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**The Tenor's Part.**  
 Probably the composers are largely responsible for tenor worship. In Verdi's operas, with but a few exceptions, the tenor plays a more important part than the baritone or bass, and the same is true of other operas. Mozart's "Don Giovanni" being a notable exception. Wagner wrote one opera, "The Flying Dutchman," in which the baritone playing the hero is six of his works the supremacy of the tenor is indicated by the very titles—"Rienzi," "Tannhauser," "Lohengrin," "Tristan und Isolde," "Siegfried," "Parsifal." This being so, we shall probably continue to be subject to the tyranny of one tenor or another, unless it be true, as was maintained at a conference of French savants, that the tenor voice is a relic of barbarism, destined to become extinct.—Argonaut.

**Poems, Pictures and Songs.**  
 It takes all kinds of people to make up a world and all kinds of poetry to make up a world literature. Despite the efforts of the critics to lay down definite canons of judgment for the literary, pictorial and musical arts most of us continue to like a poem, a picture or a song for no better reason than because we like it. It appeals to us, and if it does that it is for us a true poem, picture or song. Whether it is to be classed among the great products of art is another question. That depends upon the universality and permanence of the appeal it makes.—Current Literature.

**Trifling Favors.**  
 Mrs. Jones—That old maid next door is the most brazen borrower I know! Mrs. Brown—Indeed! Mrs. Jones—Yes. Why, only yesterday she came over to inquire if she could borrow my husband for an hour to clean her sewing machine, thrash a man who had insulted her and discharge her cook.—London Scraps.

**Pretty Bad.**  
 "Well," asked Stinjay, "what do you think of the cigar? My doctor especially recommended that brand to me."  
 "H'm!" coughed Knox. "So he wants to cure you of the tobacco habit, eh?"  
 —Philadelphia Press.

**Her Mission.**  
 "She always reminds me of a public office."  
 "That's curious."  
 "Not so very. She's continually seeking the man, you know."—Chicago Record-Herald.

**Suspicious.**  
 Horse Dealer—"E jumps well, 'e trots beautiful, 'e's as quiet as a lamb, and I'll let you 'ave 'im cheap. Possible Purchaser—Why, what's wrong with him?"  
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**SHEPHERD CARVERS.**

The Lonely Sheep Tenders of the California Sierras.

There are few lonelier lives in the world than those lived by shepherds in the high meadows of the California Sierras. All alone they follow their sheep, seeing no one for many months of the year but the sheep, their dogs and perhaps an occasional—a very occasional—traveler. Probably this solitude dries up the springs of speech, for they are said to be very silent when they do encounter any one.

One of these strange men is a Basque from the Pyrenees. A lean, dark visaged, rangel fellow, he is new and then overtaken by some wanderer in the mountains. Along the trail before him his sheep feed. His mongrel collie hangs at his heels. He may raise his stick in mute salutation; he may stunch by without a sign. Yet this uncouth being has one talent—he can carve. His amusement is carving quaint sheep buckles out of bone. Every herd has its bellweather, about whose neck hangs a bell. The bell depends from a leather collar, and it is the buckles of these collars that this old Basque shepherd and some of these other Sierra shepherds make in the course of their lonely days. Sometimes a buckle represents a summer's work, for some of them are very elaborate. Some are in the semblance of saints or angels, some have the monograms of the sheep owners or of the shepherds in curious designs. All are patiently cut, bit by bit, with the pocketknife of the shepherd.—Exchange.

**DIET AND SLEEP.**

Eating Before Retiring and Digestion During Slumber.

Diet has little influence on sleep except in so far as it may produce disturbances of digestion and through these of the general balance of health. The hypnotic effects of certain foods, such as onions, lettuce, milk, etc., are chiefly imaginary. Even the time of the last meal of the day is of relatively little importance except that it is well to let this be at least two or three hours before retiring. But even this rule has many exceptions, as many healthy laboring men habitually fall asleep over their pipes directly after supper, and children after poking the spoon into their little eyes nod off over the tea table, with the bread and butter still clutched in their chubby fists. The processes of digestion probably go on more slowly during sleep, but they are perfectly carried out, as is illustrated by the almost invariable habit among animals of going to sleep directly after a meal.

Indeed, a moderate amount of food in the stomach or intestines seems to promote slumber. Many night workers, for instance, sleep much better for taking a light or even full supper just before retiring.—Dr. Woods Hutchinson in American Magazine.

**He Remembered.**

Commodore Vanderbilt was always very democratic in spirit. Sitting on the porch of a fashionable hotel at a fashionable resort on one occasion, it is related that the commodore saw a lady approaching with whom he was acquainted. His wife and daughter, who recognized her, could scarcely contain their anger when he arose and politely addressed her.  
 "Don't you know," asked the daughter after she had gone, "that horrid woman used to sell poultry to us?"  
 "Yes," responded the old millionaire, "and I remember when your mother sold root beer and I peddled oysters in New Jersey."

**Horse on Them.**

The wooden horse was standing before the beleaguered city.  
 "That seems a heavy beast," remarked Paris to Hector, surveying it critically. "Of what weight would you say it was?"  
 "Troy weight, of course," answered Hector. Whereat envy turned Paris green.—Harper's Weekly.

**She's a Real Jack-O-Lantern**

She's a real Jack-O-Lantern christened his new boat the Lobster. He—Yes, but it's no longer a Lobster. She Why? He—Because it turned turtle.—London Scraps.

**And the World Isn't Them!**

There are hundreds of men today who are richer than Monte Cristo ever dreamed of being.—New York Globe.

**No man is a hero to his wife's relatives.—Life.**

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**STATE PAWNSHOPS.**

French Rate Is 7 Per Cent—Sometimes No Interest Is Charged.

With none of the timidity or hesitation or the shamefaced aspect of our user of pawnshops does the Parisian perform his journey to the money lender. Far from feeling, after the door has closed behind him, that he is in the country of the enemy, the Frenchman can have his patriotic ardor at its highest, for over the pawnshop flies the tricolor of France instead of the gilded balls, and the guard at the door is a helmeted, white-gloved republican guard. The customary whispering as the borrower exchanges goods for cash is unknown. Borrowing is a business transaction with the government.

It is not out of appreciation of these conditions, of course, that 7,000 people daily visit the municipal pawnshops, but their business trip includes a knowledge of the fact that whatever profits will accrue to the establishments will finally go back to the people.

There is no haggling, says a writer in the Philadelphia Record. On jewelry four-fifths of the value of the object can be secured; on the other articles two-thirds. The interest is 7 per cent per annum. Should a borrower be in the unfortunate position of having paid interest for many years without being able to release the article the authorities will return it. When interest has not been paid the object in question goes to the auction, and then the righteousness of Paris pawnbroking is decidedly in evidence, for after the sale has been consummated and the original loan and interest are deducted from the money secured by the sale the surplus goes to the borrower. Should the money remain unclaimed it is turned over to the Paris hospitals, and, curiously enough, these hospitals profit to the extent of 100,000 francs a year.

When one has made a study of French pawnbroking laws it is easily seen that the first object served by these laws is to protect people who want immediate money advantages. France (and we may say France, for municipal pawnbroking is to be found in every corner of the country) cares little that many transactions are carried on at a loss. In one year of some 2,000,000 pawned articles in Paris 1,000,000 were effected at a loss, since no auction will bring a complete return on small objects. Of course this is offset by the return from loans on the other million articles, but should there be a deficiency the municipality has no hesitation in going down in its pockets and thus has an indirect mode of taxing the well to do to support the needy. Since no country has raised a cry against charity, this, as one form of it, can be passed without criticism. The fact is, money is lost on all loans under 20 francs.

The capital of the pawnshops consists of legacies, gifts and subventions of the state, department or the commune. Occasionally, as at Grenoble and Montpellier, the establishments are so well endowed that no interest is charged. Paris, for no unfathomable reasons, does the largest pawnbroking business on the continent, 34,000,000 francs being the average yearly pledges and 30,000,000 francs redeemed. The total revenue is 4,000,000 francs, the expense of management 1,500,000 francs, the interest on capital about 1,500,000 francs and the net profits 150,000 francs.

**A Resourceful Legislator.**

"It will be impossible for us to transact any public business tonight," said the president of the city council, "because of the lack of a quorum."  
 "Mr. Chairman," said the new member, arising quickly, "I have been elected on a pledge to my constituency that I shall work untiringly and unceasingly for the upbuilding and uplifting of our city, and I now and here move that a committee be appointed to consider the immediate purchase of as good a quorum as the market affords and that the committee be instructed to secure the quorum and have it properly installed by the next meeting night. And furthermore," he said, with a fine patriotic touch, "let us obtain a good American quorum and not one of those ancient Roman things!"—Success Magazine.

**YOUNG MAN HAS NEW THEORY**

Human Life Seems Centered In Stomach. All Else Is Secondary.

The immense success which has followed L. T. Cooper during the past year with his new preparation has exceeded anything of the kind ever before witnessed in most of the leading cities where the young man has introduced the medicine. Cooper has a novel theory. He believes that the human stomach is directly responsible for most disease. To quote his own words from an interview upon his arrival in an eastern city: "The average man or woman cannot be sick if the stomach is working properly. To be sure, there are diseases of a virulent nature, such as cancer, tuberculosis, diabetes, etc., which are organic, and are not traceable to the stomach, but even fevers can, in nine cases out of ten, be traced to something taken into the stomach. All of this half-sick, nervous exhaustion that is now so common, is caused by the stomachic conditions, and it is because my remedy will and does regulate the stomach that I am meeting with such success."  
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**PETITION FOR DISCHARGE.**  
 Petition of A. G. Milliren, administrator of the estate of George W. Henry, late of Winslow township, deceased, in the Orphans' Court of Jefferson county, No. 17, November term, 1907.

FOR DISCHARGE.  
 Nov. 11, 1907, petition of A. G. Milliren, administrator, presented and filed in open court, praying that he be forever discharged from his said office as administrator; whereupon the said court made an order that notice be given according to rule of court, returnable on Monday, December 16th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties interested can be heard to show cause, if any, why the said court should not make an order discharging the said A. G. Milliren as administrator.  
 J. B. NEANS, Clerk of the Orphans' Court.

**STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.**  
 You are hereby informed that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Summerville Telephone Company will be held at the office of the Company, on Main street, in the Borough of Summerville, on Wednesday, the 27th day of January, A. D. 1908, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the company for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.  
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