gail Hamilton.

We die and toll, we worry and fret, and all the while close over us bends the infinite wonder and beauty of nature, saying: "Look up, my child! Feel my smile and be glad!"—G. S. Merriam.

God has put it into man's power not to fall into real evil, and the fact that we cannot avoid death shows that it is not a real evil, else God would have put it in our power to avoid it.—Marcus Aurelius.

A man who lives entirely to himself becomes at last obnoxious to himself. I believe it is the law of God that selfishness ends in self-consciousness. There is no weakness like the weakness of a man who is weak of himself, and that is the awful Nemesis which follows the selfish life.—J. H. Jowett.

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The Kid is the star of the show.

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Dign—My wife is a wonderful vocalist. Why, I have known her to hold her audience for hours—

Bliss—Get out!

Dign—After which she would lay it in the cradle and rock it to sleep. New Yorker.



### MOTHERS, DO YOU KNOW

the many so-called 'kid' medicines, and the fact that the kidney is the most delicate organ in the human system, and that it has been shown by modern medicine to be the cause of many of the ailments which afflict children.

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### FOURTH DAY OF CARNIVAL.

Busy Day Among the Amusement Centers, Election of Queen.

The Carnival is drawing to a close and the glad, merry time will soon be a memory. The Journal is very glad to have nothing to say about the "dark brown taste in the mouth" that so many affairs of this description have.

The crowd yesterday was not diminished from the previous days' patronage but the tide of the people seemed to be always at the flood. The police, though vigilant, have had very little disorder to contend with.

The show having "Lunette, the Flying Lady" as the principal feature is very interesting. Whatever may be the force whether physical or hypnotic her flights through the air can not but cause wonder, they are done with such ease. The restoration of Galatea in this same show is also very interesting.

The contest for the election of the Queen was perhaps the most exciting event in connection with the whole Carnival. Hardly ever has there been so much rivalry in friendly spirit as there was for this honor. Not so much for the honor of being elected Queen as for the possession of the \$100 diamond ring.

For several days past the names of the candidates and the votes they received have been published in the Journal. It could easily be seen that Miss Maggie McSorley was way ahead in the race and seemed an easy winner. She was the choice of the Naval Reserve and each one of them worked hard to pile up her vote. They did not let their labors cease when they thought her safe but kept putting in the shakels until she had 18,000 votes, which gave evidence of the popularity of the young lady enjoys. She was however, defeated.

The votes were counted in A. E. Hibbard's store in the presence of a great number of those who were working in the interests of their favorite candidate. The counting was conducted by the ring committee which consisted of Tom Daniels, A. E. Hibbard and H. W. Simpson, and the vote was counted. There was much excitement and surprise at the result.

Miss Braddie Hyman	14,904
Maggie McSorley	18,789
Lillie Tolson	6,224
Brownie Marks	281
Hattie Hanks	66
Mary Gulon	10

### FACTS IN FEW LINES

The Swedish post office last year delivered over 41,000,000 postal cards.

Holland's little war in Sumatra has lasted thirty years and cost \$200,000,000.

Sixty-nine Austrian towns have passed resolutions in favor of cremation.

If a tall candle be placed in a gun and shot at a door it will go through without sustaining any injury.

Greek is perhaps the most perfect instrument of thought ever invented by man, and its literature has never been equaled in purity of style and boldness of expression.

In an article on "The Age of the World" Sir Edward Fry, the famous English geologist, declares that 450,000,000 years must have elapsed since the existence of life on the globe.

Three-fourths of the great mass of manufactures which enter into international commerce are composed of iron and steel, copper and cotton, of which we are the world's largest producers.

Coffee culture in Java is on the wane, and it is not improbable that in the course of time it will be given up entirely. The reasons for this are the exhaustion of the soil and the competition of Brazilian coffee.

Siberian railway trains under new schedule cover the distance from Moscow to Port Arthur, 5,388 miles, in thirteen days, the fare, including sleeping, being \$184. The globe trotter can have a special train of three cars for \$1.03 a mile.

Bank Superintendent Kilburn in his last report says that there has been no failure among trust companies in the state of New York in eighteen years, and, with a single exception, no trust company has in recent years sustained an impairment of capital.

Manchester has celebrated the centenary of John Dalton's atomic theory. His table of ultimate atoms, with the atom of hydrogen as its unit, was formulated in September, 1803, and while his atomic combining weights remain the "ultimate atom" has been exploded.

In 1850 the consumption of distilled spirits—brandy and whisky—in the United States averaged about 2 1/2 gallons for each person, while today the average is about 1-1/3 gallons. In 1850 the consumption of beer was a gallon and a half for each individual. Now it is 17-1/2 gallons.

The Berlin newspapers tell of a wonderful baby giant which was recently brought by its parents before the medical faculty of that city for examination. He is the son of a baker at Driers and, although only eighteen months old, stands three and a half feet high. He measures thirty-six inches around the chest.

Among the great physicists Sir Oliver Lodge believes in telepathy and Sir William Crookes in ghosts. Lord Kelvin recently said that "science positively confirmed creative power," and Sir William Thistlethwaite, the director of Kew botanical gardens, complains that Kelvin "wipes out a stroke of the pen the whole position Darwin won for us."

The greatest success in the electric transmission of water power have been made in the United States. Forty-three companies, having a total capacity of 177,300 horse power, transmit power over a line distance of 1,549 miles, on an average twenty-six miles, with a voltage which ranges from 10,000 to 60,000 volts. The maximum distance over which power is transmitted is from Colgate to San Francisco, 220 miles, with a loss of 25 per cent.

A Boston entomologist makes the extraordinary statement that bugs, under which generic name he includes the little creatures from the grasshopper down to the ladybug, are destroying property in this country to the amount of \$200,000,000 a year. The grasshopper eats up \$80,000,000 worth of vegetation, the Hessian fly \$50,000,000, the chinchbug \$10,000,000, the potato bug \$8,000,000. Moths, ladybugs, tobacco worms, squashbugs, beetles and numerous other entomological entities consume the remainder.

The production of nitric acid by electro-chemical methods is a new process that promises extensive changes in our agriculture. The manufacture of nitric acid from the nitrogen and oxygen of the air in sufficient quantities for commercial use has been the dream and hope of scientists for years. At Niagara experiments have been conducted successfully in producing commercial nitric acid by using a high tension current in an air chamber, by which a yield of one pound of nitric acid is obtained for every seven horse power hours.

Dr. Yamana, a member of the house of representatives, proclaimed in a recent debate that more than 150,000 persons succumb annually to tuberculosis in Japan, and the number is constantly increasing. In regard to leprosy he stated: "There is no country in the world in which this disease is so prevalent and so neglected. The home office returns show that there are 33,000 lepers in Japan, while their offspring number 900,800. The authorities allow leprosy beggars to sit on the public streets and to infect the very air with their spittle."

The omitting of torpedo tubes in our recent battle ships is criticized adversely by the Scientific American. They were not installed because in late wars several vessels have been destroyed by their own torpedoes. An under water device for launching torpedoes, having been perfected which puts them below the protective deck, safe from the enemy's shell fire, has reduced this danger. All foreign nations now building war ships are putting in torpedo tubes and the torpedo with hydroscopic steering gear, which makes it effective at 3,000 yards.

### Death of Mr. Koonce.

News reached here yesterday of the death of Mr. S. E. Koonce at Trenton, N. J. Mr. Koonce was a representative of an old and highly respected family of Smith county, and was himself for many years a well known and prominent official of the county.

A gallant and brave Confederate soldier in his early manhood, he afterwards faithfully served his people in the capacity of Sheriff, Clerk of the Superior Court and several other less important offices. He was also a member, high up in the fraternal.

Mr. Koonce has been declining in health for several years, and his death though greatly deplored, was not unexpected. The deceased leaves a wife, three sons, all who have distinguished themselves in their different vocations, and several daughters who are respected by all that know them.

### PEOPLE OF THE DAY

President William R. Harper of the University of Chicago thinks the people of this country are unjust in their condemnation of the Turks, especially Abdul Hamid, the present sultan. He says the Turks have made wonderful progress during the past twenty-nine years under the reign of Abdul Hamid. "I cannot say that Abdul Hamid is popular with all the people," says Dr. Harper. "There are two parties, and that is where all the trouble lies. The officials are afraid that members of the younger and radical party will assassinate the sultan. If this happens no one will be safe in Turkey, and anarchy will prevail."

Dr. Harper went to Constantinople for the purpose of securing from the sultan a firman giving the University of Chicago the right to excavate the ruins of ancient Babylon in the neighborhood of ancient Babylon. He expects soon to receive word from the sultan that his request has been granted.

A Veteran Doorkeeper.

A statesman recently on a business trip to this city gave as his opinion that the importance of the men of national affairs and their relation to the government and its service can be determined in no better fashion than by observing the actions of Ross, the veteran colored doorkeeper to the private office of the postmaster general. Ross has been in the government service for many years and has served under several postmaster generals. He knows every man of prominence in the country, and they all know and respect him. It is said that the importance of any person can be gauged by the manner in which he is greeted by this privileged individual. Ross is said to be all that stands between the postmaster general and nervous prostration, and he has certainly earned such a reputation. He has guarded his charge carefully from all intruders for many years and has turned away many persons whose business with the head of the post office department could be just as easily transacted with some one else. Ross is the firm friend of all the newspaper men that visit the department, and he is never more polite and attentive than when answering their questions and arranging for interviews between them and his chief.—Washington Star.

A Scientist's Darling Project.

It is announced that the noted French geographer, Elisée Reclus, and Louis Capazza, a famous aeronaut and inventor of the parachute, intend to attempt to cross the Atlantic ocean in an air ship. The apparatus, which is now being constructed, will be four times as large as anything of the kind ever before built. The balloon will be spherical in shape and will have a capacity of about 40,000 cubic feet. It will carry two baskets, one above the other, and a non-inflatable boat. The start of the intended perilous trip will be made about the middle of next May from the Canary islands. It is expected that the landing will be made near the island of Trinidad, at the mouth of the Amazon river, or in Yucatan, Mexico.

Elisée Reclus is one of the five Reclus brothers who have made names for themselves in the fields of science and literature. They are all pronounced socialists, and their opinions have cost them dearly. Elisée himself was an officer in the commune of 1871 and would have been deported for life had not scientific men in all parts of the world appealed in the interest of science to Thiers, who commuted his sentence to banishment from France. The edict of banishment was not rescinded until 1893, when Elisée Reclus returned to his native land with added fame as one of the world's greatest geographers, and that year he was awarded the gold medal of the Geographical Society of Paris for his "Nouvelle Géographie Universelle."

### Dieting Inevites Disease.

To cure Dyspepsia or indigestion it is no longer necessary to live on milk and toast. Starvation produces such weakness that the whole system becomes a prey to disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all the wholesome food that one cares to eat, and is a never-failing cure for indigestion, Dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. Kodol digests what you eat—makes the stomach sweet. Sold by F. S. Duffy.

### SKIN DISEASES THE OUTCROPPING OF BAD BLOOD

And while not always painful are aggravating beyond expression. With few exceptions they are worse in spring and summer when the system begins to thaw out and the skin is reacting and making extra efforts to throw off the poisons that have accumulated during the winter. Then boils and eruptions, rashes and conceivably kind make their appearance, and Eczema and Tetter—the twin terrors of skin diseases—Nettle-rash, Poison Oak and Ivy, and such other skin troubles as usually result during gold weather, break out afresh to torment and distract by their fearful burning, itching and stinging. A course of S. S. S. now will purify and enrich the blood, reinforce and tone up the general system and stimulate the sluggish circulation, thus warding off the diseases common to spring and summer. The skin, with good blood to nourish it, remains smooth and soft and free of all disgusting eruptions.

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I suffered with Eczema of the hands and face for over a year, it was not only annoying and painful but very unsightly, and I disliked to go out in the streets. I tried at least a dozen remedies and never became very much disconcerted until I read in the paper of the cure performed through the use of S. S. S. I had little faith at first but determined to give it a month's trial at least. I am pleased to state that I soon noticed a slight improvement, sufficient to decide upon the use of six bottles my skin was as smooth and soft as a baby's. This was a year ago and I have never had any trouble since.

MISS GENEVA BRIGGS.

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### MAKE EXERCISE A HABIT.

An Easy and Simple Way of Securing Health and Good Looks.

Exercise is much more necessary to human life than most women think. Healthy stimulation is an absolute need; without it the body will rust and fall to bits. The body that never creeps about or jicks or exercises at all either wastes into a tiny midget of bones and wrinkles or else takes on pounds of unhealthy fat and becomes soft and short breasted and without vitality.

The brain that never calls upon itself for work never becomes dull and stupid, and it is the same way with the muscles of the body. They are filled with blood vessels that should be up and doing. The blood has several purposes, and one is to carry away much of the waste fluids of the body. The lungs are a sort of refinery, and the blood is a distilling agent. If the blood becomes thick and unhealthy and sluggish the body does not keep its youthful state. Eyes grow dull; lips lose their redness; the complexion is sallow and unlovely.

It is an easy and simple matter to make exercise a habit—just like the habit of putting out the lights at night and winding up burglars will show up before morning.

A most excellent scheme is to take long, slow full breaths whenever you have a chance—when you are waiting for a car, when you are waiting when you are going to sleep, when you have just awakened.

Such habits are valuable, most valuable, but because they don't cost anything and are a little troublesome of women fancy there is nothing in such practices. Nonsense! Look at the athletic men that train. They are the healthiest, strongest, finest looking creatures in existence.

Go thou and do likewise on a little scale.—Chicago Record-Herald.

### EDITORIAL FLINGS.

In the opinion of the Indian Rights association, the government is not treating the Red man white.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Isn't stealing a better word than shabby when used in connection with a bank robbery?—Wilmington (N. C.) Star.

Mr. Schwab insists that his withdrawal from the steel trust was due solely to nervousness. Whose?—Syracuse Post-Standard.

King Peter wants to borrow \$1,000,000, which is the first indication he has shown of being a great ruler.—Denver Republican.

Those who smoke Turkish cigarettes should not worry because of the war in the Balkans. Virginia is still at peace.—Syracuse Times.

And when you think of it, it seems strange how a mosquito can carry around so much malaria in its system and still remain so aggressively active.—Indianapolis News.

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