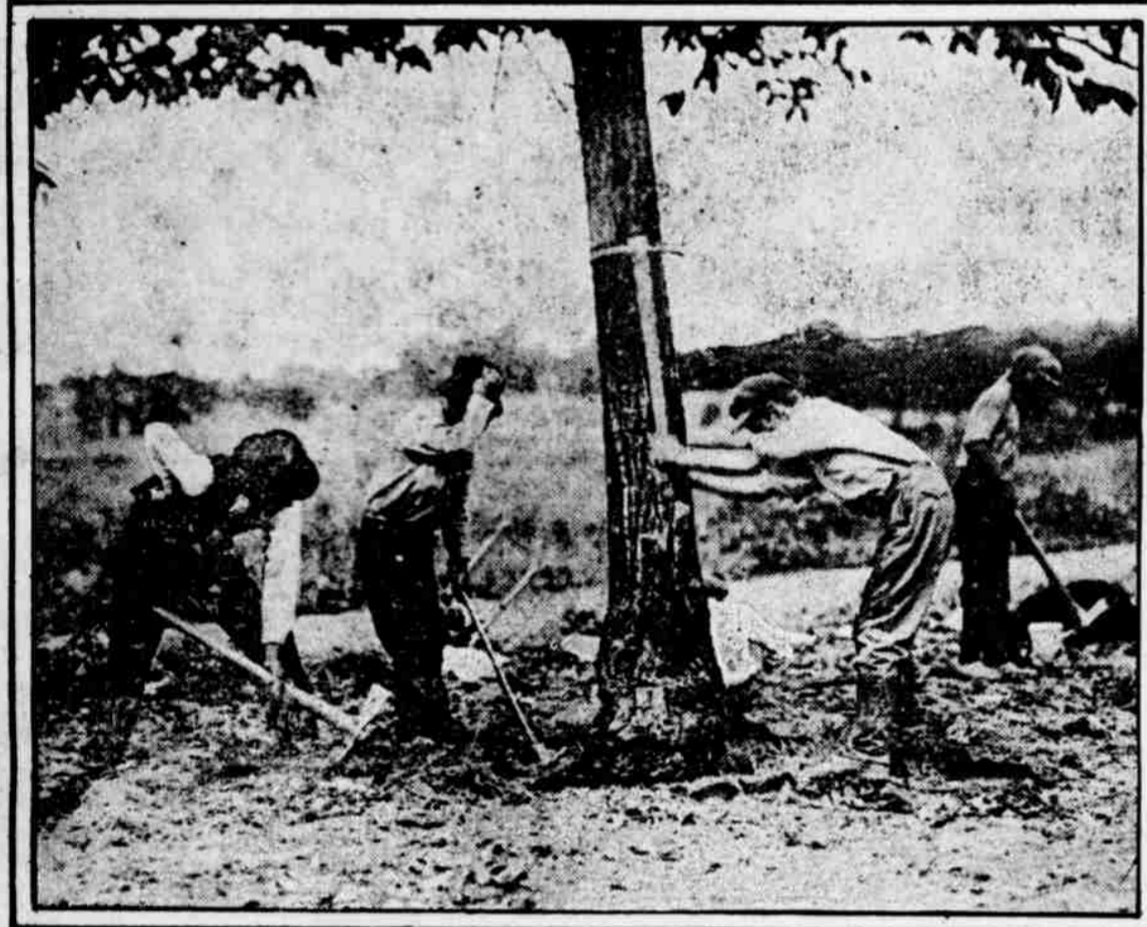




IT'S A PLEASURE TO GO YACHTING ON THE RANCOAS CREEK IN NEW JERSEY. One of the prettiest spots along this beautiful stream is at Hainesport, at which place the photograph was taken during a Saturday afternoon regatta.



PREPARING CAMP GROUND AT ADMIRAL, MD. Much work is required to make the large tract of land ready for the encampment of Philadelphia's drafted soldiers.



LIEUTENANT CHARLES P. STAHR. This officer is a well-known Lancaster physician, who organized Ambulance Company No. 3 from that city.



SOLDIERS GET MUCH ENJOYMENT IN LAKE AT MOUNT GRETNA, PA. These men who have found about the only way to keep cool during the hot weather are members of Companies Three and Four of the Ammunition Train Service.



RED CROSS WORKERS OF THE CHARLES BECK COMPANY'S PAPER HOUSE. In the cause of world-wide freedom, these girls and women are devoting all their spare time making articles for use in the battle hospitals. They work in the company's storeroom at 609 Chestnut street.

The Young Lady Across the Way



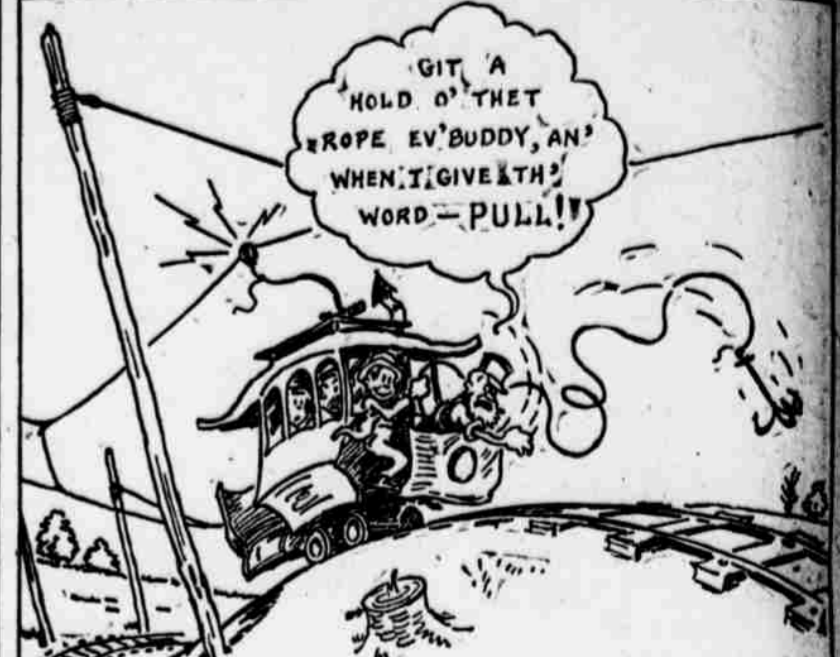
The young lady across the way says the cerebrum is the more important part of the brain, but she supposes a person couldn't get along so very well without her antebellum ether.

### The Trained Nurse

He—I understand you have been attending an ambulance class. Can you tell me what is the best thing to do for a broken heart?  
She—Oh, yes. Bind up the broken portion with a gold band, bathe in orange-blossom water and apply plenty of raw rice. Guaranteed to be well in a month.—Pearson's Weekly.

THE TOONERVILLE TROLLEY

BY FONTAINE FOX



GIT A HOLD O' THET ROPE EV' BUDDY, AN' WHEN I GIVE THE WORD—PULL!!

SOMETIMES WHEN HE DOESN'T GET A GOOD RUNNING START THE SKIPPER HAS TO USE A "SPECIAL EMERGENCY POWER" TO GET THE CAR UP HUMAN'S HILL.

THE PADDED CELL



LADY WRITING A CHECK

I SAY SEND THE WASTE PAPER MAN RIGHT UP WILL YOU?

Perhaps He Had

Outside on a board it had "Woman's Exchange" written in large type, and he walked in. A tall, spinster-looking person, with a face that would have taken the polish off the furniture, came forward. "Is this the Woman's Exchange?" he asked. "Yes." "And you are the woman?" "Yes." He scratched his head and regarded her for a few seconds, and then he said: "Well, I think I'd better keep Ball after all."—Ideas.

Distracting Scenery



The Pirate (gazing on English coast) Mein Gott! Vot do I still see? Well-fed-looking peoples, rosy-faced children! Ach! I vill another telescope go and get. ("The U-Boats will bring Britain to her knees by June"—Modern German Fairy Story)

So Natural



—Passing Show. "What's up, mate?" "Only dropped my hooey down the old, Bill. I'll be back in a minute."

A GOOD PROPHET



—The Sketch. Billy—My farver 's a sportin' prophet, but 'e don't make much money. 'E 'ardly ever spots a winner. Jimmy (proudly)—My pa 's a prophet, too. He 's a weather prophet, and spots the winner every time. He always prophesies a bad summer.

SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



Here's Al, now, Shrimpy—say whatcha, jist said about him to his face—go on.

Aw-waw! Don't you believe it, Al! I never said nuthin' about you. You're my friend—what Al wants say nuthin' about my friend for?

Go on—say it to his face, Shrimpy—Say it—Here's Al.

What de say?

Little playmates

Speed Necessary

Stranger (to small boy)—Ocean y-y-you t-tell m-me wh-when the next train g-goes n-n-north, s-s-south? Small boy—F-I' minutes pas' s. Stranger—Hh-have I g-g-got t-time to c-c-catch it? Small Boy—Not unless you kin walk faster'n you kin talk, mister.

Force of Habit



—London Opinion. Officer's Batman (awakening young subaltern who has just returned from his honeymoon in Blighty)—And it's gone seven. Officer (drowsily)—A'right, darlin'—shan't be a minute.

A Good Title

He—I wonder what the meaning of that picture is? The youth and the maiden are in a tender attitude. She—Oh, don't you see? He has asked her to marry him and she is accepting him. How sweet! What do the artist call the picture? He (looking about)—It's called "The Artist's Study."—