

Nothing to Do

The pupils of the fourth grade in the Scipio schools were preparing an essay on the subject of what their three wishes would be if they were to have their wishes granted.

Miss Green, the teacher of the class, was somewhat chagrined when the following wish was read by one of the class while four visitors were pres-

"I wish I had lots of money so that I could go to college and be a teacher and wouldn't have to work."--Indianapolis News.



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Colds Really Enjoyable Diversion If One Can Escape Need for a Doctor

From the London Times

At this moment nearly everybody has got a cold. Yet it may be doubted whether the sum total of human happiness is sensibly the smaller on that account. It would almost certainly be the greater were it not for the annoyance caused by other people having colds as well as ourselves. A good, honest, straightforward cold in the head comes as near as may be to solving the problem of eating our cake and having it. We cannot work, since offices are traditionally draughty, but we can play, because a day's golf in the fresh air would be the very thing. We cannot see tiresome callers; they would not like to see such lepers as we are, for the rule is, as a small girl explained, that "when people have colds you only kiss their hands." If agreeable callers like to take the risk of seeing us, that is another matter. Again, when the full tide of a cold is surging, it is well known that not the nastiest medicine avails; there is even something impious in interfering with the course of nature. At the same time much can be done in strengthening the constitution to resist a cold, and, as Mr. Sawyer remarked, if ever hot punch did fail in such cases it was owing to the vulgar error of not taking enough. Nor have we even to make our consciences elastic in order to believe these surprising facts. They are seriously urged upon us by those who minister to us so angelically.

There is something about a cold which induces in us a pleasant childishness. The schoolboy who "stays out" at once adopts a different attire; he puts on a tall collar and a variegated tie, not because stick-ups are more comfortable than turn-downs-for they demonstrably are not-but because they mark him out as a creature apart. The grown-up adopts a course which, though superficially the exact converse, is really identical, since it springs from the same motive. He dallies with the glorious notion of no collar at all. Domestic limelight is better than none at all. And, if a cold is bad enough, there is the same childish flavor in the joys of convalescence. We are endued with a new keenness and cleanness of sensation, a beautifully innocent greediness. Chicken suddenly appears to be, as it was years ago, in a totally different realm of enjoyment from mutton. It becomes, in short, a treat, and a treat can only be something which we are allowed by others, not that in which we can indulge ourselves. There is also the thrill of promotion, from whiting to chicken, from bed before dinner to bed afterwards. No early sensation is so hard to recapture as this pride in sitting up late; only the convalescent can do it. But, unfortunately, when a cold has been as bad as all that, it has defeated its own end. For those who are contemplating one, it may be laid down that a cold which calls for the doctor is not worth having.

Tax Or. Tyranny.

Senator Cousens, of Michigan, made a statement to the Senate of is experiences with the income tax and the internal revenue department. He and other minority stockholders in the Ford company wanted to sell their holdings to Ford. They wanted to know in advance what the income tax on the transferred shares would be. Commissioner Roper, then of the internal revenue department, made an advance appraisal of the value of the stock as of March, 1913. The value was found to be \$8,900 a share. It was sold to Ford at \$12,500 a share. Couzens and the others paid income tax on the increase from the ap-

praised value to the cash value. Now the case has been reopened. It is within a few days of the limitation under statute. The period is five years. When it is closed the government is stopped, but for five years it has the power to reopen income tax questions, present new demands, etc. In this case the internal revenue bureau now holds March, 1913, was only \$2,500, not \$3,900 a share, and that the tax should have been on the difference between \$2,500 and the sale price of \$12,500. The tax, it is held, should have been based on \$91,000,000 in-

Not Needed. From the Kansas City Journal. "Won't you have a medicine dropper?"
"Not with this prescription," said
the man, hugging it to his chest.
been found since 1833.

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An up-to-date way of informing the teacher of an enforced absence from a class session at White Plains, N. Y., high school was used by William Meyers. He radioed that he would be absent. He went to the home of a neighbor and used his sending station, '2-BQB, to tell the head of the science department that he could not attend school. The message was received on the school reading and receiving station.

stead of \$39,420.000.

We do not know the merits of this case or whether it is correctly stated by Senator Cousens or Com-missioner Blair of the bureau, but it is apparent that under the present operation of the income tax a taxpayer can never be certain what his obligations to the government are fer a period of five years.

Can't Act Natural. From the New Orleans Item.

It is hard to act natural when one has a guilty conscience. No matter whether our guilt is heavy or light, consciousness of it is enough to d'sturb our normal action.

A negro driving along St. Charles avenue. A police patrol wagon, manned by men in uniform, ap-proached him from behind. The patrol wagon chauffeur rang the bell as a signal for the negro to let them pass. The negro didn't know that. He interpreted the signal as a command to halt. He took one look, stopped his car, jumped out and ran. The police, their curiosity aroused, searched the abandoned car and

found 40 cases of champaign. Nothing but a guilty conscience. If the driver had simply turned in to let the patrol wagon pass he would have been safe. They would not have given him a second thought. But his

A niece of ground 50 feet wide and 125 feet deep on Fifth avenue has just been rented for 63 years. It will pay \$7,056,000 to the landlord, his heirs or assigns. Single taxers say that although this "rental value" was created by the community, the City of New York will realize only a comparatively small amount by the transaction. The property, formerly the William Rockefeller residence at the northeast corner of Fifth avenue and Fifty-fourth street and 1 East Fifty-fourth street, adjoining, has been purchased by Charles A. Gould for Harry Mandel for nearly \$2,000,000. With taxes and carrying charges the rental to be paid during the term will exceed \$10,000,000. feet deep on Fifth avenue has just been

An Oklahoma well produces pure es-

Pungent Paragraphs

Russia, it is reported, is about to begin the coining of gold. The print-ing presses must be about worn out. -Springfield Republican.

By laughing at two bandits plucky Boston girl saved a \$1,800 payroll. When a revolver tickles your ribs it's quite proper to laugh. -San Antonio Express.

Before the doctor can put you on a diet he must know what you like best.

Newark Star Eagle.

There is much talk of the go getter, but is he of any more im-

portance than the come-backer?— Toledo Blade. Jealousy is always pictured as a green-eyed monster but it makes us see red.—Columbia Missourian.

That jockey who has turned minister ought to give the devil a fast run for his money .- Pittsburg Chronicle and Telegraph.

Travel writer expresses surprise at Borneo. Accounting, no doubt, for the head hunters and the Wild Men.— Cleveland Plain Dealer. It's hard to say whether Gutzon

Borglum is the man who made Stone Mountain famous, or vice versa-Santa Rosa Press Democrat. The world may be round now, but it will be flat when the meek inherit

it.-Greenville Piedmont. It's a funny world in which people are proud of ancestors and hate to take care of the folks.— Nashville Tennessean.

knowledge of his cargo kept him from acting natural. It made him run.

Many, who are not necessarily bootleggers, will understand the colored man's actions and reactions. Many a husband has gotten into trouble by making too many explana. tions when none were demanded of needed. It is the same story. We just can't act natural with a guilty conscience, especially if we are amateurs.

> Divining Rod Fails. From the Docket.

George Antoine approached Ulysse

Duhon and Prosper Duhon, claiming that he could procure a divining roo of such magical qualities that hidden treasure within the earth could be located by it. He agreed to produce the wand within 30 days. Ulysse believed in him to the extent of \$600 and Prosper to the extent of \$300. It is needless to say that Antoine did not deliver. He was prosecuted, how-ever, under an indictment charging the obtaining of money by false pretenses. Motions to quash the indict-ment were sustained, and the Supreme Court of Louisiana affirmed lower court's action holding that brought within the false pretense statue, for the reason that the rep-resentations related to future acts instead of past events or present facts. Mr. Justice Brunot wrote the opinion of the court, which is reported in 98 Southern Reporter, 861, as State vs. Antoine.

HILL OF VISION By James Stephens. "Everything that I can spy Through the circle of my eye, Everything that I can see Has been woven out of me. I have sown the stars; I throw Clouds of morn and noon and eve In the deeps and steeps of blue; And each thing that I perceive, Sun and sea and mountain high, Are made and moulded by my eye: Closing it, I do but find Darkness, and a little wind."

A Bargain in Trains.

From the Atchison Globe. Jake Lanski walked up to the ticket window.

"What time does the next train leave for Kansas City?" he asked.
"At 11:56," said the ticket seller.
"Make it 11:66 and I'll take it," said

While throwing hay to his cattle. William feough, of Arlington, Vt., sneezed, and in the act lost his false teeth down the chute to the manger. An all night search for the lost article was fruitless and the farmer has reached the conclusion that one of his cause has an extra set of teeth.

Hawaiian Pineapples

Records of production in both qual-Ity and quantity were established by the pineapple industry of Hawaii during 1924, according to the annual report of the association of Hawalian pineapple canners, which showed a total production of 6,825,904 cases. This yield exceeded by 838,922 cases the output of 1920, the previous high record year, and was 920,157 cases more than the 1923 production.

Hamilton's Claim to Fame

The title "Father of His Country" is generally reserved for George Wash ington. Alexander Hamilton, however, undoubtedly rendered enormous economic and financial assistance to the country at the time. During his term of office as first secretary of the treasury his services, according to some authorities, were scarcely less valuable than those of Washington himself.

Reasonable Guess

"Hobbs Hooble, from down there in Booger Holler, has been away for quite a spell," said Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "I reckon he was dodging the revenuers, or something that-a-way."

"Did he tell you so?" inquired Gabe Giggery.

"No; but when I sorter asked him if he hadn't been he said it wasn't none of my d-n business."-Kansas City Star.

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Divorces Discouraged The parliament of the Irish Free

State has passed an order making it illegal for divorced persons to remarry with:a the borders of the state.

Common to the World "Look here, Griggs, why did you tell

Wilkins I was a fool?" "Why, it's not a secret, is it?"

quare, Mary?

What She Had Heard Teacher-Is the earth round of

Mary-Neither. It's crooked.

Marital Music Dibble-What was the greatest was song every written? Dabble-Here comes the bride!

Guilt and Chance It is the inevitable end of guilt that it places its own punishment on a chance which is sure to occur.-I. E. Landon.

Love and Friendship

friendship must feed on worthiness. Therefore, the way to secure a friend is to be one.-C. G. Goss.

with an "orchestra repeater," which enables travelers to hear music in all parts of the ship.

The obese man, who is anxious to lose a little flesh, should try a safety

If certain men want to do the heroic work of the world, one should at least

When a woman begins to notice every act of a man she has begun either to love or hate him.

Science tells us where we're going about as definitely as it tells us whence

An automobile isn't saving as much money as it did. Shoes only cost half as much.

The man who is fearless can go through twice as much as a coward.

The water shark bites a man's leg

off, but the land shark merely pulls it. Faith lights us through the dark to

victory.-Sir W. Davenant. Heroic measures are several sizes too large for the average man.

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