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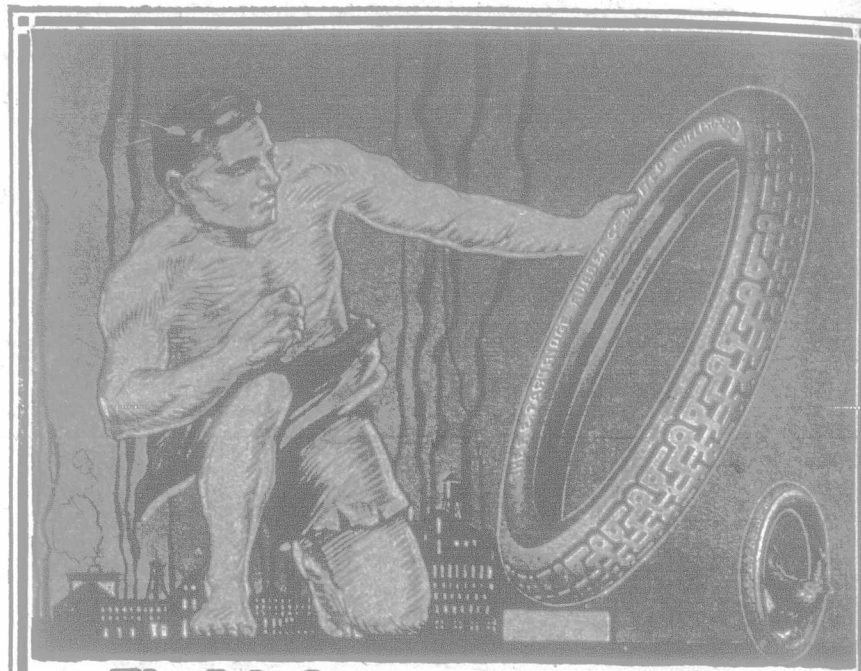
only nicely beginning. Only in the large cities and older municipalities is it being done thoroughly, and in these it is not needed so much as in our rural communities, because greater care is observed in these homes, diseases are treated on their first appearance and medical aid and advice is more convenient and less costly. There is need of stricter legislative requirements covering health supervision, based on the observations of medical science. This might be along these lines: (1) Compulsory health inspection at regular times of all rural schools; (2) Co-operation of school officials and medical authorities to secure general and regular vaccination; (3) Physicians to inspect for contagious diseases, defects of a more serious nature and malformations, which might send a boy or girl into life as a misfit and a dependent; (4) Regular tests for sight and hearing, which in a measure might be conducted by the teachers; (5) Examination of buildings, premises and drinking water with health only in view; (6) Teachers in training to have these matters explained to them by doctors lecturing at the normal schools.

Popular discussions of health topics in the public press, by qualified physicians is very valuable indeed. These articles are more widely read than people sometimes suppose. Some time ago in one of our western towns the health officer contributed to the local paper a number of articles on the matter of health, and they were very closely read and I believe had beneficial results. People after all are really concerned with the matter of health, and quite often unhealthy conditions arise through ignorance.

Then, actual examples of typical up-to-date schools should be placed where people might see them; say at the exhibition. At the Panama Pacific exposition, two models of school-houses were shown; one was marked "A.D. 1914" and showed a sanitary country school, the other was marked "A.D. 1890" and proved to be the unsanitary kind still too common, having little or no regard to lighting or other environment, no provision for physical exercise or pure water, or for a proper lunch. The former building had proper lighting, ventilation and seating arrangements, a good privy, good water, well-drained and convenient grounds, provisions for a hot lunch and many other devices for health and convenience. This part of the exhibition proved to be very attractive indeed.

This problem of health in the rural school has only been recently discovered. A decade or so ago it was unknown. We took it for granted that on the farm and in the country schools nothing but health could prevail. But opinion in recent years has been changing. Research in other countries and the extreme care observed in the older lands, leads us to hesitate in accepting the trite statement that all rural schools were healthy and the pupils comparatively immune from the ills discovered in city schools.

The rural pupil is the main factor in our public life. The city imports its best men and women from these districts, and as this continues it cannot but lower the standard of life in the country. The vigor of our nation depend in the long run upon the farm and the rural school. Here is where our greatest care should be exercised and where our largest grants from the treasury should go. The cities and towns will see that as the time goes by, yet larger grants be made to rural schools and for agricultural instruction. There has for many years been much drifting so far as public policy is concerned, but of late years a change has taken place. Our greatest asset in this country is not our wheat fields and other physical resources, valuable as they may be; it is our boys and girls, particularly those in our rural communities. If we neglect this, nothing but national disaster to us would result. It is useless for us to lay all the blame at the door of the farmers. Their hands, in a way have been bound, but as a people united in the interests of a great movement we must face these questions. The farmer must become seized with the supreme importance of his schools. Systematic examination of physical conditions must be done to discover defects before they seriously impair life in general. Communities must not be satisfied with the minimum requirements for school purposes, but these plants must be so safe and so at-



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