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Cure of the Insane

In earlier times the treatment of the insane was confined largely to taking care of them in their confinement. They were confined in asylums because it was not possible to care for them in their homes. Little effort was made to cure their malady. But of recent years these asylums have become hospitals, and remedial measures are taken for the relief of the patients from their trouble. Employment and amusement are provided for them, and the medical treatment their care calls for is given. The results from this system of treatment have been of the highest, the cases responding to proper curative measures being numerous. This is gratifying so far as it goes, but the public apparently has not been educated up to the necessities of the situation. Dr. T. J. Burgess, medical superintendent of the Verdun Hospital for the sane, Montreal, and formerly connected with the Hamilton institution, in his annual report states that, taken in its incipient stages insanity was, with rare exceptions, curable. The trouble was that, as a general rule, the relatives of an afflicted individual, provided he was not dangerous, allowed his complaint to become chronic before any action was taken. By such a course the work of hospital staffs was increased, and the chance of the recovery of the patient greatly diminished. There is a foolish notion prevalent that it is a disgrace to be mentally afflicted, and as a rule relatives try to hide those who thus suffer. Mental affliction is no more to be ashamed of than is physical affliction, and might as well put off calling the doctor for those suffering from some physical ailment, because they were ashamed of it, as put off the proper treatment of those mentally afflicted. It is a physical condition that produces mental derangement, and no time should be lost in seeking a remedy for this physical ailment.

Hicks' February Forecasts

A reactionary storm period will centre on and touch the 18th, 19th and 20th. Heavy sleet and snow storms will be renewed during this period, causing prolonged, winter storms and weather. These storms will reach their culmination on and about the 20th, the moon being full and in perigee on that day. West India hurricanes are probable at this period, on the gulf and in southern coast regions. Watch barometer conditions, and incipient storm developments at this time. Great blizzards and high, cold winds from the northwest will mark the closing stages of these storms. Think and plan beforehand and be master of their culmination. Others are confused and overwhelmed. A very marked seismic period will be central on the 20th, calling for earthquake reports from many extreme parts of the earth, from the 17th to the 23rd. Watch and see.

A regular storm period runs from the 22nd to the 27th, being at its centre on the 24th. The same astronomic causes are still in force at this time as during the preceding periods, calling for the same watchfulness and precaution. Equatorial gales and cyclones will move northward from the equator, possibly reaching our south coast regions at this time. Counter storms of rain, sleet and blizzards may be expected out of the northwest at the same time. Unseasonable cold will prevail far into the south during the last days of February. We desire to repeat the warning we have often given, that the growing strength of Earth's Vernal Equinox is felt all through the last half of February, so that tropical storms and hurricanes are not only possible, but probable in regions bordering on the gulf and South Atlantic states. It is always the part of prudence and common sense to be on the watch for such developments at this season. Hurricanes in the southern states are often the offshoots of these West India cyclones in February. At the same time some of our worst cold waves, and distressful storms out of the northwest, sweep southward over the country, as boreal counterparts to these equatorial storms in the south. Upon the whole, we predict that this February will be a month in which man and beast should be safeguarded against inclement, violent and dangerous weather conditions. It is a time when live stock is beginning to suffer and break down, under long exposure to the rigors of winter, and through lack of grazing and shortage of food. A point should be strained to tide animal life over the storm periods and aggravating inclemencies of this month. It will pay financially and it is entirely practicable, to all who will exercise proper forethought and planning. It is also a crisis in the public health, growing out of enervated bodies and exposure to icy, underfoot conditions. There is also much danger from ice gorges and floods along rivers and streams. Many lives are needlessly lost through all these things.

This is the season of the year when mothers feel very much concerned over the frequent colds contracted by their children, and have abundant reason for it, as every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality and paves the way for the more serious diseases that so often follow. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures, and is pleasant and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.

500 More Rural Routes

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 27.—Preparations are being made by the Post Office Department at the present time for this year's establishment and extension of new rural mail routes throughout Canada. During the past year some 450 new routes were started and about 500 more will be inaugurated this year. Most of them are in Ontario. The work is being steadily pushed forward, but no faster than efficiency and good business principles will admit. During the past year the number of routes was about doubled, so that to day there are going on a thousand routes with over 25,000 boxes. The plan of placing the service under a separate branch has allowed more attention to be given to the development of the rural routes. The carriers are now allowed to sell postage stamps and take applications and accept money orders and postal notes, so that to all intents and purposes they are now practically postmasters.

Meeting at Simcoe

At the first annual meeting held recently at Simcoe, of the Dairy Institute conducted by the local branch of the Department of Agriculture in conjunction with the Norfolk Holstein Breeder's Club. The following officers were elected for 1913: Hon. Pres., J. H. Lee, Simcoe, Pres., Wallace H. Maser, Tyrrell, 1st Vice-Pres., Edward Starling, St. Williams, 2nd Vice-Pres., P. H. Cherry, Garnet, Secy-Treas., J. Alex. Wallace, Simcoe, Hon. Director, J. E. Smith, Simcoe, Township Directors, Townsend, W. E. Hambly, Rockford, Elmer Wadley, Waterford, J. E. Ellis, Jarvis, Woodhouse, Ira N. Vail, Renton, Windham, J. H. Taylor, Scotland, Charlottetown, L. A. Everett, Victoria, N. Walsingham, W. Bowyer, Silver Hill, S. Walsingham, A. J. C. Denrick, Pt. Rowan, Middleton, G. B. Ryan, Courland. Feature of the evening was the announcement of a new Canadian class by the junior two-year-old class by the cow, Arctia Dekol, Tenssen, owned by Mason Bros., of Tyrrell.

Business and Religion

H. Z. Duke, of Dallas, Tex., owns twenty-one nickel stores in the State of Texas, and this week he began to devote the entire profits of these stores to the cause of religion. Three years ago Duke and his wife agreed to turn the entire profits of his stores over to the church when his savings invested in bonds and Texas realty should reach \$500,000. Recently the \$500,000 was completed. "I am a member of the First Baptist Church of Dallas," said Duke, "and I have succeeded because I gave to the Lord. No man, no matter what his condition, what his responsibilities, should give less than one-tenth to the church. Only then can he know the full benefits of religion. I have tried the Lord in this business way, and I would not more quit providing for my family. Luke vi., 28, says, 'Give me, and I shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give unto your bosom.' For with the same measure that ye mete withal it shall be measured to you again." "I have \$500,000 and I shall not add to it. Hereafter my twenty-one stores will work for the Lord. The profits will go to the support of missionaries, to pay ministers' salaries and otherwise help in redeeming the world." Not a few Scriptural texts might be quoted to show that it pays in a world-wise sense to lend to the Lord. Besides that, the man who governs his conduct according to holy will, if successful in business, be careful to husband his resources. He will not spend the money in riotous living or in foolish ostentation. Duke has amassed his fortune while he yearly gave a tenth of his income to religious objects. Of course, it seems ungrateful to criticize the conduct of a man who propose to do so much good with his wealth, but Mr. Duke did not need to confine his gifts to the Lord to one-tenth of his income. That, to our mind, was the minimum set for the giver. There was no limit to the donations. Perhaps if Mr. Duke had given the half of his income to such purposes, he would scarcely have missed it. Then again the retention of \$500,000 for his own use would needlessly large for a man who is so concerned about the salvation of others, much money may be turned over to the Lord by this gentleman's plan, but, as far as we can see, it involves little personal sacrifice on his part. We believe that the Duke's wife will still be a link larger in the eyes of the Almighty than will all the profits of the twenty-one stores. She gave all that she had and ran the risk of suffering much privation by her generous giving. Mr. Duke's personal comfort is well provided for. However, his money, if blessed, will do just as much good as though it represented as much to him as the mite did to the widow. And we cannot withhold our congratulations to Mr. Duke and his good wife for the good resolve they have made.

Help The Birds.

The nearest figures that can be had indicate that the annual loss to farmers through insect pests is no less than \$800,000,000, or at least ten per cent. of all the crop values of the nation. This loss would be immensely reduced if bird life was encouraged on every hand. Even if game birds were destroyed within limits through permission to sportsmen to hunt during some season of the year, the greatest army of small birds ought to be protected all the time and everywhere. Actual tests show an almost incredible capacity of birds to capture and devour insect life itself to multiply. Nature has provided the insect-eating birds to keep down the threatened surplus of insect life and man in America is doing his utmost to help the insects although they also eat into his interest to the extent of nearly a billion dollars a year.

A dog brought in the country is often meant to cross a city street. His experience of things that he must fear is limited to things he has to run away from or can escape in that way. The larger dog, the small boy, and the infuriated bull cannot be dodged by stepping aside and complacently letting them pass like city traffic. The speed of the motor car is a thing the country dog does not understand and many a fine animal falls a victim to it on our suburban roads. Some dogs learn their lesson slowly, others more quickly. In time all must learn or be punished. Every year the average speed of city traffic is increased and untrained dog has less and less chance to learn before it meets its death. The child of 4 set out on the street is the only play-ground for a large part of our population, and it is becoming yearly more congested with more rapidly moving traffic. If the progress continues as it is going the next generation will all be the most skillful of "artful dodgers." If another ten years elapses before the Grand Trunk elevates its tracks, it will be rather a relaxation of nervous tension to cross the rails where at least definite paths are followed, and no more than two trains are likely to be in sight at one time, as compared with crossing a busy Craig street corner, when from ten to thirty electric cars, grays and cabs are rushing east and west. Some of our autos now rush through the streets at a pace that must almost make the engine drivers of the railways envious.

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Tribute to the Dog

The best friend a man has in all the world may turn against him and become his enemy. His son and daughter that he has reared with loving care may prove ungrateful. Those that are nearest and dearest to us, those to whom we trust our happiness and our good name, may become traitors to their faith. The money that a man has, he may lose. It flies away from him perhaps when he needs it most. The people who are prone to fall on their knees to do us honor when success is with us may be the first to throw the stone of malice when failure settles its clouds upon our heads. The one absolute, unselfish friend that man can have in this selfish world, the one that never proves ungrateful or treacherous, is his dog. A man's dog stands by him in prosperity and poverty, in health and in sickness. He will sleep on the cold ground where the wintry winds blow and when the snow drives fiercely if only he may be near his master's side. The one who has hand that has no food to offer, he guards the sleep of his paper master as if that master were a prince. When riches take wings and reputation falls to pieces he is as constant in his love as the sun in its journeys through the heavens. And when the last scene of all comes, and death takes the master in its embrace, and his body is laid away in the cold ground, no matter if all other graveside pursue their way, there by the graveside will the noble dog be found, his head between his paws, his eyes sad but open in alert watchfulness, faithful and true even unto death.

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