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## Proving Confidence

The absorption of the Fort Dearborn banks of Chicago by the Continental and Commercial banks hardly caused a ruffle in the financial circles of that city. Big bankers of Chicago and the Middle West were surprised at the calm demeanor of the depositors and of the public.

A great financial crisis in the Middle West was averted by the action of the owners of the Continental and Commercial banks in taking over the Fort Dearborn banks, but it caused no perceptible disturbance.

The public knew that one of the most serious situations in the banking history of Chicago and the Middle West existed, but it relied on the integrity of the bankers and believed their word.

This confidence of the public is praiseworthy.

## Musings for the Evening

Stay Home, Jerome  
Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte  
Would have a fairly ambitious start  
Upon the road to eternal fame,  
Wearing a most historic name,  
If he'd be yanked from the social  
shelf.

(Direct relation of Nay himself,  
That nineteenth century bugaboo,  
Who kicked the bucket at Waterloo),  
And would accept the Albanian throne  
With a crown and scepter all his own.  
A prince of Gotham society,  
With due regard to propriety,  
Might well be changed to a Balkan  
king.

With a rhinestone lid and everything,  
A young Park avenue man of parts,  
Well versed in politics and the arts,  
A diplomat of high degree,  
He'd knock them dizzy across the sea  
For one who has gained New York  
success.

To be a king is a cinch, we guess,  
His name belongs to the regal chart—  
Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte.  
Natives would drop their liverwurst  
And yell: "Hoorsay for Jerome the  
First!"

They'd greet him with an admiring  
shout  
And wonder what it was all about,  
And go on milking their mountain  
goats  
And manueuvring their pigs and shoats,  
And trimming the tourists out of hand  
Who came from their monarch's native  
land.

They'd not refuse to accept the chink  
Of fellow-citizens of their kink.  
They'd serenade up on spaghetti and  
beans,  
The gastronomical mania  
Of all the cooks in Albania.

There'd be no opera, not a Ritz,  
No nobly tailor with swaggy fits.  
The population they brag of there  
Could all be herded in Union Square.  
They've not advanced to a point, as  
yet.

To boast of a "younger married set,"  
For the Adriatic, you'll never start,  
Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte.

Light travels rapidly, but they are  
building some of the movie theatres  
so large now that a man in a back seat  
doesn't see the picture until five min-  
utes after it is flashed on the screen.

Undecided  
An eastern health expert is urging  
that we adopt the European method of  
greeting—embracing each other in-  
stead of shaking hands. He says that  
handshaking is dangerous to life. We  
might be willing to compromise with  
the gentleman—let those of like sex  
shake hands and those of opposite sex  
embrace. Still, we do not. That would  
require taking to the woods pretty  
often.

Our Friend Mary Again  
Mary had a little lamb,  
Its face was white as snow,  
And every place that Mary went  
The lamb was sure to go.  
It carried home the butcher meat,  
The sugar and the tea—  
Mary was the misanthrope,  
And the little lamb was me.  
A. Deuchars.

The difference between a lowbrow  
and a highbrow is about \$100 a week  
in favor of the former.  
There's many a slip twixt the hip  
and the lip.

## After Dinner Stories

You cannot see the force of adver-  
tising, but you can feel it, said Ernest  
C. Hastings, managing editor of the  
Dry Goods Economist, New York. He  
told a story of a conversation between  
an advertising man and a merchant  
that illustrates the point.  
"Ever had your hat blown off?"  
asked the advertising man.  
"Yes," said the merchant.  
"What blew it off?"  
"The wind."  
"Did you ever see the wind?"  
"No."  
"Well, advertising is like the wind—  
an invisible force. You can't see it  
but you can feel it. You can see the result  
just as you saw your hat go rolling  
down the street. And just as bending  
trees and flying dust are a symbol of  
the wind in the pictures, the stories I  
shall print in the newspapers about  
the merchandise carried in your store  
will be symbolical of advertising  
force."

"I want," said the very plain girl,  
"a book entitled 'Cultivate Your Nat-  
ural Beauty.'"  
"Here it is," said the clerk, who  
wanted to be sociable. "Are you get-  
ting it for a friend?"  
And the very plain girl put her  
purse back into her bag and went  
right out.

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Eyes. If they're Itchy,  
Smart or Burn, If Sore,  
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YOUR EYES Granulated, use Murine  
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and there need be no surprise to learn that the  
bankers of Chicago felt gratified.

But the Chicago public backed up its refusal  
to be stampeded by actually pouring deposits into  
the financial institutions in increasingly large  
amounts. Instead of thronging to the banks to  
withdraw money, long lines of depositors formed  
before the cages of the receiving tellers to de-  
posit money. One banker said that he was  
amazed at the spirit of the Chicago depositors.

This is the spirit that snatches victory out of  
defeat. It is a lesson of the highest worth, which  
all of us might take to heart and apply to other  
conditions of our national life.

If every American's soul was filled with the  
optimistic spirit of the Chicago depositors who  
backed up their judgment and their confidence  
by depositing money instead of withdrawing it,  
industries would begin to move and stagnation  
give way to animation.

So long as most of us dote on pessimistic  
forecasts and let our hearts be heavy and our  
spirits depressed, the whole country will remain  
in the doldrums.

If more of us would accept the word of our  
industrial leaders and financiers regarding the  
underlying soundness of our country and its ru-  
perative powers, the new spirit of optimism  
would quickly put the idle wheels to revolving  
and bring back prosperity and happiness.

## TODAY'S TALK

By George Matthew Adams, Author of "You Can," "Take It," "Up"

### SET YOURSELF TO THE TASK

There is nothing that so withers the soul as aimlessness.  
A large number of our sad failures melt away like the mist be-  
fore the hot sun just the minute that we set ourselves to a particular  
task and work into it.

If you should ask me how to succeed, I would immediately reply:  
Have something useful in your mind to do—and then do it!

No matter how much we gain in material things or how much we  
own, we are, in the last analysis, merely tenants. And the test of our  
stewardship is whether we remain faithful and true.

History is a record of humans crumbling into dust. But what  
these humans accomplished, remains as the fresh inspiration of all  
history.

William Knox, in his great poem, asks why the spirit of mortal  
be proud.  
We should bathe our hearts in humility—and see in the larger  
good of life the supreme reason why we should set ourselves to some  
particular task, and complete it.

The time is so short at the longest—"the mere wait of a breath."  
I am very sure that there is no time for regrets, or for ill feeling  
toward any human in the world. There are too many important things  
to be done—and there are so few big visioned people to lead.

Why should we be jealous of another's triumph? Why should we  
take the time to find fault?

There are problems everywhere. And each one of us controls pec-  
uliar abilities suited to the handling of some of these tangled affairs.  
The biggest man in the world today was once an unknown and un-  
tried factor—perhaps some rail splitter, or some farmer hand, or  
some clerk. God picks men as the skilled mechanic selects tools—the  
best for the job.

Have a plan. Make it very definite. And then BUILD something  
from it!

## Who's Who in the Day's News

### SEN. PORTER J. McCUMBER

For the first time in 40 years, a  
westerner heads the powerful finance  
committee of the United States sen-  
ate. The westerner happens to be Por-  
ter J. McCumber, of North Dakota.

who, thanks to the  
seniority rule, has  
stepped into the  
shoes lately made  
vacant through the  
death of Senator  
Boies Penrose, of  
Pennsylvania.

The elevation of  
McCumber is view-  
ed with much sat-  
isfaction by the ag-  
ricultural bloc in  
congress, of which  
McCumber is a member.  
McCumber, while re-  
garded as a man of  
progressive views,  
has not identified  
himself with radicals  
in the senate like LaFollette.

Porter James McCumber was born  
at Crete, Ill., Feb. 3, 1858. He was  
educated in the public schools and at  
the University of Michigan, from the  
law department of which he gradu-  
ated in 1880.

On completing his education he de-  
cided to settle in a new country and  
grow up with it. He accordingly be-  
gan the practice of law in the little  
burg of Wahpeton, Dakota territory,  
in 1881. Here he has since remained.  
He was a member of the territorial  
legislature, 1885-3, and was state at-  
torney of Richland county, 1894-6.  
A Republican, he has represented North  
Dakota in the United States senate  
since 1899. His present term expires  
in 1923.

### Masonic Calendar

Friday, Jan. 6—King Solomon's  
chapter No. 4, R. A. M. Called con-  
vocation; work in Royal Arch degree.  
Refreshments.  
Saturday, Jan. 7.—Loyal Chapter,  
No. 49, O. E. S. Stated meeting;  
initiation of candidates; installation  
of officers.

### In Hard Lines

"I could not work at all and had to  
take to my bed with a high fever due  
to intestinal indigestion, gases in my  
stomach and pain in my right side.  
I had spent my last cent for doctors  
and medicine, which gave me no relief.  
I was in despair. A lodge brother gave  
me a bottle of Mayr's Wonderful Rem-  
edy, and the first dose relieved me.  
Thanks to this medicine I am now in  
the best of health." It is a simple,  
harmless preparation that removes  
the catarrhal mucus from the intes-  
tinal tract and allays the inflamma-  
tion which causes practically all stom-  
ach, liver and intestinal ailments, in-  
cluding appendicitis. One dose will  
convince or money refunded. Clem  
Thistlethwaite's 7 drug stores, A. G.  
Luken Drug Co., and druggists every-  
where.—Advertisement.

### ELECTRIC IRONS

IRVIN REED & SON

## Answers to Questions

(Any reader can get the answer to  
any question by writing The Palladium  
Information Bureau, Frederick J. Hask-  
in, director, Washington, D. C. This of-  
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bles, nor to undertake exhaustive research  
on any subject. Write your question  
plainly and briefly. Give full name and  
address and enclose two cents in stamps  
for return postage. All replies are sent  
direct to the inquirer.)

Q. Is an American boy who served  
in the Canadian Army during the war  
entitled to a Victory medal?—M. M.

A. Unless a man served with the  
United States troops at some period  
during the war, he is not entitled to  
a Victory medal.

Q. To settle a bet, please advise who  
is taller, Jack Dempsey or Elmo Lin-  
coln?—A. E.

A. Jack Dempsey's height is six feet  
one and a half inches while that of  
Elmo Lincoln is five feet eleven and  
a half inches.

Q. Does the title United States of  
America include Alaska and the in-  
sular possessions?—A. N.

A. The state department says that  
strictly speaking, the United States  
means only the 48 states.

Q. Where was the first telegraph  
office?—H. I. T.

A. The office established in 1844 in  
a government building in Washington,  
D. C., was the first telegraph office.

Q. In what part of a clam are fresh  
water pearls found?—A. M. McN.

A. The bureau of fisheries says that  
when pearls are found in fresh water  
clams, they may be found in almost  
any part of the clam. Sometimes the  
flat pearls are found stuck tight to the  
shell while others are generally found  
in the mantle of the clam.

Q. Was Washington's farewell ad-  
dress published in a Philadelphia pa-  
per?—F. D.

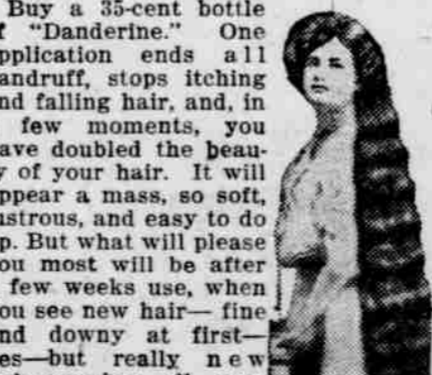
A. Washington's farewell address  
was published in a Philadelphia paper.

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of "Danderine." One  
application ends all  
dandruff, stops itching  
and falling hair, and, in  
a few moments, you  
have doubled the beau-  
ty of your hair. It will  
appear a mass, so soft,  
lustrous, and easy to do  
up. But what will please  
you most will be after  
a few weeks use, when  
you see new hair—fine  
and downy at first—  
yes—but really new  
hair growing all over  
the scalp. "Danderine" is to the hair  
what fresh showers of rain and sun-  
shine are to vegetation. It goes right  
to the roots, invigorates and strength-  
ens them. This delightful, stimulat-  
ing tonic helps thin, lifeless, faded  
hair to grow long, thick, heavy and  
lustrous.—Advertisement.



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After All

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## After Dinner Tricks

No. 57—Coin Balanced on Tumbler  
A feat of apparent dexterity is to  
place the end of a strip of paper on the  
edge of a tumbler, and balance a coin  
on top. The trick is to remove the  
paper without disturbing the coin.

It is done by giving the paper strip a  
hard slap at the middle, which jerks it  
out from under the coin without the  
latter losing its balance.

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was published in a Philadelphia paper  
—The Daily Advertiser.

Q. Where is Gary and is it true that  
the town was built "to order"?—  
P. K. C.

A. Gary is a town in Lake county,  
Indiana, located on the extreme south-  
ern end of Lake Michigan, 25 miles  
southeast of the heart of Chicago. It  
was founded in April, 1906, by the  
United States Steel corporation, and  
was named after Elbert H. Gary, an  
officer of the corporation.

Lessons in Correct English

Don't Say:  
The committee was ALL TOGETH-  
ER of one accord.

The chairman called the members  
of the society ALL TOGETHER.

I ate a HEARTY dinner.

He eats with a CORDIAL appetite.

They gave him a RELISHING wel-  
come.

Say:  
The committee was ALTOGETHER  
of one accord.

The chairman called the members  
of the society ALL TOGETHER.

I ate HEARTILY of the dinner.

He eats with a HEARTY appetite.

They gave him a HEARTY welcome.

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## How To Start the Day Wrong



## Memories of Old Days

In This Paper Ten Years Ago Today

Senator Robert La Follette was in  
Richmond and spoke at the Coliseum.  
La Follette was given a hearty wel-  
come to Richmond and the Coliseum  
was especially prepared for his wel-  
come, inasmuch as it was kept at a  
warm temperature throughout the en-  
tire day. The progressive leader gave  
a thorough speech to the large audi-  
ence of city and county people who  
were in the audience.

The Dickinson Trust company enter-  
tained members of the Wayne county  
bar association at an elaborate and  
enjoyable dinner in the Westcott hotel.  
A total of 37 attended the affair.

Earlham college and high school both  
emerged victors in basketball at the  
Coliseum. Earlham handed the strong  
Cincinnati university five a 28-to-17  
drubbing and the high school team  
trounced Newcastle by the score of  
33 to 21.

## Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason

STRIFE  
Some day, I trust, all swords will  
rust, and armor cease to rattle; all  
wars are vain and men insane when  
they resort to battle. The dove of  
peace should never cease cawing  
round above us, and human life should  
know no strife and those who hate  
should love us. The wolves and bears  
come from their lairs and scrag  
around like blazes, and hunting foes  
the bobcat goes along the forest  
mazes. But I, at least, am not a beast,  
I claim that I am human; I do not care  
to rip and tear and fuss with man or  
woman. I wear a smile that's free

Heavy Cold? Chest  
All Clogged Up?

DON'T let it get a start, Dr. King's  
New Discovery will get right  
down to work, relieving the tight feeling  
in the chest, quieting the racking  
cough, gently stimulating the bowels,  
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from guile, I treat all gents politely;  
and troubles veer when I come near,  
I have no scraps unsightly. I herd my  
cows and seek no rows, and so no  
rows come near me; no roar ascends  
from injured friends, but kindly greet-  
ings cheer me. If I packed gats and  
shot men's hats, to show my inde-  
pendence, I'd be in jail and there I'd  
wait for medical attendance. Men,  
friendly now, would punch my brow,  
and tear my scalp to ribbons, and  
break my dome with "Fall of Rome"  
and other works of Gibbon's. When  
nations skip without a chip upon each  
marital shoulder, war's stream of gore  
will roll no more, and guns will rust  
and molder.

KLAN HEAD TO DO WORK  
GIVEN UP BY MRS. TYLER

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 6.—No steps  
will be taken at this time to fill the  
place of Mrs. Elizabeth Tyler as as-  
sistant head of the propagation depart-  
ment of the Ku Klux Klan, according  
to E. Y. Clarke, imperial kludge, who  
said he would assume the burden of  
the work personally. Mrs. Tyler an-  
nounced her resignation last night.

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stimulating odor that it is going to do