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Activities of Women.

Queen Eleanor of Bulgaria has served in two wars.

England and Wales have 94,841 women farm laborers.

Germany has more women than men by over eight hundred thousand.

Belgian women are learning to shoot with rifles.

In order to get at the true conditions first hand, Miss Elizabeth Watson engaged herself as a worker in the oyster canneries of the South, where she found the children stunted from overwork.

Thousands of women in France will be given employment during the war time through efforts of America amounting to \$60,000,000.

Lady Cook is endeavoring to raise an army of 150,000 English women, which she plans to drill and train to act as a home guard. She plans to have regiments of women wearing khaki uniforms, just like men.

Italians a Thrifty Lot.

Simon W. Straus, president of the American Society for Thrift, is studying methods of thrift used in Italy. He has been surprised to learn that in the last 30 years savings in Italy have more than quadrupled, having risen from \$268,600,000 to \$1,200,000,000. The chief means of inducing thrift are the ordinary savings banks, which number about 200, with nearly 3,000,000 depositors, whose deposits total \$500,000,000, and the post office savings banks with an average of 6,000,000 depositors, whose savings amount to \$450,000,000. The remainder of savings are held by co-operative societies of credit and by the savings departments attached to pawnbrokers' establishments.

Shoes for Soldiers.

A study of the orders given by Napoleon indicates the care he exercised to have a sufficient supply of shoes provided. On one occasion he wrote: "You know that shoes are always needed in war," and at another time he said to Baron Lejeune: "Shoes help on marches, and marches win battles." To Sir John Burgoyne's question addressed to Wellington: "What was the first requirement of a soldier?" "A good pair of shoes," he replied. "And the second requirement?" "A good pair of shoes for a change." "And the third?" "A pair of soles for repairs."—Scientific American.

Out of Pan.

The small boy's sister came in from play on the first day of her visit and asked for a drink.

"There's the water pail," said her grandmother.

"But what shall I use to drink with?"

"Use this," said the old lady, handing the child a tin dipper.

"Honest?" cried the little girl. "Do you want me to drink out of this pan?"

—New York News.

EAS-IT

A PRESCRIPTION at last discovered that will positively relieve the severest headache in fifteen to thirty minutes. Sold on a positive Guarantee. Money back if you want it. Absolutely No Risk. Contains No Opium. Ask your Druggist. Adv.

The Heroes.

"I'd like to rent your hall, please."

"What for?"

"Well, you see, we are organizing a fraternal society called the Sons of Moving Picture Veterans of the Mexican War."—Musical Courier.

No. SIX-SIXTY-SIX

This is a prescription prepared especially for Malaria or Chills and Fever. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the fever will not return. 25c.—Adv.

Of the 176 aeroplanes owned by the British war department, 156 are of native make.

Minnesota's population is now 2,350,000.

Switzerland is a heavy importer of American apples.

Keep Down Uric Acid

Uric acid is a poison formed inside our bodies in digesting certain foods, especially meat and by the burning up of heat and motion during exertion.

Uric acid is hazardous as long as the kidneys filter it promptly from the blood, but people who overeat and overwork, make uric acid build up in the blood, resulting in the following ailments: Gout, Rheumatism, Gravel, Migraine, Headaches, Stomach troubles, Nervousness, Irritability, Dropsy or Swelling of the feet, and other ailments.

By restoring the kidneys to normal activity Doan's Kidney Pills help to overcome these ailments.

A Mississippi Case

Mrs. M. E. Spay, 215 South St., Chicago, Minn., says: "My back gave out and I got so weak I could hardly move. My health became all run down. I had terrible headaches and a smothering spells and the kidney secretions were scanty. I had a month's doctoring failed and I was left to Doan's Kidney Pills to cure me. I have enjoyed good health since I used them."

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THREAT TO KILL OPENS SAFE

MASKED MEN PULL OFF DARING DAYLIGHT ROBBERY IN ILLINOIS TOWN.

At Point of Revolver, Woman is Forced to Give Up Valuables—Sheriff's Posse Has Bandits At Bay in Cornfield.

Kankakee, Ill.—Five masked men entered the home of Mrs. Nellie Clark, bound the negro maid and forced Mrs. Clark, at the point of a revolver, to turn over jewelry, she says, valued at \$50,000 and then escaped in an automobile toward Momence, Ill.

A posse that started in pursuit found the automobile in a ditch two miles from Momence. The posse is believed to have the bandits surrounded in a cornfield. Four Chicago detectives are with the posse, which is headed by Chief of Police John Stack of Momence.

The negro maid, Margie Miller, told the police that when she answered the doorbell five men pushed into the hall and asked for Mrs. Clark. While one man bound the maid the other four burst into Mrs. Clark's room. They forced her to remove diamond earrings and strip her hands of jewelry and threatened to kill her unless she opened the safe.

Mrs. Clark rushed to a garage and notified her chauffeur. He followed the bandits to a point near Momence.

Heavy Rain Floods Des Moines.

Des Moines, Ia.—Lowlands were inundated, driving dozens of families from their homes, by a rainfall of 4.8 inches, the second heaviest in the history of the weather bureau. In little more than an hour 3 inches of rain fell and some residents of the flats were compelled to wade waist-deep to higher ground, carrying children.

Frisco Wreck Death Toll 28.

Springfield, Mo.—The death toll in the Frisco wreck near Lebanon was raised to 28 when Mrs. P. D. Calvin of Rumley, Ark., died at the Frisco hospital here of pneumonia contracted while standing in the water waiting rescue. Her son and daughter were drowned in the chair car.

One Convict Slays Another.

Joliet, Ill.—Assassination of one prisoner by another in the dining room of the penitentiary here formed a tragic interruption to the noonday meal. Frank Reppa, seizing a carving knife from the table, plunged it into the heart of Charles McMasters.

Dry Wine Tax Raised.

Washington.—In the face of protests to the ways and means committee, Democrats against the proposed tax on domestic wines in the war revenue bill, the committee decided to increase to 14 cents a gallon the tax on dry wines, which had been fixed at 12 cents.

Missouri Editors Favor Disarmament.

St. Louis.—The Missouri Press association, at its session here, adopted a resolution favoring the disarmament of the nations and urged terms of settlement of the present European war which will insure permanent world peace.

Churchmen Commend Wilson.

Muncie, Ind.—Four hundred delegates attending the Eastern Indiana and Western Ohio conference of the Christian Church at Albany, Ind., have passed resolutions commending President Wilson for his efforts to bring about European peace.

Mann Ties Up the House.

Washington, D. C.—Republican Leader Mann tied the house in a parliamentary knot by objecting to everything. After roll calls, and having proceeded no further than reading the journal, Democratic leaders adjourned it.

Rome.—The steamer Tomaso di Savoia sailed from Genoa with 400 passengers, mostly Americans, including Mrs. Thomas P. Preston, Jr., former Mrs. Grover Cleveland and party, Mrs. W. H. Hissel and Howard Crocker and his sisters, who are taking the body of their mother to New York for burial.

Washington.—Twelve Japanese detained in Germany following Japan's declaration of war have reached other countries, the Japanese embassy announced. Forty others are still in Germany, some of them probably in German prisons, the embassy said.

Policeman Slain by Negro.

Johnson City, Mo.—Chief of Police George F. Campbell was shot and killed here by a negro named Figaro.

Flower Stalk Used to Save Boy.

St. Joseph, Mo.—Francis Labouff, 6 years old, fell into a cistern here and was saved from drowning by his guardian, Mrs. Adeline Grimm. Mrs. Grimm heard the boy scream and ran out, pulling up a tall flower on the way to the cistern. She lowered one end of the stalk to the boy, who clung to it until she hauled him out.

War Halts Harvester Dividend.

New York.—It was decided at a meeting of the directors of the International Harvester Corporation here not to declare the usual dividend on common stock of the corporation, in view of the existing European conditions.

Walter O'Day Dying.

Danville, Ill.—Walter O'Day of Onarga, candidate for Republican nomination for congress against Joseph G. Cannon two years ago is dying at a local hospital.

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Sudden and Deafening Noise Had No Effect on Occupant of New York Park.

He was lost in dreamy contemplation of the busy thoroughfare with its hurrying throng, un mindful of the grime and stains that marked and marred his old-fashioned garments, when suddenly there resounded upon the air an ear-splitting roar, a terrific clangor, a stifled shriek from some frightened woman, a babel of voices and a rush of scurrying feet.

He stood transfixed, rooted to the spot, without power to move a muscle, an expression of unconcealed agony upon his noble face. Breathlessly he waited, un mindful of the curious glances bestowed upon him, and the little newboys crouching at his feet, his gaze fixed rigidly upon the spot from whence had arisen that cry of terror. The crowd parted, a heavy truck moved lumberingly aside and a Broadway surface car went on its way. Still he did not move, nor did the stern expression upon his bronzed features relax.

For he alone of all that crowd had nerves sufficiently hardened to withstand the terrifying clamor and confusion. He was the statue of Nathan Hale.—New York World.

Tastes Improving.

Rankin—In spite of wars and corrupt politics the world is getting better.

Phyle—I suppose you are prepared to furnish the proof.

"Of course I am."

"Well, nobody likes pug dogs any more."—Youngstown Telegram.

Stuff's Off Now.

"Civilization," said the pedagogue, "began among the Chaldeans."

"I wonder," said the thoughtful student who had a newspaper in his pocket, "where she'll break out next time she starts in."

Jamestown, Pa., has 10,574 factory and shop workers.

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Proper Food Put Him Right.

The food experience of a physician in his own case when worn and weak from sickness and when needing nourishment the worst way, is valuable:

"An attack of grip, so severe it came near making an end of me, left my stomach in such condition I could not retain any ordinary food. I knew of course that I must have food nourishment or I could never recover.

"I began to take four teaspoonfuls of Grape-Nuts and cream three times a day and for 2 weeks this was almost my only food. It tasted so delicious that I enjoyed it immensely and my stomach handled it perfectly from the first mouthful. It was so nourishing I was quickly built back to normal health and strength.

"Grape-Nuts is of great value as food to sustain life during serious attacks in which the stomach is so deranged it cannot digest and assimilate other foods.

"I am convinced that were Grape-Nuts more widely used by physicians, it would save many lives that are otherwise lost from lack of nourishment." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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Kasota, Minn.—"I am glad to say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done more for me than anything else, and I had the best physician here. I was so weak and nervous that I could not do my work and suffered with pains low down in my right side for a year or more. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and now I feel like a different person. I believe there is nothing like Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for weak women and young girls, and I would be glad if I could influence anyone to try the medicine, for I know it will do all and much more than it is claimed to do."—Mrs. CLARA FRANKS, R. F. D. No. 1, Maplecrest Farm, Kasota, Minn.

Women who suffer from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should be convinced of the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health by the many genuine and truthful testimonials we are constantly publishing in the newspapers.

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DILEMMA FOR YOUNG WIFE

One Naturally Would Think That the Cook Book Might Have Been More Explicit.

They had been married but a few weeks when they decided to have a turkey dinner for some friends. The young wife was very inexperienced in cooking and spent some time in consulting her cook book. The bird arrived, and the young husband asked: "Don't you know how to do it, dear?"

They both gazed solemnly at the turkey for a moment, and then the wife replied:

"Yes, darling, it's all quite clear except one thing, and I can't quite understand that."

"And what is that, love?" asked the young husband, anxiously.

"Why, the book says, 'First clean your turkey,'" replied she, "and I am wondering whether I should use toilet or regular scouring soap."

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Famous Canadian Statesman.

Sir George Etienne Cartier, an eminent Canadian statesman and a leader and member of several successive dominion governments, was born 100 years ago in St. Antoine, lower Canada. He was a descendant of Jacques Cartier, the famous French navigator and explorer. Sir George was educated in St. Sulpice college and in 1835 began the practice of law in Montreal. His public career dated from 1848, in which year he was elected to parliament. A few years later he became leader of the French Canadian Conservative party. From 1858 to 1863 he was prime minister. He took a prominent part in the negotiations that led to the confederation of the several provinces in 1867, and under the dominion government he became one of the foremost leaders of the Liberal party. His death occurred May 20, 1873.

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The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents

Poorer Girls Grade High.

Records of the University of Wisconsin show that the average grade for young women working their way through college is higher than that of girls of the leisure class and whose expenses are paid for them.

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The worst cases, no matter how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Fetter's Antiseptic Healing OIL. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00

Appendicitis Insurance Higher.

The Lloyds of London have recently issued a form of insurance against appendicitis. The claims have become so numerous that they have found it necessary to double their premium.

The enterprising summer girl has no use for the young man who wastes his time kissing her hand.

How To Give Quinine To Children

FEBRILINE is the trade-mark name given to an Improved Quinine. It is a Tasteless Syrup, pleasant to take and does not disturb the stomach. Children take it and never know it is Quinine. Also especially adapted to adults who cannot take ordinary Quinine. Does not nauseate nor cause nervousness nor ringing in the head. Try now. Ask for genuine original package. The name FEBRILINE is blown in bottle. 50 cents

London consumes eggs valued at \$11,630,000.

ITALY'S FAMOUS IRON CROWN

Symbol of Royalty That Goes Far Back into the Records of European History.

One of the most famous crowns is that which is not bedecked with jewels, but is made of iron. This historic iron crown has played a romantic role in the history of Italy. It was fashioned in the year 594 by the command, it is said, of Theodinda, the widow of a Lombard king, on the occasion of her marriage to a duke of Turin.

The iron is overlaid with gilt. The significance of the crown was supposed to lie in the fact that the weight of royalty could never be lightened by its splendid exterior. The iron of the inner portion was traditionally held to be one of the long nails used at the crucifixion.

For a long time the crown was kept in the famous monastery at Monza. In 774 it was brought forth to be placed upon the head of Charlemagne as "king of the Lombards," and on later occasions it figured in the triumphs of Frederic IV and Charles V. Finally, in the presence of all the representatives of state, the foreign envoys and princes and officers, Napoleon Bonaparte solemnly united it to the crown of France.

The crown belongs to the state, and the custodian of it is the legitimate representative of the basilica of Monza. The title of "grand custodian," however, pertains to the head of the Order of Cavaliers.

REMARKABLE LETTER FROM A WELL KNOWN WASHINGTON DRUGGIST.

In reference to HANFORD'S great remedy for chills and fever and all malarial diseases:

"Within the last five months I have sold 3,000 bottles of HANFORD'S Balsam for Malaria, Chills and Fever. Our customers speak very well of it. Henry Evans, 223 F St., N. W., Washington, D. C., writes: 'I have used HANFORD'S Balsam 50 cents all druggists, or by Parcel Post, prepaid, from Klocswald & Co., Washington, D. C.'

Wasting Money.

"I guess it's just as well I didn't marry that girl. She evidently has no idea of the value of money."

"How's that?"

"Spent 60 cents postage sending me a batch of old love letters."

Five tons of human hair was recently shipped in one lot from China to England to be used in the woolen industry.

Woman's Press Club.

The Woman's National Press association is one of the oldest of the women's organizations in the country, having been in existence since 1882. It was organized in Washington long before the newspaper men had organized their National Press club and before the Gridiron club, so well known for its clever programs at annual meetings. The first president was Mrs. Emily Edson Briggs, the first woman journalist allowed admission to the press galleries of Washington. Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood, the present president, is in her eighties, but is still a prolific writer. Mrs. Champ Clark, Miss Mabel Boardman, Mrs. Delva Lockwood and others as well known.

All for America.

Last year the United States imported knit goods to the amount of \$5,671,863 and this year will have to get along without the imported goods. It is now the fashion for women to "sacrifice" themselves for their countries and what better sacrifice could American women make than cheerfully to wear American-made clothes during the next few years? Let every one declare for American goods.

Cure For Blindness.

In certain forms of blindness caused by opacity of the cornea it has been discovered that the best form of treatment is a tattooing process. For this operation ordinary India ink is used, the tattooing being done with a hypodermic needle.

The cornea is injected with the ink by repeated punctures, so that when the operation is completed the cornea is apparently completely blackened. But during the process of absorption of the ink particles that follows, the original opacity is also absorbed, the cornea becomes clear and sight is restored.

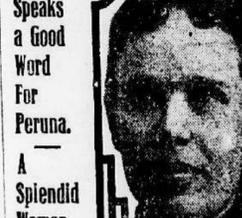
The Real Proof.

"Is that new play full of realism?"

"Well, it's taking in real money."

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Mrs. O. F. McHargue, 147 W. 9th St., Jacksonville, Florida, writes: "I had catarrh and throat trouble. Three bottles of Peruna cured me. As a minister's wife I come in contact with all classes of people, and shall always speak a good word for Peruna. I have given trial bottles to a few friends. Wishing you abundant success, I remain, yours truly."

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"Was your husband on his high horse last night?"

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Letters from Prominent Physicians addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

Dr. B. Halsted Scott, of Chicago, Ill., says: "I have prescribed your Castoria often for infants during my practice, and find it very satisfactory."

Dr. William Belmont, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "Your Castoria stands first in its class. In my thirty years of practice I can say I never have found anything that so filled the place."

Dr. J. H. Tait, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I have used your Castoria and found it an excellent remedy in my household and private practice for many years. The formula is excellent."

Dr. R. J. Hamlen, of Detroit, Mich., says: "I prescribe your Castoria extensively, as I have never found anything to equal it for children's troubles. I am aware that there are imitations in the field, but I always see that my patients get Fletcher's."

Dr. Wm. J. McCrann, of Omaha, Neb., says: "As the father of thirteen children I certainly know something about your great medicine, and aside from my own family experience I have in my years of practice found Castoria a popular and efficient remedy in almost every home."

Dr. J. R. Clausen, of Philadelphia, Pa., says: "The name that your Castoria has made for itself in the tens of thousands of homes blessed by the presence of children, scarcely needs to be supplemented by the endorsement of the medical profession, but I, for one, most heartily endorse it and believe it an excellent remedy."

Dr. R. M. Ward, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "