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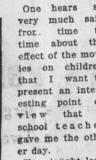
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very much said scales. time to time about the

ldren different. "Very," she said. "The city chil- force. en have a much larger background general information than the ntry children." When I asked to what this was

e, she said to the greater stimuon of city life, to the shops and as you have already guessed-most all to the movies.

Geography Becomes Real.

Geography, she said, was the study stockinet. ch got the most help from the Paris makes up for the simplicity ing pictures. The theatres prent pictures from every country in med skirt. world and what would be bare ild, to the city child link up with the back. ne pictures of far lands that he has History also is illumined by the as a border.

more vivid to children who have n some of the figures of Greek and man myth and history in the garb the ancient times. And think of e reality that some of the historical ays gives to American history.

Teaching the Child to Talk Well. 'Oral English," she went on to say

lso gained much stimulus from the es." Oral English-let it be exained for the sake of those who are t in touch with the latest in educam—is the big idea at just this time, nd a mighty good one, I think. It asists in training the child to get on his feet and talk intelligently d in good English about something at interests him. The teachers ave found that there is nothing out which the speaker will talk so ll. or the audience listen so well, the movies.

As many of them have seen what speaker has seen, they are on tiptoes to prompt, or correct, he has to be on his tiptoes to d correction.

So much for ways in ries have helped. Naturally, I asked if there were

One hears so anything in the other side of the

"Oh, yes," she said. "One day at effect of the mov- recess a little boy in the first grade ies on children tied a little boy in the second grade want to (the aggressor must have been an present an inter- up-and-coming child!) to the fence esting point of and frightened him almost into a faint that a by shooting a pistol, loaded with a school teacher blank cartridge at him. Upon quesgave me the oth- tioning, we found he had seen something like that in a Wild West movie."

She taught last The teacher's whole conclusion was year in a remote that it was the mother's duty to know country district something of the nature of the shows and this year in her children were seeing, and that ity. I asked her if she found the then-used in the right way-the movies were a great educational

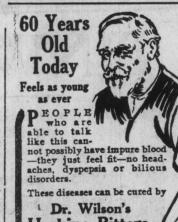
Fashions and Fads.

One type of the revived box coat has a collar standing up high in the back. A smart suit of dark blue gabardine has a hem and collar of gray angora. Mustard and black striped trimmings appear on sports coats of gray

of the blouse by the very much trim-

Tunics are frequently made with a nes on the map to the country long point in front and cut short in

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hair and sideboards twisted loose, perhaps I had a good excuse to sin a while as others sinned, and curse the blamed dingbusted wind. But I was tempted much to sing, for winds are harbingers of spring; they come before the gentle rains that bring the verdure to the plains; they are the heralds of the plains; they are the heralds of the time when roses make the world sublime, and all the air with gladness qualities of "Brick's Tasteless." The throbs, and doodads bloom, and thingumbobs. The wild wind pushed me through a fence, it raged as ation containing the active principles though it had no sense, it dumped me in a muddy pool hard by the village its unequalled tonic alterative reconin a muddy pool hard by the village eighth grade school; it split and spoiled my Sunday coat, and wound my shirt around my throat; it hustled me all over town, then took and stood me all over town, then took and stood me chial tonic and seddive fluid extract upside down; and still, until my voice of wild cherry bark. Price \$1.20 bot-grew hoarse, I loudly blessed its pep tle; postage 20c. extra. For sale by grew hoarse, I loudly blessed its pep and force, for it was proof, and something more, that spring was smiling at the door.

Laugh and Live Long.

Doctors tell us that gloom is bad for the health. We all have to die ometime, but unless we are continually dreaming of heaven and longing to enter in. it is better to be optimis-

Especially is this the case at mealtimes. If we are not happy, we are not likely to be hungry. Good digestion, it has been said, waits on appetite. Therefore, if we are wise, we shall take every precaution to render ourselves as happy as we can.

A good rule is never to indulge in any kind of discussion at meal-times. Political and religious problems are particularly to be avoided. These top-Children are waiting for you and me ics have always set people by the ears. and always will. Agreement on such themes is mainly a matter of temperament. People of different temperaments will approach them from different angles.

People sometimes say they are glad sometimes they did not live in the Middle Ages. They feel afraid lest they should have been burnt as heretics or massacred as martyrs. They forget that the Middle Ages produced the noblest of all callings-that of the jester.

It was the jester's duty to put at their ease all who gathered round the board. By his sudden sallies of wit and mirth he banished dullness, and Though the years grow lonely and sad made heated controversy impossible. and long, And out in the world must our babies Unlike the doctors, he never killed

There shall always be laughter and Gone, alas, are the Touchstones of other days! Theirs was a noble task, nobly fulfilled. But if we cannot engage a jester to make us merry, we And what if these babies are not our can at least banish frowns and grumbles at table. Harsh words and ill-feeling may be

We may hear in their laughter the as deadly almost as germs. Silence, if it be the silence of real friendship, ed off my only And claim the gladness that once we is a blessing. But gloom and rancour

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