

Calendar for 1918.

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THE PERILS OF THE SURF.
A Description of the Life Saving Service of the United States—Interesting Particulars.

The traveler who, approaching the Atlantic coast by night at this season of the year, sees a continuous line of lights up and down the shore as far as his vision can reach, has little idea in general of the elaborate arrangements that are made by the government to save his life, should accident or mismanagement put his vessel in peril. The men attached to the 150 stations of the United States life-saving service are continually patrolling the beach, and every night the light of their bright lanterns can be seen in an almost unbroken line, from the uppermost point of Maine to the lowest point of Florida. The harder toward the south, the more watchful are they in their vigils; and it would be almost impossible for an unfortunate vessel to be in distress anywhere along the coast without being speedily seen. Every one of the stations is under charge of a competent keeper, but this is not enough for the purposes of the government, and each year the stations are all visited and rigidly inspected by the assistant inspectors of the department—competent officers from the United States revenue marine service. This inspection is made as early in the winter as practicable, to get the squads well organized for the coming year.

The life-saving station at Point Judith, R. I., is a fair sample of those to be found all along the coast. A two-story frame house, sealed without and within, small, but substantial, with a tall flag-staff projecting from its roof. On the ground floor, with a huge door opening on the sea front, is the boat-room, the largest in the house. Back of this is the living room for the crew, clean, and well warmed by a huge stove. Up stairs are three sleeping rooms, each containing several iron cots well supplied with plenty of thick blankets. The crew consists of a keeper and six surfmen. They are taught that their first duty is to save life. When they can rescue property from destruction, they are to do it, but nothing is to prevent them from endeavoring, first, to rescue every soul in danger. For this purpose they are first instructed in the method of reviving apparently drowned persons. Every station is provided with a case of restoratives, containing two bottles of brandy, two of sherry, a bottle of snuff, one of ammonia, and a preparation of iron to be used as a styptic on wounds. Also a box of prepared mustard plasters, a roll of adhesive plaster, a bundle of flannel for rubbing, sponges, bandages, and a number of probangs for cleaning out the mouth and throat.

Deko's Eventful Life.
A recent number of the Detroit Free Press tells the following story of a brave Newfoundland dog. The propeller Maine of the Northern Transit company called at this port Friday, bound down on her way from Chicago to Ogdensburg, and among the through passengers was Mrs. W. J. Reilly and Hetty, her seven-year-old daughter, who were going to their home in Albany, N. Y. While the boat was moored to the Northern Transit company's wharf at the foot of Third street, the little girl engaged in a play with Deko, a large Newfoundland dog, who is a fixture at the wharf, and as well known in the vicinity as any of the many boats which call there. They were having a glorious time, when the girl ran along the wharf toward the stern of the boat, and with her head partly turned to look at the dog, she ran headlong off the wharf into the water. Deko stopped an instant, as though shocked, then sprang into the water near to where the girl was floating, supported by her dress and cloak, and about ten feet from the wharf. Being one of her shoulders in his huge mouth, the noble dog supported her until a small boat put out and she was rescued from her perilous position.

An Alpine Avalanche.
In the summer of 1917, a party of tourists, while visiting the Alps, climbed, with great difficulty, to an elevated and snow-covered plateau, in order to obtain a better view of Swiss scenery, and contrast the beauty and snowiness of the mountain with the bleakness and sterility of midwinter around and above them. In play they rolled the moist snow into large balls; they crowded it over the edge of the plateau. In doing so, they started an avalanche which rapidly grew, and soon an avalanche was tearing down the mountain side, burying and destroying everything in its course. As the handful of snow became the irresistible avalanche, the party fled in panic, and the snow, if neglected, would have speedily developed into a deadly destroyer of life. In the early stages, Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy will effect a cure, though if the blood be affected or complicated it must be purified and enriched by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and the liver and bowels kept active by his Pleasant Purgative Pellets. Many who despair of life and had been given up to die by physicians, and who had given up hope, have recovered, owe their restoration to the use of these remedies.

LABOR SCHOOLS.
The Subject of Industrial Education as Viewed from an English Standpoint.

A remarkable report has lately been published by the University of Cambridge, England, on the subject of industrial education, from which we make the following interesting extracts:

Premising that since workmen cannot come to the university, it is the university's duty to go to them, it proposes to open a course of specific training, not for the so-called liberal professions, or for middlemen of any kind, but for the veritable producers.

Since the decay of the old apprentice system very little has been done for the education of labor. It is plain that the establishments known under the name of ragged schools, merely belong to the class of industrial seminaries. As their title indicates, these industrial institutions receive the children of poor parents, or orphans, afford them lodging and nourishment, and employ them in various trades. The extreme youth of these children—they graduate, as a rule, at the age of fifteen—prevents them from receiving a substantial technical training. On the other hand, considerable progress has been made in this direction by certain countries on the continent, and some examples especially worthy of imitation are pointed out in this report.

Industrial schools seem to be quite numerous in the German Empire and Austria, in Denmark, Sweden, Holland and Belgium. They are generally known as "apprentices' workshops," but they combine theoretical with practical instruction, and presuppose graduation from primary schools. In Belgium pupils are admitted from the age of twelve, or even earlier, if they can show the requisite measure of elementary knowledge.

In Holland the most important technical academies for producers are those of Amsterdam. The school for boys, founded in 1861 by the "Society of the Working Classes," was designed to train workmen for those trades which are connected with architecture and shipbuilding. The course of instruction lasts three years, and includes besides ordinary studies, supplementary of primary requirements—the elements of mechanics and natural history, the art of drawing, the study of tools and materials, carpentry, masonry, the use of the lathe and the forge. The pupils must be at least thirteen years of age, and have received a good elementary education. They are required to pay an annual fee, which does not exceed, however, thirteen dollars. There is likewise a training school for girls in Amsterdam, whose management has been attended with good results, because it has avoided the common error of wasting time on lady-like accomplishments.

Passion for Wealth in California.
We find this in a San Francisco letter: Men here only think of making a round million of dollars. This is their great aspiration. Whenever you see a knot of business men and hear them talk about money matters, their talk runs in hundreds of thousands of dollars and millions. Some business transactions, some scheme they have in view, is going to prove to them a bonanza. They are all the time looking for a way to get rich. They have a terrible longing for fashionable life. They think of ease and money, and would make life a complete holiday. Dresses and diamonds, the opera and theatre, a never-ending round of social gaiety and frivolity constitutes the height of female ambition here. I was dining with a friend at the Grand Hotel, and opposite us sat three young ladies engaged in an animated conversation. "When I marry," said one, "I shall marry a millionaire." "And I, too," rejoined another, "Nothing short of a man with plenty of coin for us to fool away. That's what we Frisco girls want." I don't wonder at these longings for wealth. There is everything to prompt them. There is no city in the world that can show such an array of millionaires in proportion to the population as San Francisco. There are over forty men here whose fortunes exceed four millions of dollars each. There are as many more whose wealth is from one to three millions each. None of these fortunes were inherited, but were acquired by business and speculative operations, and all within a period of twenty-five years. None of the millionaires here have passed the prime of life, and they are all as eager in their pursuit for riches as those who enjoy no reputation for opulence. The passion for great wealth here is unprecedented. It is the end and aim of both sexes, and all they desire to attain.

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Runaway Boy Invited Home.
The Logansport (Ind.) Phoros contains the following: On the 11th of last August Edwin Rock Taylor, a lad fourteen years of age, five feet high, square build, large blue eyes, freckled face, uneven teeth, and of polite and manly bearing, left his father's home in this city. He was afterward seen in Lafayette, Ind., but before his father could reach there he had taken his departure. Paul Taylor, Esq., the father of the boy, is a worthy and highly respectable citizen of this city. While he and his excellent wife were mourning over the boy who had causelessly strayed from his comfortable home, a still greater affliction was visited upon them. In one week four of their remaining children died of diphtheria, three of whom were buried in one day. It is believed that if the affliction that has fallen upon his fond parents was known to the absent Edly, he would return at once to his home.

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Lamb	04 1/2	05 1/2
Cotton	5 45	61 1/4
Wheat	6 40	79
Barley	78	80
Rye	77	78
Corncob	83	40
Hay	83	88
Straw	14	25
Pork	18 00	06 1/2
Butter	20 00	30
Eggs	21 00	22

There was an accidental shooting case under unusual circumstances in Philadelphia recently. Lewis Myers, a barber, had been paying attention to Pauline Streicher, aged fifteen, who lived with her aunt. But she had forbidden him the house because he always came with a loaded revolver. However, he came again, drunk, with Henry Russell, a glass-blower, aged nineteen. She was out and they sent her on. Her arrival Myers took out the revolver again, but Russell, who was a stranger at the house, seized it and took it away from him. Russell was seated at a table by the side of the girl trying to remove the cartridges, when the pistol went off, the ball passing through the girl's heart, and she fell dead. She was the oldest of eleven children and her father lived in Pittsburg.

Bob Ingersoll once gave an ingenious explanation, at a Parisian dinner party, of the American practice of carrying weapons. A French guest, turning to Ingersoll, exclaimed: "Will the colonel explain this matter? Why, Messieurs, I can travel all over France armed with only a bodkin." The colonel rose to his feet: "A Frenchman's rights are so few in number and so insignificant in character that they can be enforced with a bodkin; or, for that matter, with a toothpick; but in America a citizen's rights are so numerous and important that he needs a whole arsenal to defend them. Hence the practice of carrying weapons in America."

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