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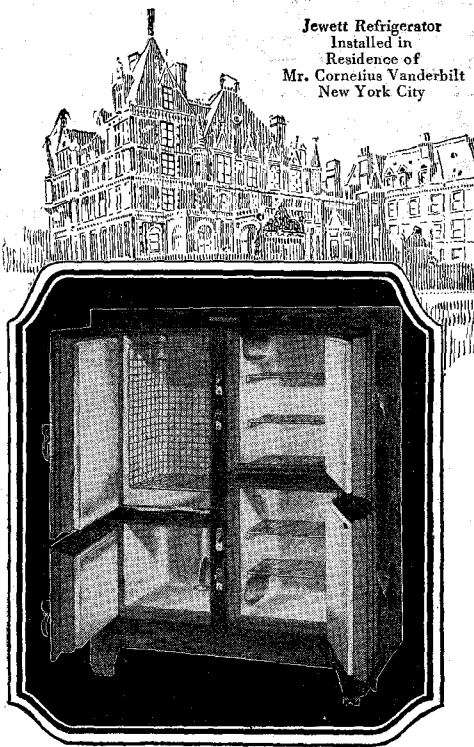
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dreams"—but they invent nothing to make life easier, a strange state of things to the practical American mind.

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Books Received

FICTION

HERE COMES THE SUN. By Emile Loring. The Penn Publishing Company, Philadelphia.

HUSBANDS AND LOVERS. By Franz Molnar. Boni & Liveright, New York. \$2.

LONG WALK OF SAMBA DIOUT (THE). By Jerome and Jean Tharand. Duffield & Co., New York. \$1.75.

PAULINE. By the Baroness de Knoop. D. Appleton & Co., New York. \$2.

PETER BURLING, PIRATE. By Arthur P. Bagby. Dorrance & Co., Philadelphia. \$2.

MISCELLANEOUS

ENGLISH FOR IMMEDIATE USE. By Frederick Houk Law. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York. \$1.60.

HIPPOCRATES. Vol. II. Translated by W. H. S. Jones. Loeb Classical Library. G. P. Putnam's Sons, New York. \$2.50.

LETTERS FROM APPLEHURST. By G. W. Hinckley. The Good Will Publishing Company, Hinckley, Maine. \$2.

What is Truth?

MIGHT I venture upon a tentative answer to the time-old question, What is truth?

The answer I herewith offer sprang out of a hard-pressed exigence.

We were engaged in an animated controversy when I made an assertion which bore the obvious mark of exaggeration. It was somewhat on the order of the Biblical outburst upon the veracity of all men. My hasty remark was instantly pounced upon. "Do you mean this to be taken literally?" I was asked. "No, I do not," was my prompt and frank reply. And then, on my part, I turned upon my challenger with this question: "Is it characteristic of the thing or is it not?" With equal candor the answer came, that it was. "Well, if it is characteristic, it is true," I retorted. The character of a thing is the truth of a thing.

Of necessity, truth is an exaggeration as it touches the ultimate phase. Truth relates to the principle, the type, the character. Fact, to the concrete manifestation.

A homely illustration will serve to set my point into relief: Cats are classed as treacherous animals, and yet we have met with individual cats that appeared to us as the embodiment of sweet attachment. The antithesis involved in this situation equates thus: Cats in general are treach-

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erous—that's the truth. This specific cat is not treacherous—that's the fact.

Truth is potential fact. Fact is actual truth.

Here is another illustration: A story made the rounds in England recently that Lloyd George during his stay in America had been so impressed with the workings of the tariff that he resolved to raise the flag of protection upon his return, and on that issue to waft himself into power again. When he was nearing the shores of his country, however, the news was conveyed to him that Mr. Baldwin had forestalled him. Whereupon he executed a face-about, and forthwith trained his guns on such an "untraditional" policy. Now, is not this characteristic of the man? But Lloyd George denies it. Good—his denial, in all decency, we must accept to represent the fact. At the same time the attribution to him of such strategy is the truth none the less—the virtual truth. And the warrant for it lies in the character of this supreme master of opportunism. If he has not done it, he might have done it. It's in him, as we say. Might this offend? I should be intensely sorry. But then truth is bound to hurt, and the only immunity lies in a conversion of character.

In the consideration of a fact we have to have regard for the outward occurrences. In the appreciation of a truth we have regard for the inward character.

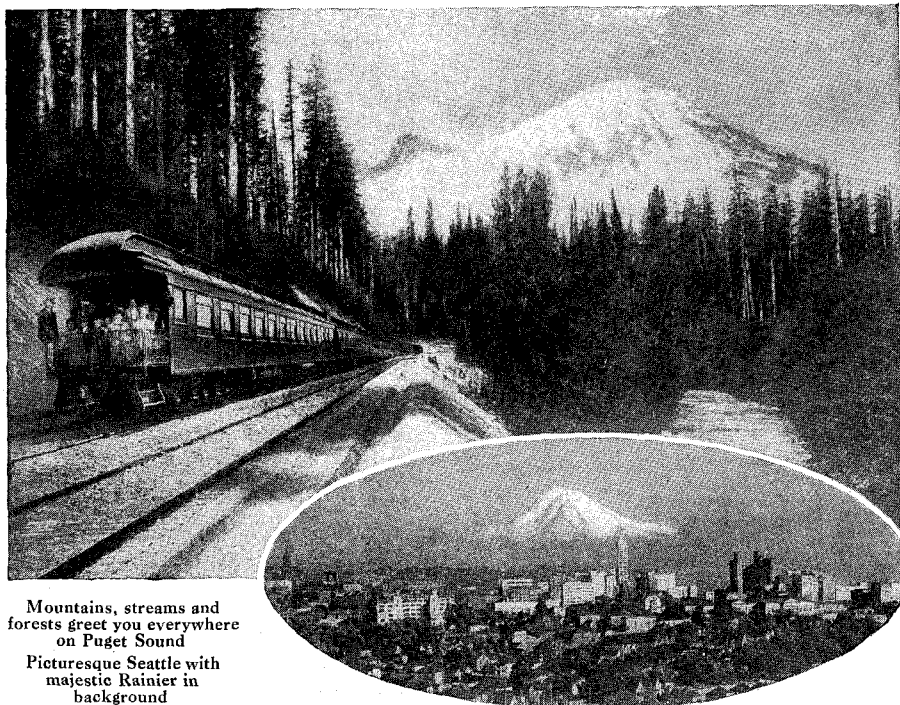
Character is truth, as truth is character.

Is this definition true literally? It is not. If it were, it would not be true. The spirit is what determines. And in the spirit it is gloriously true—Truth is character.

One more example, at the risk of redundancy. During the most critical moment of his intransigence to the Lodge-sponsored reservations, it is related, Mr. Wilson received the Ambassador of a foreign Power. The conversation slid onto the League situation, when the visitor took occasion to entreat the President to be less unyielding in his attitude. This was the answer: "I appreciate your motives, Mr. Ambassador, but the Senate must take its medicine."

Did the incident actually occur? I don't know; as who'does? Yet who will take it upon himself to denounce it as untrue? Nor would a refutation carry any weight whatsoever or serve a rational end. One might deny the circumstances of the tale—the fact; but not its inward reality—the truth. And why? Because it is held in character. The future historian will commit no offense against the sacredness of truth in recording this episode. GABRIEL WELLS.

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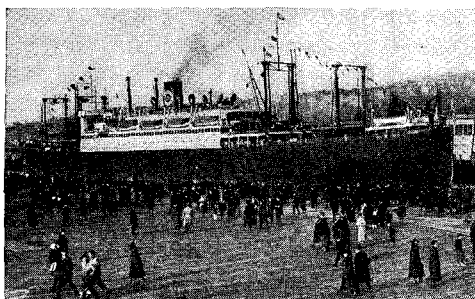
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