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### Eloida

There is an abundance of rain. Farmers are turning out their young stock to pasture this week.

The Christian Standard church of America have their annual ten-day Pentecostal conference announced for heavy downpour. Eloida camp ground May 17th, 1919.

week-end with friends in Ottawa.

Mr. A. M. Lee and family have returned to Ottawa after spending their Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs, Geo. Lee.

### **Purvis Street**

School is progressing favorably the management of Miss under

Miss Edna Bolton was the guest of her sister. Mrs. Geo. Herbison,

Mrs. Alex. Herbison and baby are both now able to be at their own home

Miss Nellie Pottinger spent a few dave at her home here this week. Some of the farmers in this section are drawing their milk to Brock.

one day visiting friends in Brockville. Miss Percival was the guest of her

sister, Mrs. W. Earl. Mrs. B. B. Graham and Velma, spent the Easter week visiting with

### **Newbliss Notes**

friends at Colburne, Ont.

Mrs. Eliza Lowman who underwent an operation at Smiths Falls hospital, is gaining nicely.

Miss Mary Coghlan spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Coghlan.

Mrs. James Wright returned from Fairfield, where she had been visiting her brother, Wm. Astleford.

The annual vestry meeting of St. Paul's Church was held on Monday night.

Mr. Colling, Toronto, was a weekend guest of Mrs. Elgin Lockwood.

### Frankville

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pettemore, of Smiths Falls, spent Sunday at Morley Holmes'.

Mrs. Wilford Hewitt has returned home after a short visit with her! mother at North Augusta.

Miss Ella Jones has returned to ingsworth's. was accompanied by Lottie Jones.

Mrs. Fred Pryce and Mrs. Morley Holmes are on the sick list.

Mr. James Hewitt is able to be out again after his recent illness.

### William Ennis.

The death occurred at Frankville, Thursday at five p.m., of Wm. Ennis, Kelly, of Delta. one of that village's best known and highly respected citizens. Deceased had been in poor health for several months, but until a few months ago was able to be about the village. A few days ago he was taken ill and gradually sank until he passed away.

Deceased was born in Kitley towaship 78 years ago, his parents leaving when he was five years old to the vicinity of Elgin. His long and useful life was spent in this country. About 40 years ago he purchased a farm at Kilborn's Corners, where he resided until about 1889, when he sold out and purchased the property in the village where he died.

When younger Mr. Ennis took considerable interest in public affairs, was a member of the municipal council and at one time represented Kitbeen a village trustee for some on Sunday. vears.

one daughter, Mrs. Milton Kilborn, Morris who resides in Frankville, and one sister Miss Maggie Ennis, of Forfar.

The funeral was held on Saturday D. Heffernan. afterneon from his late residence to Toledo cemetery. A large attendance of sympathizing friends and neighbors were present. The pallhearers were W. G. Leverette, Wm. Loky, Geo. Coad, S. Montgomery, T. Powsley and James Smith.

### Charleston

The farmers have a problem to face, that of not being able to do their seeding.

There was a heavy electrical storm here on Sunday, accompanied by

Some of our young people attended Miss Maud Hollingsworth spent the the dance in the Town Hall Athens, given by the Junior Farmers' Club, while others went to the one on Friday evening.

> Miss Daisy Masterson, Rochester, N.Y., is visiting friends here, a guest of Mrs. E. Webster.

> Miss McLean B.A., Brockville, has charge of our school in place of Mis3 Pritchard, who has gone to teach at. Albany, Sask.

Pte. George H. Grant was a weekend visitor at W. Halliday's.

Miss Marjorie Godkin, Athens, was a recent guest of Miss Kathleen

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Beecher were here for a few days last week, guests of R. Foster. They were accompaniel by Charles Washburn, Lake Placid N.Y., who will remain here for a

The friends here of Pte. George H. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Baile spent Grant, M.M., recently returned from overseas, gathered at the home of Mrs. Charles Slack on Thursday evening for the purpese of giving him a welcome after four years service in France and Flanders. On behalf of the people of Charleston an address was read by Lindsay Slack, and the presentation of a wrist watch was made by Leonard Halliday. Pte. Grant was completely taken by surprise. He said it was hard for him to find words enough to thank the people here for their kind remembrance of him and the welcome extended. He felt grateful for the continuous stream of letters and parcels sent him while overseas. He seemed to feel that it was more than he daserved but Charleston does not feel that way. Pte. Grant entertained the boys by giving a description of some of his war life. He is looking well and seems none the worse after his four years spent in the defence of his country. He was twice wounded. A pleasant evening was spent, refreshments were served and the guest de-

### Sheldon's Corners

parted.

Mrs. Judge and son were Sunday visitors at Vance Foley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Mott, Frankville, were recent visitors at F. Holl-

home at Carleton Place. She Mr. and Mrs. M: Kilborn were guests Saturday at A. Burney's.

Percival Whitmore spent Sunday with his parents here. Mr. and Mrs. H. Stewart and two

children were visitors at George Cowle's last wee.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mott spent Sunday with Mrs. M. Hollingsworth. J. Topping has sold his car to Dr.

### Wiltse Lake

Mr James Kavanaugh, of Charles ton, was a visitor at Ed. Foster's ou

A number from here atended the dance in Athens Town Hall on Friday

Mrs. M. Hudson made a trip to Brockville on Saturday to see her sister, Mrs. Bean Flood, who is a patient in the St. Vincent de Paul Hos-

Miss Martia Hudson and Donald Morris, were recent visitors here.

Miss Vera Hudson is visting Trevelvan friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Moore visited ley in the counties council. He had their daughter, Mrs. John Hamblin,

Mr. E. Monett Covey has purchas-There survive, besides his widow, ed a purebred calf from Mr. J. S. Mr. James Burns, of Frankville,

has purchased a fine horse from Mr. Mr. James Hawkins and Mr. James

Spence have returned from the Can' Miss Bertha's and little Miss Ida's. adian West.

The farmers of this section have no seeding done on account of the wet weather.

# LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

### Brief Notes of Interest to Town and Rural Readers.

The Quarterly Board of the Methodist hurch extended an invitation to Rev. T. J. Vickery for another term and expressed their appreciation of past services.

On Wednesday evening the local Oddof Brockville, Lyn, Mallorytown and Delta to the number of 150 or more. The degree team of Brock Lodge No. 9 conferred the first degree upon a number of local men.

Reserve your seat now for the Comedy Play "The Deacon's Seconn Wife" put 15th in Athens Opera House - Admission 25c, Reserved seats 35c -- Plan at Lamb's Drug Store.

Mr. J. C. Hardy, Syracuse, paid a su prise visit to Mrs. Mary Rappell this week

Mrs. Chas. Barber, Brockville, was isitor here on Saturday last.

Mr. Lloyd Flood and bride have taken coms over Mr. N. G. Scott's.

ainable at the Bazaar-R. J. Campo. Prop. Several slightly used Pianos always in stock. Prices range from \$100.00 upwards. Easy terms arranged. C. W. Lindsay, Limited, Brockville.

Mr. W. A. Johnson, Arthur, Ont., has been transferred to the Athens branch of the Standard Bank and will be the new manager.

Service will commence at 8 p.m. in the Methodist church during daylight

The Bluebird Mission Circle girls are selling flowers on Saturday for Mother's Day, and anyone desiring flowers kindly leave order with Miss Gertrude Vickery. Price 15c. each.

Messrs. McArthur, Webster and McCukkin, Canadian Northern surveyors, are at the Armstrong House.

Mr. H. Eyre, Harlem, and Mr. Marley Holmes, Frankville, in town on Tuesday attended the funeral of their uncle, the late Mr. H. Booth/

Mr. H. S. Holmes, Eloida, in town Tuesday attending the funeral of his sirable refuse. half-brother, the late Horace Booth.

Mr. Dr. Chas. E. McLean, who has been visiting at Blind River for the past two weeks, started for home on Tuesday evening.

Mr. A. J. Whalen, who has been acting manager of the Standard Bank since it opened here,

Belleville this week. Mrs. McConkey has purchased the McClary house, Church street.

Jas. McBratney, New Dublin, is taking possession of his recently acquired property, corner of Elgin and Wellington streets.

Jas. Ross has purchased the barn on the Chamberlain property, Church street, and is moving it to his premises to use in connection with his livery business.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Square, the Indians who have spent four consecutive winters in George Ireland's house near the mill-pond, left this week to spend the summer in other quarters, as is their custom.

Warden Holmes was in Brockville on Saturday conferring with others of a committee re the erection of a memorial to the Leeds and Grenville boys who paid the supreme sacrifice in the great war.

It is proposed to plant a number of trees on the town hall grounds, but owing to the heavy rainfalls it has been impossible so far to procure suitable trees for the purpose.

An informal dance was enjoyed by some of the young people in the town hall one evening last week.

Saturday evening at Philip Hollingsworth's, the occasion being the birth- Peat. day of the daughters of the home,

ties as janitor at the high school, fol- illness and death of the late A. Willowing his recent serious illness.

Robert Shaw returned on Thursday from the General Hospital, Brock ville, much improved in health.

Mrs. Burton Alguire has returned from the General Hospital, Brockfellows entertained visiting Brothers of ville, where she underwent a successful operation.

> George Bradley has been quite poorly at his home, Sarah street.

Roy Robinson's condition remains very critical. His brother, Sheriff, on by local talent, Thursday evening May of Toronto, arrived last week to visit

> Almeron Wilson, for many years identified with the dairy interests of the county, sustained a stroke at his Mill street home on Friday morning, gassing away on Sunday morning. Funeral services were conducted at the home Monday afternoon, interment being made in the local ceme-

You will always find the best fruits ob. Following a brief illness, Horace Booth, aged eighty-nine years and eleven months, passed away at his Henry street residence on Sunday night. Deceased came here several years ago from the vicinity of Lake Eloida, where his younger days were spent. His wife pre-deceased him many years ago, and their only child, the late Mrs. Malcolm Brown, passed away about a year ago. Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. on Tuesday by Rev. T. J. Vickery.

> Mrs. Almeron Robinson went to Westport last week to be present at the interment of her sister, the late Miss Taggart.

Miss Carrie Robinson has organized a class in music at Crosby.

Some time ago it was decided to plant a number of trees around the grounds of the new town hall. Unfavorable weather conditions have so far prevented the carrying out of the plan, but this week the work has been undertaken.

It is to be hoped that "clean up" week will be duly observed, and that the village may be cleaned of unde-

Ferris Bolton, M.P., Lisgar, Man., came down from the Capital to spend the week-end with his cousin, T. S. Kendrick. On Sabbath Mr. Bolton addressed the Methodist Sunday school.

Epworth Leaguers enjoyed a social evening on Monday esting musical and literary program was furnished, after which light refreshment were served.

The examination of the teachers' training class takes place on Saturday next.

Members of the Woman's Missionary Society throughout the district will be interested to know that there has been a change of the date of the annual branch meeting. It is to be held in Cornwall on June 17th, 18th and 19th.

Miss Cora Grey made a brief visit to her Brockville home last week.

Word has been received of the safe arrival of "Aunt Sarah" Wiltse at her destination. She accompanied her son, Mortimer, on his return to Mort-

Master Stewart Rahmer is spending a few days in Ottawa.

Miss Adda Hunt returned a few days ago from New York where she has spent the winter.

Mrs. R. J. Campo returned on

Thursday from a three weeks' visit

with old friends at her former home,

Syracuse, N.Y. Mrs. York, a native of this district, but now residing near Ottawa, is re-The L.T.L. of Hard Island met on newing acquaintances here, a guest of Mrs. W. H. Wiltse and Mrs. (Dr.)

Bert Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. T Bert Cole, Ottawa, are spending a James Hanna has resumed his du- few days in town, called here by the

Rev. B. B. Brown and Mrs. Brown, Montreal, and Mrs. Fred. Latham, of Brockville, are in town for a few days owing to the illness and death of their grandfather, the late H. Booth.

Mrs. Everett Latimer, Brockville is spending a week here with her mother, Mrs. Nellie Steacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Sheldon, Elgin, were week-end guests of the former's brother, Francis Sheldon.

### Seeley's Bay

The dance held by the C.O.C. on Wednesday evening was a lecided

Quite a number of farmers have begun seeding and work on the land.

Weddings are the order of the day. The latest being Miss Mildred Mc-Alman and Mr. Robert Coleman, and Miss Mae Ames and Mr. J. C. Staf-Ford.

Mrs. Alfred Chapman is still in Kingston taking treatment.

Miss Leota Steacy and Mr. Taber Stafford, of Athens High School, are holidaying at their homes here.

Mr. A. H. Votier, manager of the Royal Bank here, spent Easter in

Miss Harriette Kenney, nurse-ir. training at the Cornwall General Hospital, is home recuperating after a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Miss Helena Bracken, of Kingston Collegiate Institute, is spending the Easter holidays under the parental

### Morton

Miss Jennie Henrerson has gorback to Brockville to resume her studies at the Collegiste.

Mr. A. Stevens, Kingston, was a recent visitor at G. B. Somerville's.

Misses Lou Somerville and Jean Roantree are recovering from their serious atacks of pneumonia.

Will Booth has returned to Seeley's Bay, where he is engaged as teacher. Mrs. A. Dillon is visiting her sister, Mrs. W: Cowan, Chantry.

Mrs. Smith has gone to Toronto to

spend a few days. Mrs. Alfred Jacob is recovering

after an attack of la grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Jacob are on the sick list. Clark Henderson has gone back to

Welland after holidaying at his home Miss Ella Smith and Miss Ethel Sweet were guests of J. N. Somer-

ville on Sunday last Mr. and Mrs. B. Simpson, Jones' Falls, were guests of J. Stuart on?

day last week. Miss Mabel Henderson, B.A., has left for Looseland, Sask, where she

is engaged as teacher. Mr. G. B. Somerville is preparing to move his family to Ellisville, where he is engaged as cheesemaker for the season.

Mrs. J. Flynn and two sons spent the past week at F. Whyte's, Jones'

Elgin.

### Athens Public School

Empire Day in the Schools.

That this teaching has had effect was seen in the splendid response of the young men of our schools and at any time during the season, but colleges to the call to arms during

school and the pupils, thought a special program should be arranged.

If present plans do not miscarry, an Empire Day program is being arranged for the evening of the 23rd in the Town Hall. Part of the program

by the rupils and as the main attraction a noted entertainer just returned from three years in France will be present. Watch this column for further information,

### Hard Island

HONOR ROLL FOR APRIL.

Jr. IV-Bella Darling, Mary Besley, Pansy Foley.

Jr. III-Levi Alguire.

Jr. II-Alexander Besley, Jack Holingsworth. Sr. Pr.-Charlie Hollingsworth.

Jr. Pr .-- (a) Vera Livingston, Bernard Darling; (b) Willie Lawson.

No. on roll, 20. Average attendance, 9.81. Mabel M. Jacob, Teacher.

### SOLILOQUY

They've felled that lonely maple tree Before the Reporter office door, It brought a sense of grief to me-I ponder what they did it for.

Perhaps 'twas of beneficence To one of such appeals, That some hard-working honest man

Might cook his well-earned meals. O have the printing presses planned To cast all darkening shades away, And join as one in every land

Of which the courts of heaven ring (And that day will come, I know,) When angel choirs together sang Two thousand years ago. How long that time will be postponed,

To herald in the "better day."

Depends alone upon mankind, And partly upon me. Nor need I only sow the seed Upon some foreign shore,

Or soon that day may be,

Within my own heart's door. For sure I am the darker shades Whish often sore displease, Come only from another source.

But seek, perhaps, the equal need

And not from maple trees. -E Robeson.

### Bee Diseases

(Experimental Farm Notes).

There are three brood diseases that are of importance to the beekeeper, and two of them are responsible for very heavy losses every

Sacbrood is an infectious disease, but transient in character. It may be serious enough at times to weaken a colony considerably, but seldom destroys it completely. It appears in the apiary mostly during the spring and early part of the summer, cases may be found at any time during the season. The symptoms are irregular brood and punctured cappings;; the affected larvae are usually dark grey to almost black in color and are found lying stretched out on the lower wall of the cell with the head turned up pointing to the upper wall of the cell at the entrance. The body wall of the deceased larvae becomes toughened while the contents of the body are somewhat watery and granular; the whole can be lifted from the cell intact. There is no Miss Lena Laming has taken the definite treatment for this disease, position of clerk for the Ain Bros., but the beekeeper who keeps his colonies at the maximum strength and uses only young vigorous queens

European foul-brood is a highly infectious disease and spreads very rapidly through an apiary, causing Empire Day, the Friday before Vic. very heavy losses especially among toria Day, May 24th, falis an the 23rd black bees and hybrids. The larvae this year. It is a day set apart in the usually die before being capped over, Public Schools of the Empire for the while still curled in the cell. The historical and geographical study of color of the affected larva changes the British Empire and for patriotic from a glistening white to a light exercises, to incalculate a spirit of yellowish or greyish tint, later turnpatriotism in the hearts of the boys ing darker, and the larva settles to the base of the cell in a shapeless mass, finally drying to a dark detachable scale, which is removed by the bees. This disease may appear is mostly prevalent during the spring and early summer. European foul-As this is a season of rejoicing and brood is essentially a "weak colony" thanksgiving for the victory lately disease and the beekeeper who uses won, we, the teachers of the public only young vigorous Italian queens and keeps his colonies strong need not fear it.

> American foul-brood does not spread through an apiary as quickly as does European foul-brood, but it (continued on page 4)



Consequences, Temperance Lesson, len. 3: 1-24; Rom. 1: 18-23; James 1: Print Gen. 3: 1-13.

Commentary—I T. e temptation (Gen. 3: 1-5). 1. The serpent—Satan was about to make his first assaul upon the race of man, and he chose as the agency through which he would work, a creature which God had made and which in itself was not evil. The temptation of our first parents may be appropriately compared with the temp-tation of Jesus (Matt. 4: 1-11; Mark 1: 12, 13; Luke 4: 1-13). In the former instance Satan appeared under the form of a serpent or used a serpent as his instrument; in the latter he seems to have assumed no bodily disguise More subtil—The serpent is character-ized by craftiness, wisdom and cun-ning, and acts insidiously. It was, ning, and acts insidiously. It was, therefore, an apt tool of Satan. Said unto the woman—Eve was a moral being with the power of choice, jjust as Although they were hold, they were not perfect in wisdom, nor were they evperienced in Satan's arts It is evident that Satan assumed th form of a real serpent, and spoke to Eve through it. His words were intelligible to her.

2. The woman said-She made feeble effort to defend the goodness of God, but it is plain that the suggestion of Satan was already taking We may eat of the fruit of the trees-God's words were, "Of every tree of the garden thou mayest freely eat," 3. But of the fruit of the tree etc.—Eve clearly recognized the duty that had been laid upon her to refrain from partaking of the forbidden tree. Lest ye die The penalty was death, and the seeds of physical death would be sown in the bodies of the transgressors of God's command. 4. Shall not surely die—Satan appeared in his character as a liar. It was true that Eva woud not immed lately die physically from eating of the tree of knowledge of good and evil but death would certainly follow her disobedience, and a death more dread ful than merely sudden physical death, Batan's half truth was a consummate lie. Satan is called "a liar, and the father of it" (John 8: 44) by our Lord.

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5, Good doth know-Satan not only charged God with keeping back from Adam and Eve some great advantage With these two false statements in fused into Eve5s mind the way was well prepared for the full force of the temptation. Ye shall be as gods— "As God".—R. V. The tempter would pervet the image of God in man by inducing a talse aspiration. God has made you in his own image, yet with-holds from you the honor and glory of "knowing good and evil."—Whedon. II. Man's first sin (Gen. 3: 6-13). 6.

When the woman saw—The tempta-tion was threefold. 1. There was an appeal to appetite. 2. The temptation appeal to appetite. 2. The temperature appealed to her sense of duty. 3. An appeal was made to her desire for knowledge. All three of these desires are legitimate and right, and, under proper regulations can be safely gratified. In this instance gratifica-tion would involve the sins of unbe-lief and disobedience. Did eat—The appeal was stronger than her desire and will to obey God, and she fell a prey to the tempter. Her faith, which should have sustained her in the hour of fierce assault, was allowed by her to fail, and the ruin into which she was plunged has been shared by all was plunged has been shared by all her posterity. Gave also unto her hushope. Jesus Christ has made a proband—Eve did not go down alone. She used her influence to have her husband share in yielding to temptation, and in the results of it. According to Paul's statement in 1 Tim. 2: 14, Adam was not deceived, as was Eve. but went into the temptation with his eyes open. Neither one had any excuse for the violation of divine law. 7. Eyes ..... were opened—They were bitterly disappointed. Their eyes were

opened, but they were not "as God."
8. They heard the voice of the Lord God—The transgressors heard the voice which they had heard before, but with far different emotions. Hid themselves-Before this they had found delight in the manifested presence of God, but now their guilt made them ashamed and cowardly. With the knowledge that they had acquired. they knew the sting of condemnation and they sought to hide from him whom they had offended. 9. Called unto Adam-There had been mutual delight in these seasons of communion, but now God became the seeker after man, and man began to shun God's presence. 10. I was afraid, because I was naked—Adam did not acknowledge the real cause of his attempt to hide from God, which was his sin; but said it was because of his nakedness that he shunned his presence. 11.
Who told thee that thou wast naked
—This plea of nakedness was a connot realize it. The only way that he could have become conscious of his



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nakedness was through sin. 12. The woman whom thou gavest to be with me—This was a most despicable at-tempt upon Adam's part to place the blame of his sin upon God and Eve.

13. The serpent beguiled me—The question that Jehovah asked Eve was direct and its proper answer would involve a confession. Eve realized that she had been deceived, but she did not have any excuse to cover his

III. Punishment for sin (Gen. 3: 14 24). The threefold curse was pro-nounced. The serpent that became the tool of Satan, the fountain-head of evil, was appointed to crawl upon the ground, or rather, its crawling upon the ground was a perpetual sign of its part in the fall of man. In the midst of the curse is the promise of a Saviour. The woman was destined to a life of suffering and sorrow in the continuance of the race on earth Man suffered from the curse placed upon the ground, and was therefore entenced to a life of wearisome toil. The knowledge that man gained from eating the fruit of the forbidden tree became a perpetual curse to the race. The sinning pair were driven from the Garden of Eden, and approach to the tree of life was guarded by a flaming sword, so that they could not partake of its fruit. With their burden of guilt upon them our first parents went forth to suffer the consequences of

IV. All have sinned (Rom. 3: 18-23; James 1: 15). As we read the words in Rob. 3: 10-18, we learn how thoroughly sin has fastened itself upon the human race, and know that all are included under sin. The picture is dark indeed. There was desire for that which was wrong, then desire led to sin, and sin brought death as its penalty (James 1: 15). Although "all have sinned and come short of the pitiation for our sins, and by faith in him all may be saved and set free from the law of sin and death (Rom. 8: 2)

Questions.-What characteristics of the serpent are mentioned? What question did the serpent ask Eve? How came the serpent to possess the power of speech? What fruit were

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Adam and Eve forbidden to What falsehood did Satan tell Eve Why did the fruit seem attractive to Eve? What change took place in Adam and Eve when they partook of the forbidden fruit? Why did they hide from God? What excuse did Adam make for his sin? What excuse did Eve make?

PRACTICAL SURVEY. Topic.-The Nature and Results of

I. The nature of sin.

II. The results of sin.

I. The nature of sin. "Sin is the transgression of the law." The word transgression comes from two words which mean, to step over, or to go beyond. Sin is going beyond the limit set by the law which determines the boundaries of freedom and directs the course of conduct. Law is the basis of true freedom, which consists in loyal, loving subjection to just requirement. Without law liberty degeerates into license and mulminates in anarchy. We are under grace, but still "under the law to Christ" (Rom. 6: 14, 15; 1 Cor. 9: 21). The first recorded command was a prohibition with an almost boundless permission. "Of every tree of the garden thou mayest freely eat: but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt

not eat." As a element in meral development and a test inseparable from probation. It comprehends the whole of humanity in its application, and was accompanied by a faithful warning of consequences of disobedience. The pensequences of disobedience. The pen-was not a threat, but a revelation lts first purpose was not punitive, but lts first purpose was not punitive, but preventive. There could have been no temptation to evil as such to unfallen natures. Originally, as always, it was disguised under some approximation. ways, it was disguised under some ap-parent pleasure or advantage. Pleas-ure, appetite and forbidden knowledge were the original appeal. "The lust of the eyes, the lust of the flesh, and the the eyes, the lust of the flesh, and the pride of life," is the New Testament enumeration. Every appetite points in the direction of pleasure and pleads to be satisfied. If accorded undue liberty, it will drag us down to the chambers of death (1 Cor. 9: 27). A knowledge of evil is not necessary to the fullest appreciation of good the fullest appreciation of good.

II. The results of sin. They are manifold and follow by successive stages. The spiritual nature as the source and centre of trangression first felt its power. Its very touch intercepts happy intercourse with the Crea-ator. "The soul that sinneth, it shall die." Moral estrangement die." Moral estrangement occas-ioned disruption of moral relation-ships, introduced disorder throughout the entire being and mortality ensued. "By one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin." Although created sinless, by the very fact of creaturely existence man was not selfsufficing. He was dependent both in body and soul. Communion with his Creator preserved the latter, and access to the "tree of life," the former. That destroyed, this was forfeited In its federal head disobedience and forfeited its consequences became racial Guilt oppressing the moral sense, demnation, awakening fear shame, making them abashed before Creator and themselves, accom panied the knowledge of sin. There is a Jewish legend that, at the moment of the fall, the leaves dropped off all the trees but the fig. Only heavyprovided robes of righteousness can suffice to hide the moral deformity Evil culminates repidly. An age later only an almost universal judgment could ckeck its progress. The story of the fall is every sinner's experience ad physical decay (Rome. 1: 24-32) follow trasgression. :

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Worth Remembering.

Rosewater and glycerine make a de lightful emollient lotion for the face and hands in cold weather, and liquid vaseline with a few drops of peroxide is a good cleansing bleach.

If you are cramped for room, make a large leather oilcloth pocket and tack it on the outside of the refrigerator to hold any small thing in constant use

As a carpet cleaner, bran, slightly dampened is excellent.

Baskets scalded out with hot salt water once a week will not retain stale

If children's stockings are changed from one foot to the other each morning, they will wear longer.

When boiling sweet potatoes, be sure to have the water boiling when they

are dropped in, to prevent potatoes be Equad parts of ammonia and spirits

of turpentine will remove stale paint on a fabric. Cover plants in a living room with

To clean gold chains, soak in soap suds to which a little prepared chalk has been added.

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freshing, I had dark circles around my eyes and I was always tired and nervous. I was low spirited, my memory was failing, my limbs were heavy and my ankles swelled. "I took six or seven boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and they did me so much good I feel like telling every-

body about it." All Mrs. Jones' troubles are symp-toms of kidney trouble. If you have any two of them ask your neighbors if Dodd's Kidney Pills will not help

CLEVERISMS, CYNIC-ISMS, and JUST PLAIN TRUTHS

100 All generalization is dangerous. This

is a generalization. There is no lie like the half truth.

Consistency is an odd jewel; its value depends on the setting.

Plutocrats are born, not made; once a plutocrat always a plutocrat (even

in a poorhouse). Aside from use, aside from knowl-

The crowd always follows the crowd Pontius Pilate's sense of humor was rather raw, standing there washing his hands and asking "What is the truth? The philosophy that would set the world onward must flame with pas flon and tremble with emotion.

If a man be honest he will have ene

mies by the score; if he be dishonest he will fare no better. It is not al-together to be wondered that Diogene lived in a tub and that Saint Simeon Stylites lived on a pillar to praise God The man who is not seraphic had

better be cherubic.
No ethics, no sound criticism; criticism, no souond ethics. are the uses of advertising.

Enthusiasts are nuisances. Old Kins Hum Drum was a merry old soul. To people who do not know what to do with life, death in itself seems heroic. There is no crime like the crime of

throwing away life cheaply. The eternal veracities are the eternal veracities; to eat, to drink, to sleep, and through it all to come out on the

right side of the ledger. To-morrow we die.
"Idealist"—The sluggard's sneer. Politics-The crazy ladder of opportunism. Its foot is swamped in ignor-ance and indifference; its top is lost in the clouds of desperate romance

The world is my football, but what is my goal? Egypt repeated Assyria; Greece re-peated Egypt; Rome repeated Greece; the Teutons repeated Rome. Is it the

Not unless we get control of the The world is what we make it. a man on a mountain it is either a flat and sterile promontory, as it was to Hamlet when he was sick, or sa a

the man; it depends on the mountains. Discontent, to be worth a continentmust be divine. Furs are handsome only on the bo-

It depends on

dies they grow on. Faith may move mountains, but for the garbage it's better to have a col-

try and busy rivers.

It's a small wind that breaks no boughs.

Tight as the skin of a plum is the

liquor works through. Wear and tear is a sharp school, but

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Discretion is the mother of ennui.

An honest man's life is a series of indiscretions.—T. D. O'Bolger, Philadelphia Record.

The Lightest Wood.

three years of its life. At that age it dies and chother shoot starts from its roots. When cut, the wood is almost white and is soft and brittle, like the pith of elder.

### That Golden To-morrow.

It is easy to believe in that golden to-morrow. To young people particu-larly, the future seems bright with promise, no matter what the com-plexion of the present. But it should be remembered that to-morrow is like-ly to have a strong resemblance to to-day, and that the future is made golden by ardent work in the present.

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So we commonly say that Rome was founded 763 B.C.

At the beginning of the eighth century the Venerable Bede pointed out that this was an historical blunder. But no general notice was taken of his criticism and the error has con-tinued to this day. Historic facts have enabled modern scholars to determine without much possibility of doubt, the exact year of the birth of Jesus, and

o place it at what we call 5 B.C.
"It should be noted," says the great French astronomer. Camille Flammarion, "that the birth of the Saviour re mained totally unperceived at the time. No register of birth, no contemporary historian has bequeathed us any sacred parchment registering the

Moreover, although we are actually oproaching the year 1923 A. D., there is little probability that our calendar will ever be reformed to show the fact. confusion of dates that would result from a substitution of the more accurate designation would be too great to make such meticulousness wroth while.—Cleveland Plain-Dealer.

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### Combs.

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### Value Friendship.

Friendship is too precious, it it is real, to be lightly thrown away. The time will come, no matter how many acquaintances you may have, when your heart will turn to that deeper relationship, and when nothing can take the place of that voice you know and the touch of the hand that has clasped yours so many times. But if you have deliberately given up that friendship, can your expect to call it back to you at your will?

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Outside of Man's Rights.

The "mental neutrality" which is born of ignorance or lassitude is unworthy of reasoning beings. We have no intellectual right to be ignorant when information lies at our hand, and we have no spiritual right to be weary when moral issues are at stake.

To-day's Possibilities.

There is only one way to enjoy life, and that is to enjoy it in pieces—a bit here and a bit there. And a great many little bits make up a big bit. We all know that the richest people are not the happiest by any means. After all, what have they that takes the place of youth and health, of work and play?

Sometimes only the width of a street divides a man from his fortune if he would but cross.—Duke de Boulogne.

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# **PARTED** BY GOLD

Jack walked home through the snow, and slept the sleep of just. But he had his dreams, and they were all of fairles—fairles with pretty, oval faces and deep, childlike eyes, fairles with pretty, diffident voices, fairles whose family names were all Montague, and family names were all Montague, and whom in his sleep he heard called

Such dreams should bear fruit: and Jack swallowed his chocolate and de-voured his half pound of steak with the celerity of a city clerk

He had remembered in his sleep, per-haps, that Beaumont had law relations with a West-end manager, and could perhaps obtain for him an engagement for Mr. Montague quicker than Mr.

Shallop.

Mr. Beaumont's chambers were in Gray's Inn, and thither Jack's cab conveyed him, striking admiration to the hearts of the copying clerks and law stationers of the locality, who watched it draw up and deposit its owner on the pavement with visible envy and satisfaction.

Mr. Beaumont was in and received Jack cordially.
"Don't put your cigar out, old fellow,

or I shall be offended. Sit down, it's the only comfortable chair, and I'll perch, like the vulture that I am, on

Then he listened with a smile to Jack's story, and saw that it was to his interest to help him.

By Jove!" he said, "the very thing; how lucky you dropped in this morning, Jack. Here's a letter from Bating, Jack. Here's a letter from Bat-tledoor, the manager of the Thespian. He is looking for a walking gentleman, and all that sort of thing; but he's fearfully stingy, a regular screw; they say his company doesn't smell a meat dinner once a fortnight.

"Oh, that doesn't matter," said Jack.
"I'll arrange that. Where's his ad-

"Oh, somewhere in St. John's Wood; they all live in St. John's Wood. Where is it?—let me see—oh, here

And he handed Jack the manager's

Jack arose.

"Not going already?" said Beaumont, reproachfully. "Oh, come, you know, wait until I can produce the legal sherry and biscuit, old fellow." "No." said Jack, with a smile. "Il won't stay. Beau, I'm red-hot over this affair, and I shall go sharp on to this fellow, and make terms.

Beau, if you could have heard her voice, as she pleaded for him; if you could have seen the poor old fellow sitting so wearily and so sadly!" this fellow, and make terms. should have shed tears, no

doubt," said Beaumont, laughing. "It's a thousan dpities, old fellow, that you left the bar; you'd have made a grand thing one day—with a woman to plead

Jack shook hands "There's no moving you, Beau," he said, with his good-humored laugh

"Good-by, old Jack," said Beau-ont. "Oh, by the way, how is Lady mont. Pacewell?"

'Very well," replied Jack.

"And—Lady Maud?"

"Also very well," returned Jack.
"You have not called there very lately, have you?"
"No—no," said Beaumont.

"No-no," said Beaumont.
ly must soon. Good-by, old fellow." And he shook hands again, and looked over the bannisters as Jack ran down the stairs at the evident peril of

"There goes an idiot," muttered Mr. Beaumont, "raking in the mud for pebbles when a crown of beauty is over his head. I wonder whether I shall succeed in snatching it from him. Lady Maud must know of this mad

freak of benevolence, and at once. And he proceeded to wash his hands and prepare for a visit to the villa. Meanwhile Jack's cab had dashed into the artistic wilds of St. John's

He found the manager of the Thespian, at the address on the card, and his elegant and unmistakable equipage,, which the manager had seen through the blind of his dressing-room obtained him an interview.

He was shown into a gorgeous little drawing-room, all crimson, gold and statuary marble, and there entered to

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him a personage in a dressing-gown to match—all crirmson, purple, blue and yellow, with enormous tassels of bul-

> The owner of this piece of magnificence bowed and made his excuses.
>
> "We theatrical gentlemen," said he,
> "reverse the maxim. 'Late to bed and later to rise, is our motto. I hope I have not kept you waiting too long."

ong."

"Said Jack, with his pleasant smile, that won all dispositions. "And I must not keep you too long from your breakfast. My story is, you will be glad to hear, a short one."

And in as concise and agreeable form as he could put it, he made known the business of his visit. "Would Mr. Battledoor make room

for Mr. Horatius Montague and his beautiful daughter?' "Or," added Jack, "Mr. Montague alone?"

The manager knitted his brow and put forth the usual excuses Jack smiled.

"I have this matter at heart," he said. "I am particularly anxious to serve Mr. Montague and do not mind expending a little filthy lucre to at-

tain my purpose.'
"Ay," said the manager, seeing his
way more clearly, and
best to be very candid. "You intend to pay half Mr. Montague's salary?"

"That's it," said Jack, delighted. "I am glad you put it so; I should have beaten about the bush for an hour. I will pay half the salary, but it must be a great one. ou shall give him two-thirds of the usual one and I will double it. Of course the money must

come from you."
"Just so," said the manager, "and
the matter between us two in confidence."
"In strict confidence," said Jack.

earnestly. "And Miss Montague?"
"Well, I will do the same in her case

"Well, I will do the same in her case—two thirds," said the manager.
"Agreed," said Jack, conditionally.
"But"—he hesitated—'how do you know they have talents enough for the Thesplan? Have you seen them?"
The manager smiled shrewdly.
"Oh! my-dear sir," he said, "the public find nothing but talent at the Thesplan. The name carries all before

Thespian. The name carries all before it, and a man playing on our boards is hall-marked. Ha, ha! But, as it happens, I have seen Montague and heard a deal lately about his daughter. We managers make it a business to keep a sharp lookout on debutantes; some times something worth having is picked up on the quiet."
"As now," said Jack, with a smile.

"Perhaps so," said the manager, can-didly, and Jack parted from the florid dressing-gown well pleased with his

success.

It was only natural that, having worked so hard, Jack should think of

And yet he was reluctant to take it, and stood on the pavement staring at his showy and serviceable cab thoughtfully, stroking his moustache and trying to make up his mind.

But he got in without having done so, and it was not until he had been driving for some time and caught himself looking up at the names of the streets that he discovered he was looking for Harleigh street.

He found it out at last, a quiet little street, and pulled up at the corner, deciding, with good taste, not to stop the attractive vehicle

Montague's humble door.
"Mr. Montague is out, sir," said the servant "And Miss Montague?" asked Jack,

his heart leaping at the hope of seeing

his heart leaping at the hope of seeing gentle Mary alone.

"Which one, sir, if you please?"
Jack started.

"Which one?" he repeated. "Are there two—how many are there?"

"Two, sir," said the servant.

"Miss Mary," said Jack.

"She's out, sir; gone with Mr. Montague," said the maid, beginning to shiver, and wondering if the joint she had left at the fire would be quite a cinder when she got back.

"Well," said Jack, in desperation, "how long do you think they will be?"

"I don't know, sir. Would you be pleased to come in and wait, sir? Miss.

pleased to come in and wait, sir? Pleatile is in; upstairs, please, sir, front door on your left and knock."

Jack climbed up the narrow but

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nestly carpeted steps and halted be-tore the first door on the left, but he hestiated before knocking. In the first place it seemed a most extraordinary thing to walk in upon a young lady unannounced, and for the

a young lady unannounced, and fo second he was not sure of the

Who was Miss Pattle? What might she not think of this seemingly unaccountable intrusion?

Because Mary was gentle and beau-tiful it did not follow that her sister should be as angelic, and Miss Pattle might rise like a dragon to defend Mr. Montague's castle (i. e., his house— 'Every Englishman's"—etc.), and give him a sharp time of it.

While he was deciding, or rather procrastinating, a sweet, thin little

oice called out: "Who's that fidgeting outside?"
This turned the scale.
Jack, with evident trepidation, not

withstanding the sweetness of the voice, knocked timidly. "Come in," said Pattie, and went in

At first he could see nothing, and was stepping out again when the voice spoke again, and exclaiming: "Well?" seemed to proceed from a little heap of shawls lying on the

little heap of shawls lying on the extreme corner of the sofa.
Jack advanced, hat in hand, and addressed the shawls:
"I am afraid you will think this a very rude intrusion, Miss—"
"Pattie," said the voice.
"Miss Montague," said Jack. "But I came to see Mr. Montague, and was told by the servant to step up here and wait."
"Well," said Pattie, extending the peephole and showing. with the ges-

well," said Pattie, extending the peephole and showing, with the gesture of a fairy throwing aside her vail, her beautiful face and golden hair, at which sight Jack almost started, and certainly felt a kind of reverence and pity, "well, and why don't you sit down?"

Jack sat down-conscious that the Jack sat down—conscious that the large, patient eyes were making an inventory of his every feature and the child-mind was drawing its conclusions therefrom—and looked at the

fire.
There was a solema silence for five minutes, broken by Pattie saying, with much petulance: "Don't let the fire go out. Why don'

you poke it? You're the nearest."

Jack poked the fire and smiled.

Perhaps he did not display much energy in the performance, for the sweet voice said, decisively:

"I am afraid you are very lazy."
"I'm afraid I am," said Jack, laugh ing outright, but not loudly, since it





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would have been an insult to the tiny little creature.

At his laugh Pattie sat up and threw the shawl from her head.

"Your name is Hamilton," she said "It is," he said. "But how did you

guess?" he asked, feeling surprised.
"Jack?" she said.
"That's right," he assented. "Jack
Hamilton."

"You are very rich?"
"Well, yes, I am," he said. "I hope that doesn't weigh against me?"
"And you keep private carriages to place at the disposal of poor people who have not any of their own." Jack colored.

Jack colored.

He was beaten at all points. There was no withstanding this little elf, and he lowered his flag immediately.

"You are quite right," he said, "excepting the matter of the carriages. I should want to be the General Omnibus Company to do that. But won't

bus Company to do that. But won't you tell me how you know?" "No," said Pattle, slowly. "Carry me to that chair, please." Jack took her in his arms with

sensation almost of awe, and placed her in the great armchair. Some of her wonderful hair clung to his shoulder and he had to take it off before he could release her, and in the act felt as if he were losing a blessing.

"Thank you," she said, softly. "You are very strong."
"I am, thank Heaven!" said Jack, devoutly

devoutly.

"You earry me much better than any one ever did; did you ever carry any one before?"

"No," said Jack, "never."

"Oh!" said Pattie, thoughtfully; "I wonder you do it so well; it requires practice, father says. You came to see father. What do you want with him?"

Jack hesitated. Pattie's eyes riddled him through and through, meanwhile.
"I think I can be of some service to him, Miss Montague."

"Don't call me Miss Montague," said Pattie. "Miss Montague—I'm too small For such a long name, it sounds ugly. Pattie is my name—Pattie. I suppose you know how to spell it?"

Jack nodded with a smile.

"P-a-t-t-y?"

"What a dunce you are!" said the hild-woman.

"P-a-t-t-i-e. — that's child-woman.

"It's a very pretty name," said Jack, taking the correction with hum-

"Prettier than Jack," said Pattie, shaking her head. "But you haven't teld me what you want with my dear,

teld me what you want with my dear, yet. I'm afraid you are a sly thing. Artful, oh! very artful."

"I hope not, "said Jack; "I sincerelly hope not, Miss.—Pattie."

"Then tell me," said she, and Jack, quite unable to resist. her, told her something of the purport of his visit. She listened with her face hidden, and when he had finished said yery. and when he had finished said, very

softly:
"I like Jack, it's prettier than I

"I like Jack, it's prettier than 1 thought."
"Come," he said, "I am glad of that, May I poke the fire again? I am afraid it will go out."
"Yes," she said, "and put some coals on, please. And so you are very rich; what do you do with all your money. what do you do with all your money,

Spend it," said Jack, "and"—with a

sigh—"waste it, I am afraid."
"Oh!" she said, thoughtfully, "it
must be very nice to be rich."
"You think so?" said Jack, drowing nearer the fire, and preparing 'o en-

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joy the discussion in his simple-hearted, good-natured way. What would you do if you had twenty thousand a year?'

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"Twenty thousand shillings, do you mean?" she asked, still looking at the "No. pounds," he said, with a smile.

"No, pounds," he said, with a smile. She turned her eyes to him.
"I don't know," she said. "But if I were very rich, I'd buy a big bouse for my dear, and a carriage for nim to ride in, and a fine easy-chair—a real easy-chair, you know, all padded and leather, with a spring in it to send you through the ceiling if you sit down too quick; and—and—grand clothes too quick; and—and—grand clothes, gentlemen's clothes like yours, and liamonds studs like yours, and-and,

oh! ever so many things."
"Yes?" he said, drawing her on.
"And for Mary, I'd buy a violet dress with rubies and pearls worked in the body, and a crown of diamonds, and a horse for her to ride, and plenty of

books—Mary's very fond of books, and —and everything she wanted." "And yourself, what would your highness procure for our own delight?" asked Jack

"For me? Oh,! let me see. I don't want anything, I think. would be a waste to buy anything you didn't want, you know."
"Oh! come, think of something," said Jack.

She thought hard.

She thought hard.

"Well," she said, at last, reluctantly and slowly, "if I bought anything I think it would be a little wheel-chair, a snug little carriage, that my dear could push me into the parks with. I've never been there, you know, but I know what they are like. There's

some trees there. Jack turned his head aside, the two patient eyes were too much for him.
"Anything else?" he said.
"Yes," she said; "I'm afraid I'm
greedy, but I should like a nosegay of

flowers every morning."
"Do you like flowers?" said Jack

' she replied, clasping her doll's hands together and staring at the fire. "I love them. My dear often brings me some—but, oh! Mary brought me the most beautiful bunch you ever saw in your life. I dare say you never saw such beauties. Mary brought them from the theatre; a little girl—as small as me—gave them to her!" And in a rapt voice she pro-ceeded to describe Jack's bouquet. "I dear say such flowers, never. My dear said he had, but that was long, long ago, he said. They are in my room where I can see them whin I wake; poo deara, it's very lonely for them, but it's too hot in here."

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Jack looked at the fire, and to change the subject he remarked that he thought it was—going to snow and that he feared Mr. Mon'ague would get

"Snowing again," said Pattie, shiddering. "Do you like the snow?"
"Yes," said Jack, "sometimes,"
"It's very cold," said sne, "but I like
to look at it."

"Do you?" said Jack. "Let me carry you to the window."
"Very well," she said. "But I'm

dreadfully heavy. Don't you think you'll be tired, not being usel to !; you know?' "No," said Jack, "I'm sure I shan't."

And taking up the morsel tenderlyshe weighed as little as a human ac-ing could weigh—he carried her to the window, drew the shawls well around her, and pointed out the people as they passed, giving each a fictious history and feeling a glow of happiness suf-fuse his heart as the smile came into her face and the light into her exes.
(To be continued.)

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Proud Pedigrees of Com ish Folk.

There is nothing so uncommon as may at first sight appear in the case of Mr. Thomas Measures, whos sownership and occupation of a farm at Maxey (Northants), which has been in the Measures family for 512 years, was the subject of surprised comment in the announcement of his death the other day. Many people of unassuming position possess authentic pedigrees which our "great ones" might envy.

of unassuming position possess authentic pedigrees which our "great ones" might envy.

Only a few months ago there died in Roxburgshire a Mr. Thomas Boston, who was the representative of a very old amily, that of Gattonside, where the founder was settled in the time of Bruce. He went to Bannockburn as a harpist, to celebrate in song the victory which the English king anticipated. But the minstrel fell into the hands of Bruce, who spared his life on condition that he made a song in Scotland's honor. He did so (business being business), and in return, says Border tradition, got a grant of Gattonside.

Some years ago there was a farmer in the Shropshire parish of Coreley, near Tenbury, who had been connected with his farm for centuries—since the Conquest, it was said, and no one could deny it, for the beginning of the family connection is losing obscurity. A celebrated Kentish inn, Lamberthurst, has been held by the same family for four centuries. When a blacksmith's shop of Lord Lucas' Bedfordshire property was sold recently the purchaser was the tenant whose forbears had been tenants for two centuries.

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But that association is easily beaten by a Shropshire family of blacksmiths living a few year sago at Mucklestone (and probably there to-day), one of whose members shod Margaret of Anjou's horse just before the battle of Blore Heath in 1496.

Descendants may be traced of "Rebel Kett," of Edward VI.'s reign, and of Macdonalds (clansmen), who escaped the Glencoe Massacre of, 1692, only a year or two ago a lineal descendant of John Stow, the historian of London, was applicants for election to a pension in the city, and an old Southwark ratcatcher, who died about three years ago, belonged to a family which had carried on the business for two centuries.

The most remarkable instance of long ancestry in humble life, however, is afforded by the Purkis family, whose ancestor picked up Rufus' body and took it on his cart to Winchester. Purkis' descendants may still be found in the New Forest district, and a couple of generations or so ago one of them owned Purkis' little property which had come down to him in the male line from Norman days.—J. Plint, in Sheffield, Eng., Independent.



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# For the Veterans

How to Get on the Land.

The returned soldier who seriously desires to take up land under the Soldier Settlement Act should first of all become familiar with the procedure, so that no time may be lost with preliminaries. He should get in touch with one of the rep-resentation of the Soldier Settlement Board in the Frevince in which he re-sides. The representative in Ontario is: W. M. Jones, 22 Adelands steet east, To-

W. M. Jones, 32 Adelancy street east, Toronto.

The first proceeding is the completion of the preliminary informatio. form, which wil contain the applicant's military record, his occupation in civil life, his knowledge of farming, and other matters that will help the Qualification Committee to decide whether it will be desirable in his own interest, and that of the State, for him to be assisted in acquiring land.

The P.I.F. is inspected by the Qualification Committee, and it may be necessary for the applicant to appear in person before the Board. If he is not able to appear there, the committee may appoint a representative to interview him and make a recommendation.

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Broadly speaking, any soldier or sailor of the Canadian, Imperial or British Colonial Forces who served in an actual theatre of war, such as France or Mesopotamia, or outside the country in which he enlisted (that is if he went to England from Canada), is entitled to participate in the benefits of the Soldier Settlement Act. Or, if a British subject resident in Canada before the war, and served in the forces of any of His Majesty's allies, such as the United States army or that of France, if he was in an actual theatre of war or left the country in which he enlisted, he may participate. Canadians who trained in the United States or Bermuda, and who did not go overseas are not eligible. A Canadian who suffered injury on account of service and did not get overseas, may participate if he is in receipt of a pension on account of seuch injury. The widows of any of the above are also-entitled to benefit under the Act.

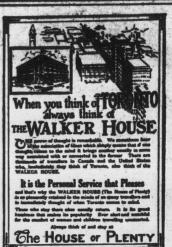
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When the applicant has been granted a qualification certificate he may apply to the Loan Advisor Committee for financial assistance should he desire to purchase land. He may have selected the particular parcel of land he desires the Soldier Settlement Board to purchase for him; or he will be furnished with a list of lands for sale in the particular province in which he desires to settle and may make a choice from that. The committee will appraise the land without regard to its agricultural possibilities, and if, it is satisfactory and in keeping with the financial requirements of the Act. the land will be secured for him. The Loan Committee is empowered to loan the settler on the purchase of land up to \$1,000. The settler is required to pay ten per cent. cash down on the pruchase, but the committee may recommend to the Board that the ten per cent. payment be waived in the case of a married man who has had agricultural ex-



perience and is regarded as a particularity desirable settler. The loan is repayable in twenty-five years.

After the settler has secured his land he may apply to the Loan Committee for assistance in equipping his farm. The Loan Committee may loan him money up to \$2,000 for the purchase of live stock, implements and other equipment. This sum is repayable in four equal annual instalments beginning the third year, and no interest is charged during the first two years.

There is also further financial assistance. The settler may apply for a loan up to \$1,000, for the erection of buildings. This loan is repayable in twenty-five years.

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Interest at the rate of five per cent. is charged on all these loans. Returned soldiers who require further training will be given a course in prac-tical farming. This will be outlined in a subsequent article.

### Queer Epitaphs.

Queer epitaphs are frequently fakes; Queer epitaphs are frequently fakes; but the following really appears in a Salop churchyard: "Elizabeth, the wife of Richard Barklamb, passed to eternity on Saturday, 21st of May, 1797, in the seventy-first year of her age. Richard Barklamb, the Antespouse Uxorious, was interred here, 26th Jan., 1806, in his eighty-fourth year." What an antespouse uxorious may be is not explained. may be is not explained.

### Why He Would Not Build.

It is in a Jewish legend that Methu-It is in a Jewish legend that Methuselah declined at the age of six hundred or so to go to the trouble of building a house because the Lord answered his question as to how much longer he had to live, and the patriarch decided that three hundred years was too short a time to warrant him in making the exertion. Undoubtedly Methuselah preferred his tent, and was ready to grasp at any excuse for sticking to it.

### Ruby Glass.

Real ruby glass is most expensive, since it must be prepared with gold. It owes its color to the presence throughout its mass of particles of gold too small to be seen with the microscope. Only the ultra-microscope, which renders visible, objects perceptible by means of their diffusion of these minute particles. With the orthese minute particles. With the ordinary microscope the glass appears as a uniform transparent mass, but the ultra-microscope shows that it is filled with points of light resembling stars on a black background. These points indicae the presence of the particles of gold to which the color of the glass is due.

### How to Know Hemlock.

The occasional report in the papers of children or animals being po ed by eating some umbelliferous plant emphasizes the importance of being able to distinguish the dangerous ones in the case of hemlock itself, the most poisonous of all, this is not difficult. Notice first the dark green, much cut and divided leaves and the peculiar odor which botanists call fetid. But perhaps the most obvious thing and that which most easily distinguishes the hemlock from all other unbelliferous plants is the stem. slightly ed and of a green color blotched and spotted with purple. No other mem-ber of the order has a stem in the

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### BEE DISEASES.

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is harder to combat. The larvae usually die after being capped over and the first sign the bee-keeper usually has of its presence is a number of dark, sunken cappings scattered about among the healthy brood. Sometimes these cappings may be perforated. If the capping is removed, a dark chocolate-colored mass will be found lying on the lower side of the cell. If a wooden toothpick or something similar is inserted into the diseased larva and given one or two turns and then withdrawn, the mass will be found to "rope out" to one or more inches before breaking. This is the chief characteristic of this disease. The only treatment advocated for American foul-brood is to shake the bees on to startera in a clean hive and three days later to remove the is harder to combat. The larvae us for American foul-brood is to shake the bees on to starters in a clean hive and three days later to remove the starters and give full sheets of foundation. The old hives should be disinfected, the combs rendered to wax for foundation and the frames destroyed. The honey is safe for human consumption but must not be placed where bees have access to it. This treatment should be given during a honey flow, if not the bees will need daily feeding. Further details of these diseases and their treatment will be found in Bulletin No. 26, Second Series, which can be obtained free by applying to the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

### NOTICE

The Imported Clydesdale Stallion, Tressilian, Enrollment No. 4084, will stand for Mares at farm of Huron Rowsome, 1 mile south of the Village of Athens, Thursday Night and every succeeding Thursday night for the season. Parties wishing to breed should see this horse on May 15 and make final arrangements as his book is nearly full and will be closed on May 17. For Terms and complete route cards consult the Sec'y. Committee in charge: George Jackson, Pres. Lyn; D. B. Johnson, Lansdowne and Walter H. Smith, Treasurer, Athens.

### Home Garden Contest

A contest open to all Boys and Girls under eighteen years of age will be carried on if a sufficient number of entries are received. If there is a boy or girl in your home who would care to enter this contest I would be plied in e. also a blue-print of how to slad to have them write or call for further information. Seed is suplay out a plot of ground and instructions re planting. Prizes will be awarded for the three best plots.

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Value of Crop Increased by Proper Storage.

Sweet potatoes stored in up-to-date storage houses bring a higher price on the market than those stored in storage houses bring a higher price on the market than those stored in banks and pits. By the adoption of the better methods of storing and marketing sweet potatoes, their value could be greatly increased without increasing the aereage of production. This is especially true in the south, where they are either rushed on the market at digging time, when the price is low, or stored in outdoor pits or banks, where a large portion of them decay. Very few of the potatoes stored in pits or banks ever reach the market, for from 25 to 50 per cent. spoil, while those that remain sound are not of good quality.

Even if the pit or bank method of storage were satisfactory in other respects, it is not economical. Too much labor and expense are required to make these banks every year and to get the potatoes out of them when wanted for market. Sweet potatoes can be marketed more economically

wanted for market. Sweet potatoes can be marketed more economically and to much better advantage from storage houses. It is not advisable to open a bank when the soil is wet or the weather cold, as these conditions injure the potatoes and cause them to decay. Outdoor pits and banks cannot be depended on. In some years a very small number spoil in banks, while in other years practically the whole crop is lost. The only safe and practicable method of storing sweet potatoes is in a storage house, for then they can be taken out at any time without subjecting them to unfavorable conditions. to unfavorable conditions.

Prepare for 1919.

Now is the time for the farmer to plan his croppings for 1919 and in doing so to decide upon what fertilizers, if any, he purposes to use. Last spring there was considerable disappointment among farmers, especially among those who had delayed the contractions of the special spring their negative form. any among those who had delayed placing their orders till a few weeks before the season opened, as there was not only a shortage of material but transportation facilities were such that quick deliveries could not be made. There is no prospect that conditions will be better next spring and it therefore behoves the farmer. and it therefore behooves the farmer to carefully consider his needs, scan the prices and having made his selec-tion to place his orders stipulating an early delivery. Co-operation in ordering may effect the saving of a considerable amount in purchasing and freight rates.

During the last ten years there has been considerable increase in the number of farmers in British Columbia, Quebec, Ontario and the Maritime Provinces, using fertilizers, but unfortunately but a small percentage of them have any definite knowledge of the profit that may have resulted from their application. There will always be a degree of uncertainty as regards results from fertilizers, chiefly owing to the fact that seasonal conditions cannot be predicted, but with close observation from carefully planned work, a very great knowledge may be gained as to the kind and amount of fertilizer. which will prove profitable. A series of adjacent plots on fairly uniform soil, each with a different amount or combination of fertilizer amount or combination of fertilizer and sown to the same crop, furnishes the most reliable means of learning the most profitable application, but if time and labor do not permit of the adoption of this plan, a strip of the field well staked, should be left unfertilized, and its yield weighed against that of a similar sized strip on the fertilized area. From the results so obtained the prefit or loss from the application of the fertilizer may be readily obtained.

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A considerable saving hay be usually effected by buying fertilizer ingredients—nitrate of soda, sulphare of ammonia, superphosphates, basic slag, etc., than by purchasing ready mixed fertilizers, and this course also furnishes valuable information for future guidance obtainable in no other way.

Information and advice regarding the use of fertilizers will be gladly given as far as may be practicable, by the Division of Chemistry, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

Protecting Fruit Trees.

Orchard owners are warned by the department of horticulture at the Ohio Experiment Station to provide protection for young fruit trees from rodents before the first snowfall, as field mice and rabbits may begin to do their damage near the opening of winter. Even in orchards where there is an abundance of vegetation it has been found that rabbits will leave the green forage to gnaw the bark

off the fruit trees,
Horticulturists have found that
field mice do not attack trees when
the grass is completely hoed from the trunk on an 18-inch radius. Mice avoid tunneling in ground that is not covered with grass, and make no passageways through exposed patches.
Another effective means of protection is tying building paper about the trunk sufficient to cover for 13 inches above the roots.

Fall Planting of Shrubs.

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Ornamental plantings on the lawn or in the garden may be done more successfully in the fall than in the spring. Most deciduous trees and shrubs may be transplanted in the fall with the advantage of gaining almost a year's time in favor of fall planting. The lilac begins to growvery early in the spring, but if moved in the fall the bush stands a much better chance of living and making a satisfactory amount of new growth. a satisfactory amount of new growth as compared with spring transplant-ing. The bush honeysuckles, as well as spireas, are much less likely to sustain a severe shock, if shifted in

Cattle for B. C.

W. T. McDonald, Live Stock Commissioner for the Province of British Columbia, visited Edmonton recently and purchased some 800 head of cat-tle. These are to be run in the Bulkley Valley, the money for their purchase being advanced by the Pro-vincial Government. The cattle pur-chased were nearly all stocker steers and heifers. and heifers.

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We ask now your continued sympathy and support for Red Triangle Service for our Soldiers during demobilization, and for Y.M.C.A. work for Canada generally during the Reconstruction period. The Annual Red Triangle campaign will be held throughout Canada May 5th to 9th, 1919. The objective is \$1,100,000.



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For the soldiers and their dependents, returning from Overseas, we have provided as follows:-

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- 2. Red Triangle comforts and facilities for the men on arrival at Halifax, St. John, Quebec and Montreal, including coffee stalls, with free drinks, free catables, cigarettes, candies, etc.
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### For Canada's Manhood

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- 1. An increased service to 300,000 teen-age boys in the Dominion—the development of Canadian Standard Efficiency training; Bible Study groups; summer camps; conferences; service for High School boys, for working boys, in the towns and cities; for boys on the farm and for boys everywhere, who have lacked opportunity for mental, moral, physical or social development.
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2. Inauguration of Y.M.C.A. work in the country, and the smaller towns and villages lacking Association buildings and equipment, on a plan of country order izations. This will include the establishment of Red Triangle centres for social, recreational and educational work among boys and well, in co-operation with the in co-operation. churches.

3. The promotion-of Y.M.C.A. Markania (Markania) 3. The promotion of Y.M.C.A. work among Canada's army of workers in industrial plants, both in Y.M.C.A. buildings and in the factory buildings, organizing the social spirit among the industrial workers of our cities by meetings, entertainments, games and sports.

4. The establishment of the Red Triangle in isolated districts where lumbermen, miners and other workers hold the front trenches of industry.

5. Besides these main fields of increased activity for 1919, we have to provide for colleged work among railway men, college students and for our campaign to encourage physical and sex education. Under all our work we place the fundamental foundation of manly Christianity.

### Y.W.C.A.

For the wives and children Overseas, dependent upon Canadian soldiers, and for Y.W.C.A. work in Canada generally, a sun of \$175,000 from the Red Triangle Fund will be set aside for the Dominion Council of the Y.W.C.A., which is caring for the soldiers' women folk, and their little ones on the long journey, from Liverpool to Canada is also extending its work for Canadian girls.

For their sake also be generous when you make your contribution.

FOR the sake of our victorious soldiers and their dependents, and the happiness of their home-coming; for the sake of our future citizens, our teen-age boys; for the sake of rural life in Canada; for the sake of the social betterment of the toilers in factory and workshop; for the sake of lonely men and boys in our mines and forests; for the sake of Christian Society and Canadian manhood—we appeal to you. Give us your contribution, little or big. Be as generous as you can.

Hand your contribution to the canvasser when he calls, or if you live where it is difficult for him to call, send it by check, money order or registered letter to the National Treasurer, Red Triangle Campaign, 120 Bay Street, Toronto.

### Please Note:

We are not asking for money to carry on our work Overseas, with the Army in Great Britain, France or Belgium. That work will continue at its maximum for some months, financially provided for by the liquidation of our assets Overseas, and will not terminate till the last man has sailed for home.

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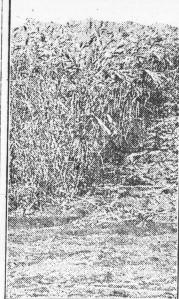
Lowin Success? One you Equipped FACTS ABOUT BARLEY.

Information for Those Who Wish to Grow This Grain.

The time of harvesting barley depends on the use of the crop, the variety, the climate and the method

For seed, brewing, or feed, the crop should be mature. The maturity should not be judged by the earliest spikes. If possible, the latest spikes should be mature, as this will insure that no part of the crop will be shrunken from having been harvested to soon. If the stend is thin be shrunken from having been harvested too soon. If the stand is thin or uneven, this may not be possible, as the earlier spikes of many varieties would begin to shatter. By maturity is meant the point where material ceases to be added to the kernel and not that the grain has become dry. There are several popular tests which indicate this period. The kernel at this time can be dented with the thumb-nail and retains the dent for some time. The milky juice largely disappears from the furrow. largely disappears from the furrow. The hull begins to wrinkle on the ripest grain, showing the shrinkage of the kernel beneath. After this of the kernel beneath. After this point is reached, ripening is merely the loss of moisture and can take place in the shock as well as if left uncut.

Nurse crops of barley are often cut somewhat earlier than grain crops, but this is for the purpose of favor-ing the development of the grass



### Barley Ready for Harvester.

seeded with the barley and does not enter largely into the general prob-lem of barley harvest.

As a hay crop barley is harvested still earlier. It is not, however, cut while in bloom, as is customary with many of the grasses. The grain is allowed to develop almost to its maximum. The grain content of barley hay constitutes a considerable part of its feed value. Barley is highly prized as a hay crop in some parts of the west, despite the coarse awns which frequently cause sore mouths in horses and cattle. Sometimes the hooded varieties are grown for hay, in order to climinate this objectionable factor. Much of the hay, however, is incidental; that is, the barley is cover for grant of the hay have been supported by the cover of the same of the hay have been supported by the same of the

ever, is incidental; that is, the bariey is sown for grain. If the season is favorable, it is harvested for grain; if unfavorable, it is harvested for hay. The time to harvest sometimes depends on the variety. Some varieties shatter badly when ripe, while others do not. Hooded and awnless sorts shatter most easily

shatter most easily.

The climatic conditions at the time of harvesting have some influence on the stage at which barley is cut. In a section subject to storms the harvesting have some influence on the stage at which barley is cut. In a section subject to storms the harvest and the stage of a section subject to storms the harvest must be accomplished within a yery few days. If the straw is too green it will not dry out properly in a humid climate and there may be mold damage. If harvest is delayed too long much grain might be lost through the occurrence of a storm, as all barleys in humid climates shatter rather easily.

There are but three common methods of harvesting barleys by the use

ods of harvesting barley, by the use of the binder, the header and the combined harvester. The grain bin-der is the implement of the intensive farmer and is by all means the best where it can be used. The grain can be cut with less less. It can be cut at the optimum time and in the humid regions can be stored with less damage than by the other methods. When cut with the header or the combined harvester, the grain is allowed to ripen more completely than when cut with the grain binder.

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A Home-made Roof.

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Hogs Prospects After the War.

The Breeders' Gazette says that, although one of the largest crops of hogs ever gathered in the United States has been marketed this year, the cellars of American packers are practically empty. It is believed, too, that hog prices will hold for at least some time after the war. In provision trade circles opinion exists that peace will materially broaden provision trade circles opinion exists that peace will materially broaden export demand for all kinds of hog products. Such neutral countries as Norway, Swedon. Denmark and Holland will then greatly increase their purchases; England and France must be fed, and the empty larders of the central empires at least partly reglenished.

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# GERMAN SPY IN UNITED STATES

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Told by Custodian of Alien Property.

(Christian Science Monitor)

A Mitchell Palmer, Attorney-General of the United States and former todian of alien property, teld Victory Loan workers, at Buffalo, of the methods the United States Government had used during the war to combat German efforts.

"A western school teacher of Ger man birth," said Mr. Palmer, "left \$10,000 in her will to von Hindenburg. I got it. It was used to buy mun itions, and Pershing's boys delivered the bequest to von Hindenburg at his home address.

"In this war we have made the en emy property fight the enemy. The Germans sent capital to America to undermine the industry of this country. We took over that capital and turned it into a fighting war machine

to fight Germany.
"In Passaic, New Jersey, six or seven great woolen mills worth from \$60,-000,000 to \$70,000,000 were owned by German capital, and they were the finest in the world. In some of them before the war the German tongue was officially used and in two of them when America entered the war the managers refused to fly the American

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flag. They also refused to accept government work, accepting only civilian work with enormous profits. One of them capitalized at \$3,600,000 did a business of \$30,000,000 with a profit of \$10,000,000 during 1917-18. We took them over, put American directors in charge, ran up the American flag and set them to work on army and navy uniforms.

"Germany through the German-American Lumber Company of St. Andrew Bay, Florida, owned by a cousin of the former Kaiser, controlled the Panama Canal. This concern also had an office in Pittsburgh and was one The concern refused to allow any Am erican railroad to operate near the place or allow development. Upon investigation is was learned that this concern kner, nothing about the lumber busines, and that its files were choked with Pan-German literature,

correspondence and propaganda.
"One of the greatest spy centres in merica was located near Pittsburgh at a little town named Koppel in Beaver County. These was located in the plant of the Orenstein, Arthus, Koppel Company, owned entirely by German interests. They built mine cars and steel equipment.

"By clever manipulation they required all customers to furnish them with complete plans and blue prints of floor plans and elevation of their plants before they would begin work on a contract. As a result the company was able to secure vital data of practically every large American in-dustry which were sent to Germany and filed. Eighteen large German in surance companies located in Amer ica also secured vital statistics of American industries, and when Amer-ica entered the war, Germany knew just what American industries could produce, or at least she thought she did.

"The Orenstein, Arthus, Koppel

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Company also advised the German Government that it could perform a service to the Fatherland by taking American contracts and then falling This company was

"The Germans also controlled the entrance to the Caribbean Sea by holding a terminal at St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands. Under the guise of a terminal they had built concrete em-placements and could have established an invulnerable fortress there had not their plans been uncovered by American secret service operatives The holdings were originally secured by clever German agents posing as Danes. The United States now owns this terminal."

Mr. Palmer said the many explo sions in munition factories during the war were perpetrated by German agents supplied with information by the Orenstein, Arthus, Koppel Company and the 18 German insurance companies. We said the day the armistice was declared, Germany had 150,000 agents in Spain disguised as salesmen ready to work in America and South America to regain German com

Liniment Lumberman's Minard's Friend.

### Medicinal Value of Fruits.

Edible fruits do not exert direct medicinal effects, but they encourage the natural processes by which the cids are produced. Oranges, figs, prunes, mulberries

dates and nectarines are laxatives.
Cranberries, biackberries, dewberries, resperries, quinces, pears, wild cherries and barberries are astringents.

Grapes, peaches, huckleberries and black currants are diuretics. Gooseberries, currants, pumpkins and melons are refrigerants. So are lemons, limes and apples, and these last are also stomach sedatives. Apples are corrective and useful in

The green fruit of the persimmon is highly astringent, containing much tannin, and is used in diarrhoea and incipient dysentery. The oil of the cocoanut is recommended as a substitute for cod liver oil and is used in Europe for phthisis

### Swift-Running Animals.

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WHAT ANIMALS EAT.

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Some Novel Figures About Their Foods.

average cow during her life eats 27 tons of dry fodder and produces 2½ tons of dry human food in the form of milk, veal from her own calves, and cow-meat from her own carcass. Hence, 12 pounds of dry fodder are required to produce 1 pound of dry human food. The cow eats hay and grass and concentrated foods like bran and oilcake.

A pig eats 7 pounds of barley (6 ounds dry weight) and produces 1 pound of pork, containing half its weight in water. Hence, here again it requires 12 pounds of dry fodder to produce I pound of dry human food; but the pig consumes a pro-duct which can be made into barley bread, and hence competes with man for a precious bread-making grain.

A fowl eats 100 pounds of corn and neal during 18 months, and produces 180 eggs and 4½ pounds of food when killed. The relation between dry fodder and dry human food is 14 to 1.

A sheep eats 600 pounds of dry fod-der in a year and produces 28 pounds of meat. Here 24 pounds of dry fod-der produces 1 pound of dry hu-man food. But a sheep also yields 10 pounds of wool, which is invaluable and is supplementary to the food value of the animal.

Finally, a fat ox eats 8 tons of dry fodder during three years of life, and produces 800 pounds c. beef, or 250 pounds of dry human food. The astonishing value of 64 pounds of dry fodder for the production of 1 pound of dry human food is revealed. To prothe roast beef of old England requires more than five times the quantity of fodder that is required to duce the same food value in the form of milk, veal, and cow-meat. A fattened ox is indeed a costly product For example, if a steer weighs at the start 1.016 pounds, at the end three months of fattening he may weigh 1,226 pounds, and if during the period he has eaten 196 pounds of fod-der weekly, and dried fodder used in the production of 1 pound of human food will amount to 55 pounds. But if the process of fattening be con-tinued, as is usually the case, then at the end of another three months animal may weigh 1,275 pounds. If the fodder during this interval has amounted to 224 pounds weekly, it may be calculated that 100 pounds of dry fodder yielded only a additional pound of dry human food. It was evident that the fat ox was too extarvagant a product for England to maintain Scribner.

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GREATEST ROBBER KING.

Fredericw the Great, Founder of "Prussianism."

They have taken down the statue of Frederick the Great in Washington. Let us ask ourselves why he was called great. He tried to do many things, and from the position he occupied he was able to csay them under the most favo able auspices. In which of them, then, did he excel to such a degree at the case of the control of

auspices. In which of them, then, did he excel to such a degree as to earn the title by which he is known.

He tried to write poetry, but even Voltaire's hired praise (which he reversed as soon as his pay was stopped) has to convinced the world that he was great in that department. He tried the flute and the fiddle, but we should inqui-s in vain far any evidence that he ravished any ear on those instruments. He tried to be a lawgiver, but outside of kicking the shins of his judges when they objected to his intereference he acquired no greatness in that attempt. In what, then, was Frederick great? The answer is too plain that he was great only in those qualities of perfidy, faithlessness, cruelty and rapacity that made him the greatest robber king who ever sat upon a throne. In that greatness he has had few emulators, and in our times, at least, they have been confined to his own family.

Frederick, to do him justice, pretended to be nothing but what he was. When he started out to rob a neighbor he did not go forth canting about his mission. He called things by their right names. When he started out to rob Maria Theresa of Silesia some flatterer about the court inscribed a banner to be borne by the army with the words, "For God and Our Country." Frederick regarded it with disdain. "Strike out "For God," he said, "we are going to get a province, not to defend religion." He was under solemn treaty pledge to respect the Queen of Hungary's title to that province and cynically admitted it. But his ambition and his interest, he said, demanded a war of conquest, to which reason, he added one of personal vanity. He wanted, he said, to make people talk about him.

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taking too much pride in his looks. Thus we have him writing home in a vein of questionable pleasantry. "I have the honor to inform your humanity that we are Christianly preparing to bombard Neisse; and that, if the lace will not surrender of goodwill, needs must that it be beaten to powder." It is easy to imagine the present wielder of Frederick's sword rubbing his hands in the same way before Louvain and Rheims. It was to the same corespondent that Frederick wrote in his daredevil and cynical humor, "My dear Monsieur Jordan, my sweet Monsieur Jordan, my sweet Monsieur Jordan, my good, my being, my pacific, my most humane Monsieur Jordan—I announce to your serenity the conquest of Silesia." It was in such humor that he pursued his greatness.

nounce to your serenity the conquest of Silesia." It was in such humor that he pursued his greatness.

If treachery to an ally is a title to greatness Frederick was great in that, too. He made an siliance with France and then came to secret terms with Austria by which he was still to pretent to make war against her, but to allow her to withdraw her army from in front of him to surprise his ally in another quarter. The record of his treachery was made in Frederick's own 'and. 'In exchange for Silesia we will go no fare. We will besiege Messe for form. The commandant shall surrender and depart. We will go quietly into winter quarters; and they (the Austrians) can take their army where they will. Let all be finished in twelve days.''
This is the Frederick who was called Great. He was the founder of Prusslanism, the full fruits of which the world now sees.

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### They Lies in France Where Lilies Bloom.

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And mutely there the long shadows creep From quiet hills to mourn for them

who sleep,
While o'er them through the dust go silently The grieving clouds that slowly drift

to sea, And lately round them moaned the winter wind Whose voice, lamenting, sounds coldly kind,

Yet in their faith those waiting hearts

The time when turns forever false tide.

In France they lie where illes bloom flowers fair Those For them made room.
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massively built of costly woods much carved, and is said to have cost £40,000. The arms are in part of solid gold set with emeralds, its very high back is adorned with the imperial coat-of-arms, in gold, and the kaiser, when he occupied it, sat beneath a canopy of cloth of gold, with one foot resting upon a cushioned stool covered with the same material.

Great British preserves a taste for

Great Britain preserves a taste for splendor on splendid occasions, but the throne of King George, in the house of lords, is built fudametally of maor lords, is built ludametany of ma-terial chosen for sentiment, rather than for magnificence. It is of British oak adorned with ivory, gold and sil-ver, and is draped with pricelees tapestry. On the back of this chair of state are the emblematic lion and unicorn, carved and gilded. The arms of the throne terminate in a pair lions heads of gold with open jaws.

Presumably, however, there will never be a throne to compare with that of the Mogul emperors of Hindustan. The famous "peacock throne" at Delhi cost at least £4,000,000—

at Delhi cost at least £4,000,000—

Behind it possibly twice that sum. Behind stood two life-sized peacocks, en-ameled with rubies, sapphires, emer-aids and other precious stones of col-

appropriate to represent the birds The chair was of solid gold profuse ly studded with gems and surmounted by a canopy upheld by 12 golden pil-lars. On either side was an umbrella (an Oriental symbol of sovereignty) of crimson velvet, embroidered fringed with pearls. It was co off to Teheran in 1739 by Nadir the Persian conqueror, after the each of Delhi, and was eventually broken up.—Philadelphia North American.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians

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In dusting, wipe the dust off: do not

flick it.

Butter should always be kept in a stone jar, with the lid on tight, otherwise it is liable to absorb odors of other foods kept in the chest.

The lightness of pancakes depends on

The ignities of pancates depends on their beating.

The sandwich with a rich filling does not require butter.

Mayonnalse which has curdled may be restored without the use of additional eggs and oil by putting a teaspoonful of cold water in the bottom of a mixing bowl and beating the curdled dressing, a bit at a time, into the water.

## DISEASE COMES THROUGH THE BLOOD

To Gure Common Ailments the Blood Must be Made Rich and Red.

Nearly all the common diseases that afflict mankind are caused by bad blood—weak, watery blood poisoned by impurities. Bad blood is the cause of headaches and backaches, lumbago and rheumatism, debility and indigestion, neuralgia, sciatica and other nerve troubles. It is bad blood that causes disfiguring skin diseases like eczema, and salt rheum, pimples and eruptions. The severity of the trouble indicates how impure the blood is, and it goes always from bad to worse unless steps are promptly taken to enrich and purify the blood There is no use trying a different medicine for each disease, for they all comes through the one trouble-had To cure any of these troubles you must get right down to the root of the trouble in the blood That is just what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do They make new, rich, red blood. They simply purify and enrich the and the disease disappears. That is why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have That is cured thousands of cases after other medicines had failed. Here is proof of the power of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to cure. Mrs. M. Stills, who resides near the town of Napanee says: I cannot praise Dr. Williams' Pink Pills too highly. I was very much run down in bealth, suffered from frequent spells of indigestion, billiousness, and sick headache. I had an almost constant pain in my head and my housework was a course of dread. In fact, I felt so miserable that life held but little enjoyment. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which I did, and the result was simply marvellous, and can best be summed up by saying that they made me feel like a new woman, and fully restored my health. I would advise every woman and girl who has poor blood, or is rundown in health to give these wonderful pills a trial. I am never without them in the house.

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CHILI CON CARNE.

Here's How to Make a Good Substitute.

The Mexicans have a dish known as "Chili con carne" (meat with Chili pep-per), the ingredients for which one

"Chill con carne" (meat with Chill pepper), the ingredlents for which one would doubtless have difficulty in obtaining except in the Southwestern United States.

However, a good substitute for it may be made with the foods available in all parts of the country. The Mexican recipe is as follows:

Remove the seeds from two Chill peppers, soak the pods in a pint of warm water until they are soft, scrape the pulp from the skin and add-to the water. Cut two pounds of beef into small pieces and brown in butter or drippings. Add a clove of garlic and the Chill water. Cook until the meat is tender, renewing the water if necessary. Thicken the sauce with flour. Serve with Mexican beans either mixed with the meat or used as a border.

In the absence of the Chill peppers, water and Cayenne pepper may be used, and onlons may be substituted for garlic, and the Mexican beans, red kidney beans, either ceruned or fresh make a goel substitute. If the canned beans are used they should be drained and heated in a little savory fat or butter.

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John was visiting his grandmother, who lived in the country. One day his grandmother found that John had but a few clean clothes left, so she told John to write his mother and tell her to send him some new clothes John obeyed immediately, and in a few minutes returned and showed her the letter, which was as follows:
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# PLANS READY TO LAUNCH LEAGUE

Preparatory Details as Soon as Treaty Signed.

Inaugural in Washington Next October.

Paris, Cable — Plans for launching the League of Nations were pretty definitely outlined at a luncheon which Colonel E. M. House gave today to Sir James Eric Drummond, the secretary-general of the League, Lord Robert Cecil and others.

The plans are divided into three

main stages: First, preparatory details, which will be worked out at headquarters to be established at London during the coming summer; second, the in-augural meeting of the League at Washington next October; third, the

permanent establishment of League at Geneva next Fall or Winter.

The preparatory details will begin soon after the signing of the treaty, and will be in the hands of the committee of nine designated by President Wilson's resolution before the last plenary session of the conference. Lord Robert Cecil, Colonel House and the Greek Premier, Eliptherios Venider of the conference of the zelos, will be among the members. Leon Bourgeois will probably not be one of the French members, as he does not speak English. Most of the proceedings will be in English, and it is expected that only members of the committee will be chosen who speak that

language.
Colonel House, with a considerable staff, will remain in Europe after the conference closes, and headquarters will be removed to London, which is more convenient for preliminary work President Wilson will fix the date of the first meeting and ask the nations to name their three delegates to attend the inaugural gathering at Wash-

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# MAY SETTLE

Excitement in Italy Has Abated Now .

U. S. Envoy Sends Cheering Message.

Rome, Cable - The American Amlong interview on the situation to-day with Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino, after which he sent a telegraphic report to Paris, giving a full account of the point of view of the Italians and the Italian Govern-

The hope is expressed in Govern-ment circles here that there will be an acknowledgement at Paris that full powers have been given by the people and Parliament of Italy to the Cabinet, and, therefore, to the Italian

delegation, and also that a conciliatory solution of the Adriatic problem may be reached.

The excitement through Italy has abated after the vote in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, expressing confidence in Premier Orlando and the Covarance. Government. Everybody is awaiting the effect the vote will have on the attitude of President Wilson and the allied powers, and the hope is generally expressed that the Peace Conference will see the necessity of satisfying the Italian claims, thus avoiding a complete rupture, which, it is pointed out in certain quarters, might lead to graver consequences. graver consequences.

The Popolo Romano sums up this idea, saying: "The world is now confronted with the following dilemma: Either the five great powers must agree on the Italian question or dently of the others."

hement in their attacks on President Wilson, though the Messaggero sar-castically refers to him as "Professor Wilson," while the Tempo speaks of President Wilson's obstinate sav-

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# APPALLED BY N. Y. TERRORISTS

Every U.S. Agency Busy Investigating.

Fear Other Bombs Still in Mail.

New York, Report - With the discovery and frustration of a nationwide bomb conscpiracy here yesterday against the lives of many prominent men, every agency of the Federal and municipal government was at work to-day, not only in an attempt to trace the authors of the terrorist plot, but to guard against the "reds" boast of "country-wide surprise on May

While thirty-six bombs have been delivered or intercepted in verious cities—all apparently mailed from New York in identical parcel post packages—Postmaster Patten said:
"The likelihood that other internal machines will be brought to light in the next twenty-four hours does not comfort me. This is absolutely appal-

ling."

If any bombs other than the sixteen were mailed here, they have passed out of the jurisdiction of the metropolitan districts post office. Postmaster Patten said this morning that inquiry at all the post offices in the inquiry at all the post offices in the city had failed to disclose any other

## Saved Charred Documents.

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# AFFECTED BY **PREFERENCE**

Many Colonial Products Will Be Under It.

Means Heavy Loss in British Revenue.

London, Cable — The principal colonial products affected by the introduction of colonial preference in the budget, announced to-day by Austin Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, will be tea, cocoa and rum, but there are other products, like cottou, sugar, to acco and wine, in which there will be great opportunities for the development of trade. It is considered that never was there a time when the Imperial development was so important.

The preference on alcohol is one third, while the preference on tea, nearly 92 per cent. of which is grown within the Empire, will be equivalent to reducing the duty and involve a loss of £2,200,000 in revenue. It is expected the preference will greatly in-crease the consumption of tea. Fifty per cent. of the cocoa is produced within the Empire and at a preference of seven shillings per hundred-weight the loss in revenue will be £200,000. The increased duties on beer and

spirits are domestic, and not customs duties. The preference on manufactured tobacco will be one shilling fourpence per pound, which is considered a substantial concession and should in-

substantial concession and should increase production in India and the coloni-7. The estimated revenue from tobacco is £47,000,000, but only two per cent. of it comes from Empire sources.

The estimated sugar revenue is £39,000,000. Seven per cent. of it comes from the Empire. The preference will be worth four shillings per hundredweight, meaning a 1058 of £500,000 in revenue.

of £500,000 in revenue.

The preference on wine duties is levied at two rates, one shilling, three pence and three shillings, according to the strength of the wine. Prefer-ence is given by a reduction of six pence on the lower class and a shilling on the higher class. This will prove of importance to South Africa and Australia. The Chancellor said he was unwilling to raise the duties on account of the interest of Great Britain's Alies, France and Portugal.

The Chancellor added that spirits presented the hardest problem. Excise taxes produced a large revenue and preference could not be in the form of reducing this revenue, and to give preference by reduction would necessitate a corresponding reduction in excise rates. Therefore preference was given by increasing the duty on foreign spirits two shillings, sixpence

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### The Yesterdays.

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# **GERMAN FLEET** NOT DESTROYED

Plan Abandoned by Allied Conference.

Britain to Gain Greatly by Decision.

Paris cable: The German fleet is not to be destroyed, but it will be distributed. Final decision has just been reached on this point. Great Britain, which at first was inclined to oppose the plan for the elimination of the German craft as war machines, shifted its position and came to the support of France and Italy, which had desired the partition of the craft among the allies. The Ameripeace delegation opposed the

can peace delegation opposed the plan of destruction from the first.

Gradually the belief became general that the policy of keeping the ships would be followed because of its economic and strategic soundness. Seemingly, the chance to acquire ready-made ships was too quire ready-made ships was too strong a temptation to resist, and the plan to destroy the ships lost all force when British support of its withdrawn

The British will gain greatly by the distribution, and world naval supremacy will become even more

completely British than is now the case.
While a definite formula of apportionment has not yet been dewised, it is probable that Germany's 28 capital prince will be allocated according tal ships will be allocated according to the losses 'n ships by the allied belligerents. This would give Great Eritain twice as many ships as any of the other nations. America will not participate in the division, preferring to come out of the war with no gains of any sort.

Great Britain's share will probably

Great Britain's share will probably reach eleven ships, of which six will be dreadnoughts and five battle cruisers. According to the tentative plan. France will get nine ships. Italy five and Japan three.

After the disposition of the capital ships, small craft will be shared by the smaller nations. France is not satisfied with the scheme of division, and asks that apportionment be made on the basis of legal loss of iffe caused, by the way, in all branches of the service. This would give France the larger share. She is holding out for its adoption.

is holding out for its adoption.

Those who have studied the situation regret the decision that has atton regret the decision that has been reached, as they are convinced that the breakup of the German fleet would have been regarded as an-earnest of the professions for disarmament, and so would have been a herald of better days. They see in this ruling not only an

addition to existing armament, but they see also in prospect a heavy in-crement of similar armament among nations which are not to derive a much gain as others from the distri-bution, and who will now be forced to extra effort in their building programme in order to restore the former balance. Distribution will be the greatest benefit to Great Britain, whose overwhelming seapower will be thus assured for many years to

Versailles, Cable - When the German delegates to the Peace Congress, neaded by Count von Brockdorff-Rant zau, reached Versailles last night it was received in the name of the French Government by M. Chaliere, Prefect of the Department of Seine-et-Oise, to whom the Count expressed thanks on behalf of the delegates. The Count's Secretary (Herr Rudi-iger) subsequently remarked to the newspapermen present: "Words fail me to describe my feelings as I crossed your devastated regions. I hope

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Advance of Admiral Kolchak Causes Alarm.

Reds Claim Victory on Salmysch River.

Copenhagen cable: The Soviet Government of Russie is making extraordinary efforts to secure troops to carry out an offensive against the forces of Admiral Kolchak, in eastern and southestern Russia, according to a despatch filed at Libau on Tuesday. Leon Trotzky, the Bolsheviki Min-ister of War and Marine, has appeal-ed to all organizations for swift ac-

ed to all organizations for swift action, saying:

"It is necessary to defeat Kolchak within the shortest possible time."

It is planned at Moscow to mobilize ten per cent. of the members of the professional unions and twenty per cent. of the communists.

A Russian wireless official says that along the Salmysch River, northwest of Orenburg, the Reds "obtained a complete victory over Admiral Kolchak's Fourth Army Corps," wiping out eight regiments and capturing more than 1,500 prisoners. The general command of the Siberian Fifth Division also was captured. The Bolshevik statement adds: "The banks of the Salmysch are covered with bodies. More than six hundred with bodies. More than six hundred. out eight regiments and capturing more than 1,500 prisoners. The general command of the Siberian Fifth Division also was captured. The Bolshevik statement adds: "The banks of the Salmysch are covered with bodies. More than six hundred have been counted." have been counted. Many of the en-emy were hurled into the rivor by bayonet thrusts."

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# EVEN HUN APPALLED IF GERMANY

Terms Which Erzberger Would Have Imposed.

Would Have Been "Germany Over All."

Paris, Cable — The terms that Mathias Erzberger was in favor of imposing upon the allies of Germany had been victorious, as set forth in a memorandum written by him in 1914. are outlined by a Geneva de-spatch to the Journal, having been re-ceived at Geneva from the private secretary of the late Kurt Eisner, the

former Bayarian Premier.
"Germany, in the first place, cannot tolerate the presence on her frontiers of so-called neutral states insufficiently strong to preserve their neutrality which do not want to remain neutral," said Erzberger. "Her second aim must be to free herself from the inleading strings of land on all questions of world policy. In the third place, she must break

up the Russian colossus.

"Consequently Germany must have sovereignty, not only over Belgium, but the French coast from Dunkirk to Boulogne, and possession of the Channel Islands. She must also the Channel Islands. the mines in French Lorraine and create an African-German Empire by annexing the Belgian and French Congos, British Nigeria, Dahomey and the French west coast.

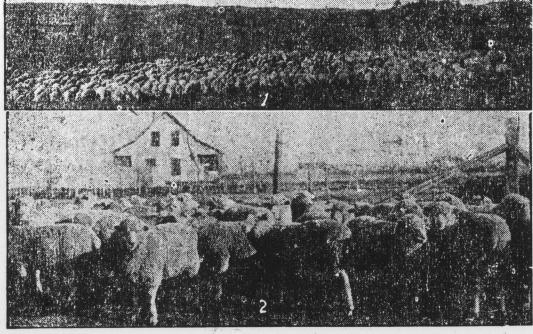
the French west coast.

"In fixing indemnities, the actual capacity of a state at the moment should not be considered. Besides a large immediate payment, annual installments spread over a long period could be arranged. France would be helped in making them by decreasing her budget of naval and ne neiped in making them by decreasing her budget of naval and military appropriations, the reductions to be imposed in the peace treaty being such as would enable her to send substantial sums to Germany. Indemnities should provide

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# NEW BREED OF SHEEP



(1) Sheep at Vermilion, Alberta.

(2) Group of Yearlings in Feeding Experiment.

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### The Appeal of Khaki

By JANE OSBORN

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shall shrick-I certainly shall shriek if I come to another khaki hero." H. B. Shanley mumbled this rather to herself than aloud as she sat before her high piled desk in the editorial offices of "The Purple Book; all-story, five-cent weekly." H. P. Truman, the remainder of the editorial staff, laid a gentle hand on his bald head and looked over his shell-rimmed spectacles at his colleague on the

other side of the room. He looked just in time to see Miss Shanley dash off her own shell-rimmed spectacles, lean supinely back in her swivel chair and at the same time

emit a stifled yell. There, I said I'd do it, and I did. The very next manuscript I turned to began right in the first paragraph with 'Her head dropped on his khaki shoul-Good-by, she whispered and pushed him away, and then at the end: 'If I thought you were there waiting for me I could fight a thou-sand Huns.' They are all like that. If the hero isn't in khaki he is in sailor blue and half the heroines are

"Was that what made you make that funny little shrieky noise?" asked Mr. Truman, obviously relieved.

"Certainly, why shouldn't I? Every blessed story that comes in is the How I am going to get enough possible stories for you to make up the magazine out of here I am sure I don't know. They are all alike. The contribs have lost their balance. They think that all they have to do is to bring in a little trench slang, a lot of mush and twaddle about broad khaki shoulders, clinking spurs and that sort of thing and their story is

Mr. Truman suggested that possi-bly the readers of the Purple Book liked clinking spurs and khaki shoulders; there were a good many men in the camps who read the magazine and they should be catered to.

'To be sure," agreed Miss Shanley, slitting the next large envelope that lay before her and unfolding the manuscript mechanically. "But I've found it out. There are only about seven days a soldier can fall in love, and we've used each one of those plots at least five times over. It's mo-notonous. There is the man who doesn't know he loves the plain lit-tle girl at home till he gets away in the trenches, and there is the girl who doesn't know she loves the awkward, frank-eyed, broad-shouldered hero till he gets away. Then there is the girl who wants to be a suffragette or something and won't marry the man till he's gone and then she gets an idea that she ought to 'keep the fire burning' and she sends for him or something and-"

"Yes, I know," said Truman, who was rather bored than otherwise at his assistant's analyzing tendencies. There were times when she was delightful, really too delightful for his own peace of mind. But in this mood she was "Well, please don't shriek about it next time-you gave me quite a scare. I thought you were having a fit or something."

"I told you I was going to," argued

"I thought you were jesting. Suppose instead of doing that you whistle of khaki? Really I quite agree with you that we do need some really gripping stories of a nonmilitary na-Then Mr. Truman went back to his editorial work, and gradually there began to creep over him a pleasurable consciousness. He had had an undercurrent of conviction that his colleague disapproved of him because he had not enlisted; he had feared that it would be necessary as a means of winning her permanent esteem for him to don the khaki or sailor blue. But apparently he had been mistaken. She could not have spoken as she had about broad khaki shoulders if she had admired them as much as most young women were reputed to do.

Suddenly Mr. Truman started in his chair so violently that his spectacles fell off from his nose. Miss Shanley had emitted a whistle so piercing and sharp that it had violently agitated his delicately strung nervous organ-

"That," she announced, "was to let you know I'd found the gripping story you were wishing for. It's a thriller and the hero is an Argentine cowboy, and there isn't one reference to war. I'm going to accept it without waiting for you to read it, I'm so sure it is what you are looking for."
"You might tell the young woman

that wrote it that we appreciate not having the hero in khaki and would like more in the same vein," smiled Mr. Truman as Miss Shanley halled the diminutive stenographer from the next room so that she might at once write her letter of acceptance.

"It isn't a young woman—it's one Patrick Henry Madison."

"You never can tell," commented the superior editor. "That's just the sort of name a girl writer would

The letter notifying "Patrick Henry Madison" of the acceptance of his story and the announcement that he would receive his check "on date of publication" was brief but encourag-It was signed H. B. Shanley, and

left little suspicion in its abrupt busi-nesslike wording that H. stood for Helen and B. for Beatrice. Perhaps Patrick Henry Madison had seldom received editorial letters so encouraging, perhaps he read between the lines—at all events he wrote a letter of considerable length sending in his next nonmilitary story—the hero this time was a South Sea island planter, without a suspicion of khaki-and of so friendly a character that H. B. Shanley was constrained to write an equally friendly letter in reply. Again that editor congratulated him on his rare discernment in keeping his ke rare discernment in keeping in keeping in keeping and the var game. "Unless you can tell your story like a genius and have an entirely new twist, any war story now would be deadwood. They have all been written except the really great ones." The correspondence con-tinued for several months and the stories appeared at close intervals. Then "Patrick Henry" asked permission to meet H. B. Shanley and the interview was carefully arranged to take place in the Purple Book editorial office on the afternoon in the week when Mr. Truman played golf. He had quite set himself at ease on the matter of enlisting now, so sure was he of Helen's attitude on that score, and it was only because he had not definitely decided whether when he did ask this colleague of his to be-come Mrs. Truman he should stipulate that she should continue her post in the office-he dreaded the presence of anyone else-or whether he should arrange to have her do the house keeping in some conveniently arranged little flat, that he had not as yet taken her into his full confidence as to his intentions. He was planning to set-tle this question for himself that afternoon on the golf course. Perhaps the next day he would make his declara-

But the next day he was in no hurry. Helen was in a wonderfully Joyous mood and this seemed decidedly auspicious. It would be time enough at five o'clock to ask her.

"Patrick Henry turned out to be of the feminine gender, I dare say?" he asked, as he glanced over proofs on his desk of that writer's latest contribution.

"Miss nothing," laughed Helen, "and the funny thing was he—"

"So it was a man after all?" Mr. Truman felt an irritation that he could ot account for.

"It was so funny. He is really perfectly wonderful. I hadn't told you, but we had got very well acquainted with each other through the letters we have written. I knew I liked him, but I imagined he was going to be some quiet, studious little man of about your build."
"Well?" Mr. Truman was distinctly

irritated at that remark. "Well, he wasn't at all. You see he had discovered in the third letter that wasn't a man, and-well, I don't know how it happened, but we got awfully fond of each other, and—well, he asked me to marry him, and I said couldn't say yes till I'd seen him. And he said there was something about him that I might dislike very much. He thought I would, he said, from something I said in one of my first You see I told him I was glad his heroes didn't have broad shoulders, or something like that, and -well, you see he has, and he turned out to be Capt. Patrick Henry Madison. Isn't that wonderful? I explained, of course, that what I said about stories had nothing to do w'th the way I felt as a girl. So I just said 'yes' right away, and I thought I'd tell you first because you and I have always been such good chums, and-Patrick and I will be married in a week or so. I thought you ought to have time to find some

one else to fill this chair." Mr. Truman was signing letters with an air of considerable preoccu-He gently stroked his bald pation. patch and straightened his blue serge

"It's very funny that a man in the service would be content to leave all patriotic flavor out of his stories. I should think he would be so enthusiastic he would want to." Mr. Truman had definitely decided he wouldn't like Captain Patrick. "Oh, he's enthusiastic, all right, and

he's going to write one great big thrilling war story. He's just been wait-ing till he could write a really great You'll take it, won't you, Mr. Truman?"

"Yes-unless I'm not here either. You see, I've been thinking of getting into the war myself. There is a mighty strong appeal about khaki and all that sort of thing," and the associate editor assured him that there was.

Why Buttoned Shoes Have Passed. Every woman with her eyes open must have noticed that button shoes are little worn, and no doubt the fact that lace shoes are as a general thing neater and trimmer and more easily kept in condition has a good deal to do with this.

The fact that button shoes use more leather than lace shoes is the big reason behind their disappearance from fashion, say those who know. It does seem a very little leather to save, doesn't it? But then this is the day when we appreciate the importance of very small things; the saving of a slice of bread a day, a lump of sugar or a half pound of meat-trifles that we are assured amount to enormous proportions in the aggregate.

### Gas Meters and Guitars.

The gas meters of the houses in New York city are now recorded by camera, which yields a permanent record of each of the regular readings.

The guitar was introduced into Eu-rope by the Spaniards, who copied the instrument from the Moors.

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