

Psychology of Air Raids.

"To one person an air raid is a terror of an almost inconceivable magnitude and intensity; to another, a joke; to another, an incident; to another, a bore; to another, a 'show.'"—Evening Standard.

An Old Feller.

A Devonshire veteran is assisting in felling aspen trees which he helped to plant eighty years ago as a boy of 17. He lives in the same cottage as he did then.

The Mother of Invention.

Experiments show that a good quality brown paper can be manufactured from the Natal wattle bark after it has been discarded by the tanners. It is possible to bleach the paper to a cream tint without much difficulty.

The March of Science.

Certain waste fatty substances which had proved excellent egg-producing food for fows have now been found to be indispensable in the manufacture of explosives.

Dear Potatoes.

A market gardener of Sandy, convicted at Biggleswade petty sessions of selling potatoes above the maximum price, was fined £3,700, with £200 costs, and sentenced to two months' imprisonment. Notice of appeal was given.

Insanity Decreasing.

There are 3,159 fewer insane persons in England and Wales than there were last year.

Some Apple.

An apple, weighing 2lb. 4oz., and measuring 18 inches in circumference, has been picked in a Sussex garden.

A Great Monopoly.

Mr. Illingworth, M.P., told the Weavers' Company that the Allies controlled all the wool, cotton and silk and part of the flax of the world.

A Heap of Sulphur.

Sulphur fields in Texas, comprising 1,296 acres and believed to contain ten million tons of sulphur have been acquired by British capitalists.

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