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What Every School Child Should Know

Morse code table with letters A-Z and their corresponding dots and dashes.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Q. Where is the largest wireless plant in the world being erected? A. Rocky Point, L. I.

Q. Why is it that when ships sail across the Pacific Ocean, from east to west, they find, on arriving, that according to the ship's calendar they are one day behind time? A. Because the ship crossed the 180th meridian, which is the international date line.

Q. What is the Morse code? A. A system of dashes and dots used to transmit messages by telegraph (see illustration at top of column).

Q. Which is the largest planet? A. Jupiter. It is about 1,300 times as large as the earth.

Q. How far from the earth is the moon? A. 240,000 miles.

Q. What is the moon's diameter? A. 2,153 miles.

Q. What is the earth's diameter? A. The smallest diameter of the earth is that measured from pole to pole, this is 7,926 miles, or about 60,000,000 inches. The greatest diameter is 7,926.6 miles.

QUESTIONS ANSWERED -about the heavens, the earth, plant life, animal life, races and people, nations, science, invention, the English language, wireless, steam engines, geography, the World War. Send your questions to Cousin Eleanor, and look for the answers in the Kiddie Klub Korner on Thursday, Dec. 22.

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Major Charles Lanier Appleton, Commander of the 1st Battalion, 35th Infantry, in the Meuse-Argonne offensive, died in the Presbyterian Hospital yesterday of pneumonia following an operation. He was a native of this city, thirty-five years old, a son of Francis K. Appleton, grandson of the late Charles Lanier, the banker, and ninth in descent from Charles Appleton, who came to this country in 1625.

He was graduated from the Groton School, Groton, Mass., in 1904, and in the fall of that year entered Harvard University. He played end on Harvard's second freshman football team, and on the second varsity team. Graduated from Harvard in 1908 with the degree of A. B., he entered the banking house of Malindand, Coppell & Co., and was active in that line until he left for France.

After serving at the Plattsburg Camp in 1916, where he was commissioned a Second Lieutenant of infantry, he was made Captain and assigned to the 153d Depot Brigade at Camp Upton, in command of Company 6. While training with the 92d Division near Bourdeaux-les-Bains, France, he was assigned to command the 1st Battalion, 36th Infantry.

In the Meuse-Argonne campaign he was cited in general orders of the 92d Infantry and in special orders of the 92d Division for handling his battalion in the Toul sector. He returned to this city with his command March 1, 1919, and two weeks later restored to the Union League Club the colors it gave to the regiment on its departure for France.

He was discharged from the service April 3, 1919, and immediately recommissioned Major of Infantry in the officers' Reserve Corps. He was known as a gentleman, soldier and leader. He was a member of the Knickerbocker, Racquet and Tennis, Harvard, Meadow Brook, Turf and Field Clubs of this city, Myopia Hunt Club of Boston and the Downtown Association of this city. He is survived by his father, a brother, Francis R. Appleton, a lawyer, and two sons. His home was at No. 26 East 57th Street.

Funeral services will be held in the Church of the Incarnation, Madison Avenue and 52d Street, tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Interment will take place Saturday at Ipswich, Mass.

WILLIAM H. DRAPER. TROY, Dec. 8.—William H. Draper, former Congressman and prominent real estate and cordage manufacturer, is dead at his home here, aged eighty. He was elected to the House of Representatives from the 19th New York District, Essex and Cortland counties, in 1898, and served in Congress continuously until 1912. He is survived by one daughter, the wife of Dr. George Rubin of Washington, brother of ex-President Wilson's personal physician, two sons, Edward F. and Andrew L. Draper of Troy.

JUDGE ORDERS SHIPPING MEN ACQUITTED OF BRIBERY CHARGE. Emilio Paul Yaselli, President of the Italian Star Line, Inc., and Max Ulin, 17th St., Hobbit and Attorney James D. Butler were acquitted yesterday by a jury at the direction of Federal Judge Learned Hand. They were charged with conspiracy to defraud the United States. It was alleged that through bribery they had purchased the steamship Liberty Land for the company from the United States Shipping Board at \$215,000, whereas the Government claimed the price should have been \$220,000. Judge Hand declared no evidence had been presented by the prosecution to substantiate the charges.

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Detectives Bundtzi and Kiernan, investigating a report that two men were selling jewelry at auctioneers, to-day trailed two suspects along Broome Street. When near Pitt, the detectives heard cries for help and reached the laundry of Han Sing, No. 112 Broome Street in time to see three hold-up men dash out, knocking down the two who were being trailed.

Bundtzi and Kiernan gave chase and captured Emanuel Morango, a laborer of No. 133 Monroe Street, in whose pocket was found a fully loaded revolver. He was positively identified, the police say, by Han Sing as one of his would-be burglars. Morango declared he was out of work and met the other two who had asked him if he wanted to make some money. Meanwhile, the detectives notified headquarters that they had lost the trail of the original pair and Detectives Shedy and Wing took up the hunt. They found the two men in a loft building on Maiden Lane with four cases of jewelry worth \$2,000, alleged to have been stolen from a New England Steamship Company pier. The prisoners, who insist they are innocent are Benjamin Marcus, thirty, of No. 20 Forsythe Street, and Helms Gold, twenty-one, No. 103 Hester Street. The latter had been a post office employee until Tuesday.

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