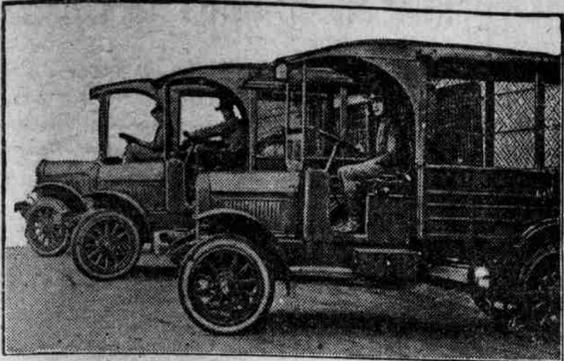


NEW WAR POST OFFICE INAUGURATED TO FACILITATE HANDLING OF YANKS' MAIL



That the Yanks may have their mail with thoroughness and dispatch a new war post office has been inaugurated to facilitate the handling of the soldiers' letters. Under the supervision of the war department and operated and controlled by soldiers, this important branch of the postal service takes care of all the mail for the cantonments and expeditionary forces. The photo shows the type of autos used to transport the mail.

MANY TROUBLES OF AUTOMOBILE

Making Temporary Repair on Broken Valve on Highway Is Quite Important.

PIECE OF TIN FOR WASHER

Soft Cedar Stick May Be Used for Measuring Gasoline in Tank—Tire Should Be Retreaded When Worn—Other Points.

Nowadays and nowanights when automobiles glide along city streets and country roads at a speed far in excess of that ordained by municipal by-laws, one sometimes wonders if the children of the next generation will know what horses look like or at best will know them only through the medium of the pictures of Rosa Bonheur and other artists.

But fifteen years ago a horse was almost as necessary to an automobile as was gasoline. So many were the times when the machine persisted in landing itself in a ditch or became stalled in a ditch or, seeming without adequate cause or reason, in the center of the road, that it was never safe to get very far away from first aid. Even now catastrophes happen sometimes though not so often as formerly.

Humiliation Avoided.
Some simple bit of ingenuity has saved many an automobile the humiliation of being towed to a place where permanent repair or replacement could be made. One very useful wrinkle is a temporary repair on a broken valve. If a valve spring breaks, remove the pieces and find in the tool box a washer that will slip over the valve stem. Replace the broken spring with the washer between the two parts, and the spring will work as well as ever.

Care should be taken that the washer is of such diameter both inside and outside that the broken spring ends cannot work into the hole or outside of the washer. If the spring is a light one, such as the spring of an automatic inlet valve, and no washer can be found in the tool box, it is possible to hack one out of a bit of tin. If a screw is lost from a place where it serves the function only of a plug, being subjected to no stress, a wooden plug will always answer the purpose.

For measuring the depth of gasoline in the tank, presuming that no gasoline gauge is fitted, keep a clean stick in the top of the tank, under the seat cushion. A soft cedar stick shows the height of the gasoline well. Don't pick up a stick and poke it into the tank without making sure that it is clean, or there may be mysterious carburetor trouble later on—perhaps after the stick has been entirely forgotten.

Care of Tires.
A tire should not be used after the rubber tread has nearly been worn through. Have it retreaded and it will be good for much more service. If the canvas is destroyed, however, the shoe is permanently ruined.

Missed explosions are not infrequently caused by the points of the spark plugs being too far apart. Ordinarily the points should be about one thirty-second of an inch apart. It is true that if they are further apart and the current is strong, a hotter spark will be made than if they are correctly spaced; but the stresses on the insulation are greater, increasing the chance of leakage, and the plug will fail to spark when the current strength decreases a little as it must if batteries are used.

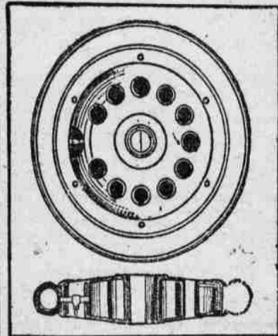
STEERING GEARS THAT BIND
Lack of Lubricant Sometimes Causes Trouble—Dirt Also is Source of Difficulty.

It sometimes happens that a lack of lubricant, at the dash bracket will cause an apparent binding of the steering wheel. Sometimes dirt works its way into this bearing and causes the parts to clamp.

TIRES AND TUBES KEPT COOL

Air-Cushion Wheel Invented by Frank W. Howard of New York Saves Wear and Tear.

To prolong the life of the tires of motorcars by keeping them cool is the object of what the inventor, Frank W. Howard of New York, calls an air-cushion wheel. This wheel consists of two metal disks that carry the rim and that leave between them a large



Side View and Section of Air-Cooled Wheel for Motorcars.

air-filled space that communicates directly with the inner tube by way of the valve. Tubes running through the two disks increase the surface that is exposed to the air.

At every revolution of the wheel the weight of the car rests for an instant upon the point at which the valve is attached. This compresses the tire at this point and drives some of the hot air from the inner tube into the cool air space in the body of the wheel.

As the wheel revolves and the pressure is taken off this point, the cool air flows back into the inner tube. This, according to the inventor, produces a constant circulation of air and keeps the tires and tubes cool.

TO OVERCOME WIRE TROUBLE

Some Owners Have Remedied Difficulty by Holding Tube in Place With Wooden Blocks.

Owners of many medium and low-price cars have endless trouble with the wire controls for the ignition unit and carburetor, the trouble being due chiefly to the inability of the control to move the part because the tube housing the wire moves with the wire. To operate properly the tube must remain fixed, otherwise there will be little if any movement, and any operation of the spark advance lever will produce no results. Of course, the best thing to do is to get a good wire control, but some owners have overcome the trouble in the existing controls by holding the tube in place by means of wood blocks. A wooden block is cut in two and two grooves cut in each so opposite grooves coincide. The tube is then soldered at points the same distance apart as the grooves, so that the solder rests in the grooves. The blocks of wood are bolted to the engine frame, which usually is the most accessible part.

GREAT VALUE OF WRENCHES

Owner Who Invests in Good Set is Doing His Car Big Favor—They Save Good Deal of Time.

The man who invests in a good set of socket wrenches is doing his car a favor. They save a good deal of time and keep the nuts and bolts in good condition, as they do not round off the edges. Open end wrenches are next in value, as they are made in even sizes and so fit properly. The monkey wrench comes last. It has a tendency to round off the nuts.

LOOSEN STICKING HUB CAP

When Plan of Placing Wrench and Striking With Hammer Fails Another Method is Given.

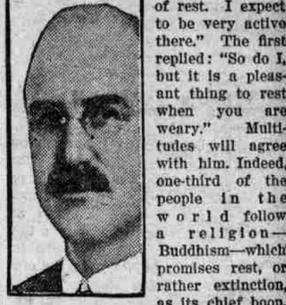
When the ordinary method of placing a wrench on a sticking hub cap and then tapping the wrench with a hammer fails, try this: Place a small block or horse of very nearly the height of the hub from the floor alongside the wheel, so that when the latter is turned the end of the wrench will strike the box, the force of the blow loosening the cap.

Rest Given and Rest Found

By REV. L. W. GOSNELL, Assistant Dean, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

TEXT—Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart; and ye shall find rest unto your souls, for my yoke is easy and my burden is light.—Matthew 11:28-30.

One minister remarked to another: "I get tired of hearing people talk of heaven as a place of rest. I expect to be very active there." The first replied: "So do I, but it is a pleasant thing to rest when you are weary." Multitudes will agree with him. Indeed, one-third of the people in the world follow a religion—Buddhism—which promises rest, or rather extinction, as its chief boon.



Two Types of Weariness.

The words of Jesus suggest weariness of two types, which may be described as active and passive. Some are weary because they "labor." The toll of life exhausts them or the endeavor to live righteously throws them into despair. They cry, "For that which I do I allow not; for what I would, that do I not, but what I hate, that do I." Pastor Hsi, a notable Chinese Christian, tells us that as a heathen he struggled to fulfill Confucius' ideal of "the princely man," but finally gave up his efforts and solaced himself with the opium pipe. Others are weary because "heavy laden" with sorrow or guilt. Many sing with Tennyson:

And the stately ships go on
To their haven under the hill;
But O, for the touch of a vanished hand
And the sound of a voice that is still.

George Whitefield was so oppressed by a sense of guilt that he lay for hours at a time on the floor of the public house where he worked; and John Bunyan has pictured himself in the "Pilgrim" with the great bundle on his back.

But, no matter what form of weariness may trouble us, Jesus offers rest to "all" who labor and are heavy laden.

First he says, "Come unto me, and I will give you rest." This we take to refer to that rest of conscience which he bestows as a gift on all who come to him. This settles their position eternally and they are "safe in the arms of Jesus." What a great boon this is! John Wesley found it only after he had been an ordained minister for years. He was on his way to Georgia as a missionary to the Indians when a dreadful storm arose. He was frightened, but found some simple Moravian Christians singing through the storm. Even the women and children were not afraid of it. Wesley discovered they had learned the secret of peace by trusting in Christ alone for salvation, and he became a seeker for the same rest of soul. He found it at last, and as the result the Evangelical Revival was born. To come to Christ is to believe on him, to trust him (John 6:35). To all who thus come he gives rest of conscience.

But many who have this gift are still oppressed from day to day by the cares of life. To them Jesus speaks again, saying, "Take my yoke upon you, and ye shall find rest unto your souls." This deeper rest, which is found by taking his yoke, is well worth our attention. It may be well to ask the question, what is a yoke for? The answer is found in the reference of the text to a "burden." The yoke is to enable an animal to draw its burden. Moreover, the burden will be "light" only when the yoke is "easy." It is just as when, amongst us, the horse's collar is rightly adjusted and well padded; the animal then finds it easy to draw its burden, but otherwise its shoulder is galled and it refuses to pull the load.

Here now we are coming to the practical point. Jesus tells us the very things we need in our yokes to make them easy so that the burden of life will be light. "Take my yoke upon you," he says, "and learn of me, for I am meek and lowly in heart." It is because we lack meekness and lowliness that the yoke galls and the burden is heavy.

As we understand it, "meekness" is our attitude to men, especially, while "lowliness" describes our attitude to God. Jesus had both graces in perfection. In the very chapter where our text is found, men call him a glutton and winebibber, but he is untroubled, saying, "Wisdom is justified of her children." Again, God hides his secrets from the wise and prudent but Jesus in his lowliness says: "Even so Father, for so it seemed good in thy sight." When we are thus meek and lowly, it is evident the yoke will be easy and the burden light.

Yokes are made for two and those who wear Christ's yoke may assure themselves that he himself will journey beside them, contributing his great strength to drawing the burdens that oppress them.

"In the world ye shall have tribulation, but in me ye shall have peace."

Temperance Notes

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

A BY-PRODUCT OF THE WAR.

Alice Carey McKinney, (President Louisiana W. C. T. U.)
The government is making compulsory the things the W. C. T. U. has advocated for forty years, and people who did not know the organization opposed anything but drunkenness, or helped anybody but drunkards' families, are having new revelations. I believe the best war work we can do is to make the world safe for our soldiers. We ought to knit and sew, but as I do I hear the Master say "These things ought ye to do and not to leave the other undone."

In times of peace the W. C. T. U. prepared for war, and now that war is on we cannot afford to sit down and spin yarns to make foot covering while doing nothing to remove the thorns and briars from the pathway. There may have been a time when woman had a sphere; if so this war has wrecked the boundary lines and she is free. The exodus of woman from the home is one of the by-products of Prussian militarism that was not included in the calculations of Frederick the Great when he started the ball to rolling which has landed all Europe in the trenches.

A little boy said, "Pa, what is a stag banquet?" "A stag banquet my son, is a banquet where there are no women." "Well, pa, if a banquet where there are no women is a stag banquet, what would a nation without women be?" And the man had to acknowledge it would be a stag-nation. I don't know what you think about it but I think to secure "Votes for Women" is a real war work. I invested 25 years of my life in the rearing of three children, and while I was doing it I said with St. Paul, "This one thing I do." Now that they have gone out from the home and are serving Uncle Sam I want a voice in the affairs of Uncle Sam's government. I taught them that liquor, tobacco and immorality were bad things, and no man should be allowed to undo my teaching, while I, who have spent my life for them, sit and weep, voiceless and voteless.

One of the arguments against woman suffrage is that women do not know enough about politics to vote. Not long since our national W. C. T. U. president wrote and asked me to tell her how our senators and representatives are elected, and for how long. I showed a lawyer friend and asked him; he could not give me "the exact information." I asked another lawyer who was also a member of the legislature; he told me, but told me wrong—had to look it up and correct his error. I have asked several prominent men lately how many electoral votes Louisiana is entitled to, and none has been able to tell me. Now if men have been voting some 30, some 60, and some a hundred years, perhaps, without knowing these things, why cannot we do the same?

INDUSTRIES ENDORSE WAR-TIME PROHIBITION

The War Prohibition Committee of Massachusetts sent to the big industries of New England these questions: "Does the management favor prohibition as a war measure? Do the employees favor it?"
Twelve days from the date of mailing 318 replies had come in, 307 of which were favorable and 11 opposed. The managements were virtually unanimous for war prohibition and many insisted that it should be permanent. Among the employees 226 concerns reported favorable, 45 doubtful, 35 made no statement. Some factories had taken polls which showed about seventy-five per cent favorable.

This harmonizes with the polls taken in 26 of the larger British cities which showed 168,693 for and 78,066 against war prohibition. As usual, the larger and more important concerns took special interest in the letter, many of the managers adding a word of special emphatic opinion.

ALCOHOL AND MARKSMANSHIP.

A member of the French army medical corps has recently made public the results of investigations concerning the effect of alcohol on marksmanship. He chose the best shots among the non-commissioned officers and soldiers of his regiment, says the organ of the American Medical association, and had them fire a series at 200 meters. They were then given a dose of brandy, approximately 50 gm., after which they fired a second series similar to the first. These experiments were repeated at different times and under different conditions, always with identical results. It was found that the efficiency of the marksmen after the absorption of the alcohol had depreciated 30 per cent in rapid firing and 50 per cent in slow firing.

REGIMENT BONE-DRY

The 158th Infantry, formerly the First Arizona Infantry, now in France, lays claim to call itself the driest regiment in the army, says an Associated Press dispatch. The men base this claim on the fact that the entire commissioned personnel of the regiment soon after being mustered into federal service took an oath to drink no intoxicants until the present war is ended.

"Food will win the war; don't waste it."
"Shoes will lose the war; don't taste it."

STOMACH UPSET?

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Labor and War.

Figures made public by the war department recently speak eloquently concerning what labor has done for the war. Since April 1, 1917, the army of the United States has been supplied with 5,377,000 overcoats, 8,068,000 woolen coats, 10,507,000 pairs of woolen breeches and 55,958,000 pairs of woolen socks. Motor trucks to the number of 17,988 has been sent overseas, and 9,800 motor ambulances have been provided. These are merely a few items that show what it means to speed up for victory.

A torpid liver condition prevents proper food assimilation. Tone up your liver with Wright's India Vegetable Pills. They act gently and surely. Adv.

Safe Place.

Second Lieutenant—The German people apparently firmly believe that they are safe as long as they stand by the Kaiser.
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It takes great citizens to make great nations.

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Acid-Stomach Makes Millions Weak and Miserable

For years dentists have been telling us that it's acid mouth that ruins the teeth, yet this acid that is powerful enough to eat through the harder than bone enamel of the teeth and decay them, is tasteless. Its presence can be detected only by chemical tests.
No chemical test is needed to tell you that you have acid-stomach. Indigestion, belching, heartburn, sour stomach, food-rotting, that miserable puffed up feeling after eating, intestinal pains, headaches, etc. These are all Nature's warning to you. They are sure signs of superacidity.
Acid-stomach prevents proper digestion and assimilation, thus causing the blood to become thin and impoverished as a result of which people become pale, emaciated, sick and bad looking.
Acid-stomach causes stomach and intestinal fermentation, producing poisons and toxins which, absorbed into the blood and carried throughout the system, cause auto-intoxication, insomnia, nervousness, irritability, mental depression, melancholia, dizziness, vertigo and oftentimes, valvular heart trouble and heart failure.
Acid-stomach causes irritation all along the intestinal tract—irritation so severe and aggravating as to frequently result in catarrh and even cancer of the stomach.
What chance, then, has anyone for robust health, happiness or success if this acid-stomach is allowed to tear down and use up day after day your strength and vitality faster than you can get it out of food you eat. Life is indeed dark and dreary for a person with acid-stomach.
You crave health, strength, the power and will to think and act—don't you? You want to feel full of pep and energy. Fine and fit, always eager for work or pleasure.
Then you must rid your stomach of its excess acid. You can't start doing it all right now. A wonderful modern medicine has made it possible to literally wipe out the excess acid. This remedy is called EATONIC. It is made in pleasant tasting tablets and you take them just like a bit of candy.
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"Every Step a Torture," Says Mrs. Whitenack—But Doan's Cured Her

Mrs. Florence Whitenack, 84 Armstrong Ave., Jersey City, N. J., says: "I suffered with rheumatism for six or seven years. My limbs and joints were so stiff and swollen, I could walk only with difficulty and the pains in my hips were so severe, I could hardly bear them. Every step I took was a torture. My feet and limbs were swollen and so sore, I could hardly bear my weight on them. During the night I would lie awake for hours and become so nervous, I would have to get up. Dizziness came over me suddenly and my sight blurred. I was never free from the miserable backaches and rheumatic pains. I used different remedies, but I didn't get any better. Then I commenced to use Doan's Kidney Pills. The swellings began to leave right away and I continued to use them. The pains and aches left my back and hips and I am cured of the rheumatism and all signs of kidney trouble."
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Alleged, Maybe.

A witness in an attempted-murder case was being cross-examined by a bumptious young lawyer who apparently had the idea that the secret of successful legal proceedings was the confusion of the witness. During the trial there had been a good deal of lively repartee between opposing attorneys as to hearsay evidence.

"Now, then," said the bumptious one to the witness, "are you perfectly sure that the revolver was discharged?"
The witness eyed the law-juggler for a moment and replied, "Well, maybe I only got hearsay evidence that it was. Fact is, I merely heard the report."

Paradoxical.

"His stories have such dry humor."
"So dry that they whet your desire for more."