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DO YOU KEEP YOUR TOOLS SHARP?



He is Not Goodlooking But Appears So.

And by keeping these tools sharp, the Authorman meant that he had always made the most of them and kept them at their highest efficiency. He is not, when you analyze him, a particularly good-looking man, but he stands so straight, he is always so well groomed and has such a pleasant and friendly smile, that his appearance gives an excellent impression.

As for his manner, he was shy by nature with the terrible shyness that alternately talks too much and is tongue-tied; but he knew that he must overcome this if he was to succeed, and he has taught himself so perfect a poise, such as tact in listening just enough and saying just enough, that one can hardly discern the shy awkward boy of old days in this self-contained, gracious personality.

He Uses Every Ounce of Himself.

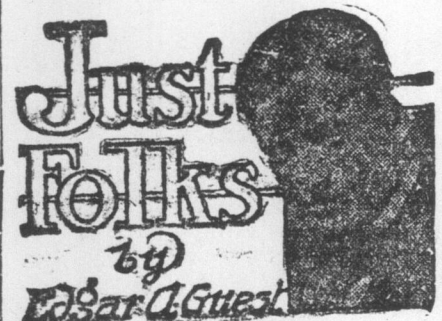
I have heard another man who has also followed his career with interest, say of him that he uses every ounce of himself. I don't know but what this is an even better way of putting it than the Authorman's. It strikes home more sharply.

So many of us think we could do great things if only we had beauty or a bigger opportunity in life or some distinct gift. But how do we know that we would have made good use of the beauty, the opportunity, the gift?

Yet Stevenson Said—

Are we using every ounce of what was given us? Are we keeping the tools by which we have to carve out our careers as sharp as possible. One thinks of Stevenson as a man with a great literary gift, yet Stevenson once said (I quote from memory) "Few people have done as much with so little gift as I."

Are you using every ounce of yourself or are you letting half of what you might be, lie idle?



THE HAPPY GOALS.

Oh I have lived and I have loved and I have danced along. Full many a day that I have known was honey-sweet with song. I've journeyed where the roses bloomed, be-diamonded with dew, And I have trod the troubled paths where tangled briars grew. For I have learned that care and grief make sweet our hours of rest.

Had I not fared the mountain side, Had I not felt the rain, Had I not struggled through despair the summit to attain I should not know how sweet it is at evening's setting sun To feel the thrill that comes to him who sees a duty done. For who would come to happiness and rest where children play Must bear the trials and the pain and heartache of the day.

The brightest eyes are those that that shine though bitter tears they've wept. The gladdest hearts are those which prove the faith which they have kept. And he that wears the scars of grief yet hides them 'neath a smile Knows just how sweet the peace that comes in life's bright afterwhile. For every joy is born of care, at every bend and turn We find the happy goals are those which men by toiling earn.

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Some new gauntleted gloves have contrasting facings.

Chinese inspiration is responsible for many fine gowns.

Cloaks often show the large-armed kimono sleeves.

Monkey fur is used as a trimming for taffeta gowns.

Colored embroidery appears on lingerie, instead of lace.

The uncorseted effect continues to be the most favored.

Black velvet suits have their collars lined with white fur.

Fancy tailored suits have narrow edges of dyed rabbit fur.

Narrow belts give an air of chic to many of the new coats.

Some of the new Fall coats have yoke backs and box pleats.

The headed frock of Georgelette crepe is an essential garment.

A small girl's coat is of dark green cloth lined with gray taffeta.

For trimming, very fine plaiting is even more effective than fringe.

Fringe overskirts reaching from waist to hem are another new feature.

Girls' dresses are being made of satene, and very charming they can be.

FEAR OF EVIL.



WALT MASON

Oh, to-day is bright and sunny, it is happy to the core; I have fifty cents in money and a standoff at the store. My old auto, with its tank full, chugs along to beat the band; I have reason to be thankful—blessings are on every hand. But I'm thinking of tomorrow as I loaf around to-day, and I'm wagging down my way. It's the nature of us critics to be gazing out ahead, betting on a dose of bitters, figuring on grief and dread. Oftentimes I sit and wonder why Dame Nature made us so, why we cannot tear asunder from presentiments of woe. We are thinking at the wedding, when Lucretia marries Mike, of the rough and rocky sledding that the bride and groom must strike. And we think, when youths are dancing, with a light fantastic heel, of the time when they'll be prancing to the soup-house for a meal. In our brightest Eldorado, where the tambours gaily thrum, we are thinking of the shadow of the evil days to come. When the joyous music quickens, we can hear the prophet cry, "Eat and drink and raise the dickens, for to-morrow you must die." Always there's the dread of evil to disturb the human soul; in the wheat there is the weevil, in the doughnut there's the hole.

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The Tramp Comes Back.

With the gradual restoration of peace conditions, tramps are reported to be reappearing on many roads. The period of demobilization has mobilized them; after having been mysteriously stabilised during the war, they are once more drifting along their accustomed channels, to the renewed annoyance of the settled population. Their disappearance during the past four or five years has been one of the most curious of the minor social phenomena of the time.

"The casual wards and the 'beggars' bushes' on the heath will again become the daily and nightly receptacles of these dismal figures, whom the accustomed control of the police will no doubt prevent from becoming a serious menace," says the Times, discussing, "The return of the Vagrant." But in any vision of a brighter England the elimination of these waste products of humanity must take its place. It is almost hopeless to attempt to reclaim adult vagrants, the arguments in favour of hiding them, should be regarded with great mistrust. Out of sight is out of mind.

"A demand for driving vagrants off the roads and streets is often due to a desire, not to improve their condition, but to be rid of a visible offence. Most vagrants are well acquainted with the law as it applies to themselves, and have too little energy and initiative to transgress it seriously. So long as they keep within its bounds, there is no sufficient justification for forbidding them to follow the only life for which they are fit. On the other hand, the most vigilant efforts must be made to prevent their children from following in their footsteps; and where the law is found, in practice, to be insufficient to secure them a healthy upbringing and proper education, it should be strengthened.

"Much false sentiment prevails about the charms of vagrancy and the benefits of sleeping under the stars. The stars do not always shine, and there is no benefit in sleeping in the rain. The first need, in dealing with this question, is for the educated public to clear its mind of the notion that tramps are alluring and romantic, creatures of finer clay. George Borrow laughed at his gipsies in his sleeve, whereas too many of his readers take them seriously. Most vagrants, moreover, are far inferior to gipsies of the type which Borrow described, alike in mind, morals, and physique. Vagrancy is a brutalising existence, which few of those who have indulged it have lived for long."

Fall Styles The First Showing.

A limited quantity of very smart frocks for Fall and Winter were opened by us on Friday last, and are to-day on view in our Showrooms.

These are exclusive French and American models, no two alike. Among the selection may be seen:—

1. Black Satin Sonple, heavily piped on sleeves and overdress.
2. Black Plain Silk Jersey, round neck, self buttons, side fastening, loose girdle. (An ideal model, giving long slender lines.)
3. Navy Ribbed Silk Jersey, round neck, and Russian Blouse effect.
4. Navy Serge, trimmed Military braid, Sand Jersey Vest and Cuffs.

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