

Dutch Twins Have a Race. They were getting quite near the mill now. Kit stopped playing and began to skate as fast as he could.

But Kat had got the start of him. "I'll soon get ahead of her," he thought. "She's a girl, and I'm a He struck out with great long sweeps-as long as such short legs could make-but Kat kept ahead; and in another minute there she was at the windmill, quite out of breath,

at the windmill, quite out of breath, and pointing her finger at Kit!

"I beat—I beat," she said.

"Well, I could have beaten if I wanted to," said Kit.

"I'll get the cake," said Kat.

"I don't care," said Kit. But Kat knew that he did.

"I'll give you a piece," she said. Father and Mother Vedder came along then; and when Kit and Kat were rested, they all skated for a long time without saying anything. Then Father Vedder said proudly to

"They keep up as well as any-body! Were there ever such twins!" And Mother Vedder said: 'Never!'

By and by other people appeared on the canal-men and women and children, all skating. They were going to the town to see the sights.

One woman skated by with her baby in her arms. One man was smoking a long pipe, and his wife was carrying a basket of eggs. But the man and woman were good skat-ters. They flew along, laughing; and ing, and the whole place was very no one could get near enough to up-

As they came nearer to the town, Kit and Kat saw a tent near the place where one canal opened into another. A man stood near the tent. "Come in, come in, and get a drink. He put his hands together and shouted through them to the skaters. Of warm sweet milk on your way to the Vink.

"We must be getting quite near the Vink," Kat said. I do wonder what it looks like! Do you think it's

Do We Have Finger Nails? (Copyright, 1920, by The Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)

The hardened bone-like skin which appears on the tops of our nails and fingers is one of the marks left from the time that men walked on all fours, like the lower animals. These animals use their finger and toe-coverings for a number of purposesincluding climbing, the tearing of food, fighting with their enemies and scratching in the ground. The further man got from his original surroundings, when his finger nails served a multitude of purposes for which he now uses other utensils, the less use he had for these and the less prominent they became. They are, however, still very useful in helping to make the tips of the fingers firm and in picking up small objects, though it is possible that time may come when, through constant disuse, men may have neither finger or toe nails.

Evolution along precisely the opposite line-the use of the nails that they become greatly enlarged—is to be noted in the case of the horse, which now walks on its "finger nails," only we call

Tomorrow's question — Why does an Apple Turn Brown when Peeled?

Seek Land Accounting.

George A. Johnson, Henry M. Johnson and Olga Blomberg yesterday brought suit against Clark Smith, William F. Filley, the Joint Stock Land bank of Lincoln and others, in United States district court, to quiet title and obtain an accounting on certain lands in Dixon county, Nebraska, valued at \$3,000.

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They passed another tent. There man was shouting:

"Come buy a sweet cake; it costs but a cent.



Come buy, come buy, from the man in the tent."

Vrouw Vedder said: "I promised a cake to the one who beat in the race. We'll go in here

and get it. So they went to the tent. They bought two cakes, and each ate half of one. Kat broke the cakes

and gave them to the others, because she won the race. When they had eaten the cakes, they skated on. The canals grew more and more crowded. There were

gay. Rights reserved by Houghton-Muffin Co. Tomorrow-Dutch Twins Stop at the Vink.

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What Do You Know?

(Here's a chance to make your wits worth money. Each day The Bee will publish a series of questions, prepared by Superintendent J. H. Beveridge of the public schools. They cover things which ou should know. The first complete list of correct answers received will be rewarded by \$1. The answers and the name of the sinner will be published on the day indinated below. Be sure to give your views and address in full. Address "Question iditor," Omaha Bee.)

By J. H. BEVERIDGE. 1. When was the Norman Con-quest of England?

2. When was the Magna Charta 3. How many wives did Henry VIII. have? 4. Who was the Lord Protector of England during the Common-

5. Who was the first woman to rule England?

(Answers published Tuesday.) TUESDAY'S ANSWERS. t. Who wrote the "Children's Hour?" Longfellow.

2. Name the author of "The Song of Hugh Glass." John G. Neihardt. 3. Who is the greatest living poet of India? Tagore. 4. What president was a college

classmate of Longfellow? Franklin 5. What is John Milton's greatest poem? Paradise Lost. Winner: Marie 'Hamilton, 1523 South Twenty-fifth street, Omaha, Neb.

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"ast call up and tell the Ma-Just tell the Marines, just tell the

Marines, They'll get on the job in their scrapping jeans;
Ask 'em for trouble, and trouble

you gets, For they've got sharp points on their bayonets.
They land on their feet and they've got nine lives, And they pack a punch in their

forty-fives. "Two battalions of Marines for immediate service in Haiti." Not long ago that call went out from the U. S. Marine Recruiting Bureau. Within ten days those two battallons were recruited, equipped and ready to shove off. And every man in those outfits was a former soldier, sailor or Marine. They found civil life too tame. The "service" was in their blood,

and they could not get it out.

Strange? Not a bit of it. Ask
any one of "Jack" Pershing's gang.

Ask any ex-man-o'-war's man. Oh, yes, we all growled at | Marine Corps. But it is good

for the Marine Corps were pro-moted from the ranks. These offcers, by their efficiency and valor, have so amply demonstrated the wisdom of developing the officer material among the enlisted men, that the system has been adopted as a permanent feature of the service. Any man who has the makings of an officer in him stands an excellent chance of rising rapidly through the non-com-missioned grades of corporal and sergeant and "graduating" into a second lieutenant. After that he has the same opportunity of at-

graduate of the Naval Academy. In addition, some Marines are nelected each year to take the four-year course at Annapolis, upon completion of which they are immediately commissioned second lieutenants of Marines or ensigns

in the Navy. When we remember that there is one non-commissioned officer to every seven men no one who is of average ability and applies himself can expect to remain a private for very long.

The Marine at Work and Play

Many people have the idea that the service is a life of hard work, long hours and harsh discipline. Nothing was ever further from the

There is work to be done in the



Bringing in Haitien Bed Men

reveille and swore to murder the bugler. We all "groused" at the chow and whetted our bayonets for the cooks. Oh, yes, full packs rubbed the skin off our shoulders.

Remember those days when we were fit as fiddles, could eat the hind leg off a table and enjoy it, could lick our weight in wildcats, and weren't afraid to say so? And remember the buddles who bunked remember the buddles who bunked with us, hiked with us, scrapped with us, took all our money, bummed our tobacco, called us bad names and—would give us the shirts off their backs if we asked 'em? Somehow civil life doesn't often give us friends like that. The man who has never done a hitch in the service has missed a lot. Isn't that so?

And for any man who is looking.

And for any man who is looking for service—all sorts, kinds, conditions and varieties of service—the Marine Corps is the one best bet. The Marine is "soldier and sallor, too." When the big ships go to see the Marine so with them Barries and sallor, too." sea the Marines go with them. Be-fore the Marine has a chance to get tired of sea-going he is landed at Haiti or Honolulu, China or the

Philippines, Opportunity for travel and adopportunity for travel and adventure is only one of the things that the Marine Corps affords. In this branch of the service a man finds unusual facilities for physical and mental development. The Marine Corps makes an ordinary man into a real "husky."

into a real "husky."

And there are all manner of trades that may be learned in the corps. Every day ex-Marines are, immediately upon discharge, stepping into well-paid civilian jobs that range from that of aviator to that of cook. And, as every one knows, an honorable discharge from the Marine Corps is the best letter of recommendation any one can have. It is, in fact, a United letter of recommendation any one can have. It is, in fact, a United States Government certificate which stamps the possessor as "Inspected and passed as an honest, loyal and capable man, who has learned to use his head and his hands—and use them to the best advantage."

During the way with Garmany

During the war with Germany all the additional officers needed

healthful, outdoor work. There are short, snappy drills that make a man alert and "on the job" in mind and body. There are setting-up exercises that take inches off a man's waistline and put them on his chest. There's shooting on the rifle range—every Marine is trained to be a crack shot; there's work with wireless telegraphy and something of seamanship. It's work, but it's the sort of work men like.

men like.

There must be discipline, just as there must be laws in a community or rules in an office or factory. But the Marine discipline is of a sort that no reasonable man would object to.

Life is not all work for the Marine. There are haseball football.

rine. There are baseball, football, boxing and swimming for the devotees of these sports. No post is without its pool tables. There is fishing and hunting. For Marines, in their travels, go where game, big and little, is plentiful and game laws are few.

and game laws are few.

Men not on guard may, as a rule, leave their station after 2 or 3 o'clock in the afternoon and may remain away until reveille (6 or 7 o'clock) the following morning. Whenever a man may be conveniently spared, his commanding officer has authority to grant him a ten-day furlough, plus the time required to travel to and return from his home town.

The Marine Corps desires to give

from his home town.

The Marine Corps desires to give young men from all parts of the country an opportunity of enlisting in the service for two, three or four years. The local recruiting office has some vacancies in its quota for especially good men. It may be that you are the sort of man they are looking for. Don't hesitate to call and talk things over. It will put you under no obligation. You will not be urged to enlist. But you CAN learn the trath about the Marine C. rps from men who know the life and like it well enough to stay in. Send for booklet.

U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Office 210 South 14th St.

Material Shortage Hampers Work on New Buildings in Omaha E. Smith company, the BurgessNash building and the Lord Lister hospital. Rodman Brown of the Stiles Construction company, which holds contracts for several buildings, Hampers Work on New

are experiencing considerable difficulty in getting material which they say is hampering their work and has caused them to discharge many workmen.

Work on several buildings is practically at a standstill, due partly to the result of the recent switchmen's strike in the east. "Very little work Wholesale company," G. E. Edgecomb, city building inspector said

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Larry Semon

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Two Detectives Demoted; Two Officers Promoted

ohn Scott have been promoted to detectives succeeding Detectives Joseph Potach and John Zalondek, is being done on the Skinner build- who have been demoted to patroling, E. V. McDonald plumbing supply structure and the building of the Bradley, Merriam and Smith John T. Dunn.

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I'M THE GUY!

By R. H. ALLIE.

Why should I?

or other things.

I'M THE GUY who never pays

They can wait. I need the money

That's how I feel about it. PHOTO-PLAYS.

Besides, I don't see why I should pay bills. They're just a bother. And if folks want to let me contract

debts, they can wait until I'm willing

Anyway, I don't believe in paying bills, if I can get out of it. I want to

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