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## The Aim of the Foreign Language Papers of America

TO HELP PRESERVE THE IDEALS AND SACRED TRADITIONS OF THIS, OUR ADOPTED COUNTRY, THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; TO REVERE ITS LAWS AND INSPIRE OTHERS TO OBEY THEM; TO STRIVE UNCEASINGLY TO QUICKEN THE PUBLIC'S SENSE OF CIVIC DUTY; IN ALL WAYS TO AID IN MAKING THIS COUNTRY GREATER AND BETTER THAN WE FOUND IT.

### Vacation and Efficiency.

It is the change really more than the rest that is of so much value in a vacation. Besides the absorption of the fatigue products, there is an opportunity given those functions which have remained inactive and sluggish, and even atrophic, to exercise and develop. It is a restoration of balance. For confined and sedentary workers even hard and coarse country work is restful and invigorating. For indoor workers this sort of a vacation means a new lease on life. Very often a border line case of tuberculosis is maintained a little longer above the line by a proper vacation. The increased tendency to arteriosclerosis and other degenerative conditions, as well as premature senility, nearly all the result of high pressure and efficiency, can be much neutralized by periodic vacations, a vacation free from the grind, of course, but also from the worry incident thereto. The vacation is a therapeutic measure come to stay.—New York Medical Journal.

### Effect of Wind Upon Sound.

One of the government scientists gives an interesting explanation of the action of the wind in preventing the spread of sound.  
It is, he claims, not the wind as such

that prevents sound from traveling against it, but differences in the strength of the wind. If, for instance, the wind is stronger above than below or stronger at one side its effect will be to tilt the sound waves in one direction or another. Differences of temperature in the air also cause deflection of the waves of sound. Other atmospheric causes exist which deflect sound from a straight course. Some of the sirens in this country, says this scientist, produce sounds which ought theoretically to be audible at a distance of 1,500 miles; but, in fact, the authorities are satisfied if they are heard only two miles away. The reason for the discrepancy between calculation and experiment was probably atmospheric deflection of the sound.

### Too Sore to Shake.

"Did you take the mixture I gave you?"

"To tell you the truth, I did not, doctor."

"Why not?"

"Well, I fancy you made a little mistake. You gave me ague mixture. It says, 'Shake before taking,' and my complaint is rheumatism."—Pall Mall Gazette.

## The Pennsylvania State Brewers' Association Gives Real Statistics

PHILADELPHIA, April 24.—At a meeting of the Philadelphia Lager Beer Brewers Association held this afternoon the recent newspaper statement that six hundred million bushels of grain were consumed annually by the Liquor Industry was discussed and the figures denounced as being grossly exaggerated and without foundation of fact. The Association went on record as saying that the consumption of grain last year by the Brewing Industry of the entire nation was 48 million bushels of barley, 17 million bushels of corn and 2 million bushels of rice which represents about 1 per cent of the grains produced in the United States and of this amount fully one half goes back to the farmer for cattle-food in the form of "spent grains" (wet grains) or the dried product of these grains.

### LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining uncalled for in the Indiana office April 23, 1917:

Mr. Hugh Creswell, Wilmer Detwiler, Miss Velma Hileman, Mr. Frank Mackert, Rose Miller Decko, Mr. C. U. Over, Mr. John W. Patton, Potter Bros., Miss Nell Ruffner, Miss Jesse Shank, Alla Signara.

When inquiring for letters in this list, please state that they were advertised, giving date.

HARRY W. FEE, P. M.

Even the Republicans want Germany to go Democratic.

# PROCLAMATION!

## "Facts Versus Fallacies"

### Advertising Will Cease

### Until After The War!

In these times when the country wants every man to do his share, each one of us must shoulder some burden—and do it gladly. On the shoulders of the Brewery interests of the country will fall added taxations. The PENNSYLVANIA STATE BREWERS' ASSOCIATION feel it their duty, no less than their privilege, to aid their country in the proper carrying on of the war.

For some years the advertisements known as **Facts versus Fallacies** have been carried in the leading newspapers of Pennsylvania, not as liquor advertisements, but as a plea for Temperance. Not once, in these years, has any one successfully refuted one **Fact** as exploited in these advertisements. They were sane, logical, temperate essays on the **Fallacy** of Prohibition—that prohibition never did prohibit, and never would—and stood for the **Fact** that Regulation and Temperance were the real solution of the liquor question!

In discontinuing the **Facts versus Fallacies** campaign until after the war, so that the money that would have been expended in advertising can serve this country in a bigger and broader field, we help to prove to the President of the United States and to our fellow citizens, that this country has no more loyal supporters than the

## Pennsylvania State Brewers' Association

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