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STICK TO YOUR DREAMS, BOY

Punsters and cartoonists are poking fun at you, boy, right now because of your ambitions and your dreams.

Every great man that the world can point to today was a dreamer. He had ideals. He was scoffed at. People said that he was crazy but he stuck to his dream and then when the day of realization came how the crowd wore a path through the wood to his door.

Life does not always yield its boon in exact terms of desire, because men often fail at cross-purposes with endowment; but life never fails to grant all the equities in any given case.

Don't fail at cross-purposes. Don't swerve from that dream. Keep it always fresh. Train every effort toward that ultimate goal and get the laurel that the world.

Carlyle, a threadbare ragamuffin, told his companions that he had ambitions to write. When they hooted him, he cried back that there were better books in him than had ever been written.

Joseph Pulitzer came to this country a poor German immigrant boy. His first night in New York he crawled into a cellarway of a large building to sleep.

Benjamin Franklin going about with a stale loaf of bread in his pockets saw his dream come true when the United States was declared independent and free.

Stick to your dreams, boy. If you are aiming high, try to overreach your goal a trifle. People will tell you that you are going straight to ruin, that you are a waster.

Every one has had some one supreme possibility in their make up. Discover what it is in you. If it is your dream make it law that you will endeavor to make the most of yourself in every way that is not inimical to soundness.

THE HOWARD ADVERTISER C. J. Walden, editor of the Boonville Advertiser, says that many men of state and national reputation have been connected with the Howard County Advertiser.

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gressionist district for several years was editor and proprietor of the Advertiser and was as well known as an editor as he was a lawyer.

Mr. Walden named many other people of prominence who have been connected with the Advertiser directly and indirectly during the last fifty years.

The New Books

"The Unspeakable Perk"

For some mysterious reason it is conventionally supposed that childhood is the period and the only period, during which fairy tales are devoured with joy and frequency.

The scene is laid in Caracuna, a little republic on an island in the Caribbean Sea, of which—the republic, not the sea—the reader may or may not have heard.

The story is told in a light agreeable style, with plenty of amusing and appropriate dialogue, an abundance of incident, and one or two well-drawn serious bits.

WILL PUBLISH GERMAN NOTE

Tentons' Reply About Lusitania to Be Made Public.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—Announcement that the last German note on the Lusitania, submitted to the State Department nearly six months ago, is to be published is the direct answer to those who feared a return to power of the Von Tirpitz regime in Germany.

Acceptance of the principles of the note is declared by its proposed publication. It is expected to clear up any fear that the undersea boat warfare of a year ago will be re-opened, containing it is said, passive admission that the campaign was a mistake.

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BRITISH SEA FORCE IS STILL SUPREME

Britons Fail to Appreciate Their Great Navy, Says Ed L. Keen.

HELP TO THE ALLIES

Battle of Jutland Was England's Greatest Victory Since Trafalgar.

This story, telling of the magnificent navy, is the second navy story of the series on the European War now being published in the Missouriian.

THE BRITISH NAVY

By ED L. KEEN

LONDON, Aug. 11.—Britons don't appreciate their navy. This statement goes as much for Arthur Balfour as it does for Bill Bowbells.

Just because Admiral Jellicoe in his initial dispatch regarding the Jutland fight didn't pin bouquets on himself and the Grand Fleet the first lord of the Admiralty failed to read between the lines that the British had really won the greatest naval battle since Trafalgar.

But it was all there—and he had the German wireless report as confirmation. After detailing all his losses, Jellicoe modestly observed that "the enemy had returned to port."

Britons Thought This Lost.

Instead of featuring this one essential fact, Balfour emphasized the great losses sustained by the British. England went to bed that night in a blue funk.

Even if the British losses had been greater than those of the Germans—which they weren't, according to the belated admissions of the German Admiralty, news of the loss of certain ships having been withheld "for military reasons"—it still would have been a British victory.

Bill Bowbells isn't much of a strategist, but when he finally gathered that the Germans had started out on an "enterprise" which they had to abandon in the face of the foe, and had returned limping into their ports, he opined that perhaps Jellicoe hadn't been licked after all.

Chance for a Press Agent.

What a magnificent opportunity for a real press agent! Why, even a fairly competent cub reporter could have written a more cheerful communique without adding to or distorting the facts at hand.

A possible explanation is that Balfour was so obsessed by previous public criticisms of the official pronouncement to withhold unfavorable news that he determined in this case to let the worst be known at once.

The unfavorable effect upon the public was immediate. The next day British papers were filled with bitter comment and gloomy forebodings. The navy had already failed properly to protect the East coast against sporadic raids, and now when it had a real chance at the enemy it had suffered disaster.

PREPARED FOR CAMPING CROWDS

If you are planning a camping party or week's outing during August, Moreau Lodge accommodates crowds from 13 to 20 persons for only \$3.50 a week a person; Dew Drop Inn, 8 to 12 persons; and Fraternity Lodge, 4 to 6 persons, at same rate per week.

a clean sweep of the navy administration. Bring back "Jacky" Fisher! He'll do the job right, etc.

Lost Sight of the Results.

Balfour and Bowbells—officialdom, press and public—in their contemplation of the heavy losses sustained by the British fleet not only completely lost sight of the result of this fight, what it meant for the future security of the island kingdom as well as of the Empire and the Allies generally; but they forget entirely what the navy has been doing ever since the war started.

After all, the Jutland battle was an incident. It was a day's work—a hard day, that sent thousands of brave men to death and filled homes throughout England with widows and orphans—but it was merely part of the great scheme.

The navy's really hardest work has been mine-sweeping and submarine-hunting, the former comparatively safe but awfully monotonous, the latter dangerous and at times thrilling. In mine-sweeping the navy has had the valuable assistance of the coast fishermen.

Navy Has Been Growing.

While the British navy has been working it has been growing. The details of its growth are not known to the writer, and if they were he wouldn't dare tell. He believes it has been growing faster than the German navy. But regardless of its added units, taking the two navies as they stood at the beginning of the war, and allowing for the admitted losses on both sides, the British navy, according to the calculations of experts, is relatively more powerful today.

Britain Is Mistress of the Seas.

For two years now Britain has successfully defended her title as mistress of the seas. The Jutland fight merely clinched what had already been accomplished through incessant watchfulness, day in and day out, combined with a zeal of personnel and efficiency of material hitherto never approached in naval history.

Decline to Adjourn Congress.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—Because they intimated the literacy test immigration bill was not included in the legislative program proposed by Democratic leaders, the Republican caucus today declined a proposal for a September adjournment of Congress.

Will Drive to St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Venable will drive to St. Louis this week, where they will visit Mrs. Venable's sister and brother-in-law. Mr. and Mrs. James Cook Scott. Later they will join friends on a motor trip North. They will return to Columbia about the middle of September.

Advertisement for a gramophone with a price tag of \$4.98. The text says "Now you can have a beautiful, fine-toned phonograph at the small sum of only \$4.98."

Advertisement for "The Baby Grand Is Here" featuring a baby grand piano. It says "Now you can have a beautiful, fine-toned piano at the small sum of only \$4.98."

Sayings of the Week

Maybe Carranza would avoid a war but he has no objections to a correspondence course.—Louisville Post.

"My poems are the children of my brain." They should be sent to a reform school.—Boston Transcript.

The world is full of fools and 95 cent of them are folks whose opinions disagree with ours.—Peoria Journal.

Of course it has always been a matter of mystery where Cain got his wife, but our guess is he married his stenographer.—Galveston News.

"My hired man," stated Farmer Hornback, "is the finest specimen of petrified motion that I ever had the pleasure of witnessing."—Kansas City Star.

Five cents worth of bread according to an expert on school lunches, furnishes the same nutrition as 15 cents worth of apple pie. This being the case, please give us 45 cents worth of apple pie.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Great Britain needs more fliers at the front. We have some high fliers here that we could spare but we fear that they do not care for the kind of flying Britain has in mind.—Rochester (N. Y.) Union Advertiser.

It takes as long to say an unkind word as a pleasant one; pleasant words bring good results; unkind ones pay no dividends; then what's the use of wasting time on them.—Wichita Beacon.

Mrs. Elizabeth Carlos Buried.

The funeral services of Mrs. Elizabeth Carlos, who died at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night, were held at the Providence Church this afternoon.

Sells 3,000 Bushels of Corn.

Judge Thomas F. Murry, of Oklahoma City, Okla., sold 3,000 bushels of corn to John Wilkinson, Charles H. Dunn, and James H. Harris.

Asks England to Hurry.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—The State Department has asked Great Britain to expedite her reply to the American protest against English interference with mails, it was officially announced here this afternoon.

Jumps From Singer Building.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—By a spectacular 500-foot plunge from the Singer Building, the second tallest office structure in the world, Albert Goldman, aged sixty, of Brooklyn committed suicide at noon.

Advertisement for Dr. J. C. Phillips, a chiropractor. It says "Experienced Chiropractor DR. J. C. PHILLIPS Consultation and Examination Free. Office over Miller's Shoe Store. Phone 560."

Advertisement for Dr. Virgil Blakemore, an optometrist. It says "DR. VIRGIL BLAKEMORE Optometrist Specialist in Spectacle making, Grinding, Drilling, Repairing. Exchange National Bk. Bldg. Columbia, Missouri."

Advertisement for Goetz & Lindsey, a repair shop. It says "We Will Repair It All work guaranteed. We specialize on Watches, Clocks and Jewelry. GOETZ & LINDSEY 918 Broadway"

Advertisement for Mr. Glancy and the Marquette Hotel. It says "TALK ABOUT MR. GLANCY AND THE MARQUETTE HOTEL ST. LOUIS A HOTEL for your Wife, Mother or Sister"

LIGHTNING CAUSES MANY FIRES

28 State Fire Marshals' Reports Show 3 Per Cent Start by Electricity.

The reports of state fire marshals in the 28 states which have an officer, show that 3 per cent of all buildings burned are ignited by lightning stroke. The census of 1912 showed 422 persons to have been killed by lightning in that year.

Lightning is an electrical discharge. Electricity forms in a cloud and is attracted to the earth which is nearly always negatively charged by induction. Negative electricity, being fond of its positive in the cloud, climbs to high points to embrace it and the result is a discharge.

The greater number of flashes however, are from cloud to cloud, because of the difference in potential in the charges they hold. These flashes are usually several miles long, while flashes to earth are one to three miles long.

The energy in a cloud a mile across would fire a bullet weighing a ton 13,250 miles. Electrical discharges during an electrical storm combine oxygen of the air with nitrogen, forming a nitrate which enriches the soil and ozone which is a stimulant to all animal and vegetative life, although it gives a sulphurous smell and often soured milk—that is the basis for the impression that thunder makes milk "turn."

Thunder results from violent vibrations of the air caused by lightning which, in breaking down the resistance of the air, creates a vacuum of an extent depending upon the intensity of the flash.

Buy and Sells, Carlos of Hogs.

J. T. Kennett, of near Millersburg is taking no chances with the hog market. He has bought a load at \$9 a hundred from O. H. Wilkerson, west of Fulton, and has delivered in September, and has sold a load to Christopher Gillispie, of Columbia, at the same price, to be delivered in October.

L. R. Golliday With Westinghouse Co.

L. R. Golliday, a former student in the School of Engineering, has left the Utah Power and Light Company and gone to Philadelphia to enter the employ of the Westinghouse Electric Company.

Journalism Student Is Editor.

W. E. Hall, Jr., graduate of the School of Journalism in 1913, has recently accepted the position of editor-manager of the Kalspell, Mont. Bee, a semi-weekly newspaper.

SET OUT TIN PANS.

Patrons of grocery stores are requested to set out all tin delivery boxes in which they have received packages. This is urgent as the pans are needed by the delivery service at once. Set the boxes on the porch at once so that the delivery boys can get them immediately.—Merchant Delivery.

Advertisement for John N. Taylor, a pianoforte tuner. It says "JOHN N. TAYLOR Pianoforte, Player-Pianoforte, and Victor-Victrolas Best Records Made Virginia Bldg."

Advertisement for a furniture and stove store. It says "I want to buy, good second hand furniture and stoves. Will pay good prices for your entire house. Phone 238-red and get prices before selling. Second-hand goods taken in exchange for new. J. M. HUGHES, 811 Walnut St."

Advertisement for Yee Sing laundry. It says "YEE SING Will call for your Laundry Family washing satisfactorily and cheaply done. 12 S. 7th Phone 745"