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ROUMANIA

Balkan Power's Dilemma in the World War.

Like Bulgaria Roumania is only indirectly affected by Italy's entrance into the European war, though indirect effects sometimes have far-reaching consequences.

Last winter, when the Roumanians seemed about to overrun Hungary, Roumania visibly stirred for a spring at Transylvania.

Roumania, like Bulgaria, would greatly dislike to see Russia at Constantinople. She would then lie squarely in Russia's overland path, and should Austria-Hungary give way to a Slavized Central Europe, Roumania, even with Transylvania, would be but an isolated islet in the Slav ocean.

Such are the main political possibilities involved in Italy's entrance into the European war. They are, as we have seen, both far-reaching and complex.

STARVED INTO GOODNESS.

Why Crime is Rare Among the Caribs of South America.

In the whole world there is not a class of people to be found who inflict severer punishment upon themselves than the Caribs of Central America.

Their religion, which is one of the most peculiar kind, demands self-punishment for sins intentionally or unintentionally committed. The punishment takes the form of starvation and close confinement.

All sins are punished with starvation. For that reason crime is very low among the Caribs, who are among the best behaved and most truthful people in the world.

The Retort Courteous.

Justice Day was a "hanging judge" and when on circuit expedited business in a summary manner. On one occasion the trial of a prisoner concluded at dusk, and the judge ordered candles to be lighted so that he might try another case that night.

O'Connor, a noted Irish barrister, defended, and in protest against night work exclaimed, addressing the court: "What, my lord, try men by night? What will men say? That justice is not done by Day?"

Soiled Photographs.

Photographs which have not been protected with glass and have become soiled either by dust or by wiping may be cleaned very easily by specking them off with absorbent cotton dampened with pure alcohol.

POWER OF RAINDROPS.

Immense Electrical Energy Wasted in Heavy Shower.

There is a certain amount of power in a falling raindrop, as may be demonstrated by any one who will so dispose a small water wheel that the drop may strike it at a proper angle.

Multiply this bit of energy by the number which designates all the drops of a shower, and you have more power, the power of a very considerable waterfall.

A severe rain storm suggested these thoughts to an English man of science, who forthwith proceeded to calculate the amount of power that was wasted in the downpour, at least so far as human purpose was concerned.

The full force of the rain endured for ten hours. If affected a territory of approximately ten square miles. The entire rainfall amounted to exactly 4.17 inches, according to the accurate measurement of the weather department men.

With these facts known it was a simple matter of arithmetic to find that in the ten hours of the storm something like 10,000,000,000 gallons of water had fallen over a distance of 5,000 feet.

That was a majestic cataract, for the time being at least, comparing very favorably in volume and height with any that exists upon earth.

That power, converted into electricity, would light a considerable city for a period of 425 days.

Ten square miles is but an infinitesimal portion of the earth's surface, hardly a pin point on the map. A single rain storm, no matter how great the precipitation, is but the merest fraction of the vast annual fall of water from the skies.

And what as the scientist himself asks, would be the effect upon the industries of the world could all this power be economically harnessed to the use of mankind?

No Girl Need Have A Blotched Face

Whether it be in capturing the heart of man, or making her way through the world by the toil of her hands, a charming and pretty face gives any girl a big advantage.

CAVALRY HORSES.

The Loads They Have to Carry in the Armies of Europe.

The British cavalry is armed with the short Lee-Enfield rifle, the magazine of which holds ten rounds; the sword, which is carried by all ranks except signallers, and the revolver, carried by warrant officers, staff sergeants, sergeants, trumpeters and drivers.

The regular Russian cavalry are armed with sword, rifle and bayonet, and each man carries 40 rounds of ammunition. There are the two days' oats and hay ration, a cloak and an trenching tool.

Hobart Pasha.

The Turkish navy of the past owed almost its existence to an English sailor, Hobart Pasha, a bold buccaner of the Elizabethan period, who by some strange perversion of fate was born into the Victorian age.

What's in a name? The civil engineer doesn't always shine in polite society.



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With the Child.

They are such dear, familiar feet that go Along the path with ours—feet fast or slow

And trying to keep pace; if they mistake Or tread upon some flower that we should take Upon our breast, or bruise some reed, We must be mute.

Not turning quickly to impute Grave fault; for they and we Have such a little way to go—can be Together such a little while along the way.

So many little faults we find, We see them, for not blind, Perhaps remember them, some by and by.

They will not be Faults then—grave faults—to you and me, But just old ways—mistakes or even less.

Remembrances to bless, Days change so many things—yes hours; We see so differently in sun and showers.

Mistaken words to-night May be so cherished by to-morrow's light. We must be patient; for we know That such a little way to go.

—George Kingle in Christian Advocate.

LIQUOR AND MORPHINE HABITS

Are diseases, not vices, and therefore curable. Patients are under my personal care and receive their treatment in ordinary hospitals as ordinary medical cases.

D. H. ARNOTT, M. D.

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THE FARM VACATION.

(Detroit Free Press)

Seriously, the farm vacation is an enjoyable one, of course. But the lazy, idling vacation is not a good thing for the average man or woman.

No normal man ever gets wholly away from the insect. Play is absolutely necessary in the growth of a healthy child, and it is no less important in the life of grownups.

Closefist—Yes, I have been operated on for appendicitis. Wigwag—Was the operation painful? Closefist—Not until I got the bill.

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A TRANSITION TIME.

(Rochester Post-Express)

It is a time of soul hunger, of passionate yearning for something that shall be satisfying, and there never was less agreement as to what life is, means, is worth and leads to.

Must Keep the Curtains Up. "In London it is strictly against the law for the driver of any public conveyance to allow the curtains of his vehicle to be pulled down."

Reaching a Conclusion. Hotel Manager—I see you have given our finest suite of rooms to a man named Hilkins. Are you sure he can pay the charges? Clerk—Yes; he's rich enough. Manager—How do you know? Clerk—He is old and ugly, and his wife is young and pretty.—Exchange.

Making a Distinction.

"What is the difference, asked the teacher, "between caution and cowardice?"

Used to Growing. Mrs. Myles—What has become of that nurse you used to have for your pet dog? Mrs. Styles—Oh, she's married. Mrs. Myles—She ought to get along all right. She's used to growing.—Yonkers Statesman.

Nothing of the Kind.

"I understand your husband lost his suit on a technicality, Mrs. Nurich." "Pardon me, sir; I'll have you understand that my husband pays cash for his clothes."—Buffalo Express.

CALL FAILED

Why the Moslem Jihad Did Not Rally Against the Allies.

The men in the government saddle at Constantinople last November issued a call to Moslems everywhere to rally in revolt against their alien rulers. The call was lost in the air. It met with response nowhere.

We have been accustomed for many years to see on the part of the Moslems of Turkey, of Egypt, and of India an acceptance of aid from Christian nations in material things accompanied by a firm attitude of fidelity to their ancestral faith, and with a revulsion from our religion.

The events now taking place in Europe have intensified Moslem revulsion from European Christianity and deepened their conviction of the supreme excellence of their own religion.

Why, then, have Moslems who are subjects of Christian governments turned a deaf ear to the call of the Call and remained loyal to the governments under which they live?

We may interpret their loyalty to their rulers as Moslems under the domination of England, France, and Russia as meaning that they know that listening to Turkey's appeal would imperil their material interests.

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FARMERS, ATTENTION!

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GREAT SHIPS OF OLD.

Noah's Ark About the Size of Modern Ocean Liner.

It is generally agreed that Noah's ark measured about 450 feet in length, 75 feet in breadth, and 45 feet in depth. It is interesting to note that the proportions of these dimensions are practically the same as those of the great modern ocean liners.

The Greeks and the Romans constructed several large vessels measuring upwards of 500 feet. These were built for the emperors or rulers, and were little more than enormous scows, without any means of propulsion.

A vessel 420 feet in length, was built by Ptolemy, which was propelled by 500 rowers, arranged in five banks, using oars 57 feet in length.

The fame of the Thalamagus still lives. This boat, which measured 300 feet in length, 40 feet in breadth, and 60 feet in depth, was said to have been the most beautiful craft in antiquity, and was used exclusively by the Emperor.

A King of Syracuse is also credited with having built a very palatial boat, whose cabins were hung with costly silks and decorated with rare statues. After the decline of the Roman Empire no great ships were constructed for more than 1,000 years.

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Sumner, Box 8, Windsor, Ont., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her to-day if your children trouble you in this way.

Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

THE PEOPLE TO BLAME.

(Rochester Post-Express) In the last analysis it is the people who must blame themselves for misgovernment. The worst possible grafting and incompetent administration is possible under the best charter that can be written, if bad and inefficient men are elected, just as an excellent administration is assured by honest, intelligent and experienced officials even when intrusted by a defective system.

In municipal government men are of more importance than measures. Their experience under just government has now for two generations profoundly penetrated their thought and life.—From "Moslems and the War," by Rev. George F. Herriek, D. D., in the American Review of Reviews for July.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

Genieve Wit.

Benjamin Moore, the second bishop of New York, was a man noted in his day for his ready wit—a quality that his wife apparently shared with him. A dinner was given by some one of Gouverneur Morris' friends when he was about to depart for Europe. Bishop Moore and his wife were of the party.

In the course of the conversation Mr. Morris observed that since he was going abroad he had made his will and, turning to Bishop Moore, said to him:

"My reverend friend, I have bequeathed to you my complete stock of impudence."

Bishop Moore replied:

"Sir, you are not only very kind, but you are very generous. You have left me by far the largest portion of your estate."

Mrs. Moore immediately added, "My dear, you have come into possession of your inheritance remarkably soon."

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Prudence and Shaving.

The classic case of a king who knew better than to let anybody else shave him is that of Dionysius the Elder, tyrant of Syracuse, who appears to have been unable to shave himself, for he is said to have resorted to the uncomfortable device of singeing off his beard with hot walnut shells. We may suspect that Napoleon was another case of the kind. Rogers asked Talleyrand whether Napoleon shaved himself. "Yes," replied Talleyrand; "he born to be a king has some one to shave him, but they who acquire kingdoms shave themselves."

That way of putting it pleasantly emphasizes the practical superiority of the parvum to the helpless spoiled child of heredity, but prudence probably entered into the matter also, if Talleyrand's statement was correct.—London Standard.

Paper Bullets.

Bullets of paper or tallow have been found to be productive of far greater damage than metal ones when used for short distance firing. During some experiments in this direction it was proved that, whereas a metal bullet penetrated a deal plank an inch in thickness and left a neat hole, a paste-board bullet had a far greater destructive effect upon the target. A paper bullet passing through six pieces of tin placed at a distance of a foot apart buckled them up completely, whereas a metal bullet merely left a small round hole.

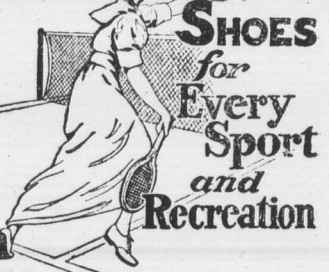
Putting the K in Kant.

Kant, the Scots-German, began his name with an alien "k" on the same principle that caused Murdoch, the Scottish coal gas discoverer, to bring his to an end with a "k." If you find them explaining that Murdoch with a "k" is the English form of Murdoch with an "h." But the great gas man himself explained that he made the change in spelling "to oblige the English, among whom he lived." He found that they had a difficulty in giving "the full guttural pronunciation" to the last syllable, and so he made things easy.—London Chronicle.

HONEST MANUFACTURERS.

(Ottawa Citizen) The Canadian manufacturer is, on the whole, an honest producer of goods. To prove this it is only necessary to review the quality of Canadian made goods and to analyze the government report of products made in the Dominion. There are some dishonest contractors, some dishonest and dishonorable manufacturers and some tricky individuals in all lines of commercial life, but it is likewise true that most people know of these firms and dealers, and know them for what they are. That in itself is condemnation, and proves once more that honesty alone pays.

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