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"Please move on."

"Why should I move on?"

"You are blocking the traffic."

"I am not interfering with anyone."

"Your standing still and doing nothing is going to cause an obstruction here; you must please move on. Keep moving. You can go that way, or that way, but you can not stand still; you must move."

My brother, my sister, you can not stand still in this life. The moment you stand still you say, "I am just going to be an onlooker; you become an obstacle to others."—G. Campbell Morgan.

ITEMS OF NEWS.

Mr. Harry Dawe, of the Western Union Staff, Heart's Content, is in town. His many friends are glad to see him back, and hope his stay will be very pleasant.

The Sale of Work and Tea, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the C. L. B., held in Cable Hall on the nights of Feb. 12th and 13th, was very successful. The booths and tables were prettily decorated and arranged, and were well patronized. The Band of the brigade was in attendance and furnished an excellent treat to lovers of instrumental music. The proceeds were very large, and was very encouraging to the ladies.

There passed away on Sunday, Feb. 11th, after a lingering illness, Ellen, relict of the late Stephen Delaney. The esteem in which she was held was manifest by the large number which followed her remains to its last resting place. She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Veronica, two sons, Philip and Arthur, to whom the sympathy of the community is tendered in their great loss.

During the recent heavy frost Bay Roberts harbor has become frozen over, the ice-sheet, extending out to the points. Skating has been excellent, and throngs have taken advantage of the good weather to enjoy the healthy recreation. Hockey matches have been played, and it is hoped the ice will continue in good condition for a long while, so that all may have a chance of enjoying this particular form of pleasure.

Huxley says, "Life is like a game of chess in which the chessboard is the world, the pieces are the phenomena of the universe and the rules of the game are what we call the law of Nature. The player on the other side is hidden from us. But the hidden player is always fair, just and patient. We know, however, to our cost that he never overlooks a mistake or makes the smallest allowance for ignorance. To the man who plays well, the highest stakes are paid; with that sort of overflowing generosity with which the strong shows delight in strength. And one who plays ill is checkmated without haste, but without remorse."

MIXED

The funniest mispronunciations, or misuse of words, says a writer in the Outlook, that I have ever read of are, in their order of appeal to me:—The little girl who wrote her grandmother about having attended a "Christian and devil" meeting at church. Three answers to "exam" questions: "A plagiarist is a writer of plays;" "a demagogue is a vessel containing beer and other liquids;" "a vacuum is a large empty place where the pope lives."—Sel.

WELL-PRESERVED FOWLS

"For sale," runs an advertisement in a California paper, "about seventy year old Leghorn hens; good layers." We know that the climate of California conduces to health and longevity, but we never supposed hens could attain such age even in California.

NOT SO DOWN IN THE MOUTH

Joe: "Did you get much relief when you went to the dentist?"
Jim: "Yes. The dentist wasn't home!"

"Penitence is not an opportunity to sin; it is an opportunity to refuse to sin."

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

Marseilles, Feb. 14.—Smyrna Harbor is strewn thickly with mines that extend out to sea for a considerable distance, says the captain of the Pierre Loti which arrived here this morning.

Halifax, Feb. 15.—Bernar Dollamont, fireman on the Dominion Coal Steamer Watuka, a native of Newfoundland, fell between the pier and steamer when boarding the ship at one twenty this morning at South Terminal. His cries for help told the shipmates of his plight but the body has not yet been located.

Toronto, Feb. 13.—Yesterday's death toll in Toronto from influenza and pneumonia, the heaviest to date in the present epidemic, is fourteen from flu and eighteen from pneumonia.

London, Feb. 14.—It is understood in official circles that the Allied note on the withdrawal of warships from Smyrna declares the Turkish demand is unacceptable. The armistice conditions signed when Turkey capitulated at the close of the great war are held by the Allies to be still in force, and they are entitled to maintain warships at Smyrna.

Berlin, Feb. 14.—A strong French force, including cavalry and artillery, occupied Gelsenkirchen today, according to a semi-official agency despatch, disarmed the German police officials and removed them. Late in the afternoon the whole force withdrew, taking with it the Mayor, President of the local bank of the Reich bank and other officials.

London, Feb. 13.—The French have arrested six policemen of Gelsenkirchen charged with assault upon French officers, and the despatches say the court martial is likely to result in death sentences.

Sydney, Feb. 13.—An immediate and complete tie-up of the whole steel and coal industries of Nova Scotia is feared here to-night as the result of a walk-out today of more than four hundred steel workers employed at the local British Empire Steel Corporation plant. At first about thirty quit work, but the strike has spread with amazing rapidity since noon, and it is feared hundreds more will join the walk-out to-morrow. The most serious possibilities of all lie in the recently concluded alliance between the steel workers and miners. J. B. McLachlan, Sec. Treasurer, Alex McIhtyre, Vice President, and other United Mine Workers leaders are already in conference with officers of the Steel Workers.

Evidences of growing unrest among industrial workers has been pronounced for several weeks past. Not the least notable feature of the strike is its spontaneous character. No strike order was issued; the men simply walked out. The spark that fired the train was the discharge of a spare supervisor in the nail mill. The Company claimed the man defied official authority, and the discharge was made to enforce shop discipline. The Steel Workers claim the man was fired primarily because he was an active Union man. There the matter stands for the present, with the Company mainly concerned with looking after the blast furnaces and other property, while the strikers and sympathizers are working hard to extend the walkout to all other parts of the plant.

Sydney, Feb. 13.—This strike has been precipitated by an incident which is only one instance of the persistent persecution of union workers in the employ of the British Empire Steel Corporation. Foreman Waye, M.P.P., official spokesman for the striking steel workers, declared in a statement to the Canadian Press tonight: "This fight is to establish the right of any man not only to join a Union and take active part in its work, but also the right to pursue those activities without being persecuted, singled out for discrimination or placed in fear of his job. This persecution must stop. I am now in Conference with the United Mine Workers, and unless we get justice I expect to see the whole of district 26 out in support of us." Questioned as to the strength of the Union, Mr. Waye said, "actually about 75 per cent are enrolled; morally 100 per cent are with us."

Confidence is the Napoleon in the mental army. It doubles and trebles the powers of all the other faculties. The whole mental army waits until confidence leads the way.

Our seasons of discouragements are but wasted time on the road.

SPURGEON'S BELIEF.

When a man gets to cutting down sin, piling down depravity, and making little of future punishment, let him no longer preach to you. Some modern divines whittle away the gospel to the small end of nothing.

They make our Divine Lord to be a sort of blessed nobody; they bring down salvation to mere salvability, make certainties into probabilities, and treat verities as mere opinions. When you see a preacher making the gospel small by degrees and miserably less, till there is not enough of it left to make soup for a sick grasshopper, get you gone. As for me, I believe in the colossal; a need as deep as hell and grace as high as heaven. I believe in a pit that is bottomless and a heaven that is topless. I believe in an infinite God and an infinite atonement; infinite love and mercy; an everlasting covenant ordered in all things and sure, of which the substance and reality is an infinite Christ.—Spurgeon.

THE LAUGH LINE.

Dolly Nowitt: "D'ye know, Miss Smart, though I've only just met you, there seems to be a sort of intellectual sympathy between us? You know just how to appeal to my tastes you see. Are you a literary woman?"
Dolly Smart: "No; I'm a kindergarten teacher."

Uncle Eph had longed boasted that he had never needed the services of a doctor, but now he was ill, and his neighbor felt that the time had come when a physician should be called.
"Come, now, Uncle Eph," said she, "we will call whomever you wish—you know there's a good allopath and a good homopath, and there's a new doctor, an osteopath. Now, who'll you have?"
"Wal," drawled Uncle Eph, "I dunno ez it matters—they do say that all paths lead to the grave!"

Dressed in the latest and most approved motor-cycling costume, with goggles all complete, the motorcyclist gaily toot-tooted his way by Regent's Park towards the Zoo.

Suddenly he slackened, dismounted, and said to a small grubby urchin: "I say, my boy, am I right for the Zoo?"

The boy gazed at so strange a sight, and thought it must be some new animal for the Gardens.

"You may be all right if they have a spare cage," he said when he could find his tongue; "but you'd had stood a far better chance if you'd 'ad a tail!"

The secretary of the ladies' golf tournament was hunting up the competitors, some of whom were woefully behind time with their heats.

"Go round and tell Miss Fremington that if she doesn't attend and play off her game I shall scratch her," he said to his maid servant.

The girl was horrified.
"I never would have believed master could be such a brute!" she murmured, as she went her way. "I ain't going to take a message like that—not me!"

She cogitated a moment at Miss Fremington's door, and by the time that lady had arrived she had seen her way to modify her master's message.

"Please, miss," she said, "master says if you don't play off your game he'll come around and pinch you!"

The beautiful brunette's sweet smiles changed to dark frowns.
"You deceiver!" she hissed. "I hate you!"

The young man dropped his cane in astonishment.
"Hate me!" he gasped. "Why, it was only yesterday you said you loved every hair on my head."

"Yes, but not every hair on your shoulder," she retorted, as she held aloft a long golden one.

A parish minister met some time ago a prominent member of his congregation—a publican by trade—who, while engaged in the cellar of his shop a day or two previously, had accidentally become immersed in a barrel of liquor, wherefrom, owing to his extreme composure, he was rescued with difficulty, and commenced to condescend with him on his unfortunate experience.

"You must have felt very uncomfortable indeed in such a painful situation," observed the cleric.
"Och, no," was the cheery reply, "I wis in the very best of spirits."

Uncle Elbert—"Now, I'll learn ye to milk the cow."
Nephew from the City—"Oh, unkie, I'm kinder 'fraid o' the cow; couldn't I just as well learn on the calf?"

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