Mainutrition Causes Many Ills of the Modern Flapper, According to One Physician.

He is a serious young doctor with his office in the upper fifties. Among his patients are young women of the type that will be known to history as the flapper.

"They aren't well and they aren't III," the young doctor complained indignantly to a New York Globe writer. "There's nothing the matter with them except malnutrition. It takes almost an hour sometimes to examine one of this type of patient, only to find that her heart, lungs, stomach are all in excellent condition. There is nothing particularly wrong except that she is far under weight.

"When I tell this type of patient that, the answer is always the same. 'Heavens, doctor,' they shriek. 'I wouldn't put on any more weight for the world. Why, I might get hippy. And I could never wear knickers for golf any more, for there is nothing I dislike so much as hippy women in knickers.'

"Again the protest is this: 'Why, doctor, if I got fat I might lose my nice ankles, of which I am proud as the stork in the fable. And just when short skirts are coming in again. Oh, no doctor, I couldn't think of getting fatter now. It would quite spoil my

"And so they go, with lowered vitality and less resistance to colds and all kinds of disease, just for the sake of

OPENING UP A NEW COUNTRY

Territory of Quintana Roo, Yucatan, Being Developed by Aid of Caterpillar Tractor.

A territory covering 18,000 square miles, which is only 600 miles south of New Orleans and reported to be almost unknown, has been invaded by an American caterpillar tractor. This territory, twice the size of Massachusetts, possessing vast unexploited natural resources, practically without population and nearly 300 miles from north to south, possessing a coast line of probably twice that length, is called the Territory of Quintana Roo, Peninsula of Yucatan, Mexico. The government is territorial, the capital is Santa Cruz de Bravo, a town of about 2,500 midway down the Mexican Gulf coast and most of the remainder of the 9,000 population are located in the villages of Payo Obispo, Cozumel and Becalar.

Modern transportation facilities are non-existent, but the advent within the past month of the caterpillar tractor in the forests of Quintana Roo is the initiation of the development of its soil, which is claimed to be suitable for the production of corn. cotton. beans, coffee, indigo, rubber, sugar cane, tobacco, sweet potatoes, pepper, vanilla, henequen and tropical fruits, in this rich and unexplored section.

Commonplace. There was a girl in New York city who had been working for eight years without a vacation. She was thin, white, and her shoulders were stooped. She had an old mother dependent upon her, and for eight years she had been toiling to free their home from the incubus of debt. One night she took an "elevated" home. In her hand she tightly clutched an envelope. She ran all the way up the street and could hardly turn the door-knob. She hurried into the room where her mother sat and dropped the envelope into her lap with a sob. The mother opened it and discovered that it was a canceled mortgage. The debt was paid. Just a commonplace girl-that was all. But oh! the beauty of that sacrificial love for her mother!

Devotion With a Limit.

Few of the boys at the club had met Outhbert's better half. Hoffy, being one of the few, was called upon for information. "Has Cuthbert a devoted wife?"

"As the times go, you might say

Whereupon, being asked for an explanation, he proceeded to explain; "She won't cook breakfast for him, but she always joins him downtown in time for dinner."

Good Football Material. "I hear your boy has entered college, Hiram," said Jehiel.

"Yes," assented the other. "How is he doing?" asked the

"The professors say his skull is too

thick to get anything through," answered the father. "Uh, ha."

"But, of course, that makes him . star in football."

Now He Knows.

Slam, bang, crash! Thus was shattered the silence of the night. After that final crash came a pause that was portentous. A faint

stir was heard. Mother whispered: "Dear me, fa-ther didn't know we moved the hat-

"Well, he knows now," muttered

Frederick O'Brien, author of South Sea island adventures, was entertaining friends at his Glendale home with some of his experiences. He chanced to remark that on one of the Islands ald be bought for the equivalent of \$5. "How perfectly awful!" exclaimed one of the ladies present "Oh, I Mon't know," reflected her husband, "I suppose prices are high there just the same as everywhere else."

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Tax Dodgers Have Given U. S. Over Half Million Dollars.

DONATION MADE TO ROAD

Since one September morning, it 1811, when an astonished clerk in the United States treasury discovered a crisp \$5 note in the morning's mail. along with an anonymous letter from a conscience-stricken converted sinner, a "Conscience Fund" has always been maintained-and well support ed. The chief contributors to this fund, year after year, have somehow managed to escape the snare of the federal fowler, only to be caught latet in the toils of the secret service agent commonly known as our buscience. says a Washing on dispa ch.

It was Franklin who said that both ing in this world is certain but teath and taxes. The federal fund which is credited to conscience, and which now amounts to considerably more than half a million dollars, suggests that quite a few seople try to side step the latter certainty only to tind that the cost of dishonesty is unhap-

Gifts From 2 Cents to \$30,000. Amounts have been mailed to Washington ranging all the way from 2 cents to \$30,000. One man returned his original defalcation four-fold in Imitation of the publican Zaccheus. A Londo: vicar once sent Uncle Sam the sum of \$14.225.15, the money having been entrusted to him by a traveling FIND DUCK-SHAPED POTTERY American who had been converted in his chapel and who wanted to "square himself' and thus ease his trouble-

some conscience. But the most recent case is rather different from any of these. A few days ago a man with a hunted look stepped up to the ticket agent at the callroad station at Uniontown, Pa. and asked what the fare was from Greensburg to Scottdale. When told that it was exactly 53 cents he depos Ited two quarters and three coppers and went away happy, for, like the village blacksmith, he could now look the whole world in the face for he owed not any man. At least that was what he seemed to think, for, as he explained to the surprised agent, he had beat a conductor out of that amount just 30 years ago by failing valued for that reason. to pay his fare at the time.

Few Feel They Owe Roads.

It is not intimated in the news dispatch that there is any likelihood of ly scratched as yet." the railroad company opening a "Con-They may be all wrong in this, but their consciences seldom worry them railroad officials say. Most people, it suddenly tempted to forward a missea fare to a railroad company, would itors, "Enclosed please find \$2, on ac- great historic value was obtained. count-if you can."

THOUSANDS OF WAR BOOKS

Eight Thousand Volumes Written by Americans Alone.

Americans are writing about the war and the peace to such an extent that an American room will be established when the French war library and museum in Paris are moved into permanent quarters at the Chateau de Vincennes next year. There are al ready 8,000 volumes by Americans, and the Museum boasts that it has one of the finest collections of American war posters.

Germans, too, have been busy writ ing about the war. Their works comprise 25,000 volumes. France comes

This institution was set up by the government to develop the work started by a wealthy Frenchman who. early in the war, began assemblin, war documents.

MUST SPEAK ITALIAN

Maltese Government Orders Instruc-

tion of Children in Language. On account of a large Italian population the British naval base on Malta exhibits as many problems for go!" the British government as does Tunis for the French government for the point. same reason. Although the French population in Tunis is 50,000, against the Italian population of 150,000, the Italian language is not officially recognized there and Italian schools are supported either by the Italian government or by subscriptions and fees. In Malta a new law has been ap-

proved, which makes obligatory instruction in Italian as well as in Eng-In 1922, 95 per cent of the parents

chose English for their children in the primary schools.

RUSSIAN GRAIN TO GERMANY

400,000 Tons Thus Far Exported Hamburg Reports Show.

Russia has exported 600,000 tons of grain so far this year, according to statistics issued at Hamburg, whereof Germany has taken over two-thirds Before the war Russia exported about 8,000,000 tons of grain. The entire exports for this year are estimated between 2,500,000 and 3,000,000

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CLOCKS THAT TICK WANTED TOWN LIFE IN NEW REPUBLIC

Little Whether It Keeps Time or Not.

The German may lack the dash and eliminate the risk of loss.

special egg cups for the Indian hotel and Helen Campbell in Scribner's, London Tit-Bits.

the Germans, after painstaking study, and attractive. had found that whether a clock kept time or not made small difference to the jungle folk. What they really enjoyed was hearing the clock tick!

Having found this secret, the Gerclock with a powerful tick-a tick so est with its rasping voice-and every- to come next evening. body was happy except the British traders.

Such is the methodical, prodigiously patient, and incessantly industrious German business man.

Explorers Unearth Rare Relics of the Pueblo Indians in Southwestern Colorado.

unusual historic interest made by the hold of the bars of the cage and then Pueblo Indians were unearthed in southwestern Colorado this summer headed by Frank H. H. Roberts, associated with Curator J. Allard Jeancon of the state museum in archeological exploration work, says the Rocky Mountain News.

The pottery is in the shape of a duck and was used by the Pueblo Indians in their religious ceremonials. day. So far as is known, this is the first shard of its kind discovered, and is

Roberts says the apartment house, science Fund" for future credits of supposedly a product of modern Amerthe kind. It wouldn't pay. There are lean efficiency and ingenuity, was used

spilroads, who ever feel that they owe supremacy of the white man had been anything to a corporation which established. A high type of civilizacharges "all the traffic will bear." tion prevailed among the cliff-dwelling Indians, comparing favorably in some respects to that which exists today.

Relics revealing Pueblo Indian civprobably do so in the manner of Blir of the earliest dwelling sites were ex-Nye, who used to write to his creq. amined carefully and information of

Doom of the Rivet Tosser. Blowing red-hot rivets through a hose of metal is replacing the old rivet tosser and the boy with the catching can as a means of transportation. The new apparatus is known as the "Penflex rivet gun" and consists of a galvanized metal tank with a connection welded to the side for the air supply line. The discharge valve is opened by a movement of a steel rod attached to the treadle. A metal receiver with a buffer block is at the discharge end of the conveyor tube. This prevents the plastic rivet from being deformed when suddenly arrested upon reaching the end of its

Gentle Hint.

"Is that clock right?" asked the who had outstayed his wel-

"Oh, no!" she said. "That's the clock we always call the visitor." The obdurate one sat down again, "The visitor!" he remarked. "What a curious name for a clock!"

His hostess ventured an explana-"You see," she said, "we call it

that because we can never make it And even then he failed to see the

Followed Instructions. Bertie was a silly boy. In fact, he was the silliest boy in the school. One morning the teacher made him read a passage aloud. He began: "The

"Bark," prompted the teacher. But Bertle merely gasped. "Bark," repeated the teacher, this

time rather sharply. Bertle gave another gasp, but meeting the stern eye of his teacher, he

said meekly: "Bowwow, bowwow." Making Him Happy. "What have you there" asked the

was upon us. Our frail

le mounproprietor of the fast hostelry. "Another letter from that chump who has been writing us for rates." "Well, let's see if we can't make him happy. Offer him our best suite for ten a week."

"And add the postscript that the

A Golden Feather. The feathers of the "golden pheas ant" are a source of profit, being used in the manufacture of artificial files for salmon fishing. These birds, natives of China, are the hardlest of the pheasant tribe.

Doe Was Getting Rattled.

Dentist (to the frightened and obstinate one)-Now, for heaven's sake, madam, grit your teeth and open your

Germans Found African Native Cares Community Building in Czechoslovakia Includes Theater and Other Forms of Recreation.

Village life in Czechoslovakia pluck of a Briton to jump-against much fuller than the life on our main heavy odds-and take a chance to win streets. As in most of Europe, the or lose all. But in even the pettlest of farmers do not live on isolated farms undertakings every angle of the trade cut off by bad roads and weather from problem is pondered and weighed, to their neighbors, but after their work in the fields come back into town and In so trifling a trade item as egg have a real community life therecups, the Germans ascertained that social, political meetings, dance and hens in India laid smaller eggs than song festivals, sokol entertainments, their sisters in Europe, and put out outings, according to Viola I. Paradise

and mess trade that fit exactly, says In one village of only 1,200 inhabitants-a village consisting of a sin-To these German trade scouts also gle street and down near the railroad the Indian religious calendars became station a malt factory owned co-operaobjects of closest scrutiny. They tively by the farmers in the villagelearned which were the feast days was a community building erected a when natives commonly made presents year ago with public funds-800,000 to one another; and just what sort of crowns. It had a theater, lecture articles were in demand at such times rooms, a well-equipped gymnasium, of the year-and imported accordingly. baths, a large garden, an athletic field, In one African district cheap British an excellent coffee house and restaualarm clocks had been in use for years. rant and a number of rooms in which Suddenly sales fell off-and German visitors to the village could be accomclocks took the lead. Why? Because modated-the whole building modern

The day we visited this village a play for children was being given in the theater, preparations for a sokol lecture in the evening were being made, in the coffee house men were mans brought the natives a nice shiny | reading papers from all over the counloud that it fairly flooded the leafy for- The opera from the nearest city was ety.

STRETCH OUT BODY MUSCLES

De as Animals Do if You Wish te Keep Fit, Advises Walter Camp.

I went to the Bronx zoo, and I watched the lions and tigers. I saw none of them standing and kicking out their legs 50 or 60 times for exercise. I did see them stretch the great body Two important pieces of pottery of muscles a hundred times by getting stretching that great back, says Walter Camp in the World's Work. You by a state museum expedition party find the same with the domestic ani-

Call your dog off the sofa; what does he do? The first thing after he has jumped down is to make one long stretch backward and forward, seeing that those muscles of his body are all right. He does this a hundred times a

Are these simple exercises sufficient to keep one fit and strong? The answer to that question is another ques-"Southwestern Colorado is a vast tion: Would you dare open the door storehouse of treasure for the arche of the cage of one of these wild aniologist," Roberts says, "and is scarce mals? And yet he may have been in that cage for six or eight years. If you were put in a twelve-foot cage for six or eight years you would be powerless, but they can run and jump. not enough people, who patronize the by the Pueblo Indians long before the They keep themselves fit by this stretching of the long muscles of the

Recession of an Old Master. In London the other day a certain insurance company was requested by and wife. 2216 North Twentyseventh ilization in its earliest stages were a firm of auctioneers to insure an oil avenue. Web. 6834. discovered at Montezuma mesa. Some painting for £500 (\$2,250). It had been in the possession of an old English family for many years and was said nished room. Webster 2885. to be very valuable. The insurance Grant Street. Call Mrs. Newby. company officials had the old painting cleaned in case identification should FOR RENT-Five rooms upstairs. be required. The title submitted to the auctioneers was "A Storm at Sea." After the cleaning this title was Dog." No value could be placed by either the company or the auctioneers upon the painting. Experts were called in and values were fixed all the way from £100 (\$450) to £200 (\$900). Finally the picture was sent to a firm of famous dealers who declared without reserve it was just worth 18 shillings (\$4.32).-Insurance Press.

The New Leper Cure. The treatment with the ethylesters (of the Chaulmoogra or Hydrocarpus oil) seems the beginning of a solution of the, up till recently, hopeless problem of leprosy. "The doctor conducts a constant hand-to-hand struggle with the bacilli, fighting now one way and then another. It is worth it all. What a treat to go about our home now! They may have no toes, but you can see them stumping round as if they were hale and hearty . . . Instead of 60 or 70 daily dressings, now we have only 15, and these are largely new-comers." This is from Dr. Isabel Kerr, who is working among the lepers at Dichpalli.

Always Safe. A man was taking dinner at the home of a friend. The dinner consisted chiefly of hash, and on being offered some he refused. The host, not wishing to see his guest go hungry, insisted that he take some. Upon that the guest replied that he never ate hash, not even at home.

"Why is that?" asked the host. "Well," answered the other, "I never eat it at home because I know what's

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And the Hunter Couldn't Answer. A hunter and a golfer were at it "Is that so?" said the hunter. "Can

you buy jacksnipe in a butcher shop? Can you buy venison? Can you buy canvasback?" "Sometimes," said the golfer, "and cometimes not. But you can go bunting and shoot a pound of ports



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gave it to me and I can't find it any-"Ah, never mind," said the kind old soul, as she took her purse out of her pocket. "Here's another penny for

was the tearful rejoinder. "Mother

The child instantly stopped his howling and took the penny in his grimy hand. The old lady passed on. but she had not gone far when she heard howls louder than ever coming from the boy. Retracing her steps she asked the reason of his renewed lamentations.

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