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"If There is not a Way, Cut a Way."  
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## A NEW SUIT FOR BOTH

WHEN Spring comes around nearly everybody wants a new suit. They want to look the part. They don't want to be considered back numbers.

That is good as far as it goes, but it doesn't go far enough.

The home and its surroundings should keep pace with our personal appearance. It doesn't look "just in accordance with the fitness of things to trip along in new toggery and stumble over tin cans and other refuse in the front yard.

Get the new Spring suit, by all means. You will look good to others and better to yourself.

But let's dress up the old town at the same time. If every citizen would take proper care of his own premises there wouldn't be any eye sores left — there wouldn't be anything to criticise.

We could easily set out new shrubbery, and plant acres of beautiful flowers, and keep the yards and the parkways green.

We can not live forever, but we can enjoy life more while we are here if we go about it in the right way.

Now don't shrug your shoulders and say it is "too much of a job," for it is not. Nothing is a big job for the man who makes up his mind that the job is a small one.

Try it, and you will be surprised at what you can do.

Let's make it a new suit for both.

## NOT DEAD ENOUGH

LENIN and Trotsky, Russian bolshevik dictators, are dying again. According to newspaper reports, this is about the twentieth time they have died. Some day they will be as dead as the czar — and that will be some dead.

A few years ago Carranza ruled in Mexico — or that he did.

Senor Carranza was a man of many whiskers, and those whiskers bristled mightily and negatively whenever Uncle Sam was mentioned. We were eternally in trouble with our friends across the border.

But one day the Carranza whiskers ceased to bristle. The senor himself was dead — quite dead — dead all at once and with revolutionary suddenness.

Mr. Oregon became the man of the hour in Mexico, and we have since had very little trouble with our southern neighbors.

It is now even possible for an American to travel in Mexico without ordering his coffin in advance.

If Messrs. Lenin and Trotsky will expedite their final demise, and make a thoro and complete job of it, we may soon find conditions quite different in the land of the bolsheviks.

Mexico "came back" when the sore spots were removed.

It is even possible for Russia to do likewise — under like conditions.

## WHERE ARE YOURS?

THE dollar that stays in this town keeps traveling from one pocket to another, but it is always here. It does many people in this community a lot of good.

That is fine.

The dollar you send away from this town also keeps circulating from one pocket to another. It, also, does many people a lot of good, but those people are not of our community.

That is not so fine.

What becomes of your dollars?

If you have a secret that is worth keeping it is worth telling to your friends.

## TO-DAY

LIFE is a necklace made up of beads, each bead another TO-DAY.

To-day is a second in time — eternity back of it, eternity ahead of it.

Time never had a beginning, that is sure. Forever and forever back of you time stretches.

Time can have no end. That is absolutely sure. We may die, and the sun grow cold, every star fade from the sky, and force and matter become a formless chaos undirected. But time must go on.

Time without end or beginning, space without any possible limit. That is the awful combination that faces the man who thinks.

If he asks himself what he, a human insect, can do in the face of infinite time and infinite space, his answer is very simple.

Work to-day.

The work of the mind, plus the hours of to-day, makes up all that there is worth while of the human race.

Keep this great word TO-DAY in your mind always. Don't delude yourself with visions of what may happen to-morrow, and don't weaken yourself with useless regrets for what happened yesterday. Always say: "There was no yesterday, there never will be a to-morrow. But TO-DAY I shall do it."

We human beings naturally put things off. We will play a game, or run, or eat or do any animal thing NOW. But that which requires self-control, BRAIN work, we instinctively postpone until to-morrow. For we are animals still. The muscles work readily, the brains reluctantly.

This idea about the biggest word — TO-DAY — is as old as the race, as old as the oldest inhabited planet sailing around the oldest of all the millions of suns.

And yet it is a new idea for every young or old man or woman, because every to-day is new.

There you sit, or stand, as you read this.

On your watch the second hand is flying rapidly around. That represents YOU.

And the minute hand is going slowly. That represents your nation and its history, and the hour hand is going so slowly that you cannot see it move. That represents the history of the world.

You are the little second hand, short in life. Each year is to you what a second is to that second hand. It makes one circle of sixty and then makes another.

But when you have made your circle of sixty your work is nearly done. You may live a little longer, but you are like the old pack of cards. Life is no longer using you in its game.

Unfortunately, only the old know the value of the to-day so often neglected.

"Young men think that old men are fools. Old men KNOW that young men are fools," — so said an old writer.

Young or old, he is a fool who makes any plan, deludes himself with any idea, scheme or hope, in which to-day is not the chief ingredient.

If you cannot do it now, or begin to do it, lay the foundation of it, you will never do it.

Sick or well, poor or prosperous, old or young, this to-day is your only chance.

Not planning and hoping, but doing, is what counts, and everything that has ever been done in all the thousands of billions of centuries that time and matter had lasted before this world began, was done in some TO-DAY.

You will succeed if you take the word "To-day" as your controlling word in life.

**O'NEILL'S**  
34 Main St., Andover, N. Y.

## Saturday Specials

## Hot + Buns

2 lbs. Soda Crackers .....	25c
Best Red Salmon .....	22c
Best Pink Salmon .....	12½c
O'Neill's Coffee .....	25c
Sea Shell Macaroni .....	15c
Ivory Soap .....	3 bars 20c
Ciscoes .....	3 lbs. 25c
Davis Baking Powder .....	18c
Sunmaid Raisins .....	2 lbs 25c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes .....	7c
Bacon Squares .....	18c lb.
5 lbs. Mecoia Nut Oleo .....	\$1.20
Roast Beef, 2 lb. can .....	25c

Try us this time

# Footwear For Easter

Your costume is incomplete without a new pair of custom finished shoes, and in the group we are now offering are four new models from the P. W. Minor Shops in all sizes and widths.

Vici Kid Strap Pump .....	\$6.00
Patent Oxford Goodyear Welt .....	\$6.75
Patent Turn Strap Pump .....	\$6.95
Gray Suede Strap Pump .....	\$7.50

## SPECIAL

Friday and Saturday

Women's strap pumps and oxfords in patent leather, black, vici and brown calf leathers.

\$3.45

**James P. Cannon Company**

Store Open Every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday Nights

# YOUR HAT IS HERE



The new spring styles just received are the niftiest we have shown in a long time. All shades and shapes \$3.00 to \$6.00. Step in.

**Fashion Park Suits** A new lot received this week in the new styles and patterns. \$35.00 to \$45.00

**Style-Plus Suits** The suits received this week for Easter selling are the last word. \$25.00 to \$35.00. Look them over.

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