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LOOKING AT IT PRACTICALLY HE HAD SOMETHING COMING

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While in the Assertion Made
by Little Johnny.

The physician was telling little Johnny's mother about a railroad accident in which a teamster had both legs crushed from the effects of which he died the same day. Little Johnny, about six years old, stood by, greatly interested in the accident.

"Thay, doctor," he broke in with his eyes wide open, "wuth the horth hurt?"

"I don't know," said the doctor. "I was more interested in the man, and didn't think of the horse."

"Well, I don't care," Johnny said, taking the doctor's reply as an implied rebuke, "but a live horth itth better'n a dead man, anyway."

Completed.

Teacher—We borrowed our numerals from the Arabs, our calendar from the Romans, and our banking from the Italians. Can anyone think of any other examples?
Willie Willis—Our lawnmower from the Smiths, our snow shovel from the Jones' and our baby carriage from the Bumps.—Judge.

There's a pleasure in being cranky that only a crank can know.

Five-Year-Old Got Drawing He Wanted, but Retribution Was Stalking Behind Him.

R. S. Grable, a St. Louis newspaper man, celebrated his fiftieth birthday in a unique way. He gave a birthday party and invited 75 children.

Cobb Shinn was in St. Louis at the time, and was asked to help entertain the youngsters by drawing pictures on the large paper hats which were given to each child. He would draw whatever the children asked for, and the subjects were many and various.

Finally a five-year-old handed up his hat and said:

"I want a pig."

The drawing was started, when a brother about a year older, spoke up:

"Aw! he don't want a picture of a pig"—and the argument was on.

When the drawing was finished, the five-year-old stuck out his chest and boasted:

"See, I got what I wanted!"
"Yes, but just wait until I get you home and see if I don't ruin you," replied the brother.

When it comes to getting his dues, his satanic majesty never gets left.

Tailors make wedding suits, but lawyers make the divorce suits.

You wouldn't put on hobbles to run a foot race

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THE AMERICAN LEGION

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IN ARMY AT THE AGE OF 14

Stephen S. Tillman of Washington Now Sergeant-at-Arms of George Washington Post.

Stephen S. Tillman, Washington, D. C., served as a private in the army during the World War at the mature age of fourteen years. He was regularly enlisted and sworn in and didn't have to lie about his age.

Just before he went to the recruiting office he cut the numerals "18" out of a calendar and pasted them in the heels of his shoes. When the recruiting officer asked him how old he was, Tillman replied: "I'm over eighteen." They swore him in.

Being a trifle smaller than a regulation army rifle, he was detailed as a bugler. He went to the Mexican border with his company, "B" of the Third D. C. Infantry. Coming back from the border as the United States entered the World War, he did guard duty along Conduct road, Washington, where several hundred attractive young women were taking an intensive training course. But he was only sixteen years old then.

Now he is sergeant-at-arms of George Washington Post No. 1 of the American Legion, Washington, the first Legion post organized. His father is a retired cavalry officer.

THE TRAYLOR FAMILY HELPED

Father, Mother, Four Sons and Two Daughters in Uniform During the World War.

When the old question of "who won the war" comes up, the Traylor family of Trenton, Mo., may step forward and admit that they helped. The commanding officer of the family that was 100 per cent in active service was the father, W. S. Traylor, rank—private.

Mr. Traylor, his wife, four sons and two daughters were all in uniform. When war was declared, Mr. Traylor closed up his general store, donned the uniform of a buck private in the quartermaster corps and did his bit well, despite his fifty-three years. Mother and the sisters were on active duty with the Red Cross.

Of the four sons, Charles was with the Eighty-ninth division and was wounded. Frank was an aviator. Orville served with the adjutant general's department and Roy was with the Thirty-first railway engineers.

JUMPING BEANS FOR GIRLS

Sick and Wounded Veterans in New Mexico Hospitals Are Hungry for Cheer Letters.

Trained to leap through hoops and stand unblinded, thousands of genuine Mexican jumping beans are awaiting girls of the United States who will write a little letter of cheer to a disabled soldier. The exchange of letters for jumping beans is being made through Herman G. Baca, Santa Fe, N. M., adjutant of the American Legion of the state.

Five thousand sick and wounded veterans of the World War, recuperating in hospitals in New Mexico, have trained the beans. The young men are terribly lonesome, Mr. Baca writes, and they will send a bean to every girl who will write a letter to them.

The jumping beans are dark brown, somewhat larger than the ordinary bean. The animation of the vegetable is caused by a tiny worm that crawls into the bean and consumes the edible portion. After the worm is dead, the bean keeps on jumping.

Presidents as Military Men.

More than half of the presidents of the United States have held some military rank, according to The American Legion Weekly. Of the whole line of twenty-eight presidents sixteen were military men, and of the succession following the Civil War Grant, Hayes, Garfield, Arthur and Harrison were generals; Roosevelt was a colonel and McKinley was a major.

Unto the End.

"How's this?" asked the lawyer. "You've named six bankers in your will to be pall-bearers. Of course, it's all right, but wouldn't you rather choose some friends with whom you are on better terms?"

"No, judge, that's all right. Those fellows have carried me for so long they might as well finish the job."—American Legion Weekly.

LEGION WORKER IN CONGRESS

Hamilton Fish, Jr., One of Writers of Preamble to Constitution, Seeks Increase in Compensation.

The preamble to the constitution of the American Legion has been called one of the simplest, most effective and beautiful pronouncements in the English language.

Three men wrote it in St. Louis, Mo., in 1919 and it never has been, nor probably never will be, changed. The men were John Greenway of Arizona,

Judge Davis of Oregon and Hamilton Fish, Jr., of New York.

Mr. Fish is now in congress helping to put into effect the policies recited by the preamble he helped write. He has a bill pending to increase the compensation from \$20 to \$50 for the nurses of blind, legless, armless and totally disabled ex-soldiers. He is an ardent advocate of reclamation of land through irrigation, to encourage ex-service men to take up farming as a vocation.

At Harvard he was captain of the varsity football team. In France he led a company of negro soldiers in the Fifteenth New York Infantry and received the Croix de Guerre for bravery.

GETS FUNDS FOR CLUBHOUSE

Spokane (Wash.) Girl, Post Historian, Successful in Procuring Cash for Comrades' Headquarters.

When the Legion post of Spokane, Wash., needed help in raising funds for a new clubhouse for the city, it turned to a girl holding the uninspiring job of post historian. Miss Myrtle Wilson thereupon made and wrote post history by securing pledges amounting to \$8,000 for the clubhouse.

In addition to writing history, Miss Wilson is advertising manager of the post newspaper, and was a delegate to the Legion national convention. During the war she served in the navy at the government hospital in San Diego, Cal. In a popular contest in the San Diego Legion post she was chosen queen without opposition.

TRIES TO TRACE ARMY SLANG

"Doughboy," "I'll Tell the World" and "Out of Luck," "Old Stuff," New Yorker Says.

If the American "doughboy" who started "I'll tell the world" as a characteristic expression of the A. E. F. took pride in having coined a new expression he was "out of luck," according to Henry Dwight, Yonkers, N. Y., who has been trying to trace army slang to its source.

In relating his uncertain success and asking the assistance of the demobilized world at large, Mr. Dwight declares that each of the three supposed innovations is time-worn.

Referring to the expressions quoted above, he claims that General Custer, the Indian fighter, used "doughboy" in letters to his wife, and that Arthur Young, writer and traveler, announced himself as being "out of luck" when hunting for mail at Dijon, France, in 1780.

"I'll tell the world" remains untraced. It is thought to be very old and verification of this belief is now sought.

Carrying On With the American Legion

Government controlled institutions are schooling 90,000 former service men and are directed by the veterans' bureau.

"Legion Park," named after the local post in Bucyrus, O., contains a tree in memory of the unknown dead in the war.

Abraham Krotoshinsky, the "Lost Battalion" messenger who was cited for his deed, has gone to Palestine to accept an offered farm.

A building worth \$25,000 and a pledge for \$10,000 for its renovation have been given Lee C. Prentice post of the American Legion by the people of Fairmont, Minn.

Twenty-four lodgers were rescued from the burning Y. M. C. A. at Somerville, Mass., by the American Legion, which clothed and lodged them in the post's club.

The success of the Centralia (Ill.) post of the American Legion last summer in giving outdoor dances has led to a series of indoor dances for the winter. The series is sponsored by the post.

A year elapsed after George Reid, Montevideo, Minn., was discharged before his friends discovered that he had the D. S. C. Reid, an artilleryman of the Rainbow division, continued to fire his piece after being wounded and routed the Germans.



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The Surprise.

"A passel of his neighbors gave Jurd Lopp a birthday surprise party tuther night," related a resident of the Straddle Ridge, Ark., region. "Somehow the word sorter punctuated around to Jurd that they were coming, and on the morning of his birthday he woke up with the grip. He got worse during the day and by night he was feeling meaner than thunder and plumb hostile. He loaded up his old shotgun and 'lowed, b'gud, if anybody surprised him they'd run themselves ragged getting away from there."

"Well, did they sure-enough surprise him?"

"You bet! They found out how he felt about it, and didn't come."—Kansas City Star.

To Be, There is No Question.

When an eligible man proposes to a maid of thirty summers there isn't apt to be any Hamlet's soliloquy business.—Boston Transcript.

Happy the man who knows he can't tell a funny story; others, too.

People who never get down to business seldom get up in the world.

Total of Nothing.

There were seven of us in all, at lunch. One proposed:

"Gentlemen, for diversion, suppose we each take a piece of paper and, without consultation, write down as many benefits of war as we can think of, and then put them together and see what they make."

So, being essentially children anyhow, each busied himself with his part of the job and delivered the result to the teller, who proceeded to tally—six blank sheets of paper and one which had been written:

"Yuh got me, Bill. I can't think no more."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

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Apropos.

"Where are you going?" "Hunting." "For what?" "Money. I'm on the cent!"—Judge.

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