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## **KEEPING YOUR HAIR ON**

BALDNESS is one of the penalties we pay for being civilized. Savages and primitive people have an abundance of hair. The more highly civilized we become, the less hair we have. Why nature will not stand for growth inside the skull without roducing the crop outside, we do not know, but we do know that the higher up we go in the social and intellectual scale the more bald heads there are. There are several kinds of baldness. One is the form which comes after se-

vere and long-continued illness, usually after high fever. Often, after such illnesses, the hair is cut short or the head is shaved, the idea being that, in some way, this stimulates the growth of the hair. This has no effect. In most cases of baldness following fever, the hair grows out again in a few months.

Another form of baldness is that which occurs in spots. No one knows what is the cause. Sometimes the spots remain permanently bald. Sometimes the hair grows again. But the commonest form of bald-

ness is that which occurs generally in early middle life. What causes baldness? No one

knows. If any one could find out how, as the hair restorers claim, "to make hair grow on the baldest head," he would soon be paying the same income tax as John D. Rockefeller or Henry Ford. Modern hats, especially the hard-rimmed, close-fitting derby, have been held responsible.

No one wants to be bald. We would all like to keep our hair as long and as thick as it was in our boyhood days. So we naturally look for a remedy when the hair begins to get thin.

And the remedies are legion. Singeing the hair was long popular, the explanation being that, when the hair was cut, it "bled" from the cut ends and that singeing the ends closed the pores or blood vessels. But hair has neither pores nor blood vessels. Hair tonics and scalp foods galore are sold to hopeful victims. Mange cures and dandruff cures are found in every drug store. Electric massage has long been popular. But baldness goes right on increasing. Elaborate "vacuum treatment" machines have been constructed. But the bald-headed man is still a favorite subject for jokes. Will Rogers, the gental comedian of the Follies, says, in one of his rope-twirling, gum-chewing monologues, that the finest specimen

By THOMAS A. CLARK Dean of Men, University of Illin (C, 1924, Western Newspaper Uni ETIQUETTE W HY do you not write a handbook of etiquette?" Sir Phineas Pigee asked me last evening as I was

dining with him at his lodging place. The question flattered me coming as it did from such a discriminating and talented writer, and, besides, there was upon me the urge of many experiences. I recognized at once the need of such a work though I was uncertain as to the demand. Only that morning as I was strolling in a leisurely and unobtrusive way to

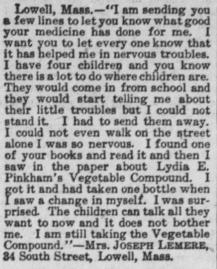
my office, I had been pushed into the mud by a group of frizzled-headed young women who occupied the whole breadth of sidewalk as they sloshed giggling down the street. When I uttered an involuntary word of protest. they gave me an insolent look.

A young hoob, whose name I did not know, accosted me as "Tommy" as he rushed by me-a salutation not wholly conventional and one which I have been wont to reserve for acquaintances of a somewhat more intimate character.

Being of a logical turn of mind, I began at once to organize my material, to select specific illustrations, and to decide upon the topics to be discussed. I should of course have to say something upon the use of the telephone in social intercourse, of the increasing habit of smoking in the presence of ladies-or gentlemen-of the proper lighting of dance halls, of the eliminating or ignoring of the chaperon. The local custom prevalent among newly engaged couples, and followed somewhat by those who contemplate such a relationship, of the young man's clinging persistently and tenaciously to the young woman whenever they appear upon the street, I should devote a chapter to. Attention given to the teeth, or the nails, or the complexion upon the street or in public gatherings will need to be discussed. How properly to wear the galosh should be defi-

nitely settled. A score of pertinent topics rush into my mind in quick succession, so that I feel confident that there will be no dearth of material when the volume is under way. It will not be out of place, I am sure, in such a work to say something in defense of conventionality, of respect

for authority and for the rights and feelings of others, of courtesy and kindness of heart, for some of these things are at the very foundation of the regulations which are supposed to control our social relations. There is a wide field for such a work, I can see.



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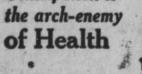
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of optimism he has ever seen is a man buying a bottle of hair tonic from a bald-headed barber.

A shrewd old doctor once said that in any disease for which there were a thousand remedies it was probable that none of them was of any value. This is true of baldness. Perhaps, in the early stages, stimulating treatment may be of some value. Wear hats as little as possible, and then only soft ones. Possibly you may stop the advance of baldness and keep what hair you have.

But, if you are really one of the bald-headed brotherhood, save your money. You were born bare-footed and you'll die bald-headed.

#### MORE SLEEP FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN

BEN FRANKLIN wrote his Poor Richard's Almanac over one hundred and fifty years ago. One of the most frequently quoted sayings in it was the one about "early to bed and early to rise." How many people this advice has made wealthy and wise, no one can tell. Certainly every one who has gone to bed early has been made healthler thereby. It used to be no hardship for the boy or girl to go to bed. There wasn't anything else to do. But now the movies and the radio are away coat buttoned over a gloriously a strong temptation, especially for school children.

In Sloux City, Iowa, the teachers found that the children were not getting enough sleep, so they started a "more sleep" campaign. They arranged to have the school physician and the superintendent talk to the parents on the need of more sleep for the children and the effect of too little sleep on the health, growth and school work of the children. A pledge was drawn up in which parents agreed to have their children in bed not later than 8:30 for grade pupils and nine o'clock for junior high pupils, five nights a week during the school year.

A house-to-house canvass was made: the superintendent offered a prize to the school which would secure the highest percentage of parents' signatures. Celluloid buttons, showing a clock face with the hands pointing to 8:30, were given to the children whose parents had signed the early-to-bed pledge.

Awful lot of bother, you say, to get children to go to bed early. Very true, but it is apparently necessary to make a game out of anything you want children to do. But the method didn't matter. It's the results that count. What were the results in Sloux City? "Healthier and more alert children, better lessons at school, betternatured children at home.

The growing child needs plenty of sleep. The child that stays up half the night is tired, cross and dull the next day. See that your child gets

THE DRY GOODS CLERK

funny colems in a daily newspaper,"

and Fenton, my neighbor who weighs

As for myself, perfect bliss has al-

ways seemed to me incarnate in the

young fellow who sold things in a dry

goods and gents' furnishing store.

If I could ever have helped out with

the Christmas trade at Gulick's who

ran such an emporium in our village.

I should have been content, and asked

for nothing in my Christmas stocking.

But such joy has always been denied

Herb Weston had charge of the

"gents' furnishings" in the store, and

he was to me the last word in sarto-

rial perfection, and the object of my

secret envy. He was plump and im-

pressive of physique, and his clothes

were without a wrinkle. He was considered the social dictator of the vil-

lage. He affected spats and a cut-

brocaded vest. His socks were radi-

ant; but the crowning feature of his

attire was a large pearl pin stuck at

a rakish angle through his cravat. It

seemed to my boyish eyes priceless

and unattainable. I have since, in

Rome, bought a handful . of similar

Young girls adored Herb; young

men envied him. He had such self-

possession, such assurance, such per-

fection of appearance and such opul-

ence. His salary, I was told, was \$40

I was too much of a yokel for him to

give me a thought. I came from the

farm and my clothes were common

and ill-fitting. He laughed at me one

day as he saw me mounting Moses,

our old gray horse, who was covered

with mud from rolling in the street

while I had been making some pur-

His cynical smile chilled me. That

was the end of my ambition. I real-

lzed with a sad heart that it was far

too high for my attainment and future events have proved that I was right.

a month! It seemed incredible.

jewels for three lire.

chases in the store.

an aviator.

me.

great preparation, send ten cents to Dr. E ACH of us cherishes a secret ambi-tion. I have no doubt. Our hired Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing, be sure and mention this paper.-Advertisement. man, who never succeeded in writing a complete sentence, and who would

and large.

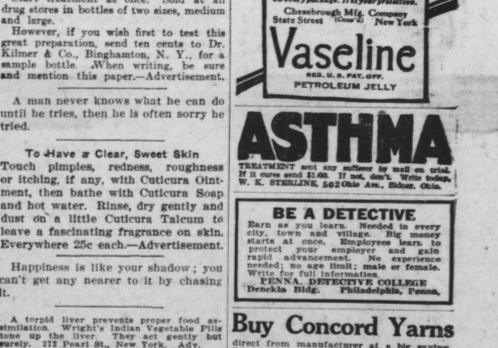
A man never knows what he can do not have recognized a joke if he had until he tries, then he is often sorry he met one face to face, confessed to me ence that he'd "like to run one o' them tried.

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POWDER

I have had to be contented with a humbler lot. Many Flavors of Honey The entomology department of the

University of Missouri discovered 43 distinct flavors of honey within the state." A few hives produced a honey of an onion flavor, which the bees had secured from the blossoms of a large patch of perennial onions. This honey was white like clover honey.