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Optimists and pessimists pull best together when they are far apart.

Ignorance covers a multitude of sins that always find a fellow out.

Economy is commendable, but excessive economy soon becomes damnable.

A girl with a new engagement ring seldom appears to be ashamed of her hands.

Some men put their best foot forward before marriage and into it afterward.

Of course, there is no law against fattening chickens on booze and then eating them.

If you pine for a happy home give your wife an occasional opportunity to complain.

Any one can buy a map of Europe, but it takes a prophet to trace the boundary lines.

Riding the waves is becoming popular in this country, especially if it is a wave of crime.

Yes, marriage will always be a certainty as long as we have people with unlimited courage.

Just to get ahead of our brother editors, we suggest that you do your Christmas shopping early.

When writing a letter in hopes that there will be no reply, just give it to your husband to mail.

It's no trouble at all to vindicate yourself when you can convince other people that you are vindicated.

When a girl accepts a fellow it is indication that she approves of the grade of candy he takes around.

If automobile thieves flourish much longer they will soon have to begin stealing the same cars over again.

Some people are seldom satisfied with this world until they reach the next and wish they were back again.

No, sister, the gink who put the jazz into music didn't put it in after all. He just crowded the music out.

Woman is presumed to be the weaker sex, but it's a difficult matter to convince some husbands of the fact.

Some nut arises to remark that the President is busy night and day. Just to vary the monotony he should make it day and night.

When a maiden discovers that she has fallen in love with the wrong fellow she has a perverse craving to dive in just a little deeper.

The woman who has health and wealth and youth and beauty and culture and influence soon pines for the things she can not get.

And here comes another strong argument for better country roads. A truck loaded with beer became mired in the mud and was captured.

The proposed middle class union appears to be making poor headway in the country. No one with spirit wants to admit that he is neither the top nor the bottom crust.

We thoroughly approve of Mrs. Hard when she says that the first duty of a wife is to look after her home and the comfort of her husband. That standard stuff will sure catch the men.

**THE MARRIAGE AND SAVAGERY**

THE persistence of divorce in "civilized" countries is becoming a portent to the morality of the Caucasian race.

In a certain savage country a woman goes and lives with a man a year or two "on trial." If both are satisfied they then are married, according to the regular tribal custom. If they are not satisfied with each other, they go their several ways and try again with other mates.

In "civilization" it is slightly different. They go to a minister and have a few words said over their bowed heads. Then, they, too, try it out. If not satisfied they go to a judge, tell a few harrowing stories, possibly a few lies, and are legally authorized to go out and try again with other mates.

Very simple, isn't it?

Not so much difference between civilization and savagery, is there?

We look down upon and pity the poor savage in his ignorance and superstition.

We contribute large sums that he may become "civilized" and in line with our own particular line of debauchery.

In our superior bigotry we chronicle the shortcomings of inferior races, unmindful of the fact that morality in some of these countries is far in advance of our own.

Without doubt there are occasions upon which divorce is preferable from a moral standpoint to longer living together.

But unquestionably a large percentage of divorces are granted upon flimsy excuses and perjured testimony.

If the party at fault in such an action were forbidden to ever marry again we might have fewer divorces and a greater number of reasonably contented homes.

If people could be brought to realize that the remedy is sometimes worse than the disease they might be induced to see a brighter light and make the best of a bad bargain.

"Civilized" morality is tottering in the balance, with the scales tilting in the wrong way.

**THEY CAME, THEY SAW, THEY LEARNED**

SOME distinguished Frenchmen have been interviewing American officials with a view to learning our attitude toward European affairs in general and Germany in particular.

They have learned, they are wiser, and we hope they are satisfied.

Americans are not keen on interfering with European affairs, and we are strenuously adverse to having them interfere with ours.

Our guests have learned that a community of nations that would preserve peace and yet not involve us in drastic measures against our will and traditional policy will undoubtedly be approved by a majority of our people.

They have learned that we believe Germany should be required to pay to the extent of justice and their ability.

They have also learned that we do not approve of cutting the German throat as an act of revenge.

In other words, America advocates a broad, just and humane policy, and endeavors to practice as she preaches.

We are pleased to have had our brothers from France with us, and we hope they come again. They will always find something worth seeing and learning in America.

The practice of pouring captured booze into streams is very disconcerting. It puts temptations in the way of the fish and makes a fellow wish he were one.

Never ask an undertaker why he takes notice when he sees a car hitting the high spots with a lady at the steering wheel. Candor in a reply is often embarrassing.

An exchange says that nine people are killed every hour in American accidents. Figured down to fractions, that means that every five minutes some poor hick is three-fourths dead.

The time to advertise is All The Time.

**AS THE EDITOR SEES IT**

HAVE you ever noticed the trend of movement in this country? It is worth a thought or two.

Booze is down and out, the fighting for a chance to stand again.

Tobacco is a target for the crusaders, who are determined that it shall follow booze.

Motor cars are flattening out the churches to such an extent that it is difficult to obtain an old time Sunday congregation.

Only three counts of the many, but they tell of the velocity of the wind of change and the way it blows.

EVERY few days we read in the daily press of the desperate plight of some disabled ex-service man, or of many of them.

When these men marched away to war the plaudits of a nation were ringing in their ears.

Since their return they have not received the assistance the nation owes them, but indifference and neglect instead.

Billions for American pleasure, and a pittance for gratitude.

Truly it is not an admirable trait!

A GREAT Chicago banker is out in an interview in which he "sees business on the recovery."

Other bankers have made the same statement, many times repeated.

But it will take something more than statements to put business back where it belongs.

Raw materials and wage conditions will have to be adjusted before any great amount of manufacturing will be done, and prices of all commodities will have to hit the new level before there can be any free and unrestricted interchange of business activity.

It will come in time, but time is more than a day.

"Seeing business on the road to recovery" is good, but feeling is better.

NOW that the country is beginning to forget what Mr. Lansing said, it might be interesting to hear what Mr. Wilson has to say.

Mr. Lansing, as you remember, wrote a book and gave some inside information regarding the doings of our American delegates to the peace conference.

The country talked and the newspapers roared for a period of two and a half days. Then we promptly forgot all about Mr. Lansing and his book and the peace conference in order to imbibe all of the thrills of the latest divorce scandal.

Probably by this time Mr. Lansing has himself forgotten what he wrote about.

We are a forgetful people. We crave a change to the exclusion of everything else.

The sensation of to-day is as dead to-morrow as the golden rule.

If Mr. Wilson doesn't dish up his reply soon we'll probably forget to even read it.

**TO LAY CORNER STONE OF BIRDSALL M. E. CHURCH**

The ceremony of the laying of the cornerstone of the Crittenden M. E. Church at Birdsall will take place Thursday, April 28, 1921, at which time it is expected to have several speakers present and everyone is invited to be present and hear them.

Rev. Wm. H. Leach, pastor of the Wilden Avenue Presbyterian Church at Buffalo, a son of the present pastor, will deliver the main address.

The corner stone, of blue marble

**Good and Beautiful**

Editor of the Jewell county, Kansas, Republican: send to his favored to his readers: "I have put more than 36 years of my life into the paper. Some folks say a man is a fool to put so much into a little country newspaper; but I say they have been brief and happy years and that they have brought me a great reward—the reward of enjoying everyone of them, the reward of happiness in my work and the reward of having a conviction that I was trying to serve a community and a people for whom I have a deep and sincere affection. What greater things has this world to give any man than these? The editor of this paper is trying just as hard as his Deacon Palmer to serve his community. Are you helping?"

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