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British Royalist's Narrow Escape From What Might Be Called "Simply Awful" Position.

When truth gets a fair hearing she rarely fails to be much funnier than fiction. Strange to say, old England, where truth is supposed to be always diametrically opposed, now and then makes quite a merry record. A rector of the Church of England, in a remote parish in Wiltshire, recently discovered among his parishioners a fine old figure of a woman, age one hundred and four, the widow of an innkeeper. This ancient dame has eight sons living, six of whom have served in either the army or the navy. The rector wrote informing King George of these things, and the king ordered a warm congratulatory telegram to be sent to her.

Just as the telegram was sent off, the rector, having received additional testimony concerning the "old un," wrote again, explaining that she had been twice divorced, and had not gone through the marriage ceremony at all with the man of her latest household. Another wire was promptly set at work at the king's command, ordering the postmaster at the other end to stop delivery of the royal congratulations, and that functionary had barely time to grab the coat-tails of the messenger with the bicycle as he was about to make delivery.

Efficacious, But—Ex-Speaker Alfred E. Smith, who defeated the Goethals police bill at Albany, N. Y., said at a dinner: "There are better ways to improve the force than this Goethals bill. They're not such showy, not such attractive ways, but they're better. And the mayor, turning from them with repugnance, is like the girl who said: 'How can I learn to stand and sit in the new round-shouldered, bent-over, slouching attitude, ma?' 'The girl's mother stopped her work, and, leaning on her broom, replied: 'A good way, perhaps, would be to tire yourself a bit each morning by helping with the sweeping and dusting and dish-washing.'"

Couldn't Blame to Pump. A lumberman having awakened on a Sunday morning in a "dry town," after a big spree of the night before, searched his pockets in vain. Being very thirsty, he remembered stumbling over a pump in the alley back of the hotel.

He hastened to the pump and began pumping, but without results, as the pump had not been primed. He slowly backed away and, eyeing the pump, said: "Well, I don't blame you for not working, anyhow. I wouldn't patronize you when I had money."

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Making Tomorrow's World

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IN THE SOUTH SEA ISLANDS

Gap, Caroline Islands.—No old maids are to be found in the South Sea Islands. There are no "unappropriated" widows. The bachelor girl is one product of civilization which has not yet found way to these tropical islands, though cigarettes and liquor are here in ample measure. The widow tears her hair, gashes temples, put on mourning, then, in a few days adopts half-mourning, and, shortly afterward, seizes on a second husband.

Marriage customs vary in different islands and among different tribes. Usually the bride is bought from the village by payment of shell-money, canoes, weapons or other articles of value. Sometimes she is stolen. When the husband tires of her and sends her away or she divorces him by desertion, the articles of value or their equivalent must be returned, a primitive alimony.

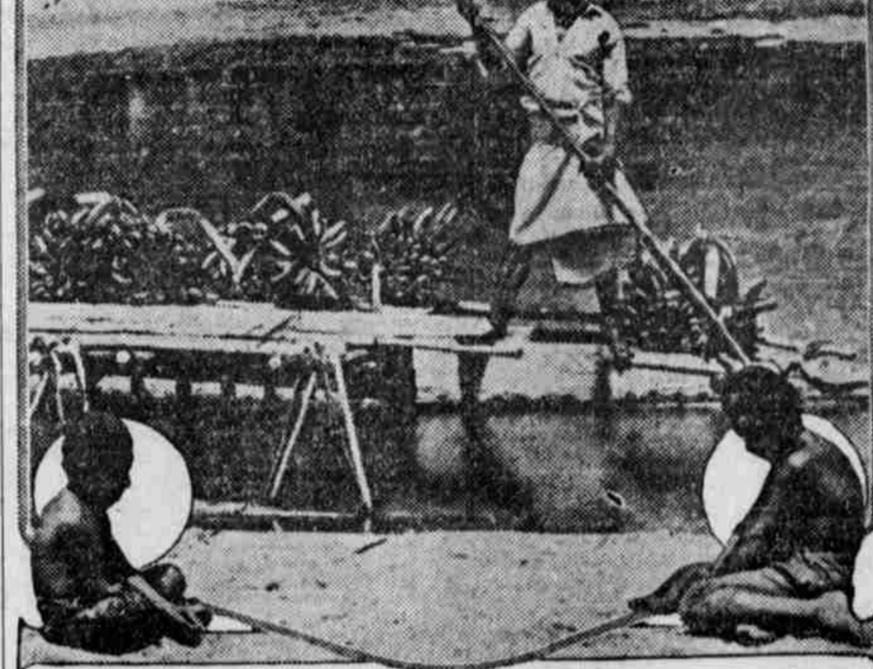
Betrothal in Babyhood. In Kaiser Wilhelm land, the Bismarck Archipelago and other scattered islands of the German possessions in the Pacific, as indeed in most lands in this great ocean, the betrothal takes place when the prospective bride and bridegroom are babies and they have nothing to say about it. In one tribe the girls are betrothed at the age of five years and from that date until their mar-

riage, five or ten years afterward, they are kept imprisoned in bamboo cages from which they are released for only an hour once a day. Despite this close imprisonment, they grow up apparently strong and in good health. Romance is absent from the betrothal ceremony which is concerned altogether with pigs, canoes and tomahawks.

Husbands Won by Cookery. The second marriage differs in this tribe from the first in that the widow has her husband selected for her by her relatives, but she must win him by her skill as a cook. As soon as the man is selected, the widow, with her cooking pots, is taken to his house. She prepares and cooks his food and when he returns in the evening offers it to him with her own hands. Should he accept, the marriage is established, but if the lady be not attractive in his eyes he clicks his tongue, and she must leave to try her culinary skill on another man. The good cook nearly always wins, whether or not she is good looking. Not in America alone is husband won or kept by "feeding the brute." The American girl who wears a cook apron gracefully will get her best young man sure!

A story is told in New Guinea of a Papuan widow who was an indifferent cook. She cooked dinner every day for three weeks for the man selected to be her second husband, while the wily prospective bridegroom, knowing what was in store, took all his meals with his father. Finally, seeing the case was hopeless, she removed the cooking pots, her implements of warfare, to the house of another man where she—and her dinner—proved irresistible.

Germany's Islands. Germany's possessions in the Pacific ocean are not large. They are mere stepping stones along the ocean's highways, thrusting themselves above the surface of the sea as the ancient stepping stones in Columbia, Missouri, or Pompeii, rise above the level of the streets. Germany holds to them with tenacity, however, and governs them with the same autocratic police meth-



On a South Pacific Island.

bor-recruiting system, has nearly everywhere been introduced as necessary for the copra industry. It is not strange to find that the native fears the white man, trader or planter, in the South Seas forces him to labor, when he had never worked before, and carries him, a practical slave, for this labor to coconut plantations on distant islands.

Good Work of Missionaries. The German missionary has done and continues to do much good among the natives. For making conditions better in these lonely but beautiful islands much credit is due to the German missionaries—as in other lands credit is due missionaries of other nations. The missionary seldom receives the meed of praise he merits. A new Acts of the Apostles could be written from the stories of the lives of the missionaries, men and women, out in these outposts of German civilization. True, there is a divided and discordant Christianity, to the shame of Christianity here and at home. Competition still exists among Christian sects when co-operation has succeeded in the business world. True, there are unworthy missionaries. But when all has been said against them by traders with whose cruel methods they interfere and by tourists who travel only for pleasure and by cynics who are deaf and blind though not dumb, the world's good is being promoted, immeasurably promoted, by these self-sacrificing men and women who are engaged in splendid adventure for God and man in the islands of the sea.

Heroes Preacher's Work. Take one example out of many. On the island of New Pomeru the Rev. H. P. Wenzel, a German Methodist missionary, is closing his eighth year of unremitting service, without holiday or relief. He gave up a comfortable pulp in Berlin to come to this distant land. His wife, who came with him, died of fever and lies buried near the mission church he built. His children were sent home to live with relatives in Germany. He kept on

vation, message, death: Fourteen missionaries on the island were killed by hostile natives. His life was threatened and for a long time in imminent danger. He never faltered. He went about alone among the natives, preach, teaching, healing with simple medicine the sick, leading into gentler ways the natives, "half savage and half child." Cannibalism was stamped out, slavery and polygamy disappeared.

The Native Converts. Six thousand converts are the fruits of eight years' labor of this man and his associates. Nor are these converts merely "rice Christians," as the native Christians for revenue only are contemptuously called in some countries, but men and women who lose in present position, socially and materially, by adoption of the new faith. They are accepted as converts on probation for three years, during which time they must lead upright lives, sober, industrious, before they can be received into the church communion. After baptism they are dropped from the rolls or placed again on probation, should they fall into their old and evil practices. Even the most captious critic in the islands has only words of commendation for the work of Pastor Wenzel and his colleagues. The results in the lives of the natives brought under their influence are too patent to be sneered away. And the German Methodist missionaries in the German islands of the South Seas are types of the hundreds who labor for humanity's betterment in the world's dark places. Of such stuff are genuine heroes made.

(Copyright, 1914, by Joseph B. Bowles.) SEES PROBLEM FOR ENGLAND. Trouble Over Ulster Has Been the Cause of Much Comment Throughout France. The conflicting reports and rumors with regard to the attitude of the officers of the British army toward the crisis in Ulster created a painful impression in France. French history has more recent instances of similar events than that of England. The mutinies in the south when the troops refused to move against the rioting wine growers led to a general dislocation of the French army with a view to avoiding the use of local conscripts against their own friends and relatives; but perhaps a closer parallel is to be found in the refusal of a few officers to obey their orders during the taking of the church inventories under the church and state separation law. Those officers were at once arrested and court-martialed. To the general upon whose orders the arrests were made General de Galliffet telegraphed: "My heart is with you; you have done your duty. Dura lex, sed lex."

That officers who belong to a nation whose sense of discipline is the admiration of the French should have tendered their resignations rather than obey orders is regarded as a sign of the extreme gravity of the problem which the Petit Parisien fears may lead to an Irish Vendee.

SUN SUFFERS CONSTANT LOSS. Amount Has Been Figured by Scientists, Due to its Radiation of Energy. The work of Einstein on the principle of relativity shows that a body which radiates energy loses a portion of its mass depending on the energy radiated. It follows that the sun, which continually radiates energy, is constantly losing mass. M. J. Bessler has calculated that the sun loses a mass equal to that of our earth in 30,000,000 years.

If it be assumed that the mass thus lost is gravitational mass, it follows that the length of the year increases by six seconds in a million years, and that in the same time the mean longitude of the earth is affected in such a way as to produce a variation of one-tenth of a year, that is, a retardation of 36 days in the seasons.

Such variations are too minute to be observable. In stellar systems possessing a higher temperature the effect would be much more marked, for the energy radiated by a body varies as the fourth power of its absolute temperature.

Many Deaths in the Alps. Fatal Alpine mountain accidents during the year 1913 numbered 118, as compared with 119 in 1912 and 146 in 1911. The causes of the accidents were reported as follows: Avalanche, 11; lightning, 6; storm, fog and snow, 6; gathering flowers, 6; unintentional fall on the grass or sod, 3; struck by a stone, 3; slipping on a rock, 1; struck by a block of ice, 1; breaking down of a snow wall, 1; breaking of a rope, 1; slipping on a loose stone, 1; suicide because of loss of way and despair, 1; dizziness, 1; falling over a precipice while hunting, 1; insufficiently equipped and insufficiently experienced in the mountains, 9; no special definite cause given, 59; and disappeared, 1. Among the unfortunate 112 were men, including 3 guides and 6 were women.

Time for Bird Study. In the last ten years the little company of students of bird life has grown into an army. Everywhere the birds are interesting, but not everywhere can they be seen and studied to equal advantage. This month marks the height of the tide of the spring migration. The schoolroom has not walls and the sky is its ceiling. Now is the time to study.—Chicago Post.

Uncle Pennywise Says: "When I read about a man high in the councils of his party, I picture to myself a fellow sitting on a stepladder in a grocery, talking politics."

New York Service. "Not long ago," relates ex-Speaker Cannon, "a young couple came from the suburbs to New York city to see the Hippodrome. They arrived very early and decided to have a lunch. They visited a tearoom and had the place all to themselves. 'In serving them the waitress omitted to supply a teaspoon and the fair young bride whispered the fact to her husband. 'Summoning the waitress, the young man asked: 'May we have a spoon?' 'Why, certainly,' replied the girl, 'I am just tidying up, and you can have the whole room to yourselves in a minute or two.'—Lippincott's.

The Reason. "The French insist on civil weddings." "That must be because they are such a polite people."

Its Class. "A clever lawyer must have some engineering ability." "Why so?" "Because the witness stand is a sort of pumping station, isn't it?"

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