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Where Training Counts

"Nothing brought out at sessions of the International Sunday School association is of more importance than the fact that in the early and proper training of the child lies the future welfare of the church and society," says the Kansas City Star. "It is this fact which must be driven into the American consciousness. Actions of almost daily occurrence, that strike at the very roots of the country's basic institutions, indicate plainly the absence of any intelligent or moral instruction at impressionistic periods in the lives of vast numbers of the people. Peril lies ahead; safety is possible only through the right direction of youth."

"A convention speaker who has made a careful study of the subject pointed out that 95 per cent of men and women now in the churches made their decisions to enter before the age of 25; that nearly 70 per cent came in before the age of 15, and that 68 per cent of beginners in crime are between the ages of 12 and 20. From all over the country and from other countries have come, in the last year or two, astounding reports of youthful delinquency and crime. Inaccurate and misleading as some of these reports may be, it requires only common observation to establish the fact that all is not well, certainly not as well as it should be, either with youth or the adult."

"Take the shamefully high percentage of its right and general application today."

Answers to Questions

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Q. Did Captain Amundsen take a radio outfit on his trip to the Pole?

J. L.

A. Captain Amundsen and his companions left Seattle on June 3rd. Their equipment included an airplane, carrier pigeons, and a radio set. It is believed that the expedition can keep in touch with Canada and the United States by radio. Lieutenant Fullerton, a former member of the Canadian Naval Air Force, will attempt to pilot their airplane over the roof of the universe.

Q. Is a cartridge air and water-proof?

M. M. D.

A. In ordering circumstances a modern pistol or rifle cartridge is air and water-tight, but if exposed to unusual atmospheric conditions such as an ocean voyage or a season in the tropics, it will be affected to some extent.

Q. What is meant by saying a wine is dry?

K. C. V.

A. Wines are referred to as dry when completely fermented, only 0.1 per cent of sugar remaining.

Q. What holidays are observed by the Post Office Department? M. A. C.

A. January 1, February 22, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas are the holidays that are given to employees of the Post Office Department.

Q. In how many languages is the Bible printed?

O. W.

A. The Bible has been translated into 450 languages and dialects.

Q. What is the best kind of wood fuel?

C. W. B.

A. Shell bark hickory first in fuel value, with chestnut white oak, white oak, white ash and red oak following in the order named.

Q. What is the "apron" on a locomotive?

A. E.

A. The sheet iron plate covering the space between the locomotive and the tender.

Facts About Indiana

(By Associated Press)

There are about 20,362,516 acres of land in Indiana.

Wheat which had to be hauled to a marketing place seventy-five and 100 miles away was sold by early Indiana farmers at 30 to 50 cents a bushel. This was between 1820 and 1840.

The Democratic vote in the primary of May, 1922, totalled 267,163.

There were 20 counties in Indiana in 1817.

The cabins of the pioneers of Indiana all were built on the hills, for the early settlers believed the valleys to be unhealthy.

Four hundred and fifty-one thousand, eight hundred and thirty-four Republican votes were cast in the last primary in the state.

About forty counties were formed from the original Knox county in Indiana.

In 1898, Indiana produced 16,309,793 worth of coal, petroleum, natural gas, building stone and clay products.

Lessons in Correct English

DON'T SAY:

I am not going **NOHOW**.

Doesn't he live **SOME PLACE** in the neighborhood?

He does not live **ANYWHERE** in this neighborhood.

I am **VERY** pleased to help you out.

Come **AND** see us.

SAY:

I am not going **ANYHOW**.

Doesn't he live **SOMEWHERE** in the neighborhood?

He does not live **ANYWHERE** in this neighborhood.

I am **VERY** pleased to help you help you out.

Come **TO** see me.

crimes of all kinds in America as compared with various European countries; take the riots, the lynchings, the wholesale murders, vitally with public sanction, that frequently cast a blot on our civilization; take the mine outrage in Illinois and the utter lack of even a public conscience in the vicinity of the brutal massacre; take into consideration the chance that a similar occurrence may come to many other parts of the country at almost any time—can there be any doubt that something is badly, dangerously wrong with the thinking of thousands of men and women today?

"Can there be any doubt of it, either, when one jury after another, supposed to be made up of representative citizens, gives no evidence whatever that its members possess a sense of justice, a sense of moral obligation, a sense of duty to a community or society as a whole?

"The perverted and narrow ideas that find expression not only in crime and lawlessness but in many forms of action that threaten civilization progress can be displaced only by real training for intelligent and right minded citizenship. There is no great hope for the mature person through this means, little enough unfortunately through any other means; but with the child there is unbounded possibility.

"Delegates to the Sunday school convention have been told that a beginning in right training cannot be made too early in the life of the child; that from the moment the infant is able to have the slightest conception of any object, the opportunity for instruction, through looks, manner, behavior, motions of various kinds, has been presented. The idea should be spread broadcast into every home, to every agency that has anything to do with child training. There is no new discovery in the idea; it has been used, both consciously and unconsciously, to good and bad purpose, in all time. The novelty is the need for

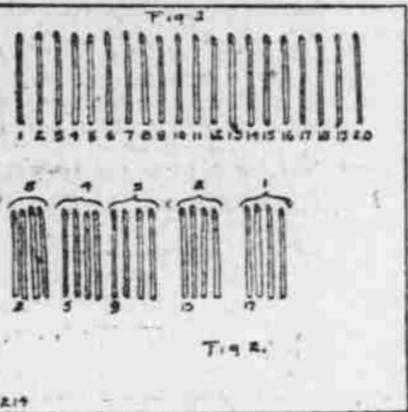
OLDEST LIVING EX-SENATOR VISITS WASHINGTON AFTER 30-YEAR ABSENCE



Ex-Senator Cornelius Cole, left, and Senator Shortridge of California, snapped in Washington.

On the eve of celebrating his one hundredth birthday anniversary, ex-Senator Cornelius Cole, the oldest living U. S. senator, recently visited Washington. It was his first visit to the capital in thirty years. He chatted for some time with Samuel Shortridge, the present senator from Cole's home state of California. Cole was in the senate during the Lincoln administration and sat in the stand with Lincoln when the latter made his memorable Gettysburg address.

After Dinner Tricks After Dinner Stories



No. 214—Twenty Match Sticks

Lay twenty match sticks on a piece of paper and write numbers from one to twenty at the bottom of each match (Figure 1). The trick is to remove the matches in five groups, not more than four at one time. The last match of each group must be an odd-numbered

ber. The trick is impossible if the spectators try to follow the natural order and take away the matches beginning at the left. The secret is to remove four matches in each group, but take them from the right of the line. Thus the last numbers picked up will be 17, 19, 20 and 1 (Figure 2).

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Musings for the Evening

"Climbers Suffer Frost as They Near Top of Mt. Everest."—Headline. Nothing to the frost encountered by the climbers who try to struggle to the top of society.

Hotel Men's Association of New

York will not make the waiters follow the Paris custom and wear white coats, saying, "It is easy to distinguish the waiters from cafe guests now."

Yes, you can always tell a waiter from a customer. The waiter looks perfectly at home in a dress suit.

Long Island hostess is giving what she calls a "Garden of Eden" party. She calls it that because every woman who was invited said she didn't have a thing to wear.

In the little country town of Pawdah a peculiar thing happened recently. In the little red schoolhouse a lot of smoke was coming up through a knot-hole in the floor. The children began coughing, and the schoolmaster sniffed the odor of burning tobacco, and seeing the knot-hole blowing rings, as it were, he walked surreptitiously outdoors, and peeping under the schoolhouse, saw a sight that startled him. The janitor's dog had stolen his master's pipe and sneaked under the schoolhouse to smoke it.

Gray top hats are coming in style in this country—just like England. One of these hats erect on the head will just furnish standing room for one quart.

Newark women have been in jail sixty-seven times. She has solved the housework and dishwashing problem all right.

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Higham was born in England but spent 16 years in the United States, coming to this country when a child with his parents, who now live in Brooklyn.

After being graduated from the soda fountain Higham became a combination reporter-artist for a New York paper and claims the distinction of being thrown out of Coney Island for exposing election grafts.

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EVANSVILLE POSTOFFICE LEADS CERTIFICATE SALE

EVANSVILLE, Ind., July 1.—Evansville postoffice holds first place in the eighth federal reserve district for the sale of United States treasury certificates during the month of May, according to John J. Nolan, postmaster. Evansville's average was 47 cents per capita. The total sales were \$40,775.

Cars Greased and Oiled a Specialty

Overland-Richmond Co.

K. of P. Bldg. S. Eighth St.

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WILSON to be Cleaned Phones 1105-1106

Pasteurized Milk and Cream Phone 1531

KRAMER BROS. DAIRY

—Pure—

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Independent Ice and Fuel Company

Stanley Plumbing & Electric Co. Phone 1286

THOR WASHING MACHINES & DRYERS

Clara M. Switzer, Optometrist Richmond

WALL PAPER, 1c Priced as low as 1 cent per roll, 1,000 rolls to choose from.

"The Wall Paper King"

MARTIN ROSENBERGER 401-403 Main St.

Open a Charge Account You Make The Terms

HIRSCH'S 15-17 1/2 Main St.

PLAN TO ENTERTAIN THOUSANDS AT LAKE

WINCHESTER, Ind., July 1.—Arrangements have been completed for the handling of from 10,000 to 15,000 people at the Funk's Lake speedway, two miles west of here Tuesday, July 4. The one-half mile dirt course is attracting the attention of many drivers from various parts of the country. Much interest is being manifested in the Independence Day races and many entries have been booked. Several drivers who have inspected the track declare that it is the fastest dirt track in the country.

There are two principal races scheduled for Tuesday afternoon, a 20 mile and a 30 mile race for purses aggregating \$1,500. Another feature that is attracting drivers is the \$100 prize offered by the management to the driver breaking the world's dirt track record of 29 and four-fifths seconds in the time trials to be held at 10 o'clock Tuesday forenoon.

Entries have been made from Cincinnati, Toledo and Dayton, Ohio, and Ft. Wayne, Indianapolis and Winchester. Ample provision has been made for the parking of cars and caring for visitors. In addition to the races there will be amusements and a program in keeping with the day on the banks of the lake in connection with the race track.

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