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When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

Natures New Role.

Robert, age three, had been put to bed at the usual time, but because of a long afternoon nap the sandman was slow in appearing.

"Now you lie down there and go to sleep," she commanded.

"Well, sister, nature won't let me," he answered between sobs.—Indianapolis News.

Constipation generally indicates disordered stomach, liver and bowels.

Some Good Came Out of It.

Jud Tunkins says that anyhow the war has put a silencer on the man who used to be always talking about how much better they did everything in Europe.

Snow comes down in the winter, and ice goes up in the summer.

HAS NO PAIN NOW

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Did for Mrs. Warner.

Onalaska, Wis.—"Every month I had such pains in my back and lower part of stomach I could not lie in bed. I suffered so it seemed as though I would die, and I was not regular either. I suffered for a year and was unfit to do my housework, could only wash dishes once in a while. I read an advertisement of what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for other women and decided to try it. It surely did wonders for me. I have no pains now and I can do my housework without any trouble at all. I will always praise your medicine as I do not believe there is a doctor that can do as much good in female weakness, and you may use these facts as a testimonial."—Mrs. LESTER E. WARNER, R. 1, Box 69, Onalaska, Wis.

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Thousands of Happy Housewives in Western Canada

are helping their husbands to prosper— are glad they encouraged them to go where they could make a home of their own—save paying rent and reduce the cost of living—where they could teach prosperity and independence by buying on easy terms.

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For illustrated literature, maps, description of farm opportunities in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta, reduced railway rates, etc., write Department of Immigration, Ottawa, Can., or F. A. HARRISON, 310 N. Third St., Harrisburg, Pa., Canadian Government Agent.

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Kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles are most dangerous because of their insidious attacks. Heed the first warning they give that they need attention by taking

GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES

The world's standard remedy for these disorders, will often ward off these diseases and strengthen the body against further attacks. Three sizes, all druggists. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation.

50 MILLION FOR GOTHAM DOCKS

New York Plans Gigantic Improvement on the Hudson River Water Front

TAKE TEN YEARS TO BUILD

New System Is to Consist of Wide Piers, Slips and Marginal Streets, With Warehouses and Tracks Where Available in Rear.

New York.—The greatest water front improvement here in 50 years, involving the removal of 32 antiquated piers along the Hudson river and the erection in their stead of 18 new and vastly larger piers of latest design has been planned by Murray Hulbert, commissioner of docks, and approved by the sinking fund commission.

The improvement will cost \$50,000,000, and will require ten years to complete. Work is expected to be started next spring.

This, with the proposed vehicular tunnel to New Jersey, is expected to solve New York's West side dock problem. The new water front system is to consist of wide piers, slips and marginal streets, with warehouses and tracks where available in the rear.

Will Pay Out in Four Years.

"The cost of construction is expected to pay for itself within four years' time," said Deputy Dock Commissioner Michael Cosgrove. "A permanent sea wall has been built along the entire stretch, no rock will be encountered to a depth of 40 feet, and most of the real estate is owned by the city.

"These new piers will increase the

Underwater Scene for the Movies



A scene for a moving picture, made under the water by the use of a photographic diving bell.

pier-storage area 50 per cent if they are made only one story," continued Mr. Cosgrove. "But because of the high value of this water front it will be uneconomical to stop even at two stories. They will have the most modern appliances for rapid handling of freight, including electric cranes, hoists and hoists of all kinds.

"The present lower North river water front is just what it was in 1871. Its slips are so narrow there is not room in them at once for two big steamships. To afford relief the war department has three times permitted the pier headlines to extend further outshore. The more these narrow

piers were brought out, the worse the slips became, because boats have been continually growing bigger."

La Guardia Lauds Project.

"The new plan," said President F. H. La Guardia of the board of aldermen, "means that New York is going to have 18 piers from 950 to 1,025 feet in length, in place of the 35 dilapidated structures which are a disgrace to the city. Between each pier there will be a maximum dockage space of 300 feet and a minimum of 275 feet. Two of the new piers will be 100 feet wide, seven 150 feet and nine 125 feet."

Along New York's water front the dock commission already has under way other projects under contract amounting to \$20,000,000.

DAN DALY QUITS MARINES

Famous War Hero Who Won Two Medals Will Go Into Business.

New York.—First Sergt. Dan Daly, undoubtedly the best known man in all the services with the exception of Sergt. York of Argonne fame, has been placed on the inactive list of the Marine Corps reserve.

Daly won two medals of honor for valor in the Boxer rebellion and in the capture of Fort Riviere in Haiti, and is said to be the only man in all the services who holds two medals of honor.

In the world war his feats of exceptional bravery won for him the medaille militaire and the croix du guerre from France, and the distinguished service cross from Gen. Pershing. His passing from the active list to go into business removes from the marines their most picturesque of the old school soldiers.

DIG UP RUM 100 YEARS OLD

Workmen Demolishing Graves in New York Make Very Interesting Find.

Rochester, N. Y.—Interest among the workmen engaged in removing bodies from the ancient Putney street cemetery, in Geneva, was greatly enhanced when a grave was encountered that apparently resisted penetration.

After much hard work the men disclosed what proved to be a large stone jug of peculiar shape. It was securely sealed, but after it had been carefully cleaned of the accumulation of more than 100 years the following words were revealed on its side: "New Bedford Rum, 1790." The wording had been blown into the stone by the potter.

About two gallons of fluid were found in the jug, which may have originally held ten gallons.

Killed Rattlesnake Family.

Poncopog, Mass.—A family of 13 small rattlers and their mother was slain by a visitor to the Blue Hills reservation near here. The mother snake fought for her young to the last. After she was killed it was an easy matter to dispose of the little ones. This is considered an unusually large rattlesnake family.

H. C. L. Is Not New Problem

1,600 Years Ago Citizens of Rome Were Tormented by Same Plague.

DEFIED THEIR MIGHTY RULER

Diocletian's Edicts Have Familiar Ring—His Edicts and Curses Doing No Good, He Advised Resort to Boycott.

Rome.—Let those who can draw comfort from the fact know that H. C. L. is no newer than many other plagues which poor humanity suffers from. In fact, the citizens of Rome, now tormented with further leaps and bounds in prices, are trying to console themselves with the discovery, made by those who read ancient books, that this city was bothered with the profiteer 1,600 years ago.

Ruler Fixed Prices.

In the reign of Diocletian, who flourished in 300 A. D., the emperor was so disturbed by his subjects, who suffered from the H. C. L., that he fixed the prices of foodstuffs and drew

a schedule for workmen's wages. To read his proclamation is to read the many long-winded documents which food controllers, mayors and other public functionaries have perpetrated in the past three or four years. The condemning of the profiteer, "moved by a greed for profit which is out of all proportion to the real value of the goods he sells," and the imperial wish that his "fixed prices should be respected throughout the empire," have a familiar ring which makes glad the hearts of historians who want to shake history popular.

But relief, comfort and joy do stop there. For it is enough to read a little further to discover that the good emperor's laws and curses against newly rich and profiteers were as useless 16 centuries ago as they are today. And, in despair, the good old Roman tyrant implores his "honest and patriotic subjects" to resort to the one and only remedy, boycott of high-priced goods.

With this ruler's history fresh in their minds, the modern citizens of ancient Rome are now being informed that the following goods are to go up:

Aluminum goods, 500 per cent; nickel, copper goods and utensils, 500 per cent; goods for household use, such as knives, forks and spoons, 500 per cent; iron goods of all kinds, 600 per cent; locks and bolts, 700 per cent; earthenware and china, from 400 to 600 per cent. All these increases are on present prices, which are from 300 to 1,000 per cent above pre-war prices.

Home After Twenty Years.

Fulton, Mo.—A family reunion held at Booneville one week recently was unique in that Will J. Back of Red Wing, Minn., was back in his old home town for the first time in 20 years. The reunion was held in the old home where Mr. Back was born and reared and he slept in the same bed that once was his when he was a youth. Other interesting mementos of his youth are still in the home, which is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Back. Mr. Back left Booneville in 1884 and this week's visit is his second since that year. A number of Missouri relatives were present at the reunion.

PASTOR IS GORED BY BULL

Head of Orphan Home in Iowa Is Killed in the Presence of Children.

Muscantine, Ia.—While trying to adjust a halter on a young bull Rev. Julius Duden, acting superintendent of the German Lutheran Orphans' home, south of this city, was fatally gored.

He died 15 minutes after the accident, which was witnessed by a score of children and employees, who were powerless to give aid.

Rev. Mr. Duden was for 27 years pastor of the Lutheran church at Wilton, prior to which he was teacher in the Muscantine parochial school.

Wireless Courtship Ends in Marriage.

Pittsburgh.—After a courtship and proposal conducted solely by wireless telegraphy, Burton P. Williams and Miss Maglan Carson of Springdale, Pa., were married at Pittsburgh. Mr. and Mrs. Williams both hold operators' licenses listed as first class by the federal government.

YANK DREGS IN PARIS

Drifters of American Army Stay in the Gay City.

Former American Soldiers Soon Drop into the Foulness and Darkness of the Parisian Apache Life.

Paris.—Two thousand former American soldiers are adrift in Paris. Most of them are utterly jobless, while a few work just enough to keep them in food and clothes. The majority gain their living by questionable means, following the races, touting dance halls and worse places, while a large number are living in absolute degradation in the Apache quarters of Paris, as thieves, accomplices of feminine crooks and in other criminal pursuits.

Officers of the Paris post of the American Legion declare nothing less than a regiment of military police can clean this situation up. The French police appear to be powerless before the superior vigor and initiative of the

former Yank soldiers. The Paris post of the Legion, numbering only about 900, can do nothing against them. The situation grows worse from day to day.

These men, left-overs, are part of the tragedy of the war—the lotus-eating sediment of the American army. Some of them stayed when the American army went home. Others went back to the states but drifted again to Paris.

During the war most of the A. E. F. got a taste of Paris, the uniform being an introduction to any circle. The highest paid army in Europe, the Yanks had everything their own way. Now things have changed and the former heroes have sunk to the lowest depths of degradation. Men are constantly drifting back to Paris where they still find some looseness and the same license, but the life they knew before has passed and they soon drop into the darkness of a life of crime until the prison doors open for them.

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Another Kind.

"Do you see yonder house? I know for a fact there are spirits in it." "A haunted house? How interesting! Do the spirits make a disturbance in the sleeping rooms?" "No; they are kept in the cellar."

"Cold in the Head"

An acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Those subject to frequent "colds in the head" will find that the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will build up the system, cleanse the blood, and render them less liable to colds. Repeated attacks of Acute Catarrh may lead to Chronic Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system, thus reducing the inflammation and restoring normal conditions. All Druggists. Circulars free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

OF SAME ORIGIN AS COAL

Wood Believed to Be Basis of Jet, Substance Long Used for Various Ornaments.

Jet is a sort of lignite or anthracite, often cut and polished, which has the peculiarities in weight and texture of the hardest kind of anthracite. It has been used in Britain since before historic times, and was common in the bronze age, from which times have come jet beads, buttons, rings, armlets and other ornaments.

Julius Caesar alludes to the abundance of jet in Britain, and jet ornaments are found with Roman relics in them. The monks used jet for rosary beads at Whitby Abbey, and at Whitby, where it was found in the greatest abundance. It occurs in irregular masses in hard shale known as jet rock.

Often microscopic examination discloses coniferous wood in the composition of jet. It is probable that jet was developed when masses of wood drifted down a river, rotted or became water logged and sank out at sea, becoming gradually buried in a deposit of fine mud which hardened eventually into shale. Sometimes drops of bitumin are found in jet cavities, which seems to confirm the suspicion of its wood origin.—Detroit News.

Always Unpopular Number.

Whether unlucky or not, number 13 is thoroughly unpopular. If 13 sit down to a meal, the first to rise will die within a year, says superstition. The person born on the thirteenth of the month will be unlucky throughout life; no one should embark on a journey or start an enterprise on the thirteenth of the month; while the thirteenth house in a row is nearly always tenanted, or renumbered 11A or 15.

GRAMMAR AS IT IS WRIT

Third Man Had Also Had Difficulties He Was Anxious to Get Corrected.

First Sergeant Grizzell of the Spokane recruiting station, vouches for the following incident which occurred when three of the applicants of that station were making application to the director of the United States Marine Corps Institute, Quantico, Va.

Two of the applicants had spelled the word grammar as "grammer," and were busily making corrections when the third applicant came along. He asked:

"What are you changing the word grammar for?"

"Why, we spelled it wrong," answered one of the applicants.

"Give me that rubber," said the third man. "Darned if I ain't spelled it with two m's myself."—Recruiters' Bulletin.

His Status Fixed.

"Do you ever drink to excess?" asked the girl's father.

"I never touch liquor of any kind, sir."

"How about tobacco?"

"I do not smoke. I have never had a cigar or a cigarette in my mouth."

"Ever gamble?"

"Never. I do not know one card from another."

"I suppose you swear sometimes?"

"No, sir. An oath has never passed my lips."

"Um. All right. Come out and have a stick of candy with me."—New York Central Magazine.

Adapting Natural Power.

With the ever-increasing supply of electrical energy furnished by the development of Switzerland's vast resources in water power, consideration of various electrically driven household appliances is growing from year to year, reports Consul Francis R. Stewart, Bern. Up to the present time the use of washing machines in Switzerland has been very limited and electrically driven machines have been utilized only in public laundries.

The Observant Flivverist.

"Some of those big financial folks must be takin' quite a little vacation," remarked Farmer Cornstossel.

"What makes you think so?"

"Nobody has taken the authority in quite some time to boost the price of gasoline."

Lots of people look for trouble who do not know what to do with it after they find it.

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