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THE AMALGAMATED ORDER OF GLOOM DISPENSERS.

discontent know

ents anyone ing makes you, before you open t h e envelope. mentally brace vourself against the outpouring of troubles and complaints and you contain?

It seem to me that this type of son who regards a vessel into which to pour defenseless head of the reciin The Amalgamated Order oom Dispensers.

man.

when I saw the handwriting on ter he gave me, hope eternal slain again. I put the letter in my cket for a few minutes before I had ourage to open it. And when I it was even as I had ex-The letter consisted chiefly lengthy account of the funeral of a friend of my corresent, interspersed with details of illness suffered by the writin unpleasant accident which beelative and some complaints weather and the difficult

tting a maid. Has Had Few Real Troubles In Her Life.

not regularly write of funeral plants. but the rest of the letter ran rdship or sorrow in her pres- package. though she is approaching jne28, eod, tf

Is there among middle age her father and mother are your correspond- living. And yet her letters are almost invariably filled with this note

whose handwrit- of gloom and complaint. Why do people do it?

> Chiefly I suppose because they do not realize that they are doing it. No Wonder Her Husband Wants To Get Out Again.

Of course writing about one's real or fancied burdens is an outlet to pent up emotion. The dispenser of epistolatory gloom is like the woman who waits for her husband to come home so that she may tell him all of the petty annoyances of the day,how the baby spilt the ink and the butcher brought a poor piece of meat orries and depression and and the iceman went by with the card ements ready to burst forth right in the window, etc., etc. She lifts a load off her spirit in telling pertainly deserves honorable these things and she does not realize that she may thrust down another

spirit in doing it. V You remember doubtless the story Infinite Possibilities of the Post- of Lincoln's reaction when a member of his cabinet showed him a letter full e other night at the end of a very of righteous indignation which he day I saw the postman coming had written to another public official. he steps and my heart felt the lift "That's right," said Lincoln. "Get it mail it. Put it in the waste basket. dropped dead. You've got all that out of your sys-Write another letter to-morrow

> that effect). I think that would be excellent advice for all the members of the letter writing chapter of the Amalgamated Order of Gloom Dispensers.

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Notes and Comments.

Arthur Jackson, 46, stepped into a ernal hope, as most hearts do at off your chest" (or words to that ef- Chicago shoe store and asked the ming of the postman with his fect). But when the writer started to price of a pair of shoes in the winite possibilities across his put the letter in an envelope, Lindow. "They are \$14.50 without the coln said "Oh, don't do that. Don't war tax," replied the clerk. Jackson

The corporation of Dublin is to consider a proposal to abolish street names of English origin such as "Queen's square," "Townsend street," and "Brunswick street," in favor of the names of leading Sinn Feiners.

Six boys, from 10 to 13 years old were found guilty of robbing fruit trees at West Orange, N.J. The judge called their parents in: "Send these boys to bed every night at 6.30 o'clock for 30 days," he said, "and give each of them a big dose of castor oil."

Every telephone and telegraph pole in the remote districts of Norway has nexpected piece of news. She tion or you may "burn" the to be constantly watched on account of the bears, which have a mania for climbing the poles and sitting on the cross-beams, swaying backward and forward until the pole finally falls.

> Gloucestershire Yeomanry had the finest physique of any soldiers in the world, not excepting the household

General Sir Ian Hamilton at the unreiling of a war memorial at Winchecombe, Gloucester.

The Labor problem is no problem at all to Carl Paulson, who has just arrived at New York from Copenhagen with his wife and 15 children to operate a farm in Minnesota. He explained that if he couldn't get the work done with this force, he'd send home for reserves - two married daughters and three married sons and nine grandchildren.

Samuel Inestone, a London merchant and ship-owner, desiring to change orders which were being taken to Paris by an aviator for the shipment of coal to Marseillers, appealed to the British Air Ministry, and in a few minutes was calling from his desk telephone to get the aviator in flight. After calling twice he heard the aviator saying: "Chattaway speaking; who's calling?" He could hear the propellor and the aviator's voice sounded as if he were in the room. He said he was flying over Folkestone, with ten passengers aboard his airplane. The orders were given and obeyed.

DETERMINATION.



bet some kale he could travel in a whale. All the village sports were shocked and they joshed him and they mocked. "No one vet." they cried, "journeyed in a whale's inside. It would be all kinds of fun, but, alas, it

Jonah said he'd

can't be done. For the fish's throat's so small it can't bolt big things at all: even if you got inside you'd be smothered soon," they cried; "you could not the trip endure, for the ventilation's poor." "That's the way all tinhorns spiel." answered Jonah, off the reel: "just because no other male ever traveled in a whale, you insist it can't be did, but I'll bet my Sabbath lid that I'll pull the stunt ere long, just to show you're all in wrong. No one ever makes a hit if he's willing to admit that a stunt's hevond his skill; he should say, "I can! I will!" Obstacles are doubtless there, trouble, grief and woe to spare, he must face a score of foes but he laughs at things like those. Men who falter, doubt and quail, never travel in a whale. When I say I'd do a thing you may bet your wedding ring that I'll win or break a slat; you may bet your roll on that.'

"Rules!"

(With apologies to Kipling's famous "Boots.")

Theyre make-make-make-making crazy fishery rules, Rules-Rules-Rules nobody can understand, Rules-that-would-drive-half a dozen lawyers mad, And there's no escape from the Rules.

Seven-five-eleven-six-is the price of fish to-day, Four-eleven-seventeen-God knows what the day before, Rules-Rules-Rules-tying up our industries, And there's no escape from the Rules.

Don't-Don't-Don't-try to make them out yourself, (Rules-Rules-Rules-none knows the meaning of) Men-Men-Men-go mad from reading them. And there's no escape from the Rules.

Send-the-Country-to-the Devil and be done with it, Reg-u-la-tions-soon will be the death of us, Rules-that-seem-as-if-they were made by lunatics, And there's no escape from the Rules.

Count-count-count-all the money lost through them, No-way-getting-all-the markets that we used to have, Rules-Rules-Rules-killing all our foreign trade, And there's no escape from the Rules.

We-can-stick-out-lack of coal and everything, And-the-price-of-sugar needn't worry us, But-we-can't-stand-Coaker's crazy fishery rules, And there's no escape from the Rules.

But-there's-one-bright-spot in all this lunacy, That-is-that-it-cannot last eternally. When-we-have-an-other change of Government, Then we'll escape from the Rules.



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