

SOCIETY INTENDS TO PROLONG LIFE

Superstition Is Theory that
70 Is Age Limit—How
Figured Out.

New York, Feb. 21.—One of the aims of the Health and Longevity club, which will have its first meeting in the Waldorf-Astoria hotel soon, is to remove the Biblical age limit of three score and ten as the allotted time for man. Dr. Samuel G. Tracy, who has an office in Harlem, says the idea of the organization is to promote hygiene, disseminate knowledge in regard to illness so that it can be prevented and to teach members and others to avoid accidents. He is the founder of the club and the secretary and treasurer.

There is a list of honorary members on the back of the invitation circular, among whom is S. S. McClure, the publisher.

"What do you know about the Health and Longevity club?" Mr. McClure was asked.

"Don't know anything about it," he answered. "Just received a request to make a little speech, and as I saw many of my friends on the list of names I sent a letter consenting to speak. Now I can't go, as I am going away for ten days." He held out his left hand. "I don't give the right one now, as I had an accident the other day."

Referred to Dr. Tracy.

The singular feature of the Health and Longevity club is that few of the officers know anything about the organization except the founder. Every one of them refers all questions to Dr. Tracy. This same physician will speak at the first meeting on the subjects of "The Health of the Old," "Methods of Retarding Old Age," with demonstrations of the sphygmomanometer and "high frequency electricity." Dr. Edmund E. Cocks will read a paper on "The Health of the Hair and Skin." McClure was to have addressed the gathering on "Personal Experience in Regaining My Health."

Women Must Not Wear Hats.

Edward Hatch, Jr., is named as president of the club; Charles Louis St. Clair, a lawyer, as vice-president; Earl Mayo as second vice-president; and Dr. Tracy as the secretary and treasurer. At the February meeting of the organization discussions will be held on "Preventable Diseases and Health."

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their Influence on Health and Longevity. Speeches will be made by physicians and others. The advisory council includes names of several prominent literary and medical men.

When the first meeting is held women will not be permitted to wear their hats, not that that has anything to do with the question, but simply that Dr. Tracy has inscribed on the circular: "Hats debarred, ladies may check their hats in the cloak room." Between lectures there will be music and songs. At this side of the program presided by an asterisk is printed: "The artists who have furnished the musical program of the evening are open to professional engagements. The addresses may be obtained from the secretary."

Professor Irving Fisher, of Yale, is quoted as saying: "Seven years could be added to the average human life by preventive measures."

One woman who was seen in regard to the club said she might be present at the first meeting. She said she wished that the founders could find some way to prevent the flesh from aging, which she argued would be more to the point and a greater incentive for women to become members. They ought to have a society to teach women how to appear and remain young. Die, yes, but die beautifully.

SHE LEARNED SOMETHING.

"This is a fine coffee," said the visitor to her hostess; "how do you make it? I make mine so and so, but is never tastes like this." "Well," replied the hostess, "I make this the same way, but I've learned something. Maybe you don't keep your coffee pot clean—that is, I mean maybe you use common kitchen soap. I use Hewitt's Easy Task soap. It's pure and clean and white, and costs the same as the poor kinds. Then, too, it makes a nickel-plated coffee pot shine like silver."

At Local Theaters

Got Commercial Rate.

That the fame of Denham Thompson and his delightful play "The Old Homestead"—now in its twenty-fifth year—is as widespread as that of any individual actor and play of the contemporary stage can hardly be denied. Yet an incident which Mr. Thompson's business manager relates shows that the wings of the flickle goddess do not spread over at least one city of the Sunny South—Selma by name and Alabama by location.

"I stepped to the desk of the only hotel worthy of the name in that city, to pay my bill, and pointing to my name on the register, I asked the amount."

"He looked over the ledger and remarked nonchalantly that I had damaged them to the amount of \$3.50 for one day."

"But," I said, "pardon me, I made a rate with your proprietor for \$3.00. I am the agent for The Old Homestead."

"The Old Homestead?" he asked with a quizzical look.

"Yes," I replied and I gripped the desk to keep from falling as he again inquired:

"Why-er-what is that? A sewing machine?"

"The temptation was too much, so I said 'yes.'"

"Oh, well, all right, as you're a commercial man you get the commercial rate."

The Old Homestead comes to the Gennett next Tuesday, February 28.

Pollock Players.

The bill which the Pollock players who are appearing at the Gennett theatre this week, will produce this evening is one which should arouse the enthusiasm of all who see it. The "Klu Klux Klan" is a powerful drama of the reconstruction days. It is not in any way like "The Chancesman" and yet it deals with the same society, the same wonderful human machinery which played such an active part in the history of the South after the war. The play will be presented here in a most complete manner, the horses and all the rest of the details making it a splendid production.

The Spendthrift.

One of the elements of "The Spendthrift's" tremendous success, the play which comes to the Gennett on Wednesday, March 1st is the unusually skillful manner of its presentation. Frederick Thompson, the producer, combines the gifts of stage management and stage direction, possessing each to a rare degree. No one is acknowledged his superior in the casting of a play and he has never selected a company with better judgment than was displayed in the apportionment of the roles in "The Spendthrift."

The characters are all clean cut and distinctive, and the engagement of each player depended upon his ability to convince Mr. Thompson that the particular part which he essayed to play was one well suited to his own particular methods and temperament. Doris Mitchell realizes to a nicety the role of the luxury-loving, extravagant, frivolous-minded wife. Her characterization has given her a place among the country's prominent lead-

ing actresses. Lionel Adams has the role of the husband, and the part might have been written for him, so well does it fit his methods. Among others in this unusually fine cast are Gwendolyn Piers, Albert Sackett, Lizzie McCall, Forrest Orr, Alice Kelly and William H. Sullivan.

Girl and the Outlaw.

"The Girl and the Outlaw" which is to be at the Gennett theater on Monday next is a western melodrama of the most thrilling sort. Horse-thieves, bandits, cow punchers and the girl of the Western plains, all figure most prominently. It will be a treat to the gallery gods and one which they will surely not miss.

At the Murray.

The greatest novelty act ever seen at the New Murray is the Willard Temple of Music which opened yesterday for the current week as the headline feature of an exceptionally good bill. The musical saw-mill is the strongest feature of the act and is a novelty of the highest caliber. The mill is shown in full operation while sparks are seen to fly from the wheels as they buzz out the music furnished upon them by the artists.

Every feature while bordering somewhat in general lines upon many other musical instruments are of a much larger type and far more varied. The act is a stupendous one in every respect and is a novelty in itself aside from the excellent music turned out. A little playlet which all married people, and all those contemplating taking that step in life should see, tells the story of just how some married people get along in life until experience teaches them better. This act is put on by Wagner and Diggs, Comedy Sketch artists, and is very cleverly put on. The acting of both the participants is pleasing.

Pretty and petite, little Miss Alice Van, The Aerophone Girl, had the audience with her right from the start. Her sweet face and pretty voice won her the admiration of the audience, her dancing and quick changes showed the real poetry of motion; as a neat musical dancer she kicked herself into the affections of everyone present. Her flying machine out over the audience is very clever and novel.

A Post's Wardrobe.

The poet Alifieri—he was the subject of a romance with the Countess of Albany and so figures in Mr. E. J. Vaughan's "The Last Stuart Queen"—became very egotistic and ill tempered in old age. "His eccentricity," says Mr. Vaughan, "kept pace with his uncontrollable violence, for always sensitive to the effects of heat and cold, he had his clothes specially arranged with tapes and ribbons so that portions of them could be removed by his servants from any part of his body should a particular member feel too warm or too chilly."

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JOSH GAVE THE CUP.

But He Couldn't Make Good on the Beer Proposition.

Josh Billings, the gaunt, long haired philosopher, was one of the most genial of men. Many of his ill spelled sayings were meaty, and one of them at least was worthy of Solomon. It was:

"The best way for a father to train his boy is the way he should go to to go that way himself."

Some years ago, when Josh was staying in the White mountains, he was charmed by a beautiful spring of clear, icy cold water which bubbled up at the side of the highway. He made the carriage stop and, removing his slouch hat, lay down on his face and drank a deep, refreshing draft. In compliment to him the residents in the neighborhood named the fountain "Josh Billings' spring," and it has thus been known ever since.

At the nearest village Josh bought a huge tin cup and scratched on its side the warning:

Whoever steals this fine big cup
By a big black bear will be eat up.
JOSH BILLINGS.

This cup was placed on a broad, flat stone within convenient reach. A few days later the humorist, having nursed a consuming thirst, walked all the way to the spring to quench the same. To his dismay and anger the utensil was gone, and on a sapling near at hand was tacked a bit of paper with the pencilled words:

Dear Josh, your cup is gone. I know not where.
Now, if you please, trot out your big black bear.

Fortunately for the poet he did not sign his name or give any clew to his identity.—Los Angeles Times.

A Secret.

Mr. Thompson—Jones told me a secret today. Mrs. Thompson (anxious-ly)—What was it? Mr. Thompson—The one I told you last week. Mrs. Thompson—Oh, dear me, that Mrs. Jones is such a tattler! I'll never tell her anything again.—Judge.

Arizona maintains a prison, an asylum for the insane an industrial school and a home for the aged and infirm pioneers, a university and two normal schools.

How Is Your Weight?

While it is true that too much weight is not to be desired yet the fact remains that many men and women are thin to the point of danger. This danger lies in their having no reserve force or nerve power to combat deadly diseases. A little extra flesh is needed by all to feel well and to look well and this calls up the question of how best to increase the weight. Physicians and chemists by experiments have solved the problem of increasing the white and red corpuscles of the blood, by the administration of 2 grain hypo-nucleic tablets, and this is always followed by an increase of weight. Obtain in sealed packages, and take for a period of several months according to directions with package.

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SHANK PLAYS CUPID

His Poisoned Arrow Scores
One Marriage.

Indianapolis, Feb. 21.—The municipal matrimonial bureau conducted by Mayor Shank has at least on marriage to its credit, and if the problem of what shall be done with our ex-mayors ever arises, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Gordon will nominate Mayor Shank to succeed Mr. Cupid. Both believe the mayor would make an excellent Cupid, even if he is six feet tall, bald headed and hasn't any wings.

It was with a feeling that his efforts as a matchmaker had failed that the mayor closed the bureau a few days ago. Little E. Hall, 722 E. Wayne avenue, an applicant at the bureau, and George E. Gordon, an automobile dealer of Anderson, would be married after a courtship of one week.

Bride Married at Home.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride by the Rev. Mr. Brooks of Anderson, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon will go to Michigan on a honeymoon trip, after which they will live in Anderson. And Mrs. Gordon says the mayor is just too nice for anything and that she owes everything to him.

On Thursday, February 9, the mayor received a letter signed Gladys Evelyn Montague inclosing a photograph, and giving no address. A telephone number, however, was given in the letter. Mrs. Montague said she was a widow and had been looking for a husband for five long years. She said if the mayor was able to find her a husband, it would be more than she had been able to accomplish.

She Was In Earnest.

Over the telephone, "Mrs. Montague" admitted that her name was Mrs. Julia E. Hall, and added that she was in earnest about wanting a husband. She said she didn't prefer any particular occupation, but that she did want a man who was ambitious and one she could look up to. Her correct name and address were published, and then lonesome men began applying. She had about forty applicants.

Mr. Gordon happened to be in the city the afternoon the story was published and he didn't lose any time. He went right up to Mrs. Hall's home, made such an impression that he was invited to call again, and after a few days the courtship proposed and was accepted. Mrs. Hall had heard of Gordon although she had never seen him, Gordon being a friend of Mrs. Hall's brother.

While the native Chinese is being gradually driven from the use of opium, he is being educated in the consumption of cigarettes, the imports of which amounted to \$3,466,100 in 1909, an increase of 14.75 per cent. over 1908. In addition to the number of cigarettes imported, millions are made each year in the empire.

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PLEASANT BOND

DIES AT CAPITAL

Born Here, After Career at Earham Took Up Teaching and Insurance.

Indianapolis, Feb. 21.—Pleasant Bond, one of the best-known older residents of Indianapolis, is dead at his home, 1662 Park avenue. He had been in poor health for several months, but was confined to his home for only ten days.

Mr. Bond was born in Wayne county, Indiana, near Richmond, in 1835. His father and mother were members of the Friends church. He was left an orphan at the age of four years and his boyhood was spent on a farm near Valley Mills.

Taught at Earham.

He attended the country school and later became a student at Earham college. After being graduated he taught for several years at Earham and then went to the University of Michigan, where he remained two years, taking his B. S. and M. S. degrees. For two years he was superintendent of schools at Wabash, Ind., and he taught two years in the schools at Toledo.

He served one term as county superintendent of Marion county and was also principal of Indianapolis high school, now Shortridge. He gave up educational work to enter the insurance business, and for thirty years he was general agent for the Penn Mutual Life Insurance company, retiring about two years ago.

Strong Temperance Advocate.

Mr. Bond was a sturdy champion of the temperance cause and was once the nominee of the Prohibition party for mayor of Indianapolis. He was an active member of the Tabernacle church, a teacher of a Bible class and an elder.

For two years he was the president of the University of Michigan alumni of Indianapolis.

Mr. Bond is survived by a widow, who was Martha Wilson; a son, Walter W., of this city; a daughter, Mrs. Charles B. Campbell, of Kankakee, Ill., and a sister, Mrs. Henry Nugent, of Dayton, Ohio.

The funeral service was held at the home on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The burial was private.

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COW'S EARS PUZZLES THE LEGISLATORS

Columbus, O., Feb. 21.—The inability of a single member of the Ohio house of representatives to tell off-hand whether a cow's ears are behind or in front of the horns, has resulted in the passage of a bill to teach agriculture in the country schools. The bill was having hard sledding when Representative Braschler arose and asked the opponents of the measure to give the location of a cow's ears, and not one could do so. Braschler professed to know, but declined nevertheless to let out the secret, and the bill passed unanimously.

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