

Norman Ross, world's champion middle-distance swimmer, is shown here In a remarkable swan dive at Neptune beach, Alameda. The thousands of spectators gasped in amazement as Ross' birdlike form rose into the air and descended gracefully into the water in one of the greatest dives ever witnessed in a championship event. Ross is in the last stages of solo flying in the American aviation corps. It was an impulse received from seeing this vision is in effect today, although in picture of himself in the air that prompted him to join the aviation corps. His perfect poise and equilibrium makes him a valuable air bird to the American army. It is evident from this picture that Ross has chosen a branch of the service which he is well fitted for.

Many Years Has Enlisted as

a Yeowoman.

the Red Sox-who became yeomen as

soon as it began to look like it would

be a case of fight or do clerical work

have to get her orders-she just saw

her duty, figured out how she could

perform it and proceeded to get on the

job, showing there are some people in

baseball who don't have to be kicked

Forsake' Breeding of Thorough-

breds and Devote His Time

to Producing Trotters.

John E. Madden has decided to re-

ire from breeding thoroughbreds and

vill devote his time to farming and

producing trotters at Hamburg Place,

Lexington, Ky. He has been identified

with the latter since the eighties, the

gray gelding Class Leader, half

rother to Pilot Medium, being one of

his first horses. He is now racing Da-

gastan and Periscope, both of which

are by his horse Siliko, in the Grand

Athletic Directors at Springfield

(Mass.) College Given Instruc-

tion in All Sports.

Springfield (Mass.) college is in-

structing athletic directors for work

worked out to harden men who come

from offices and business life so that

they will be fit for the strenuous work

are taught the instructors which are

suitable for playing in camp and large

groups. Mass boxing, cage ball, gre-

nade ball, multiple soccer football and

various sorts of games are introduced.

DISTANCE RUNNER IS SAILOR

Herman Gross of Brooklyn Athletic

Association Is at Pelham Bay

Naval Station.

Herman Gross, the distance runner

of the Brooklyn Athletic association.

and has left for the Pelham Bay na-

val training station. Gross expects to

improve his speed by practicing with

Tigers to Have Eleven.

Commission for Jim Guyon.

championship last season, has been

Young Stallings Wounded

Golf for Enlisted Men.

Small golf courses of three, five or

nine holes may be constructed in army

War Work for E. Burns.

Catcher Eddie Burns of the Phillies,

has gone back to California, where

he expects to go into some sort of war

the recreation of enlisted men.

of the Boston Braves.

A recent casualty list for the ma-

Jim Guyon, the rangy Indian, who

train.

into service of some sort or other.

CATCHER WILSON HAS SPIRIT MRS. FANNY DAVIS IN NAVY

Backstop for Boston Braves Registers While Over Draft Age, but Says Let It Go.

The spirit that will help win is that shown by Catcher Art Wilson of the Boston National team. Some men are of draft age and don't want to be in was an employee of the Chicago White 1859 any old kind of stick was perthe army, but it is different with Wilson, so goes the story.

Wilson doesn't pay special attention to birthdays and when time came to register a year ago last June he didn't of baseball. She gets as near as she a heavy bat, say one that is five feet remember whether he was over thirty-



Catcher Art Wilson

one years old or not, so he registered with his home board anyway. Later he found he was over thirty-one and TEACH GAMES OF ALL SORTS did not have to register.

Then the draft board sent out questionnaires and he filled his out anyway and was placed in class 2, being a married man. The time is now drawing close when some class 2 men may be called and the matter of his being over age was taken up with him by mail, by in overseas camps. Courses are being his draft board. "Let it go," was the substance of his

answer. "I'm no better than anyone else and if called to fight, I'm going." In camp. More than fifty mass games

NO WORRY FOR HUGH BEZDEK

Manager of Pirates Asked to Return and Coach Football Eleven of Oregon University.

Whatever happens to baseball, Hugh Bezdek should worry. There will be football in the fall and the manager of the Pirates has been asked to return and couch the University of Oregon eleven. Reports generally indicate that colleges plan to resume athletics when their terms open, in spite of the is now in the service of Uncle Sam embarrassments of war.

Sailors to Fight in France.

Ball players who have enlisted in the Charles Pores, national five-mile naval reserves and other branches of champion, who is also located at the naval service with the hope of seeing Westchester station. active service will be pleased to learn that the government proposes to organize some of its half-million sailor lads into land battalions and put them in the thick of the fighting in France, along with the marines and the doughboys.

Many Baseball Parks Idle.

The next question that arises is this-what to do with the ball parks. If it wasn't that building is at a stand- Crackers to win the Southern gridiron still in most cities because of the war, doubtless some of them would be cut commissioned a second lieutenant in up and sold for building lots. This the National army. He makes the much is pretty certain; in citles that tenth 'varsity man of Heisman's squad have two major league parks there who has joined the colors during the will be a getting together during the summer. layoff period and arrangements made for joint use of the most available park site after the resumptiongranting, of course, that any city has two major league clubs after the war. those severely wounded that of Law-

Real Lady Has Retired. The Real Ludy, 2:03, holder of the world's record for two-year-old and three-year-old trotters, has been retired

and navy training camps next year for Stecker Brothers Enlist. Joe Stecker, former wrestling champion, and his brother Anton, also a wrestler, have enlisted in the navy.

Teams in Municipal League. Kansas City, Mo., has 40 baseball work, but says it won't be in a shipnines in its municipal league.

and turned out for the season.

AS SIXTY YEARS AGO

Few Changes Have Been Made in Stick Used by Sluggers.

Originally Decreed That It Should Be Made of Wood Not More Than Two and One-Half Inches in

Diameter and Round.

Baseball was referred to as bat ball in some communities in the early days of the national game. The modern baseball bat had its origin just 59 years ago.

March 9, 1859, at a meeting of the fathers of baseball held in New York. it was decreed that the bat should be made of wood and have a diameter not to exceed 21/2 inches and a length not greater than 42 inches. In the years that have followed fewer changes have been made in the bat than in any other thing connected with the game. The provision as to length still stands, but since 1895 the swatter has been permitted to use a slightly thicker bat. The early rule that the bat be made of wood wasn't olnding enough in the early days of professionalism, for some of the players sneaked in bats into which holes had been made and filled with lead.

The rule of 1859 prescribed that the bat should be round, and this prothe intervening years there have been some variations. In the early eightles a four-sided bat was introduced and was indorsed by the governing body of amateur players, but it didn't last long and was never used by professionals. Later in the same decade bats made of soft wood and flat on one side were introduced, to be used in Secretary of American Association for bunting. This variety of bat gained the recognition of the National league. and was used in nearly all professional circuits up to 1893, when it was Mrs. Fanny R. Davis, who has been secretary of the American Association discarded and outlawed.

Prior to the adoption of the rule of for nine years past and before that Sox and the Western league and who missible in baseball. Even flat bats probably is the best posted woman in were not barred and many star swatthe country on baseball, obeys the ters used implements of prodigious work-or-fight order along with the rest size. It takes a real man to wield can to the fighting line by enlisting long and five inches wide, but many as a yeowoman in the navy, a job she of the old-timers did it. Those were is fully as well qualified to fill doubt- the happy days for the "knockers," as less as those "heroes" of-well, say batsmen were called in that period.

UPS AND DOWNS OF SALARIES

in a navy yard. Mrs. Davis didn't Pitcher Caldwell of New York Yankees Formerly Received \$8,000, Now Gets \$4,000.

The ups and downs of baseball salaries are indicated in a petition filed in a New York court by Pitcher Ray Caldwell of the New York Yankees. AADDEN DECIDES TO RETIRE When he was drawing a salary of \$8,-000 a season he had been ordered to pay his wife \$250 a month alimony. Caldwell went into court, showed



Pitcher Ray Caldwell.

where his salary had been cut to \$4,000 a season and asked relief. The court ordered that hereafter he should pay his wife but \$150 a month during the playing season and \$50 a month during the off senson.

Lamb Goes to Camp Dodge. Lyman Lamb, who finished the Western league season with the Joplin team, is among the early draftees to be sent It seems certain that Princeton will organize an eleven to play intercolfrom his home in Lincoln, Neb. He legiate football next fall. Keene Fitz. goes to Camp Dodge, where he expects patrick probably will coach as well as to mix a little baseball in with his military training.

Paul Smith Is Making Good. Paul Smith, former International league outfielder, who was denied did so much to help the Georgia a chance with the Boston Red Sox this year because of the draft, is shining as an athlete in army field days. In a recent meet at Camp Dodge, in which scores of crack army athletes took part, Smith won the running high jump and was a close contender In several other events. He also has been starring as a member of a Camp Dodge baseball team. One of his teammates is Fred Beck, former major rines contains among the names of and minor leaguer. Smith is in a machine-gun battalion and expects to be rence T. Stallings, son of the manager

in France soon. Pitcher Barnes Over There.

Jess Barnes has not communicated with any of the Giants since he went to Camp Funston the last week in May, but it is reported that he is already

in France. Mike Bennett Re-engaged. Mike Bennett, famous as a gridiron and baseball player at the University of Pennsylvania ten years ago, has been re-engaged as athletic coach at Haverford college.

FOR EACH OTHER'S SAKE.

A grizzled Scotch banker in New York was bidding goodby to his son, a young lieutenant, ordered overeas. "Dad," said the boy, "you could give me something I'd rather have than \$25,000," "What's happened to you, my boy, that a big bunch of money like that seems a trifle?" "Nothing. father, but there's a thing you could do that I'd rather have than all kinds of money." "And what might that fine

thing be?" Then the young man with the single silver shoulder bar looked his grufftender father straight in the face and said, as if he meant it, "Dad, I wish you'd promise me to cut out the whisky while I'm gone." The father bristled up. "Why, boy, you know I never take too much. You know how little I drink here at home, and I don't booze in business hours. What's got into you,

But the boy persisted until the man said, "Son, you're going into temptations you never dreamed of over there. You'll need all the stiffening you can get to keep straight. I'll promise you to be prohibition if you'll promise me not to forget your mother and your coverant vows."

And father and son shook hands on

When the banker's friends down town see him refuse to join them in a noon-day cocktail or an evening highball, they wonder what has come over him. He is thinking of the lad who is with Pershing, and he will keep faith.

There are many American fathers and mothers in these days who are living nearer to the level of their better selves, for the sake of the knightly sons who have embarked on the great adventure overseas,-The Christian Advocate.

ALCOHOL NOT A STIMULANT.

Fifteen years ago, it was believed by competent scientific authorities that alcohol to some extent stimulated rese piration because it seemed to cause an increase in the volume of air passing through the lungs, which was thought to increase the absorption of oxygen. In the interval, it has been learned that the mere amount of air that goes into and out of the lungs does not necessarily measure its value to the tissues and the cells where gases are exchanged. The air must not only pass into the lungs, but it must get out into the tissues beyond the "dead space" in the lungs. Some new careful experiments in the nutritional laboratory of the Carnegie institution of Washington, lately reported by Harold L. Higgins, show that after taking into consideration all the factors of respiration, alcohol, when given in a way to exclude other factors such as activity or the digestion of food, in amounts of from one to one and one-half ounces, indirectly acts upon respiration as a depressant, not as a stimulant. There is not much, if anything, left of the old stimulant theory. and it is time that everybody stopped using the term "stimulants" as a synonym for alcohol,-The Union Signal.

BEER CRIMINOLOGY.

A woman physician, Dr. Mary F. Cushman, of Maine, writes as follows: "If anything has ever demonstrated the evil of beer drinking, it is surely the present war. Years ago, when specializing in mental and nervous diseases, I was taught that alienists had proved the crimes for which distilled liquors were responsible, are crimes of passion unpremeditated, and often a horror to the perpetrator when he recovers from the effects of his drink. The habitual use of malf liquors, however, so affects the moral sense as to lead to deliberate crimes, carefully planned, coolly executed, without compunction or remorse. Germany, the great beer-drinking nation, has simply illustrated this in a war conducted along the above lines of beer criminology. What does our nation want of the drink that makes men capable of the atrocities perpetrated by Germany?"

HOW HE IS HANDICAPPED.

The drinking man is the first man to get sick, and the last man to get well, says Rev. M. A. Lambing in the Pittsburgh Observer.

He is the first man to lose his friends and the last man to appreciate them. He is the first man on the toboggan to poverty and the last man to get on

his feet to find his way out. He is the first man to get hit by accident and the last man to recover. He is the last man to get a job and

the first man to lose it. He is the first man to dle and the tast man to provide for his family.-

The Pioneer. WHY NOT?

"Why don't the saloons put their finished product in their windows? A merchant will put his best goods in his window, but the saloons call a policeman for their finished product, have him carted off to jail out of sight of everyone, and have him returned after he has sobered up to refinish the job."-W. J. Bryan.

God gives us abundant material for food to sustain life. Man turns millions of that material into drink that destroys life: Help stop it.

Go all through the list of things the trade union movement fundamentally stands for, and then observe what the saloon is doing in the world upon the same question and you will find that in moral virtue,-T. T. Carter. the influence of the saloon is positively and unqualifiedly against the progress of every element of human uplift for which the trade union stands.-John B. Lennon, treasurer American Federation of Labor.

Manufacture of drink during the war has destroyed more food than all the German submarines put together.

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LESSON FOR SEPTEMBER 8

CONQUERING EVIL.

(May be used with temperance application.) LESSON TEXTS-I Kings 21:1-29; Ephe GOLDEN TEXT—Have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather reprove them.—Ephesians 5:11. DEVOTIONAL READING-Romans 12: ti to 13:10.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL FOR FEACHERS—Deuteronomy 9:18; Psalms H:16; Luke 4:1-13; 19:41-48; Romans 7:14; 8: 14; II Timothy 4:2.

The robbery and murder of Naboth is one of the darkest of human deeds. Fullure to recognize the righteousness of Naboth's position, and to master his own personal selfish desires, resulted in this dark deed.

I. A Notable Example of the Tri umph of Evil (I Kings 21:1-29).

1. Ahab's covetousness (vv. 1-6). Near the king's palace lay a plot of ground belonging to a simple farmer which Ahab selfishly longer for. Naboth, loyal to the law of God and exercising his personal rights, refused to part with it, though the king offered him what it was worth, or even a better one in exchange. With Naboth it was not a matter of money value, but of loyalty to God and his fathers. It doubtless would have been gain to him to have complied with Ahab's desire, for he offered its worth in money, or a better one in exchange. Naboth put principle before worldly gain, or even a reputation with the king. Ahab instead of conquering his selfishness sulkily refused to ent.

2. Jezebel's wicked plot (vv. 5-16.) When she found Ahab pouting she took matters into her own hands. (1) She taunted Ahab (v. 7). A weak man cannot stand to be tnunted, especially by a woman. (2) A mock trial given (vv. 8-13). The charge made against Naboth was false. They played the hypocrite. His death was secured under the pretense of justice. Jezebel desired Naboth out of the way, so she secured false witnesses against him. (3) He was stoned to death (v. 13). (4) Jezebel informs Ahab of Naboth's death, and instructs him to take pos session of the vineyard (vv. 14-16).

3. The doom announced (vv. 17-26). (1) By whom-Elljah (vv. 17, 18). at the command of the Lord, Elijah, who had fled from Jezebel, goes to meet the king as he entered upon the possession of Naboth's vineyard. He went to take possession but could not. God always finds a man to bring to the sinner the fruit of his wrongdoing. (2) What it was (vv. 19-26). (a) A shameful death (v. 19). The dogs were to lick his blood in the place where they licked the blood of Naboth. There is a retributive justice in the judgments which God metes out to sinners. "Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap" (Gal. 6:7). Jezebel was to share a like fate. The sinner should be assured that his sin will find him out. (b) Obliteration of Lord makes clear declaration in his posterity (vv. 21, 22). It was best Word. Does the Lord love a llar, bruthat the children of such a man should be cut off so that there might be an end to such a wicked dynasty. It would seem that the world has now come to such a state as this. The dvnasty which is responsible for the blood and sorrow of the world at this time would better end and its posterity be obliterated from the earth. 4. Ahab's repentance (vv. 27-29).

Through his humiliation he gained a respite from judgment. God allowed him to go for awhile before he permitted the judgment to fall upon him. A few years later he was slain in the battle of Ramoth-Gliend (chapter 22:37).

II. How to Overcome Evil (Eph.

11:18). 1. By separation from it (v. 11). The only way to overcome evil is to refuse fellowship with it, to withdraw from it. Lot, who had entered into fellowship with the Sodomites, was overtaken with disaster; but Abraham, who was separated from it, was able to deliver

2. By reproof (v. 11). It is not enough to merely refrain from practicing evil. No neutral position is possible. There must be victory over it; it must be defeated. Antagonism of the evil is necessary. 3. By watchfulness (v. 14).

Living in the light of Christ is necessary in order to overcome evil. Deception is on every hand.

4. By a circumspect walk (vv. 15,

Pitfalls are all about us. To walk without looking about us is most foolish, because the evfl one is on the alert, doing his best to cause us to stumble.

5. By a sober life (v. 18). 6. By being filled with the Holy Spirit (v. 18).

Those who would overcome evil must abstain from intoxicating liquors and all the influences of the world which unduly excite.

The Spirit-filled believer has the wisdom and power to overcome.

Self-Discipline Needed. There is always the self-discipline

needed to correct errors of the imagination or of the will; and, at the same time, at no period of life are we mcapable of the inspirations of decoted love, though, as we advance in self-discipline and moral effort, we beome the more fitted to receive the higher gifts of grace. The supernatural power of conformity with the all-holy will of God, in the love and obedience of Jesus Christ, finds its true support

Inspirations From the Bible.

I use the Scriptures, not as an arsenal to be resorted to only for arms and weapons, but as a matchless temple, where I delight to contemplate the beauty, the symmetry, and the magnificence of the structure, and to increase my awe and excite my devotion to the delty there preached and adored.-Boyle.

Who Is On the Lord's Side?

By REV. J. H. RALSTON, D. D.

TEXT-Whose is on Jehovah's side let him come unto me.-R. V.

It is related that at a certain point in Lincoln's presidential experience, when the affairs of the



Union were in a precarious condition, a friend remarked to him that it was s good thing to have the Lord or our side. Mr Lincoln very se riously replied that he was more concerned about whether he were the Lord's side. There are Indications that

ser is more con cerned on having the Lord on his side than about being on the Lord's

The natural tendency of man is to seek his own or the things of human ity, rather than the things of the Lord and man is simply asking what some particular course will bring to him, or what it will bring to his time. The chief end of man in these days is not to glorify God. In this, grievous wrong is done. When a course of action is before one, the chief question should not be, "How will it affect me?" nor. indeed, "How will it affect my neigh bor?" but "How will it affect God?"

The great need of the day is a new sensing of God-God at the beginning. God in the middle, God at the ending The right thing for man is to ask where God is, and to go where he is If man would do that many of his great theological questions would be settled. God manifests himself through his Word, and if men would go to the Word of God with these questions they would soon be substantially correct on all of them.

The text suggests the question, "Who is on the Lord's side?" or rather "What man or woman has a right to say that he is on the Lord's side?"

In the particular case before us, the people had made a golden calf and were worshiping it. To do that was to break the first two commandments of the Decalogue, and it became open idolatry. It is inevitable that a man worship. If he does not worship God he will worship some thing, or some one else. Nor can a man be on the Lord's side if he does those things that the Lord hates.

If a man would know his duty to the Lord he should seek to know what the Lord thinks of certain things, and here again he must take the Lord's judgment through his Word, for he cannot know what the Lord thinks unless he knows his Word. As to particular actions, a man may be left to his own judgment, but as to the great principles that lie at the root of things, the tality, deception? The remnant of God's image in man says at once, "No! No!" Does the Lord favor truth, liberty, kindness? That same remnant of God's image says, "Yes! Yes!" And consequently, the duty is clear, and he should stand for these things. We fight sum up everything by saying, "Ye cannot serve God and mammon."

The scene connected with our text was probably this: There was a golden calf and people were dancing about it. Moses stood aloof and made the cry, "Whoso is on the Lord's side, let him come to me." According to the constitution and nature of man we make appeals to him as to his conscience, to his sense of duty or privilege, and he must make choice.

What is it to be on the Lord's side's

It is a natural inheritance from our sinning first parents that we will either be indifferent to God's commands or we will positively refuse to obey them. Fundamentally, the issue is the same. In the case before us, the worshiper of the golden calf either continued his dancing and worship, or just endeavored to be neutral. A man must "come across;" he must take a positive stand. The position of a neutral is the position of the enemy of God. There are no neutrals in our country now as to Germany. Politically we were neutral until the president said that a state of war existed, but now the neutral is a pro-German. We must be out and out for the United States of America. A man's religious obligations could be illustrated by taking the two sides of an imaginary line. and to an imaginary line there can be only two sides. It is one thing or it is the other. We must be positively. clearly, professionally on God's side, or we are against him. In the day in which we are living the ideals and motives are to be more sharply defined than in former days.

An eloquent man said very recently that heretofore men were living to make money, and now they are dying to preserve righteousness, a tremendous reversal of form. Precisely so of a man's actions; if their character is to be determined by whether they are right in the sight of God rather than whether they have been personally or socially beneficial, man will arrive at the realization of the purpose of God and at the realization of his own greatest happiness.

Love of Truth. The love of the truth is the great

engraver of the divine on the mind. It backs away prejudice, bigotry, uncharitableness and error. It lifts the soul above the petty things of the world and supplies a reservoir of joy that when paying the price of devotion to truth becomes a perennial source of strength. The love of truth is the surest sign of Christian faith, Without it all professions are vain. With it no torch was ever lighted that can extinguish its gain. The love of truth makes the martyr's stake an altar of triumph, and even the poor are made

Health Was Shattered

South Boston Woman Tells How She Suffered Before

Doan's Cured Her. "I was in awful shape from kidney disease," says Mrs. W. F. Sternit, on Dorchester Ave., South Boston, Mas "My health was shattered and i wond often fall in a heap. Had someon stabbed me in the back with a knife



spells came on and p feet and limbs swel so badly I couldn't my shoes. Puffy according to the came under my eyes.

Say skin looked shiry and the impression of finger left a dent that "My kidneys were in awful shape and it seemed that I had to pass the

secretions every hour. The passage were scant and terribly distressing I was feverish at night and perspir "I was discouraged until told about Doan's Kidney Pills. They brought improvement from the first and

about a dozen boxes cured me. My cure has lasted."

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The American Sailor's Dollar. Here is a story of American good will and its sequel, told to me by Mr. George Robey. An American sailer had paid for a gallery seat at his Lip. erpool concert last Sunday. The sailor said to the program seller: "I want to buy one of those programs and he the French Red Cross. But I've only got one dollar note-the last of 'em Could you change it?" The girl gave him two half crowns for it and he lasisted on giving one for the cause Robey told the story on the Liverpool Exchange next morning, and sold the sailor's dollar bill for £31. He is going to sell it again Sunday,-London Eve

Lemon Juice For Freckles

Girls! Make beauty lotion at home for a few cents. Try it!

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freekle, sunburn and tan lotion, and complex ion whitener, at very, very small cost,

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or tollet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck arms and hands and see how freckles, sunburn and tan disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless .-- Adv.

"UNCLE SAM" IDEAL FIGURE

Old Gentleman Happy Blending of the Cardinal Virtues Typical of the American.

My father used to tell me that his great-uncle, Major Samuel Wilson, was quartermaster in Washington's army. and that when the supplies came in marked 'U. S.' the boys in the army used to say, 'More food for Uncle Sam!' When the war was over the amny took this saying to every part of the land, and 'Uncle Sam' soon displaced 'Brother Jonathan' as the fa-

vorite nickname for our country. "In picture and phrase 'Uncle Sam' is still, for good or Ill, our national figure. He incarnates the American character. What con you see in him?

To me he means a happy blending of four cardinal virtues which are typical of the American-shrewdness and energy, kindness and humor. It Uncle Sam were only shrewd and energetic, he might be a very stingy old specimen, not at all to be admired. Sometimes our good friends across the water have only seen this side of him. If Uncle Sam were only kind and humorous, he might be a shiftless good-for-nothing. But, fortunately for us all, energy and shrewdness give him power without waste, while kindness and humor make him human and friendly."-H. N. Maccracken in St. Nicholas.

A Diversion.

Father (to youthful son)-Now look here, my laddie, if you ever do that again I'll make you smart for it. Son-You can't do it. Teacher says I was born stupid, and no power on earth can make me smart. He says that I come of a stupid family. Father-What! I'll go and see that teacher.-Adelaide (Australia) Chron-

Accounted For. "The young officer over there looks like he was submerged in this

crowd."

POST TOASTIES

"Naturally; he's a sub marine."



