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HEALTH EDUCATION

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Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health matters through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina Crescent, Toronto.

Mark Twain's opinion of man is not very flattering on occasion. He sees human weaknesses and limitations very clearly and tells about them in his own humorous and interesting way. "Man can't sleep out of doors or get into bed without freezing to death or getting rheumatism; he can't keep his nose under water over a minute without being drowned. He's the poorest, clumsiest excuse of all the creatures that inhabit the earth. He has to be coddled, swathed and bandaged to be able to live at all. He is a rickety sort of thing any way you take him—a regular British museum of infirmitates."

"He is always undergoing repairs. A machine as unreliable as he is would have no market."

"The lower animals appear to us to get their teeth without pain or inconvenience; man's come through after months of cruel torture at a time when he is least able to bear it. As soon as he gets them, they must be pulled out again. The second set will last for a while, but he will never get a set that he can depend upon until the dentist makes one. Man starts in as a child and lives on diseases to the end, as a regular diet. He has mumps, scarlet fever, whooping cough, croup, tonsillitis and diphtheria, as a matter of course. Afterwards as he goes along, his life continues to be threatened at every turn by colds, coughs, asthma, bronchitis, quinsy, consumption, yellow fever, blindness, influenza, carbuncles, pneumonia, softening of the brain, and a thousand other maladies

of one sort or another. He's just a basketful of pestilent corruption, provided for the sport and entertainment of microbes. Look at the workmanship of him in some particulars! What's his appendix for? It has no value. It's sole interest is to lie and wait for a stray grape seed and breed trouble. What is his beard for? It is just a nuisance. All nations persecute it with a razor. Nature, however, always keeps him supplied with it, instead of putting it on his head. A man wants to keep his hair. It is a graceful ornament, a comfort, the best protection against weather, and he prizes it above emeralds and rubies, and half the time nature puts it on so it won't stay."

Man isn't even handsome, and as for style, look at the Bengal tiger—that ideal of grace, physical perfection and majesty. Think of the lion, the tiger and the leopard, then think of man, that poor thing! The animal of the wig, the ear-trumpet, the glass eye, the porcelain teeth, the wooden leg, the silver windpipe, a creature that is mended, all from top to bottom."

We gather a grain of comfort on reading these remarks by remembering that Mark Twain was a humorist, and that in pointing out the defects and failings of mankind, he does not in his serious moments overlook the fact that in comparison with the animals mentioned, man stands far ahead in intelligence and general understanding. He is really not so bad as he is painted.

SPRING WEATHER HARD ON BABY

The Canadian Spring weather—one day mild and bright; the next raw and blustery, is extremely hard on the baby. Conditions are such that the mother cannot take the little one out for the fresh air so much to be desired. He is confined to the house which is often over-heated and badly ventilated. He catches cold; his little stomach and bowels become disordered and the mother soon has a sick baby to look after. To prevent this an occasional dose of Baby's Own Tablets should be given. They regulate the stomach and bowels, thus preventing or relieving colds, simple fevers, colic or any other of the many minor ills of childhood. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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The tears fill my astonished eyes And full my heart is like to break And yet 'tis all embarrased lies, A dream those little drummers make.

O it is wickedness to clothe Yon hideous, grinning thing that stalks Hidden in music, like a queen, That in a garden of glory walks, Till good men love the thing they loathe.

Art, thou hast many infamies, But not an infamy like this— Oh, snap the file and still the drum, And show the monster as she is. —Richard Le Gallienne.

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Self-Made Monarchs.

In many a group of the East or West, Indies, one hears now and then of a white man who has made himself the potentate of some little island unknown to the outside world. The Ross dynasty in the Cocos Islands is a famous case in point, and there are several others.

Early in the nineteenth century a certain French adventurer, Baron de Thierry, at the head of a hundred followers recruited in Australia, proclaimed himself King of New Zealand. He soon discovered, however, that to be a successful king a man must have money, and it was the lack of this that caused the desertion of his subjects and the consequent collapse of his "kingdom."

A man named Antoine de Tounens established a monarchy in Araucania, a country just south of Chile. Antoine was luckier than de Thierry in that he succeeded in escaping to France when his people rebelled against him. He died in 1880 in comparative poverty, bequeathing his crown to his secretary, who, however, wisely elected to govern his kingdom from the safe vantage-ground of his rooms in Paris!

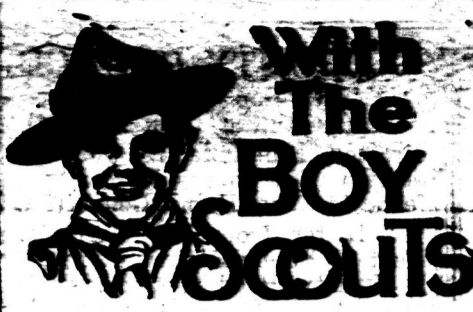
A self-elected potentate who wielded considerably more power than any of those already mentioned was William Webster, "King of Waiau." Webster, an American citizen, was formerly a ship's carpenter on a whaler, but had deserted and joined a little band of settlers scattered here and there in Auckland. The great Coromandel chief known as Hooknose took a fancy to this deserter, who married his daughter.

He then established trading stations all over the Gulf and Firth of Thames, through which he reaped a large profit when immigration to New South Wales began on a large scale, buying maize and potatoes from the natives and shipping them to Australia. He also kept a boarding house at the native village of Herkshire for the benefit of the numerous adventurers who kept coming and going.

Hard work may bring you wealth; saving it requires resourcefulness and often courage.

Flattery is the praise we hear given to other people.

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With The Boy Scouts

Fire Marshal Praises Scouts.

The Scout Troops of Woodstock recently had a visitor in the person of Deputy Fire Marshal J. W. Pointon, of Toronto, who addressed them on fire-prevention methods. Mr. Pointon made the statement that Woodstock was the first city he had found in Ontario in which the Scouts were taking courses of instruction on fire-prevention. Recently a fire was halted in its early stages by the good work of two Woodstock Scouts, this being a direct result of their training.

U.S. Scouts at Sarnia.

A splendid spirit of co-operation exists between the Boy Scouts of America and the Canadian Boy Scouts at all towns and cities along the Canadian-American border. This was recently demonstrated at Sarnia, where the Scouts of the 11th Port Huron Troop, Boy Scouts of America, presented their fine play, "The Boy Scouts," under the auspices of the 2nd Sarnia Troop.

A Library Helps Scouts.

Ashcroft, B.C., has a public library which takes particular interest in Boy Scout readers. The librarian, in addition to making available books on subjects of general interest to Scouts, has picked out a set of 66 books covering the 66 proficiency badges which Scouts can earn. This is a great help to the local troop. Show this note to your local librarian and see if something similar can be arranged for your troop.

A Boy Scout Orchestra.

Bridgeburg, Ont., has a fine Boy Scout orchestra. They recently gave their first public entertainment and were greeted by a splendid audience. Scoutmaster Bruce Hogg is the leader.

Mr. Irwin at Perth.

Assistant Provincial Commissioner Frank C. Irwin, of Toronto, spent an evening recently with the 1st Perth Troop. This is one of the oldest troops in the eastern part of the province and has been doing consistently good Scouting ever since its inception. It is fortunate in the possession of a very fine camp property on Rideau Lake, just at the end of the Tay Canal. Here it has a big stone house, a bunk house, row boats and a disappearing propeller motor boat. This property was given to the troop by a Perth lady who has always been most appreciative of the good work Scoutmaster Holmes has been doing for the boys of Perth.

An Old Boy Returns.

Way back in 1912 a little fellow joined the 10th Ottawa Troop under the then Scoutmaster, Mr. W. A. Proctor, and played away and worked away until he became a First Class Scout. But that was not enough; he sought knowledge, and finally there were 23 bright proficiency badges in rows on his arms. He kept on with the Troop through many affairs up hill and through defeat, but one day it changed



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its meeting place and then it became the 2nd Ottawa Troop. And still this Scout kept on. But one day he went away to school and his old friends at the Troop went along without him, until recently he came back. Now he is a man, but still a Scout. His name is Dr. Brathwait Dixon, and just the other day he accepted a place on the Executive Committee of the Ottawa Boy Scouts Association. So you see, Scouts, the old phrase of "Once a Scout, always a Scout," holds good. Dr. Dixon returns to active Scouting with the best wishes of all Scouts, old and new, and we hope that his new experiences will be as pleasant as his recollections of the old 10th and 2nd Ottawa Troops of thirteen years ago.

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The Same Pig.

A young wife went into a grocer's shop and said: "I bought three or four hams here a month or so ago, and they were fine. Have you any more of them?"

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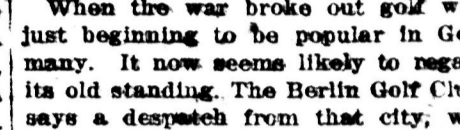
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