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Migration Threatens Prosperous Nations

Speaking on "Migration as a World Problem" Professor Edward A. Ross of the University of Wisconsin said in a recent address: "Cheap travel and full steerages make mock of the ideal of nationality."

For a people which has arrived at an adaptive birth rate to admit the surplus population begotten by other peoples which multiply without taking thought for the morrow is virtually to cut its own throat.

people which foresees it will adhere to the fatal policy of the open door. Dogmas of the open door and the melting pot become absurd in a time when population rolls hither and thither about the globe like particles of quicksilver."

What of America's Pasteurs?

"Pasteur, whose anniversary was celebrated throughout the civilized world yesterday, was the son of a peasant. His father was a French tanner," says the Kansas City Star.

"It is the essence of democracy to keep the door of opportunity open to its Pasteurs and others like him. That familiar principle is emphasized and emphasized again in the recent book of that brilliant public servant, Herbert Hoover."

An inquiry into the birthplaces of leading scientific men in this country developed that the great majority of them came from states accessible to adequate schools.

These are facts for every legislator to consider in connection with the programs that are to be presented this winter for the development of rural schools, and of the state universities."

LET GO OF DISAPPOINTMENTS

By George Matthew Adams

Another year is almost over. And as we look into it, we recall vast experience. Many things came to pass.

These dead days of the year can never be recalled or lived over. They now form a part of the millions of other days that have long ago melted into the mists of time.

So, let's take a cheerful, happy view of what is gone. Let's let go of them—forever!

And, also, let go of everything about them that means anything of unhappiness, discouragement or disappointment.

Maybe one of the great lessons of this new year for you is going to be that you must learn to let go of things—not letting them hold you back, laming and stunting your larger growth.

Let go—let go! I know so many people who keep hanging to themselves until they appear all nerve-knotted and tense—full of fear and trembling.

There are those, for instance, who actually fight at sleep, thus experiencing restless nights and arising the next day, tired and unhappy.

If you are one of these, this very night as you enter your room let go of everything. Relax. Think only of pleasant, happy things. Let the very angels of Beauty lift you from your sleeping place and carry you into their Wonderland of Dreams—bringing you back in time for the unfolding day, and to happiness and usefulness.

Don't trouble so much. Let go!

Answers to Questions

(Any reader can get the answer to any question by writing The Palladium Information Bureau, Frederick J. Husak, Jr., director, Washington, D. C.)

Q. What percent of deaths is caused by pneumonia? X. L. B.

A. One-tenth of the deaths in the United States are caused by this disease.

Q. Are there any more wild horses in North America? N. A.

A. Wild horses are still to be found in certain parts of America, notably in Colorado, Nevada, Oregon, Idaho, New Mexico, and Arizona.

Q. Who was the "President without a party"? R. C. R.

A. Tyler, after vetoing two bills re-establishing a National bank, and all the members of his cabinet except Webster had resigned, was known throughout his administration as a president without a party.

Q. Who was the "Merry Monarch"? C. F. F.

A. This name was applied to Charles II of England.

Q. Which was the first trust in this country? A.

A. The first of the industrial trusts was formed in 1873 by the Standard Oil interests in Ohio, and later in New York.

Q. Was Boss Tweed ever sent to prison? V. K. S.

A. Tweed was brought to trial in 1873 on a charge of grand larceny and forgery and sentenced to 12 years' imprisonment.

After Dinner Tricks



NO. 399. THE FOUR JACKS

The four jacks are removed from a pack of cards, and are held in a fan, as shown in fig. 1. They are then placed on top of the pack, face down.

Memories of Old Days

In This Paper Ten Years Ago Today

During the year 1912 more money was expended on the Richmond city parks than ever was expended in any one year, according to the annual report of Park Superintendent Edward Hollan.

Rippling Rhymes

I've tolled since day was breaking, I'm tired and broken-kneed, and all my heart is aching for something good to read.

Lessons in Correct English

DON'T SAY: The drug had a powerful EFFECT. The armies EFFECTED a junction.

It Aids Growth!

Science recognizes that the present-day method of over-refinement of foods, often strips them of essential vitamins.

Ain't It a Gland and Glorious Feeling!



By-Products of Prohibition

President and Advisers Worry About Moral Phases Attending People's Attitude Toward Volstead Act.

By FREDERICK J. HASKIN WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 29.—The president of the United States, together with his cabinet, and many members of both houses of congress and other government officials are giving a good deal of thought to the moral by-products of the prohibition amendment.

One member of the committee pointed out what he regarded as a curious moral twist in the minds of modern perjurers. They were, he said, inclined to regard perjury in court as a sort of technical crime rather than a high moral crime.

Prohibition has been a vehicle for the whole gamut of jokes which can be attached to such a subject. This has aided measurably in building up in the minds of many Americans the opinion that prohibition itself is a humorous matter.

While prohibition is the most perplexing problem immediately before the administration, the moral attitude which the president has defined has extended already to other statutes.

The favorite anecdote used by students of this curious situation illustrates this attitude of mind forcibly. A man was receiving a call from a bootlegger.

This anecdote is getting to have a serious significance in Washington. Lawmakers see in it an index to the attitude of the public mind.

The serious point which is so deeply concerning the lawmakers is that the line between legal wrongs and moral wrongs is being obliterated.

What EFFECT will the election have on business? DON'T SAY: The drug has a powerful EFFECT.

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After Dinner Stories

Elsie's father, wishing to delight his daughter's heart, brought home a kitten for her one day. However, the kitten soon proved to be unfortunately afflicted. Every day it had a fit, and after a week or so it died.

Elsie's father straightaway bought another kitten, and brought it home. This kitten, however, was even more luckless. Each day it had two fits, and finally it, also, died.

Still Elsie's father was not to be discouraged. He brought home a third kitten. This poor creature soon fell a victim to the prevailing malady. It had three fits every day. However, it did not die.

Elsie's father described this strange case to a noted physician, and asked him for an explanation.

"That," said the doctor, "must be a case of the survival of the fittest." The vicar of a London church was asked not long ago to preach a special sermon on temperance.

"There are only two drinks mentioned in the Book of Psalms. One is wine, that maketh glad the heart of man. The other is water, with which the wild asses quench their thirst. You can take your choice."

On a crater of a snow-capped volcanic mountain on Unalaska island are sulphur deposits of 15,000 tons.

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