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### RIVAL SEAPORTS (WORLD)

Cities on the Great Lakes handle Tonnage That at First Glance Seems Almost Unbelievable.

From the five great lakes there flows a commerce that will mightily baffle the envy of any far-reaching sea. But the thing is, curiously, the greatest portion of this commerce is not reached tremendous totals in 1912. In the navigable months of the last year exactly 4,438,477 tons of iron ore and an even greater tonnage of coal moved upon the lakes, while the enormous total of 158,000,000 bushels of grain was received at the port of Buffalo. In 1911 the shipping of the lakes fell sharply for grain crop of 1910 and the slight reaction in both the steel and the copper markets, while fleets of vessels carried their very heavy freight in the harbors of Buffalo and other great ports of the lower lakes. But the business of the lakes seems to increase at the rate of seven per cent. annually, and in 1912, more than held its own. Trade grows fast from the great water highway of the world. Already the tonnage of Cleveland, Ohio, is comparable with that of Liverpool, and yet there are tens of thousands of sailormen upon the salt seas who have never even heard of Cleveland. Detroit boasts that in the season of eight months of open navigation a tonnage ten times that which the full year gives on the Suez canal passes her wharves on the narrow river that bears her name.—Harper's Magazine.

### THEN HE SAID GOODNIGHT



Mr. Slowitt—I er-er-am going to

then, and our imaginations fill them in robes in which their emotions sent them out on their errands of giving the world higher goals. Then what is poetry but thought clothed in words? No matter from what side viewed, the figure of speech of clothing is the symbol that gives entrance to these higher realms, and therefore why should not clothes themselves touch them of the garments of the artist which they are so closely in touch?—American Tailor and Cutter.

### DISCOURAGED POET.

Alfred Noyes, the British poet, though usually very successful in marketing his wares, suffered a blow on toward the end of his American visit, and naturally became down-spirited in consequence. "Everything seems to be going wrong," he sighed one evening at the Franklin Inn in Philadelphia. "I'll have to change my luck somehow or other." He laughed raucously and resumed: "I asked the maid if my lodging, this morning what had become of the paper that I'd left lying on my desk." "Oh, sir," said she, "I thought it was waste paper, and I threw it in the waste-paper basket." "No," said I, "it wasn't waste paper. I hadn't written anything on it yet."

### PROFESSIONAL JEALOUSY.

Gibbs—Dr. Smart says it requires lots of patience to run a motor car. Gibbs—Well, he's got the patients.—Christian Science Monitor.

### ONLY SAFE WAY.

Griggs—Can you keep a secret from your wife? Briggs—Not unless I keep secret the fact that I have one.

### HANDLING CUBIST ART.

Knieker—Did you turn the picture to the wall? Becker—It was a cubist affair, so he turned the wall to the picture.

### ALWAYS WHAT HAPPENS.

"What happened to his business when he let it run down?" "The last I heard of it, the bankruptcy court was winding it up."

### ADVICE TO A HOMELESS DOG

Pick Out a Good Boy and Keep Him for a Master, and Always Be Kind to Him.

If you are a dog of any sense, you will pick out a pretty good sort of a boy and stick to him, says Don Marquis in the American Magazine. These dogs that are always adopting one boy after another get a bad name among the humans in the end. And you'd better keep in with the humans, especially the grown-up ones. Getting your scraps off a plate at the back door two or three times a day beats hunting rabbits and ground squirrels for a living.

What a dog wants is a boy anywhere from about nine to about sixteen years old. A boy under nine hasn't enough sense, as a rule, to be any company for an intelligent dog. And along about sixteen they begin to dress up and try to run with the girls, and carry on in a way to make a dog tired. These are exceptions, of course—one of the worst mistakes some dogs make is to suppose that all boys are alike. That isn't true; you'll find just as much individuality among boys as there is among us dogs, if you're patient enough to look for it and have a knack for making friends with animals. But you must remember to be kind to a boy if you're going to teach him anything; and you must be careful not to frighten him.

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