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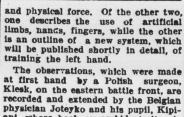
As a suggestion in chiaroscuro of the value of arts and crafts this war is rich in fine examples taken from the tragic experiences of the actors. Surgeons who have seen the battle-fields and hospitals of Europe dwell upon the stupendous problems of car-ing for the men disabled and mutilated by modern shot and orbitation. by modern shot and explosives. How are these men to be trained and fitted for work? Can a man who has lost his right hand be taught to use the left? Fight hand be taught to use the left: Should he learn a new trade or cul-tivate the old one with his left hand? Can men blinded by explosives be taught to use their fingers in drawing or in such unions of brain and fingers as music and typewriting?

These problems were discussed at a recent meeting of the French Acad-emy of Sciences. Obviously both technical and social issues are here in question In the first place the normal and working life of artisans and professional men has, of necessity, given way to military duty. Though we assume that most of them will be taken back into the industrial life of the nation, others will be permanently or nartially incancelitated for one or partially incapacitated for one cause or another. In addition to the drainage of huge bodies of men from civil employments, which cannot fail to produce its effect in the future, there will be a shortage of sound men they leave off sooner. In fact, it is caused by the war. The loss of mil- said that it is much easier to train a

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physician Joteyko and his pupil, Kipi-ani, whose book on ambidexterity is standard. These studies are of the most practical and useful kind. At the outset the interesting question arises: Why are the majority of the human race right-handed? Without numan race right-handed? Without entering into the counties stheories of the cause it is probable that owing to the position of the heart and great ar-terles, which are placed for the most part on the left, the need to protect this side of the body has been a guid-ing factor and had led to the almost involuntary preference for the visit. involuntary preference for the right hand. It is certain that the right side of the body is usually stronger and better developed than the left; muscles and nerves are quicker and more responsive and more capable of precise movements. It also appears that the case of left-handed soldiers who have lost the right hand is mark-

ed by the following special features: Left-handed men who are being train-ed to use this hand when they are accustomed to help it with the right are more easily tired than right-handed men; it is found that left-handed men are less accurate in their work; they are able to work less, for mus-cular action in their case accelerates the heart and breathing so much that In fact, it is

soldiers who had lost the right hand learned to write correctly with the instances mirror writing seemed in corrigible. In these cases it appears to be useless to attempt any other kind. Much of the success of this training depends upon the nature of a man's trade or profession. It is far casier to reeducate a man in a trade which simply requires rough move-ments, the muscular work of lifting weights, for example. But in the teaching of trades that are skilled, that require very fine and precise movements of the hands and fingers, failures were not uncommon. Here a oldiers who had lost the right hand failures were not uncommon. Here a new trade is perhaps the best thing. But the great truth which these write But the great truth which these writ-ers convey is the advantage of the imaining of both hands. A man who can use both hands in his work is much less helpless when he is des-abled; it is said that the ambidextrons are more alert mentally, of stronger "fibre," as William James puts it. Perhaps they are; but there is some-thing fanctful in these statements, and experience on a sufficient scale is wanting. The practical results of and experience on a sufficient scale is wanting. The practical results of training disabled men are distinctly consoling. A considerable proportion are restored to a comfortable exist-ence and earn their living with com-parative ease. The manual training of such men is worth further investi-sation.-Naw York Sun gation .- New York Sun.

Thirty-two thousand six hundred and eighty-eight pounds of quinine were produced in the Madras district, India, in the past year. It brought un usually high prices.

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FACTS FOR THE CURIOUS. Waterpower electricity is gradually

eplacing and saving coal.

Except along the Caspian Coast, Persian agriculture is dependent almost entirely on irrigation.

That whooping cough is caused by a bacillus has been discovered by two European physicians.

Paper is spun into thread and woven into a substitute for jute textiles by a process invented in Bohemia.

85,000,000 pounds of tea in 1915, as compared with 65,000,000 pounds the year before.

Silk fabrics, heavily impregnated with the salts of lead or tin are being made in France for X-ray garments for physicians:

Kansas is said to have fewer millionaires and paupers than any other state in the Union.

In the far north of the Russian Em pire lives a race of people who do not know who the Russians are and who



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and Dublin women have proved very adaptable in shell making. The re-sult is that the Government is able to turn out shells in Dublin and in Ire-land generally, cheaper than it can do in England."

"The effect of the rebellion." said

"The effect of the rebellion." said the Lord Mayor, "was only tempor-ary. A certain number of people were thrown out of employment by the destruction of the premises in which they worked; but that tempor-ary need was promptly met. I got up a fund, which amounted to five or six thousand pounds, and the local com-mittee, which had been working for the Prince of Wales' fund in relief of war distress gave me permission to snend from their resources comething

spend from their resources something like £2,000 in addition. We had the

advantage in distributing these funds to the necessitous of all the machinery used by the local relief committee. The

used up the local relief committee. Ine need was only temporary, most of the people who were not employed at that time have got employment either from their old or new employers. Some went to England and secured employ-

"The authorities of the St. Vincent

"The authorities of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, who have closer touch with the poor in the city of Dub-lin than any other organization, tell me that the number of cases on their books in the city is exactly the same to-day as it was at the beginning of October last year."

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in England."

"Isn't it easy to be a vice president?" remarked a young woman who had been sitting in one of the galleries for some time watching the Senate work. "Cinch." colloquially responded her escort.

But senators know differently, for they are fully aware of what it means to sit hour by hour and pilot their august body through the parliamentary jingles which frequently are confront-ed. The rules for legislative proce-dure in the United States Senate are practically no rules at all, paradoxical as it may seem. The course of the upper house is guided largely upon precedent and past rulings of vice presidents, and as a consequence the presiding officer must be thoroughly conversant with what his predecessors have done from the time the nation was born. This means long hours of study and extensive reading.-Cincinnati Enquirer.

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QUITE AGREEABLE.

(Boston Transcript) "This is the last time I shall bring this bill," said the enraged collector. "Thanks," replied the impecunious debtor. "You are so much more con-siderate than the other fellow; he said he was going to come again."

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Nature Worked Backward.

The following is an interesting in-stance of the reversal of the ordin-ary course of nature that cost an

English market gardener dear: Watercress is eagerly devoured by caddis worms, and caddis worms are a favorite food of trout. The trout in turn have a voracious enemy in her-ons, which catch the fish after they have grown fat on caddie warms. have grown fat on caddis worms. Now, in the case referred to. it hap-pened that a large grower of watercress had three-quarters of his crop ruined by the ravages of caddis worms. On investigation it was found that the trout, which ordinarily pro-tected the plants from the worms, had been devoured ahead of time, so to speak, by a flock of hungry herons, which, in thus reversing the course of events, had brought disaster to the owner of the watercress.



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Science Notes.

Under normal conditions, France makes 26,000,000 pairs of gloves per year.

Pearls are steadily increasing in value; they are now worth three times as much as they were ten years ago.

The banana takes the place of cereals among the Indians of South America, in the East Indies and in

lions in war which is not merely destructive of limb but of life must ac-centuate the poverty and the number of unemployed which are always with body.

Fortunately, throughout America and Europe the resources of science are being assembled to find a remedy. The war is a practical lesson in the value of manual training, training of the hand in a large science. the hand in a large sweep of uses. The manual arts are the earliest and the most productive, and, it is now asserted. the most intellectual, in the sense that they teach the most perfect union of the mind of the worker with the product of his work. According to experts this training of the hands, of both hands, it should be noted, en-riches the mind by adapting from the impressions of the external world whatever produces symmetry in the development of the intellect. If this notion be obscure, examples may clear away the difficulty. For instance, painters like Leonardi da Vinci were at once painters, mathematicians mechanics, and, on the other hand, Watts, who perfected the steam engine, was supremely at home in the process es of the arts. The present method of training disabled soldiers is chiefly a continuation of the study of symmetry of mind and of speech. body. It is a study of the utmost importance at any time, for every year dangerous trades tak e annually a dangerous trades tak e annually a heavy toll of maimed and mutilated men. Three special works on the sub. ject from three totally different points of view have recently appeared. One, by an American, Taylor, is devoted to the study of economy is the study of economy in muscular movements, or, in other words, the study of how to perform a given task study of how to perform a given task pictures of their motions in the cine with the least expenditure of motion matograph. Dr. Klesk reports that

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us. Thus the main problem is the shortage of able-bodied men plus the unnatural increase of cripples.

right-handed man to use the left hand than it is to train a left-hander to use the right. Immemorial habit has left an asymmetry in the face to the marked prejudice of the left side of the

Practically, the questions to be solved were three: When a soldier has lost his right hand, the most common case, should he be re-educated in his old trade or profession by means of the left? Or should he be futuent a new one? Or should he be fitted with an artificial right hand and be trained to write or draw or work with this? Dr. Jotevko tells us that in most in-stances the training of the left hand is successful; it is found it does work or performs writing and drawing that handed work; it is also found that when a shot has produced paralysis or loss of speech a cure is often effected by the training of the left hand. This training calls into play centres in the brain which have not been exercised. For this reason in European schools ambidexterity, or the habitual use of both hands, is being taught. Apart from ambidexterity, it seems clearly proved by these war experiences that there is some connection, some anatomical or bodily relation, between righthandedness and the development

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of speech. In regard to writing with the left hand a great difficulty presented it-self. Many soldiers in learning to write with the left hand produced the peculiar effect known as "mirror" or looking glass writing, in which every letter of the word is reversed. It is read easily enough if it is placed be-fore a mirror. This tendency is diffi fore a mirror. This tendency is diffi cult to correct, but after many experi ments the men were taught to write from left to right by showing them

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no time. "I caught cold last week while mot-oring," writes P. T. Mallery, from Lynden. "My chest was full of con-gestion, my throat was highty sore, and I had the flercest stitch in my side you could imagine. As a boy I was accustomed to have my mother use Nerviling for all our minor all use Nerviline for all our minor all-ments, and remembering what confi-dence she had in Nerviline I sent out for a bottle at once. Between noon and eight o'clock I had a whole bottle rubbed on, and then got into a per-spiration under the blankets. This drove the Nerviline in good and deep, arove the Nervillie in good and deep, and I woke up next morning fresh as a dollar and absolutely cured. Nervi-line is now always part of my travel-ling kit, and I will never be without it "

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Tea Chewers of Siam.

"Chewing tea comes from Siam." said a traveler. 'They call it micng. It is in a plug, like chewing tobacco, and it has a villainous smell. This smell is due to the fermentation it has undergone. The tea that the Siam-ese employ for chewing purposes is a very coarse, rank plant. It is gathered like ordinary tea, but the leaves after being compressed into plugs are bur-ied for fifteen days. They ferment during burial. On their resurrection they are very, very fragrant indeed. The Siamese boatmen chew tea. The rick-shaw men chew it. The litterateurs chew it. They say it makes them work better. This is probably the truth, for chewed a plug myself in Anam, and it exhibitated me strangely. But the aftermath was bad—a headache, smarting eyes and nervous depression.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows. Unfortunately, the man who de-pends upon a train of thought doesn's always get there on time.

Dublin, in reference to the statements which have been made regarding a supposed exception state of distress in the city, due to the April rebellion, and its suppression. The Lord Mayor said: "We are absolutely better off this year than last year, notwithstanding the rebel-

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Hon. James Gallagher, Lord Mayor of

Thousands have been so utterly de-pressed, so worn out as to be des-pondent, but Dr. Hamilton's Pills al-ways cured them. "I can speak feelingly on the power of Dr. Ham-liton's Pills," writes C. T. Fearman, of Kingston. "Last spring my blood was thin and weak, I was terribly run down, and awful headaches and a snaving empty feeling about my lon. There is, as far as I can see, no exceptional distress at all. is, on the contrary, a good deal of money coming into the city for separ-There ation allowances for the dependents of the men. most of them of the working classes, who joined the army. Information obtained from various traders in the city enable me to say that trade is as good, if not better, than it was twelve months ago. More-over, employment has been added to owing to the amount of munition work done in the city. We have five work done in the city. We have five or six factories, each employing from one hundred to six hundred hands. Vastness of South America.

The vastness of South America is Women are earning very good wages,

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You think of Bolivia as a little You think of Bolivia as a little country, it is as big as Germany, Aus-tria and England. Peru is as large as all the United States from Nova Scotia to Indiana, from Canada south to the gulf. Argentina equals all the United States west of Omhaa. Brazil is a United States with another Texas added. The resources of that vast area are in keeping with the bigness of the continent.—Homer C. Sturis in of the continent .- Homer C. Stuntz in World Outlook.

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WILLING TO TRY. (Life) Daughter of Western Farmer-Oh, George, the harvest hands threaten to quit, and papa is away? Young Foreman-Yes, I know I wired him this morning for instructions. Daughter of Western Farmer-What did he answer? Young Foreman-He said: "Hold hands till I come." Daughter of Western Farmer-Well, it means an awful fot of spooning, but I guess we can do it, can't wer

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