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—Mrs. J. R. MATTHEWS, 3311 Sycamore Street, Cairo, Ill.

Of course there are many serious cases that only a surgical operation will relieve. We freely acknowledge this, but the above letter, and many others like it, simply prove that many operations are recommended when medicine in many cases is all that is needed.

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HIDES GOLD IN ARTIFICIAL LEG

Cripple Admits Stealing \$81,400 in Bullion From Denver Mint.

OFFICERS FIND LOOT

Irresistible Passion to Touch, Hoard and Hide Gold Only Reason Long-Trusted Employee Could Give for Crime.

Denver, Colo.—Approximately \$81,400 worth of gold bullion, stolen at intervals from the United States mint at Denver, has been recovered, and Orville Harrington, a long-trusted employee of the mint, is being held at the county jail charged with the thefts. Harrington was arrested as he was preparing to board a car for his home. He admitted the thefts when placed under arrest. The amount stolen was variously estimated at from \$80,000 to \$110,000, but the sum of \$81,400 was named in the information filed against Harrington.

Divulges Hiding Places.

Harrington was immediately taken to his home, where he divulged the places where he had hidden the bullion. Most of it had been secreted in a hole in the cement wall in the basement of his home, while some was found hidden under the cement walk in the back yard.

Harrington, whose right leg was amputated some time ago, following an injury, has an artificial leg. This leg was hollow and was used as a handy carrier for some of the stolen gold.

The gold, according to Harrington's reported confession, he would hide in his cellar every evening when he returned from work. When the hole in the cellar wall had been filled with the bullion Harrington was forced to find another place to conceal his loot. It was said, according to the secret service men, Harrington then carefully cemented up the hole in the cellar wall and began to hide the gold under the walk in the rear of his home.

Seen in Yard With Spade.

It was through these alleged regular performances that the secret service officials secured their first clue as to the identity of the supposed robber. A close watch was placed on every employee, each man was searched



Each Man Was Searched Every Day.

every day, but without avail, none of the operatives thinking of peering into the hollow of a man's wooden leg for the missing bullion.

While this was going on, a continuous watch was being kept on the homes of the employees. The operative assigned to watch Harrington's home reported to his chief that Harrington was seen to make trips to his back yard each afternoon, carrying a spade.

No motive other than an irresistible passion to touch, hoard and hide gold could be brought from the cripple's lips as a reason for his crime. He, has a beautiful home, including ten lots of cultivated land on an eminence which overlooks University park. According to Thomas Annear, superintendent of the mint, Harrington earned \$4 a day, was thrifty and apparently had everything that a man could ask for to make him content.

DISOBEY ORDERS, LOSE LIVES

No Trace of Ten Men Who Left Wrecked Steamer Pollas in a Boat.

Rockland, Me.—The first mate, an engineer and eight seamen of the stranded freight steamer Pollas, who left the wreck for a boat, in defiance of orders, are believed to have lost their lives. The crew of the Burnt Island coast guard station, upon their return from the steamer, expressed the opinion that the lifeboat was swamped in the heavy seas.

The captain of the Pollas and the remaining 28 of the crew were taken off by two coast guard crews and transferred to the coast guard cutter Acushnet.

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Crusty Comment.

"We all think the baby has got its mother's nose."

"I'm glad to hear it. Then she can't go around any more poking it into other people's business."

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

Says an amateur poultry fancier: "The only money in chickens is what they swallow."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the

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To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura Talcum.—Adv.

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Millions are victims of Acid-Stomach without knowing it. They are weak and nervous, have poor digestion, bodies improperly nourished although they may eat heartily. Grave disorders are likely to follow if an acid-stomach is neglected. Cirrhosis of the liver, intestinal congestion, gastritis, catarrh of the stomach—these are only a few of the many ailments often caused by Acid-Stomach.

A sufferer from Catarrh of the Stomach of 11 years' standing writes: "I had catarrh of the stomach for 11 long years and I never found anything to do me any good—just temporary relief—until I used EATONIC. It is a wonderful remedy and I do not want to be without it."

If you are not feeling quite right—lack energy, nervous, etc.—don't know just where to locate the trouble—try EATONIC and see how much better you will feel in every way.

At all drug stores—a big box for 50c and your money back if you are not satisfied.

EATONIC FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

SWITCHES BAGS; HE GETS BABY

"Broken Blossom" Wishes Infant on Stranger—Babe Is "Accomplice."

Bridgeport, Conn.—A New York girl, calling herself a "broken blossom," the mother of an eight-weeks-old baby, abandoned it in the Grand Central station in a clever way that permitted her offspring to enter the home of a well-to-do citizen of Bridgeport, unknown to himself. Only he did not keep the baby, but turned it over to a hospital.

The baby's mother, unable to support it and unable also to give it a name, put her child in a large traveling bag, gave it a fresh bottle of milk, and when the Bridgeport citizen—Robert F. Rohland—placed his own bag on a ledge of one of the ticket windows in the station while he bought a ticket, the mother swapped bags.

The baby, warm in the bag and having all the nourishment it needed,



The Baby Began Lustily to Test Its Lungs.

must have gone to sleep shortly after the substitution occurred, for there was not a sound out of it on the trip from New York to Bridgeport. The two bags were so much alike that Mr. Rohland did not notice the substitution until he got into his home.

When he opened the bag the baby was awakened and began lustily to test its lungs. The four hours in the bag had apparently not hurt it a bit.

In the bag Mr. Rohland found a note from the child's mother. This explained that the baby was eight weeks old, had been baptized and that the mother had been deserted by the child's father. The note further stated that the mother was leaving New York for California.

Mr. Rohland thought things over for a while and then notified the police and the Bridgeport hospital, which took the baby in.

BOY, 14, SAVES GIRL'S LIFE

Grasps Her by Hair and Pulls Her Out of Sewer into Which She Had Fallen.

Philadelphia.—Walking toward the corner of Wright street, at the Pennsylvania railroad crossing in Manayunk, at dusk, Howard Clamper, fourteen years old, saw a little girl just ahead of him suddenly disappear. He stood for a moment in astonishment. As there has been considerable talk about spirits of late, he at first was disposed to believe the little girl had vanished in some mysterious way.

But a cry made him run to the corner. There he found the lid off a sewer inlet. Peering down into the hole he saw the head of a child. She was struggling in four feet of water. The boy reached down and was able to grasp the little girl by the hair. In this way he was able to lift her until he could catch hold of her arms and raise her to the street. By that time she was half drowned.

Sought Death in River; Found Water Too Cold

Truance William Francis, apparently bent on suicide, jumped into the Delaware river from an ice floe at Chester, Pa. He disappeared from sight, arose to the surface, ducked a couple of huge ice cakes, went under the surface, bobbed up once again, ducked more ice cakes and then gave up his suicide quest in evident disgust. He climbed upon the ice field, shaking as with ague, and made for the shore, getting away before a boat could reach him.

Boys Sold Cannons as Junk.

Asheville, N. C.—Two government brass cannon, given to Asheville, N. C., by the federal government, were sold to a junk dealer by Conrad Gillespie and Pat Moody, two youths, who took the money and started for Cuba. Officers apprehended them.

Do Not Get Careless With Your Blood Supply

Impurities Invite Disease.

You should pay particular heed to any indication that your blood supply is becoming sluggish, or that there is a lessening in its strength and vital force.

By keeping your blood purified, your system more easily wards off disease that is ever present, waiting to attack wherever there is an opening. A few bottles of S. S. S., the great vegetable blood medicine, will revitalize your blood and give you new strength and a healthy, vigorous vitality. Everyone needs it just now to keep the system in perfect condition. Go to your drug store and get a bottle to-day, and if you need any medical advice, you can obtain it without cost by writing to Medical Director, Swift Specific Co., 109 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

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FASCINATED THE FAIR SEX

Marat, Repulsive in Person and Manners, Was Noted for His Attractiveness to Women.

Jean Paul Marat, one of the leading and most infamous figures of the French revolution, was described by a contemporary as "beyond any question the ugliest man in the whole of France—and not merely ugly, but positively repulsive in person, habits and manners." And yet, in his early years, he was the most popular physician in Paris, not because of supposed professional skill, but on account of his attractiveness to women, the most wealthy and beautiful women of France daily crowding his consultation rooms, pushing, almost fighting, to get a word or perhaps, a single from him. That he turned a cold shoulder to their allurements seemed only to inflame their ardor, and at one time he contemplated flight, so embarrassing became their attentions. Even when he contracted a loathsome skin disease while hiding in the sewers of Paris, fair women continued to adore him.

Anyhow, They Saw Action.

The untried anti-aircraft battery had gone into position for the first time in the Toul sector. Determined, like most newcomers, not to let anything get away from it, it blazed away indiscriminately and vociferously at every speck that appeared in the sky.

After one particularly active session its commander ran across an old friend, who asked him how the outfit was coming along.

"Oh, not so badly," answered the C. O. without elation. "We brought down five planes the other day."

"Five! Why, that's wonderful! Mighty few batteries have done that. Are you sure you got the figure straight?"

"Fact, no doubt about it," replied the captain, gloomily. "One Boche and four allied."—The Home Sector.

No Time to Lose.

Timothy approached his lady love timidly, bearing a big fish, which announced its presence subtly, but unmistakably.

"Oh, what a fine cod!" exclaimed Maria. "Wherever did you get it?"

"A man at the market gave it to me last week for helping him," replied Tim. "I've been keepin' it for your birthday."

"But my birthday ain't till tomorrow," the girl told him coyly.

"I know, Maria, but I sort o' wondered if you'd mind keepin' it to-day, as—well, me and—the fish is gettin' kind of impatient."

Jonah was a conundrum, and the whale had to give him up.

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