

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. Catarrhal Deafness requires constitutional treatment. **HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE** is a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced, your hearing may be destroyed forever. **HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE** acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system, thus reducing the inflammation and restoring normal conditions.

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Would Hold More.

Here's the newest Scotch story:
Donald had borrowed three pipefuls of tobacco from his fellow-workman, Sandy. Getting a new bag he offered to repay it.

"No," said Sandy, "I'll no be taking it now."

"Take it, mon," insisted Donald.

"No," said Sandy, viewing his carbonized pipe, "I'll be cleaning my pipe after the kirk on the Sabbath, an' I'll take it fra you on Monday."—New York World.

Cuticura for Sore Hands.

Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus ointment with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do if Soap, Ointment and Talcum are used for all toilet purposes.—Adv.

Human Equality.

The teacher of a juvenile Sunday school class had been talking to her pupils about death and concluded by asking: "Now, who can tell me where all men are equal, and there is absolutely no distinction between the rich and the poor man?"

"I can," replied one little fellow.

"Where is it, Sammy?" she asked.

"When they go in swimmin'." was the unexpected reply.

If you use Red Cross Ball Blue in your laundry, you will not be troubled by those tiny rust spots, often caused by inferior bluing. Try it and see.

Logic at Work.

Teacher—Thomas, will you tell me what a conjunction is, and compose a sentence containing one?

Thomas (after reflection)—A conjunction is a word connecting anything, such as "The horse is hitched to the fence by his halter." "Halter" is a conjunction, because it connects the horse to the fence.—Harper's Bazar.

Wise Girl.

First Nursemaid—Yes, the father is French and the mother Spanish.
Second Nursemaid—Well, is the little one a Frenchman or a Spaniard?
First Nursemaid—Who knows! He hasn't started to talk yet.

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SPRING COATS AND WRAPS SUMPTUOUS



COATS are nothing if not graceful and dignified this spring. There is something about them that suggests leisure, or at least deliberation. They appear to be designed, not for hurrying mortals, but for those who have time to give heed to their draperies—not to speak of hanging on to them. It is quite the style to appear to hold the wrap about the shoulders and it must be conceded that this casual adjustment of the garment to the figure has "chic" of its own. The pretty model at the left of the two pictured is showing us one way of following the mode.

Both the coats pictured are representatives of favored styles; they are as much like mantles as coats. Even the models that have set-in sleeves are ample and rippling, managing to follow—at a little distance—some of the vague and changing lines

approved by fashion which distinctly favors wraps that may be described as sumptuous. Each of these coats is distinctly new in some style points. The model at the left is made of one of the heavier of spring pile fabrics and has its unusual collar striped with bands of black which may be of patent leather or of ribbon. Beige-colored coats with finishing and embellishments of patent leather are among the best of the season's offerings.

The coat at the right might be more accurately described as a mantle, shaped into wide sleeves at the sides. It is a very clever piece of designing with its body gathered into a length of the material which becomes a yoke, collar and scarf, all in one. The scarf ends are finished with handsome tassels.

Frocks Interpret Childhood



SO LONG as the styles in little girls' frocks interpret little girlhood, it will not be necessary for them to cast about for anything startlingly new—no matter how simple they are, they enable an instant appeal. It is the simplicity and childishness of this spring's offerings that commend them to mothers. They have variety also to offer and many pretty details of finish that endear them to the children. The newest among these finisings is found in "sampler" trimmings. Canvas bands with flowers worked in cross-stitch on them, in gay colors like the old-fashioned samplers of a century ago, serve to make belts, bands and tabs that set off many pretty chambray dresses and aprons.

In gingham small checks and cross-bars are favored with plain chambray used for collars and other accessories and for trimmings. The plain chambray also provides short bloomers.

The order is reversed in dresses of plain chambray with collars and other accessories of checked or crossbar gingham, but the knickers with these dresses are of the plain material also.

For dress-up times there are many pretty colored organdies, trimmed with narrow frills having picot edges. They are finished with bows of narrow ribbon set on in prim little groups and have slashes of the same narrow ribbon. They are shown in many lively colors, pink, green, blue, lavender and yellow among them and have lovely old-fashioned sunbonnets to match.

In more substantial dresses white tape often provides a neat finish as shown in the frock at the left of the picture. This dress, with knickers, is made of plain chambray. Its collar and cuffs bound with tape and rows of tape at the head of plaits. The dress at the right, for an older girl, is made of organdy with net undersleeves. A very little needle work on the collar and a ribbon tie finish up a dress that is too simple to need description and too pretty to pass unnoticed.

Julia Bottomley

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AMBITION

Ambition can be friend or angel.

It can ennoble or ruin.

It can be a blessing or a curse.

Money can be put to high or base purposes. So can ambition.

Every man above the level of animal has in him some ambition, worthy or unworthy.

Webster thus defines ambition: "An eager and sometimes an inordinate, desire for preferment, honor, superiority, power or the attainment of something."

The individual or the race without vigorous, impelling ambition stagnates, sinks and decays.

Few there are in this country without some ambition.

To be without ambition is to be mentally dead.

But supreme care must be taken that our ambition is not such as to kill us morally and spiritually. Ambition may be likened to a spirited, speedy horse. It can carry us over much ground quickly if we keep a proper rein on it and guide it along the right road, but if given too much rein, it is in danger of landing us in the ditch.

Once having selected a creditable, useful, worthwhile aim in life, then ambition can become invaluable in helping us to achieve that aim.

Almost every one of America's most notable enterprises are the fulfillment of some dynamic, far-seeing man's ambitions.

Life without ambition would be as tasteless as meat without salt.—Forbes Magazine.

IN AND ABOUT THE CITY

A man of mettle ought to have an iron will and nerves of steel.

When you are going you don't realize it's a long lane that has no returning.

The lumber dealer is generally more successful in collecting a board bill than the landlady.

Most of us dislike warmed-over things, a fact that is demonstrated when love grows cold.

After all it is safer to stand on your own dignity than to sit on the dignity of others.

You never can tell. Even when you jump into prominence it's a wise plan to look before you leap.

Even the justly celebrated law of gravity doesn't seem to have any effect upon the high cost of living.

"Money talks," quoted the Wise Guy. "And yet some people have untold wealth," said the Simple Mug.

Although she may not be in society, the telephone girl has a great many fashionable people on her calling list.

First Pessimist—"Ah, life is a grind." Second Pessimist—"Yes, and it doesn't seem to make things smooth, either."

Blobs—"I believe it is no longer good form for a fellow to be on his knees when he proposes to a girl." Slobbs—"No; I guess it's better for the fellow to have the girl on his knees."

ODD FACTS

It is a serious offense to ride a bicycle anywhere near the city of Constantinople.

No woman has entered the convent of St. Catherine, on Mt. Sinai, for more than 1,400 years.

Why a horse rises from the ground on its forelegs and a cow on its hind legs has never yet been explained.

A bride of Sumatra must wear large silver buttons in her ears for five years, or until the first baby is born.

A scratched picture of a mammoth's tusk found in a French cave is believed to be the earliest artistic attempt of men now extant.

TOLD BY THE STARS

Many stars in winter indicate frost.

Wind from the north means cold weather.

When the south wind blows, there will be heat.

In summer, when many stars twinkle, clear weather is indicated.

If a star seems to move, wish and you will get what you wish for.

The negroes say that when the stars are so thick that there is no space between them for your finger tip, it will rain next day.

Home Town Helps

BOOSTER

Boost your country, boost your friend, Boost the lodge that you attend; Boost the town in which you're dwelling, Boost the goods that you are selling; Boost the people round about you, Possibly they can do without you; But success will quicker find them If they know that you're behind them.

Boost for every forward movement, Boost for every new improvement; Boost the stranger and the neighbor, Boost the man for whom you labor. Cease to be a chronic knocker, Cease to be a progress blocker; And if you would have your home town better, Boost it to the final letter.

Be a booster if you can, booster of your fellow man, Boost your project, boost your state, boost your town, at any rate; Boost it as a place to live, boost it—every boost you give Makes the town a better town. Boost it up. Don't knock it down. Boost it the better plan.

Boosters always win acclaim; boost the knockers to their shame. Boost them when they need your help, Make them yell instead of yelp. Boost them till they have to boost; boost them up or off the roost. —Louisiana Oil News.

PROVIDE TREES AND SHRUBS

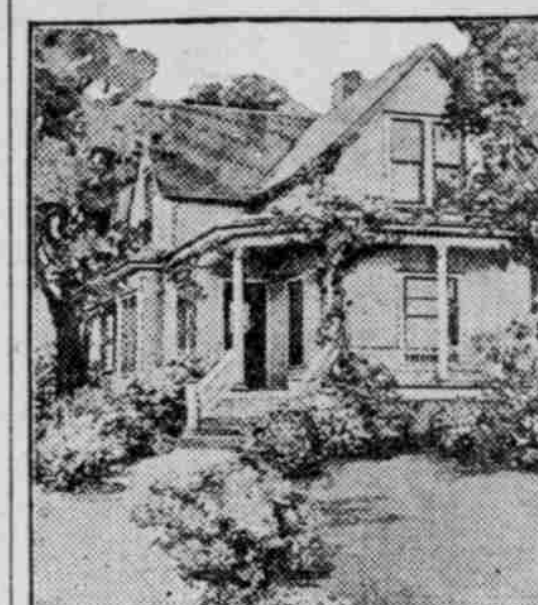
No Real Necessity Why Any House Should Present the Appearance of Barrenness.

Barrenness of land around the home does not call to mind pleasant thoughts, but suggests the glare and heat of summer, the fury of the wind in winter, and a monotony of outlook. What a difference if trees and shrubs, as shown in the second picture, had



Has Look of Desolation.

been planted when the house was built. Shade, shelter, pleasing color and a sense of privacy, all of which combine to give the atmosphere of a real home. No, it is not too late



Transformation Wrought by Shrubs.

even now, to begin the transformation, Planting according to suggestions in United States Department of Agriculture bulletin will work the change in a few seasons.

Give a Hand.

In every community there are successful men—men of experience, men of means. In every community there are young men who might make a success of life. They have it in them, all they lack is some one to give a hand. It may not be money they need, perhaps only an interested friend. Somebody helps whenever a young man gets started right in anything. Somewhere every successful man got a start by some one's help. To keep the world moving on an upward slope the process must be made perpetual. Each man, once started, should become a starter of others. And who starts another gets himself along at a more rapid gait. There is that in helping another that reflects not credit alone to the agent, but a bent of mind, an outlook on life, a generosity of soul, that wins a way forward for himself also.—Thrill Magazine.

Garden Photographer.

"Change the back yard into a garden," says Miss Frances Benjamin Johnston. "It can be done, no matter what difficulty there is to overcome. The first green shoot is ample reward. Soil that is sour can be cured and freshened by systematic labor. And with the growth of the garden, the disposition of those city dwellers whose windows overlook will subtly change with the elimination of the unsightly back yard. In fact, the conditions of many back yards are more than a mere nuisance; they are a serious menace."—The Independent Woman.

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Children Who Are Sickly

When your child cries at night, tosses restlessly in its sleep, is constipated, feverish or has symptoms of worms, you feel worried. Mothers who value their own comfort and the welfare of their children, should never be without a box of

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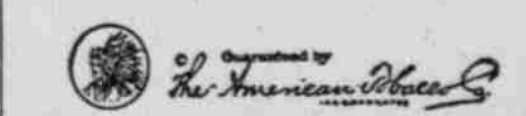
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There is no corresponding word for "henpecked" to describe a bullheaded wife.

Back Given Out?

There's surely some reason for that lame, aching back. Likely it's your kidneys. A cold or strain oftentimes congests the kidneys and slows them up. That may be the reason for that nagging backache, those sharp pains, that tired, worn-out feeling. You may have headaches and dizzy spells, too, with annoying bladder irregularity. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands. Ask your neighbor!

An Indiana Case

Stiles Miller, High St., Red Key, Ind., says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills when my kidneys were out of order and I had a dull ache right across the small of my back. When I stooped, I had sharp catches in my back and could hardly straighten up. My kidneys didn't act right, either. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they soon fixed me up."

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