

OWNING THE EARTH

A BIT OF ADVICE TO MEN WHO ARE MARCHING THEIR WAY UP TO THE TOP OF THE HILL.

From the Milwaukee Sun.

How often we hear men say "I am glad of it," when speaking of some man who has been at the top of the heap, politically, socially or financially, and has suddenly dropped. Once or a great while a man says "I am sorry," but that is when the man who has fallen was the same kind of a fellow when he was on the top that he was before he got there.

A ward politician who becomes a Congressman, can make no greater mistake than to get too big for his boots when he is elected, and forget his friends, and put on airs. The boys who have made him what he is, talk with each other about him, and laugh at his greatness, and never tell him what they think, but some day when he comes up again to his old haunts, and he dies on the political sidewalk and never knows what hit him, but he knows that he is hurt. Then he tries to smile at his old friends, and slap them on the shoulders, and explain himself, but it is everlastingly too late.

What they wanted was to have him remain just the same when he was on top. A man may go along, poor, and be respected and have thousands of friends, and he may suddenly have a fortune left him. The first time he puts on a silk undershirt he changes toward his friends and seems to own the earth. He goes around the block to avoid meeting some friend of the old days, and he looks over them when he meets them. They watch him, and when he goes down to earth again, and finds that the other fellows own some of it, he needs an old friend that he has not noticed for years and says: "Hello Bill," but Bill does not "hello." Bill has wanted to "hello," for some time, but he didn't receive any encouragement, and now his appetite for "helloing" has left him. If he wants to "hello Bill," he goes out and does it with somebody whose head has not got too big for his hat, and the man who has been temporarily at the top of the heap sees that he has made a fool of himself. When a man has been climbing a hill all his life, and slipped back so much that it has made his head swim, but finally by sticking his toe into the top of the hill, he has a right to feel glad, but he wants to be contented where he is, and not try to fly high.

When he gets to the top of the hill he is in a more dangerous position than when he was climbing, because from where he stands it is down hill in every direction. Did you ever think of that, boys? Every day you look when you get up there, it is down hill, and you have to brace yourself; and not lose your head, or the first thing you know your foot will slip, and you will go down head over heels. If you have not your head and your friends, while you were at the top, and those who are still climbing see that you are letting your foot slip, they will try to brace you, and keep you up, but if you have an axe of yourself, and thought because you had got there that you owned the hill, and have thrown obstacles in the way of the other climbers, and you start to come down, as Josh Billings said, "All creation seems geared for the occasion," and when you go to going nobody will reach out to save you. It is a good lesson to learn, as well as men to learn, that the top of the hill is the most dangerous place, and when they get there they will be the same careful, sensible persons that they were looking their toes into the top of the hill.

The country is full of late politicians who would gladly give all they have got, and mortgage all they expect to have, if they had not lost their heads when they got to the top of the hill.

Farmers and their Health

By "farmers" we include, of course their wives and children, and we have often thought, with a general lack of precautions for preserving health, what wonderful constitutions we have inherited. Were it not that we have had a great store of vigor from our ancestors to draw upon, we should have been long ago a nation of invalids. But as we cannot always draw upon a bank account without adding to its deposits, so, sooner or later, if we continue to violate all the laws of health, our drafts will be met with "no funds." The farmer, of all men, needs health, and farmers, as a rule, are the most healthy of all people, and this is in spite of a general neglect of the sanitary laws. If we were to say that we proposed to make some "Hygienic Suggestions," they would probably be passed by. So we give some suggestions about keeping well. One of the general rules given for every one, in all climates, is to take a daily bath, or at least, a bath once in 48 hours. A daily bath is generally understood, it is impossible to most farmers; but a pail of water and a large towel is within reach of every farmer and every one else. Wet one end of the towel, and go over the whole body, and rub dry with the other end. If two towels can be afforded, all the better, but a large one, properly used, will answer. The comfort of a bath of this kind to the farmer after a day's work in the field, when his skin is covered with dust, has only to be experienced to make it a custom. The caution is: bathe so quickly, and rub dry so briskly, as not to get at all chilly.

On going to bed, change the clothes, and if those taken off are to be worn next day, turn them so that they may air and dry thoroughly. In casting, especially in warm weather, "go slow." Do not come in, hot from work, and at once sit down at the table, but take time to cool off, and at meals, eat slowly. Many a man, who has done a day's work, has wasted while it is of the greatest importance. Eat slowly and chew well. If you can prolong the time at meals by pleasant conversation do so. Do not be in a hurry to resume work after meals in hot weather. Take a long nap. Better spirits, and increased vigor and strength, will far more than make up the time taken to rest.

A general fault of our sleeping rooms is lack of ventilation. One reason for this is the attempt to keep out flies and mosquitoes, by closing the rooms during the day. Frames under mosquito netting will keep out insects and allow of needed ventilation.

Farmers who work all day, are not often troubled with sleeplessness, insomnia, as it is called; yet it is in some cases a disease, and the more fatigued one may be, the less he is inclined to "go to sleep." A break walk before bed-time, and a sponging of the whole body, with a wet towel around the head, will often break up the very unpleasant habit.

Farmers are not apt to notice their teeth. Every one should have a tooth-brush, not too hard, and brush the teeth, using water freely, on going to bed and again on rising.—American Agriculturist.

Reading Aloud

It is strange that in a country whose language is stored full of the choicest works of the human mind and whose population is, as a whole, so well educated, reading aloud as a source of amusement and means of enjoyment is so little resorted to. There are many families—even in book-loving New England—there are scores of families, we dare say, where a book or a chapter of a book, is never read to the family circle from one end of the year to the other. The individual members of the family read, but all reading done in the family is silent reading. Father has his paper; mother her tract; Mary her novel; Johnny his story of wild adventures. Reading, there is enough of it; but each one reads for himself. There is no reading for the whole, and no grouping of the family into an audience for an evening's enjoyment such as comes to people who hear a good bit of writing well read.

Only those who have visited in families where the gift of reading was cultivated as a source of family enjoyment, and the custom of reading aloud to the family practised, can imagine what a help and blessing to the family life such a habit is. Music is well enough in its way, but its range of expression is narrower than that of reading, and for that matter far less practical in its adaptation to the family wants. Then, too, singing requires an instrumental accompaniment, and a piano costs money and requires too much practice on the part of the performer to be available for the many. The art of reading is easily acquired and cheaply taught, and the expressions of literature are abundant and varied. If sorrow be fallen on the family, the needed antidote can be found both in prose and poetry. If fun is called for, fun can be had at the asking; for the language is full of humour so quaint and subtle that the bare recital of the author's words brings the point out and "sets the table in a roar." History, tragedy, comedy, wit, pathos, sublimity—every spring at which the human mind may drink can be opened, and the sweet water be given freely to every one.

How cosy these home readings may be made! Warmth, light, companionship, culture, happiness, are all included in them. Next to the intercourse of love as a means of drawing families together is the influence of intellectual fellowship. Cultivate this, good friends, and see how satisfactory will be the result.—The Golden Rule.

A Frenchman has invented a glass with which one can see the bottom of a river or lake for one hundred feet around him. The man who has fished all day without a bite can take this glass and discover that he has been angling among old boots and old oyster cans.

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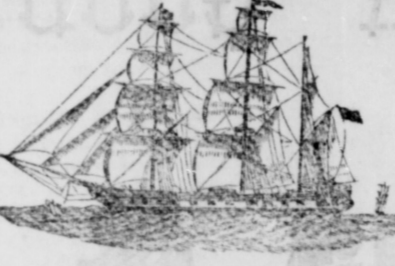
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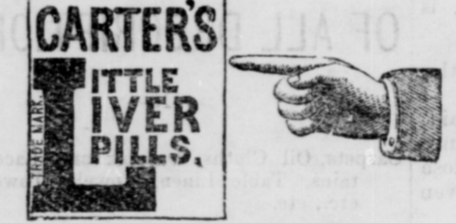
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