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ABOUT JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

The Windsor Record having stated that "Dr. Anderson, the defeated Conservative candidate in South Essex, has appointed 105 squires," the Editor makes the following reply:—"In the first place I have no power to appoint Justices of the Peace and, secondly, the number appointed was not 105 but 67. Of this number 45 are new appointments and 22 are former Justices of the Peace re-appointed. This is in striking contrast to some appointments, who rarely, if ever, appointed a Conservative to any office. The Liberals had a total of 91 on the list, and the number has been reduced, as stated, to 67."

It was the same in East Kent. To appoint any new men, and at the same time keep from increasing the number, let alone reducing it, a reformer favored by many, all of the old P.'s could not be re-appointed. As it was re-appointment was offered scarcely one-half the old ones, only seventeen offering to serve. The re-appointments and the new ones had to be, and were, at least fairly distributed over the various municipalities. As for the contrast, during the entire thirty-three years of Liberal rule not a half-dozen Conservatives were made J. P.'s in East Kent.—Ridgeway Dominion.

DUAL GOVERNMENTS.

Norway and Sweden have settled their differences without coming to blows, like sensible neighbors who refuse to quarrel over a line fence. A quarrel between these countries would have been fratricidal, and would have turned hereditary friendship into lasting and mutually destructive enmity. The treaty to which Swedish and Norwegian delegates have assented, after much friction, establishes a neutral zone between the two countries from which fortifications will be razed, excepting a few which have an historic interest. These latter will not be put to military use. Laplanders will have the right of pasturing their reindeer in Norway and there are guarantees that transportation between Norway and Sweden, especially the movement of goods in transit, will be facilitated. The agreement is subject to ratification by the Swedish and Norwegian parliaments, but the temper of both peoples is pacific and no obstruction is feared.

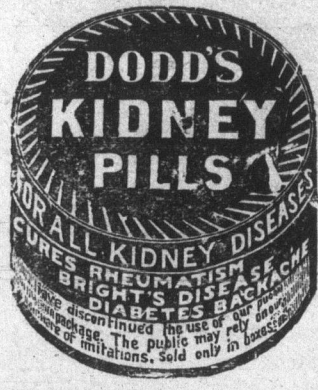
The dissolution of the bond between Norway and Sweden and the securing conditions of deadlock between Austria and Hungary, are urged as a warning against dual parliaments by English Unionists, and in some quarters as an argument for imperial federation. Against these might be set that of the Russian empire, where a policy of unification, enforced by all the might of Russia, has failed to suppress the national instincts of the Finns, the Poles and the other conquered races. The German empire has been welded together, but it is not a mixture of races. The Norwegians and the Swedes have a separate ancestry, history and language, and the Magyars of Hungary are ethnically distinct from the mass of Austrians. In the self-governing portions of the British empire, the bulk of the people are of one race and language, with a common history and tradition. These constitute a bond of sentiment stronger than any process of unification which might interfere with the freedom of action enjoyed by each of the groups into which the empire is divided by geography. If the British empire, like the German, were a geographical unit, the problem would be a simple one. In Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa, every move in the direction of greater self-government is not a step away from true imperial unity, as some would have us believe. The history of the empire teaches differently.

THE BOY REARED BY HAND.

Kansas City Journal.
 An old farmer in Nemaha county remarks that a home-grown, hand-reared, bare-footed and hard-fisted country boy makes a much better fighter in the battles of life than does the pampered, high-collared, creased-trousered youth of our towns and cities, whose clothes have always been dusted with a whisk broom instead of a shingle.

THE SMALLEST COIN.

Lahore Tribune.
 The natives of the Malay peninsula have in use the very smallest current coin in the world. It is a sort of wafer, made from the resinous juice of a tree, and is worth about one-thousandth of a penny. The smallest metal coin in circulation at the present day is the Portuguese three-reis piece, worth twelve-one-



hundreds of a penny. The smallest coin circulating officially in any part of the British empire is the five-millosima piece of Gibraltar, worth about half a farthing.

A FABLE OF TWO MAIDENS.

Baltimore American.
 Once there were Two Maidens who sought to Catch a Nice Young Man who also was a Good Thing. And it was a False Start in the Eyes of the Undiscerning, for the One was Expecting Fair to Look upon, and Dressed Stylishly, while the Other was Plain of Countenance, and her Hat was Always Showing through her Pompadour. The Pretty Girl Smiled Sweetly on the Nice Young Man, who was also a Good Thing, and Talked to Him, till She Dazzled Him with her Beauty and charmed Him with her Wit. The Plain One gazed Wonderingly at him, and Made Him Talk to Her of Divers Things, while She Listened, Entranced at his Wisdom and Learning. He took the Pretty Girl out Riding and to the Theatre, and Bought her Candy and Flowers, and All the Knowing Ones said She had struck a Winning Gait on the Homestretch, when One Day he Married the Plain Girl and took her on an Automobile Wedding Tour of Europe.

The Pretty Girl had Made him Very much Pleased with Her, but the Plain Girl had Gone her One Better, and Made him Very much More Pleased with Himself.

Moral: The People who Read Human Nature as they Run Generally get First to the Wire.

YOUR KINGDOM.

There is some place for you to fill, Some work for you to do, That no one can ever will Do quite as well as you. It may be close along your way, Some little, homely duty That only waits your touch, your sway, To blossom into beauty.

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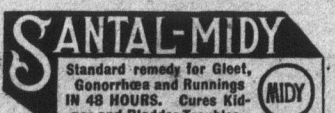
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Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

TOMORROW.

Tomorrow I am going to do—Well, easily enough for two. Soon as the eastern sky is red I'm going to jump right out of bed, Throw on my clothes in double quick And start to make the work look sick. And then at night I'll pause to say, "Old man, you did a lot today."

Tomorrow I will shun, And every moment on the run From task to task I'll lightly skip Like racers underneath the whip. One thing accomplished, at the next I'll rush without the least pretext. Enough for two? It seems to me That I can do enough for three!

It isn't hard to make things fly, If you but resolutely try. I'll pass the day without repose And at the grindstone keep my nose. Some it might gall to work that way, But it for me is only play. Tomorrow, it is called as storm, I'm going to keep things mighty warm.

His One Regret.

Nero was dying. His courtiers who were waiting to divide his effects among them stood around in respectful silence, for he had still power to order them run through the sausage machine.

"You have been a great ruler," ventured one by way of consolation. "I have indeed," replied the dying tyrant, brightening up, "considering how I have been handicapped, but think how much more I might have accomplished if I had not lived before automobiles were invented!" And he turned his face to the wall and shed a few tears.

Larger Game.

She was a lady fisherman Who caught no trout, but then She didn't bait her hook for fish— She cast her lines for men.

The Limit.
 "He met her Sunday, proposed Monday, was accepted Tuesday, married to her Wednesday and—" "And they lived happy ever after—sway, eh?" "Not on your life. Don't interrupt the story. He sued for divorce Thursday, case called Friday, divorce granted Saturday."

"Pretty strenuous, I should say." "Yes, but the worst is yet to come. Now he is looking for a job big enough to make him able to pay the alimony that the judge mulcted him for."

Not Afraid of Work.
 "My husband is very fond of pre-digested breakfast food." "Thank goodness my husband is not as lazy as that."

No Charity Customer.
 He went to the place as a stranger and said: "He was one of the upper crust. Society took him on faith all right, But the grocer wouldn't take him on trust."

One Accomplishment.
 "He is a self educated man." "But he doesn't talk good grammar." "No, but talks a pretty fair line of geography."

Not Bankable.
 "The wind was blowing so hard you could almost see it." "Must have been a slight draft."

Needs Good Underpinning.
 "No amount of advertising will sell a book of poems unless it has merit." "That's right. Poetry must stand on its own feet."

PERT PARAGRAPHS.
 Faith is a good thing to have in an enterprise, but hard dollars also will add to its ultimate success.

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When a man is in love he is either so happy or so miserable that he does not notice how the world wags.

It is all very well to speak softly, but sometimes a hard, firm tone works as well as a big stick.

A man never can see how a girl could bear to throw herself away on the other fellow.

Most men's idea of the ideal wife is one who regards the family washing and ironing as the best way of beauty making.

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