

Fish Are Misnamed. Apparently every popular name for fish is a misnomer. There is a fish plentiful on the coasts of Alaska known as the atka mackerel. The bureau of fisheries patiently points out that it is not a mackerel and nothing like a mackerel. But it is an excellent food fish, and can be shipped salted. Alaska canneries have been encouraged to salt this fish, which will be known as the atkafish, and it should make its appearance in our markets in the coming winter.

PAIN? NOT A BIT! LIFT YOUR CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF No humbug! Apply few drops then just lift them away with fingers.

This new drug is an ether compound discovered by a Cincinnati chemist. It is called freezeone, and can now be obtained in tiny bottles as here shown at very little cost from any drug store. Just ask for freezeone. Apply a drop or two directly upon a tender corn or callus and instantly the soreness disappears. Shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it off, root and all, with the fingers. Not a twinge of pain, soreness or irritation; not even the slightest smarting, either when applying freezeone or afterwards. This drug doesn't eat up the corn or callus, but shrivels them so they loosen and come right out. It is no humbug! It works like a charm. For a few cents you can get rid of every hard corn, soft corn or corn between the toes, as well as painful calluses on bottom of your feet. It never disappoints and never burns, bites or inflames. If your druggist hasn't any freezeone yet, tell him to get a little bottle for you from his wholesale house.—adv.

Mantel's Ghost Story. Robert Mantel tells of a barnstorming company in the West in the old days that made a try at Shakespeare. Considerable complaint was heard relative to the efforts of the man who essayed to do the ghost in "Hamlet." One day a dramatic man on a local paper said to the leading man: "That fellow who plays the ghost does not suggest the supernatural." "I should say not," assented the leading man with alacrity, "but he does suggest the natural super."—Everybody's Magazine.

WATCH YOUR SKIN IMPROVE When You Use Cuticura—The Soap to Purify and Ointment to Heal. On rising and retiring gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Continue this treatment for ten days and note the change in your skin. No better toilet preparations exist. Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Both Appropriate. Longmore—The former clients of Smith, the divorce lawyer, who died last week, are going to do a nice thing. Short—What? Longmore—Show their appreciation by erecting a monument to his memory. Short—Have they chosen the design? Longmore—Not yet. A number of them want something among the lines of the Statue of Liberty, and the others favor a colossal granite cleaver.—The Lamb.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath. It relieves painful, swollen, smarting feet and takes the sting out of corns and bunions. Used by the British and French troops at the front. Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain relief for tired, aching feet. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Sinks Rapidly. "What is a stinking fund, Johnny?" "Pa's bank account when the bill begins to come in." The Effects of Opiates. THAT INFANTS are peculiarly susceptible to opium and its various preparations, all of which are narcotic, is well known. Even in the smallest doses, if continued, these opiates cause changes in the functions and growth of the cells which are likely to become permanent, causing imbecility, mental perversion, a craving for alcohol or narcotics in later life. Nervous diseases, such as intractable nervous dyspepsia and lack of staying powers are a result of dosing with opiates or narcotics to keep children quiet in their infancy. The rule among physicians is that children should never receive opiates in the smallest doses for more than a day at a time, and only then if unavoidable. The administration of Anodynes, Drops, Cordials, Soothing Syrups and other narcotics to children by any but a physician cannot be too strongly decried, and the druggist should not be a party to it. Children who are ill need the attention of a physician, and it is nothing less than a crime to dose them willfully with narcotics. Castoria contains no narcotics if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Foresight. "When one of those musty thrones topples over in Europe do you suppose there is much dust?" "Not as much as you might think. Most monarchs are crafty enough to put their dust away in a safe place before a revolution starts." When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eye Remedy No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort—25 cents a bottle. Write for Free Eye Book. MURINE EYE REMEDY CO., CHICAGO

CULTIVATE! CULTIVATE! Produce More Food, But at the Lowest Cost.

A trip through most of the grain growing districts of Western Canada, and information received from authentic sources, reveals that the spring seeding of wheat, barley and oats is finished and the grain is having a most rapid growth. Men of farming experience here say that the conditions are similar to those years when there was an abundant harvest reaped. During the past year a number of new settlers came into the country, and they will undoubtedly have a good crop this year. This added to the normal acreage, made considerably less by the lack of labor owing to the number who have gone to the front, will give a fair general yield. It is surprising the growth that this country is capable of producing.

Wheat has this spring germinated and shown three or four inches growth in five or six days, and with anything like favorable weather, harvesting should commence about the 15th of August, or a little over one hundred days from first seeding. Hundreds of farmers throughout this vast country paid for their entire holdings out of one year's crop and it would not be surprising if the same experience met a great many more this year. The best authorities on the wheat situation give it as their opinion that for many years to come, wheat prices will be high. They base their opinion on a scientific calculation and their reasoning seems to be sound. Anyway, it is quite evident that for some years to come, the producer of wheat will be amply rewarded for any effort he may make to develop this branch of agricultural industry. Money may be made on the high-priced lands of the wheat-growing districts of the United States, but it is a question if these high-priced lands would not be more profitably employed in other branches of farming than in growing the smaller grains, leaving it to lands just as productive for wheat, less expensive to operate, and with a much smaller initial price, to provide the world with this necessity of life. Here is where Western Canada, with its vast rich fertile plains, its low railway rates, its exceptionally good shipping privileges, its excellent climate, and its perfect social conditions, has a combination of advantages not possessed by any other portion of the continent. Furthermore, these lands, of unexcelled quality, are extraordinarily cheap, while for the man who does not care to undertake farming on so extensive a scale there is the free homestead which offers him all the opportunity for which he is looking. The prospective purchaser will have no difficulty at all in making a selection of a fine piece of land, well located and convenient to transportation, which may be had for from \$15 to \$25 an acre, and the railway companies or other holders of large tracts are always glad to sell on easy terms. Or if he desires a farm that is already under cultivation and improved, many such are to be had from farmers who already have made comfortable fortunes and are ready to retire. It is not to the grain grower only that Western Canada offers great opportunities. If one wishes to go in for cattle raising, there are great stretches of range land both free and for lease; and in many sections of the country there are the finest of grazing lands that may be purchased at very low prices. The appeal which has been sent out both by the United States and Canadian governments, for an unstinted, unlimited production of food stuffs to prevent what might otherwise be a famine throughout this great continent—and then consequently, throughout the world—should in itself arouse all the ambition and desire in the heart and soul of the man who is not fighting at the front, to produce all he can. In addition, there is the potent fact that no chances are being taken in answering the appeal. Take it from either standpoint you answer the country's call, although not fighting, and you are also insured against any loss by the high prices that are bound to exist for some time. Whether it be in the United States or its excellent grain lands or in Canada on its splendid grain lands, all should do their bit.—Advertisement.

Our soldiers on the march stare up at the war above their heads, so aloof from them, so dreamlike, and the men on the supply columns get their glasses out and laugh when one of our kite balloons is hauled down suddenly with great haste. "Old Rupert has got the wind up," they say; "a Boche plane must be sneaking round." It is no joke when a German airman descends out of a cloud and hovers over a battery, signaling back to his guns. It was in such a situation the other day, and had to crouch with the gunners below a bank while shrapnel bullets from our own "Archies" whipped the ground about. Red wings have come into the sky, for the new German fighting machines have crimson planes, so that they look like butterflies when the sun is on them. Enemy airmen have been trying to compete with our own by swooping low above marching troops and gun teams and using their machine guns, in a way which adds new perils to war. But, though they fight behind their own lines with great skill and courage, they do not come over our country in any such numbers as our men invade theirs. These boys—for they are absurdly young in the average age—take all this work of terror with the same spirit as the young gentlemen of England who rode out with Sir John Chandos and Sir Walter Manny to seek combat with French knights many hundred years ago along the roads where our modern men-at-arms go marching today.

German Tires First. During this recent fighting one of them challenged a German Albatross, which accepted fight, and for an hour they did every trick known to flying—stalling, banking, side-slipping, looping—in order to get in the first shot. It was the German who tired first, though he showed himself master of his machine. There are boys in our air service who have killed six or seven Germans in single combat. A few have accounted for many more, and go off again for a morning's hunting of men as though on a good adventure. Yet they know the risks and the fortune of war. They cannot have all the luck all the time. When the turn comes it is quick to the end; or, if hit and left alive, they do amazing things up there in the high skies to save the final crash. A few evenings ago two of our young officers were attacked by five hostile aircraft, and both were wounded, one in seven places, but they destroyed one of the German airplanes and landed safely, though their own machines were pierced by many bullets. On another evening of the battle of Arras two hostile aircraft were engaged by one of ours and forced to land, though one of our officers had his collarbone broken by a machine gun bullet.

ENLISTS DESPITE GLASS EYE Man Rejected at First Finally Wins Place in Marine Corps on Recruiting Duty. New York.—Eskild Bagger has attained his ambition. Three weeks ago he took the examination for the Marine Corps, passed and thought he was in, but as he stooped to pick up his clothing a glass eye dropped on the floor. Undiscouraged, he had been going almost daily seeking enlistment. Captain Evans has informed him that he has received orders to reward his patriotic fervor. He was enlisted in the Marine Corps reserve, class 4, and assigned to duty at the recruiting station.

AERIAL BATTLES FULL OF THRILLS

Most Dramatic Feature of New Warfare Developed on European Battlefields.

WRITER GIVES VIVID PICTURE

Young Aviators Take Deadly Risks and Do Work of Terror in Same Spirit Knights of Old Went Forth to Battle.

London.—Nothing that the great war has developed is more dramatic and thrilling than a battle between aviators amid the clouds. It has come to be a common occurrence for a detachment of airmen to ambushade themselves behind a cloud bank, sweeping down suddenly from cover upon their opponents.

A correspondent with the British armies east of Arras sends this description of aerial warfare: There have been hours when I have heard overhead a continual tattoo of Lewis guns and when a great sweep of sky has been racked out with white shrapnel clouds following our flying squadrons engaged hotly with hostile machines. One cannot follow the progress of these aerial battles, it is only rarely that one can distinguish an enemy machine from ours, except by cloudlets of our anti-aircraft barrage. But far and high one sees the daring specks chasing through the blue, touched sometimes by sunlight, so that for a moment they are all golden or glistening or white as snowflakes, and down to one comes the loud drone of engines and the little hammer-knocks of Lewis guns.

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IMPETUS TO SHARK HUNTING

Shoe Manufacturers Discover That Leather From Hides of "Man-Eaters" is Useful.

New York.—Shark hunting promises to become a general and profitable industry along the coast of the Eastern states, since shoe manufacturers have discovered, by exhaustive experiments, that leather tanned from the hides of "man-eaters" is highly applicable for the purposes of ordinary footwear.

New York fishermen are preparing to carry on the hunt on a gigantic scale if the "sea tigers" come north this spring. While the industry in its infancy does not promise to be over highly remunerative, boat owners are confident with specialized methods catches of sufficient size to warrant exclusive attention to it will be their reward. In addition to the leather properties of the shark it produces an oil that is said to be the slowest drying lubricant known. It also is used in the manufacture of certain brands of waterproof paint.

ALL YEAR COLLEGE TERMS

American Universities Are Seriously Considering the Plan as a War Expedient.

New York.—Many American universities, it is learned here, are seriously considering making the college year consist of four terms of 12 weeks each, with only four weeks vacation a year. It is also proposed, by certain changes in the curricula, to teach as much in two of the new terms as was formerly taught in three terms, or the whole college year.

These measures are suggested as a war expedient. It is admitted the new arrangement will not be quite as effective as the old method; but the advocates argue better results will be obtained from the plan than by trying to continue with the old system when young men have little time for education and are in more of a hurry than formerly to get into the army of some other active life.

100 Years Old; Does His Bit.

London.—Age does not deter Thomas Weeks of Ticehurst, Sussex, from joining in the fight for greater food production. Although one hundred years old, he is cultivating an acre of ground without any assistance.

GERMANS INVENT DEADLY PENCIL

Sharpen It and It Explodes, Maiming or Killing the Sharpener.

TAKEN FROM SWEDISH NOBLE

Baggage Contains an Amazing Collection of Bombs, Poisons, Bacilli of Deadly Diseases and Other Tools of Death and Destruction.

Christiania.—An amazing collection of bombs, poisons, bacilli of deadly diseases and other means of death and destruction has been seized by the authorities here as part of the baggage of Baron von Rosen, a Swedish nobleman and alleged to be a German agent. The baron fled to Norway after his activities had aroused the Swedish authorities. He was arrested, but, as he could not be convicted of violating any Norwegian law, he was released with a warning to leave the country. Baron von Rosen's field of operations was along the Swedish-Finnish border. His purpose is supposed to have been the destruction of Russian food and munition storerooms, but what success he had is not known. When he fled from Sweden last January part of his baggage was seized by the Swedish authorities and found to contain a large quantity of high explosives, packed in tin cans marked "corned beef." It remained, however, for the Norwegian police to uncover the real extent of his equipment.

"HOME BY XMAS," IS SOLDIER'S PREDICTION

Lincoln, Ill.—"I'll be home for Christmas dinner." That is the message received by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thompson of Lincoln, Ill., from their son, Capt. John Thompson of the Canadian army in France, in a letter which has just arrived. "We'll win the war now, for there's nothing that can stop us since America has entered," Captain Thompson writes.

FIND NO BUG IN THROAT

Widow Loses Accident Insurance When Autopsy Finds to Prove Her Assertion.

Kansas City.—The fact that an autopsy failed to find a bug which J. M. Freeman told his wife had lodged in his throat, resulted in the Kansas City court of appeals reversing a \$4,000 verdict the widow had gained against the Loyal Protective Insurance company of Boston. Freeman, a Howard county patent medicine vendor, had an accident policy. He died of pneumonia. The court held that since no foreign body was said to have contracted the disease, as claimed, by "accidental or violent" means.

Wears Shoes to Bed. To Punish Parents.

Chicago.—Judge Stelk of the court of domestic relations believes he has solved the problem of the wayward child. "Hereafter I am going to send the parents to jail instead of punishing the children," he said, in an address to members of the First Lutheran church.

RECRUITING IN CHINATOWN



Color bearer of the American Junior Naval and Marine Scout which escorted by a battalion of naval scouts and a company of marine scouts, has been recruiting its ranks among the Chinese boys of New York's Chinatown. A number of enlistments have been procured and it is expected that shortly the organization will have formed a battalion composed exclusively of juvenile Orientals, but with staunch Americans. The American Junior Naval and Marine Scouts aim to train the boys in the work of the United States navy and the marine corps. If on becoming of age they desire to serve their country, little further training is necessary. More than 40,000 boys are members of the organization, scattered through 33 states.

SICK WOMAN HAD CRYING SPELLS

Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Enhaut, Pa.—"I was all run down and weak inwardly. I had female troubles and nervous feelings and my head bothered me. I would often have crying spells and feel as if I was not safe. If I heard anyone coming I would run and lock the door so they would not see me. I tried several doctors and they did not help me so I said to my mother 'I guess I will have to die as there is no help for me.' She got me one of your little books and my husband said I should try one bottle. I stopped the doctor's medicine and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It soon made a change in me and now I am strong and do all my work."—Mrs. AUGUSTUS BAUGHMAN, Box 86, Enhaut, Pa.

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Boy, Aged Nine, Kills Cougar. Lynn Obye, only nine, of Portland, Ore., qualified as a hunter when he shot and killed a cougar that measured eight feet seven inches from tip to tip. The prowling animal was killed in the foothills of Yamhill county in the Coast Range mountains. The cougar had been killing stock of the farmers and his death was welcomed by those who had suffered from the raids upon their cattle.

Two Kinds. "Do all of your employees talk baseball, horse racing and prize fighting?" "No, some of them talk trimming, hair dressing and dancing."

Cockroaches can remember, and have emotions.

Nerves All On Edge? Just as nerve wear is a case of kidney weakness, so is kidney trouble a cause of nervousness. Anyone who has backache, nervousness, "blues," headaches, dizzy spells, urinary ills and a tired, worn feeling, would do well to try Doan's Kidney Pills. This safe, reliable remedy is recommended by thousands who have had relief from just such troubles.

A South Dakota Case Mrs. Will Noahr, 302 E. Second St., Mitchell, S. D., says: "For years I had pains across my back and left side. At times, my limbs ached and I was almost helpless. I suffered from headaches and dizzy spells and my kidneys acted irregularly. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Kidney Pills. Three boxes of this medicine improved my condition wonderfully and I am very grateful." Get Doan's at Any Store. 50c a Box. DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS. FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.