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laxition from the strain of increased business effort is highly essential. We as a people are working under higher tension than we ever felt in all our history. Employers and proprietors are embarrassed by shortage of help: Employers and proprietors executives are under the necessity of doing much of the detail work which formerly they committed to subordi-nates; there has been speeding up all along the line. Our business organization even before the war began was a breeder of neurasthenia. The re-sponsibilities and anxieties of the past year have only intensified the need of suitable relaxation and complete

For something like two millions of bur young men the vacation problem is taking care of itself. They are beginning by "seeing America first"—a part of America, at least—and pres-ently they are going abroad, where they will be personally conducted over regions in Europe where history is being made. For the present they are to have a monopoly of foreign travel. Sundry difficulties of transportation

travel distance of their own homes. the government depends on a majority schools lost 18 per cent of their male from British Columbia to California in the Legislature, would have meant students. the mountains becken to the venturethe downfall of the Cabinet. Mr.
Some, The Pacific Northwest Touring
Association, for example, has performed a real public service by pointwar is held to have been a serious

the downfall of the Cabinet. Mr.
Wilewed in the abstract, the duty of
the student, as Dr. Eliot, of Harvard,
pointed out more than a year ago,
would be to continue to equip himformed a real public service by pointing out that there is no similar region obstruction to President Lincoln's acin all of Europe which possesses so tion half a century ago. many snow-capped peaks, or beautiful inland lakes, or deep forests, and l

The essence of the vacation, wherpation, of personality and of thought. The high value of a rest in the deep events; the wireless at sea and the telephone line to the heart of the as man who will dig to the bottom forest reserve keep up the pace of civilization everywhere. But it is possible, with some determination and a little self-denial, to dedicate the period at least to a complete change of rived from independent incuring as

busy season by getting up an hour earlier in the morning and giving the Board. extra time to outdoor adventures. He boasted how he was able completely to submerge himself in his new ersonality for a brief period each day, and to emerge fresh as any daisy and exceptional one—and his scheme pre-exceptional one—and his scheme pre-exceptional one—and his scheme pre-lost the chance to go beyond the limits us do not possess. But he was right in principle, for the basis of his vacawas a complete change of him-One need not travel far afield to the Fresident as commander-in-chief new and strange surroundings if This settlement should be highly find new and strange surroundings if he has the gift of minute observation. But the point is that the change ought to a foreign country to find someng vastly different from that to which they are accustomed are lackown advantage to cultivate-

especially in times like these. and a long stretch of the finest beaches resenting this attitude and probably

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Neither the fact that the time of every individual in the country is exceedingly valuable this Summer, nor the closing of many of the routes of travel to the tourist, will stand as a reason for omitting the usual vacation of 1918. It is probably true, on the contrary, that most men and women will need a vacation more than ever, and that in the interest of ultimate efficiency vacation plans ought to be laid with exceptional care. Relaxition from the strain of increased bysics of germany. This is the more probable because. Germany has extend the more probable because. Germany has extend the more probable because of other nations rather, than in original women students has been 1.6 per cent, celled in developing the discoveries of other nations rather, than in original invention. America has already made great progress during the last four years in making coal tar products, explosives, photographic paper, optical glass and other things which were formerly bought from Germany.

There are 625 colleges and universities in the United States and the Control of the Contro

hatred, of Germany, that country will grades. suffer a serious handicap in future commercial competition.

DOWN TO A WORKING BASIS.

It promises, therefore, to be War Department activities should obvious that a potential physician can pre-eminently for the 98,000,000 or prove a basis of a good working ar-so of those who are not in the rangement between the President and perfecting his education than by hurmilitary service an opportunity to Congress for effective co-operation in rying into a branch of the service in develop a different set of vacation the conduct of the war. It authorizes which his special education would be Now is the time to see our the military committee to inquire into wholly lost. own country, to make ourselves familiar with its great outdoors, and to
miliar with its great outdoors, and to relieve the pressure upon shipping by ment, but it omits the phrase "conduct and of the law 40.1 per cent. The finding enjoyment nearer home. of the war," which was so obnoxious War Department's order to engineer-It is a good time, for example, for been a vote of no confidence. Such like thirty Switzerlands within easy local time war, which was so conditions war Department's order to engineering to the President that, in his mind, any ing students, corresponding to that west to learn that there are something been a vote of no confidence. Such like thirty Switzerlands within easy a vote, in countries where the life of of enlistments, and this class of

none which is so alluring to the fisher-man. We have our own spas and our because of the aircraft scandal, while own yachting harbors and bathing his critics by faulty strategy have beaches and well-developed roads. It failed to gain their broadest ends, ought to be known to more people though they have gained their immethat there are in the territory men- diate end. Senator Chamberlain and tioned more than 15,000 miles of his associates in both parties had a roads, that hotel facilities good case for inquiry into the aircraft been wonderfully developed scandal and delay in machine gun prowithin a decade and that there is duction, but they tried to use it as economy as well as pleasure in the the thin end of the wedge to open inquiry into all war activities. While some of them were doubtless anier and however it is taken, mated by sincere anxiety to speed up complete change, which means war industries, others were with some not only change of locality, of cause suspected of a desire to use weather and scenery, but of occupolitical effect. The President took the wind out of the sails of those woods, as on a fishing trip, lies in its who charged that an inquiry by the remoteness from the affairs of the Department of Justice would end in It is difficult at best to a whitewash, for he put that inquiry escape from the cares of the day, in the hands of Charles E. Hughes Modern inventions have conspired to his rival for the Presidency in 1916. keep us too much in touch with By so doing he silenced the cry of least to a complete change of rived from independent inquiry, as thinking. "Feeding the soul" is not so well as of the right of Congress to mysterious a matter as it may seem; make such inquiry, by assenting to it needs only to be remembered that the military committee's investigation the soul requires a complete change of this and like matters. The former extensive changes for the better We have our own doubts as to the the War Department are certainly the efficacy, for very many persons, of result of public criticism evoked by the plan adopted by one superior in- the exposures made last December, lividual, who "stole" his vacation one and the aircraft exposures have caused radical reorganization of the Aircraft

On the other hand, Congress is estopped with its own consent from invading the entire field of military invading the entire operations with its activities. If the military committee had limited its to take up the old threads proposal to aircraft affairs and had where he had dropped them. He was then discovered serious wrongdoing, able to point out that he thus enjoyed 120 hours of complete rest, which is as much as the average business man counts on in a vacation vestigate the entire conduct of the taken in a single piece, but he was war. By trying to base a case for an exceptional individual—a highly sweeping inquiry on exposures in a exceptional one—and his scheme prespiritual capabilities which most of now placed on its activity. Yet it may But he was right go to great lengths, so long as it does not invade the field of actual mili tary operations, which is reserved to

satisfactory to the people, whose chief to be found. Those who need to go the minimum of waste and who resent any attempt of either party to use success or failure for its selfish ading in a faculty that it would be to critics asked too much, and neither gets all that was asked, but each get what is for the good of the Nation. Our own attractions this year ought to suffice for most of us. We in Oresum have our Many Hood and Suspected that his political opponents gon have our Mount Head and Mount designed to use war inquiries to his injury, and, therefore, he sought entrangled the lakes and the Oregon Cayes, tire freedom from them. His critics,

in the world and trout streams almost suspecting that the facts were worse fiame in the militant suffrage move out is especially to be recommended and might have invaded his Execufor those who dwell in apartmenttive powers. A balance has been
houses, and travel for those who during the past months have lived too
close to their work. It will bear repethe same time restraining, force upon

It is deducible from the figures just things which the country now takes compiled by the Federal Bureau of Education that college students have not been deeply impressed by efforts to restrain them from completing to accomplish many conduct a circular campaign without payment of postage, while his opponent out of Congress can, out of his own pocket, circularize just 37,500 only now obtaining general recognition. Her notion was disjinct from the figures just that the country now takes for granted.

The intrinsic merit of the idea own pocket, circularize just 37,500 only now obtaining general recognition. Her notion was disjinct from the figures just have a conduct a circular campaign without payment of postage, while his opponent out of Congress can, out of his own pocket, circularize just 37,500 only now obtaining general recognition. wings, and to use cotton cloth in place compiled by the Federal Bureau of for granted. of rubber in gas masks and in air-men's coats. Research continues with not been deeply impressed by efforts

glass and other things which were formerly bought from Germany.

By the assault on civilization Germany has done more than array the world in arms against her. The empire has awakened the vast, dormant energies of other nations and has discussed in the United States, and the figures are based upon returns from 313 of them. These indicate that the war has deterred many high school graduates from continuing their education and least the highest expected. rected them into channels which were cation, and also that the higher grades formerly occupied exclusively or have contributed the largest propor-chiefly by Germans. By trying to tion of their men to the National seize supremacy in world trade, Ger-forces. Of juniors 23.7 per cent and many has made her rivals more for-of seniors 29.4 per cent have taken midable and has bred a race of new up war work of some kind. This has rivals. Since these rivals will be animated by common distrust, if not maturity of the students in the higher

The same explanation probably holds good for the fact that the technical and professional have furnished even larger proporbown to A working basis.

The compromise between the Administration and opposing forces in the Senate on the Chamberlain resolution authorizing investigation of lands. It promises, therefore, to be y lost. But the schools of for-have lost 51 per cent of their

famous woman in her day. gifted orator, a clear thinker and elements of hope, of preparation for saying: noteworthy leader in charitable en-

softened by a short skirt. Within a the mental phase of pri week, it is said, Mrs. Bloomer herself most requires attention. ome of its feminine qualities. he middle of the last century. Mrs. Bloomer had worn them publicly for times.

made necessary by the way moderns live. It is absolutely essential to efficiency under present conditions. Least been and must be greatly enlarged in former. Bloomer deserved better than to be known chiefly as a dress rether amount that may be expended by the amount that may be expended by the candidate himself or by relatives. order to meet the imperative necessities of war. They only demand that

She was early in her life impressed One may be pardoned some curiof all should it be omitted in times ofter to meet the imperative necestike the present. It is no sign of lack of interest in the affairs of the world to for a man to abandon the world to power, outside the field of actual mills. troversy by speeding up their work. of a semi-monthly magazine—the Lily who alone would be authorized to rein sympathy to accomplish many conduct a circular campaign without

> Amelia Bloomer set out to do. Under unknown. warious names, and with numerous modifications, the bifurcated garment now seems to have come to stay. The official state pamphlet without having to the highly convenient and not alto-gether ungraceful coveralls of the farmerette; and there is ground for suspicion that a good many women

the important bearing of books upon into a minor office. the psychology of the war prisone even more necessary that the spirit of the prisoner should be mainained, if he is to return from caprivity efficient and undeteriorated, than that the soldier in camp should

Americans number among their men an especially large proportion appared which she tried in vain to persuade women to adopt, which persuade women to adopt, which stagnation. Professor Murray cites Kaiser has been known as "bloomers" for instances in which prisoners have nore than sixty years. It is a curious been saved by the effort to learn a It is recorded that Mrs. Bloomer ties to take up the threads of study ites. laughed heartily, for she had a strong where they left them off. But in n a short skirt, with full trousers and a useful purpose shall be served by is not to destroy-it is to protect" regular bodice. A few days inter Mrs. the occupation undertaken. Digging that it is "a vast school, which no

was persuaded to discard her con-ventional dress in favor of the bifur-ment by the book distributors than cated garment. But she designed her own costume and tried to preserve away odd hours. Fiction does not some of its feminine qualities. It was fabricated from figured silk, for example. There was an open front jacket and the skirt was of modest length by comparison with some skirts which excite no particular comment nowadays. The trousers were the revolutionary feature, but they were not the trousers worn by men. They were wide, like those worn by the Turks, but were gathered closely just above the shoe tops. Later the figured silk trousers were made more ample and the skirt was inid aside.

find so much room in the scheme of things, and obviously a large percentage of the books donated by private givers will be found unsuited for the ficiency produced by the German zeitgeist was the killing of Hubbard by the sinking of the Lusitania. It would be interesting to know whether he changed his opinion about "these ringing words of wisdom" as he sank them whenever possible. The prison library will require more educational books—more books on technical subjust above the shoe tops. Later the figured silk trousers were made more ample and the skirt was inid aside.

British have organized a "Prisoners of duties brings him into contact with It was find so much room in the scheme of figured silk trousers were made more jects and on foreign languages. The Federal Government, "one of whose ample and the skirt was laid aside British have organized a "Prisoners of duties brings him into contact with as a superfluity. The resulting costume was not "immodest," even according to the standards of that day, account of the throwing together of but it drew upon itself a storm of ridicule which it could not survive.

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"more Italian is now being studied land than in the United States about the middle of the last contury. We have organized a "Prisoners of duties orings him into contact with mich chairs as suring than into contact with the world," is quoted by the New York Times as saying that it has become "a very wonderful organization" whose "tentacles reach into every country in the world," and the middle of the last contury. We described the very country in the world, and the middle of the last contury. We described the very country in the desired settings by

finement and idleness. Plans to as- taln fastnesses of the Carolinas and innumerable. The mountains will call than they are because he opposed efto those who have lived on the lower forts to shed light on them, tried to a considerable number of women in practical part of the scheme of "relevels and the seasing to those whose widen the field of inquiry to an exhomes are in the mountains. Camping tent which would have hampered him them militantly in the face of the jeers attention everywhere.

MORE REPORM?

tition, that the essence of the vacation is the completest possible change.

The annual vacation is a comparatively modern innovation, but it is no legislative interference with his after that. Legislature we shall have an amend- lated which calls the United States be expended by others in behalf of a candidate. The law now limits only for a man to abandon the world to its fate, at least occasionally, while he is gathering new reserves for the is gathering new reserves for the fight.

TRIUMPH OF AMERICAN CHEMISTS.

The United States bids fair to wrest supremacy in the chemical industry

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The United States bids fair to wrest s from Germany, and is already making triumphs in that line that contribute to new mechanical successes. As a result of establishment at Columbus, Ga., of a mill which is capable of fifty-line of adjourning until it is passed. think of adjourning until it is passed. War legislation, like battles, will not wait while anybody rests.

Where colleges have suffered, who have the bloomer incident. She was an exceptionally graceful and forceful already in office? He has innumerable ways of advertising his activities and virtues and as many more ways of fis own, was a modest but effective philanthropist, and the couple worked public. If he is in Congress he can want to be a compalish many to accomplish many to acc

only now obtaining general recognition. Her notion was distinct from that of Dr. Mary Walker and others who sought only dress as nearly like men as possible, but it suffered from the same prejudice which professed to see in every effort of women to improve their condition an attempt to break the boundaries of their peguimprove their condition an attempt to break the boundaries of their peculiar "sphere." Dr. Walker's example did not advance the cause of dress reform. It is significant, however, that industrial needs are now beginning to publish nothing about his candidacy the very things which his aspirations would be practically accomplish the very things which his aspirations would be practically

flowing skirt was doomed as a working garment when women began to census of those who did not look inbe employed in the running of maside the last edition of that interestchinery; it was no more than a step ing work would without doubt reveal

who are not quite ready to brave traveling, hiring halls, dircularizing, public scrutiny have dared to adventure in the direction of comfort in the guarded precincts of their own homes. For, after all, a movement that is fundamentally sound on the late primary came a long, long way from electing the ones most insound may survive even veighed against on that account. Bloomer will be vindicated before many years.

Books for war prisoners.

Weighed against on that account. There was no attempt to corrupt the mind of the voters and the mind of the voters was not changed by circulars or advertisements. But, assuredly, if there is to be a further limitation it ought to be made to be a further limitation it ought to be made to be a further limitation it ought to be made to be a further limitation it ought to be made to be a further limitation it ought to clear the land in the way in the land in land in the land in the land in the land in land in the land in land in the land in la Persons who have made gifts of books to soldiers' libraries, or have contributed money to the library fund, will find incentive for continued effort in a discussion by Theodore Roch, of the Library of Congress, of the limination it ought to be made to extend somehow to those in office who can campaign at state or Government expense. Otherwise we shall make politics a profession and erect a bar to the election of any man to important office who has Roch, of the Library of Congress, of the important bearing of books upon into a mignor office.

PRUITS OF GERMAN ZEITGEIST. No better way of realizing how the American people were deceived about Germany can be found, Advocates of the too-much neglected than to compare what we know about than that the soldier in camp should be entertained and instructed. The purpose of the book movement is to minister to both, but as facilities are presented it is intended that books shall be sent to prison camps in enember of the discovery among a pile of old patch. Postland botel of a piece of the ration for hogs will be stimulated in their propaganda by the statement of Montague Free, writer of a book on "War Gardens," that country today with what we thought of it in the early months of the war. An opportunity to make the war, an opportunity to make the war, and the war is comparison has been afforded by the discovery among a pile of old patch. my countries in increasing quantities
Mr. Koch quotes Professor Gilbert
Murray as saying that one of the most demoralizing aspects of prison life is suggestive. Ittle, "Germans Wiser of food for pigs, a substantial soup the utter aimlessness of existence. Reports both from escaped prisoners and date of the paper is unknown, but its starch content, which is higher than

from visitors to the camps agree as apparently it is early in the war. to the principal facts. "The men," Beginning with the statement, tion also because it thrives on poor that the committee on conduct of the war is held to have been a serious obstruction to President Lincoin's action half a century ago.

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The outcome is that by bold strategy the President has won in a controline to equip hims says Professor Murray, "who fill their days with some purposeful occupation come through safely; the men who cannot do so in one way or another break or fail." This is particular to the principal facts. "The men," Beginning with the statement, says Professor Murray, "who fill their days with some purposeful occupation come through safely; the men who cannot do so in one way or another break or fail." This is particular to the principal facts. "The men," Beginning with the statement, says Professor Murray, "who fill their days with some purposeful occupation come through safely; the men who cannot do so in one way or another break or fail." This is particular to the principal facts. "The men," Beginning with the statement, says Professor Murray, who fill their days with some purposeful occupation come through safely; the men was a popular to the principal facts. "The men," Beginning with the statement, the principal facts. "The men," Beginning with the statement, says Professor Murray, who fill their days with some purposeful occupation come through safely; the men was a professor Murray, who fill their days with some purposeful occupation. The outcome is that by bold strategy that some purposeful occupation with the statement, the principal facts. "The men," Beginning with the statement, was professor Murray, who fill their days with some purposeful occupation of the principal facts. "The men," Beginning with the statement, was professor Murray, who fill their days with some purposeful occupation of the professor Murray, who fill their days with some purposeful occupation. The professor Murray was professor Murray who fill their days with some purposeful occu the presence of the reality of war.

Who cannot do so in one way or another break or fail." This is particularly true, it would seem, of the prisoners who before the war were mentally alert. As to these, it is essentially alert. As to these alerts are all the The 27th of May, 1918, ought not tally alert. As to these, it is essential that the occupation should have serve the centenaries of important a definite aim. Playing cards or truths that they desire to fix in the that it is superior to corn. serve the centenaries of important a definite aim. Playing cards or events in our history, for it is the walking up and down the prison yard will not suffice. The best antidote of the universary of the birth of will not suffice. The best antidote of the union that "governments exist the union that "governments exist." Amelia Jenks Bloomer, who was a all against dejection and surrender to through and by being backed by pub-Amelia Jenks Bloomer, who was a all against dejection and surrender to through and by being backed by public opinion." which Germans call mania, than "peace with indemnities," but we have the word of the

evolves the zeltgeist of his country. fact that she finally abandoned the effort because she feared that she would be known to posterity for her connection with dress reform rather than for her connection with other movements which she valued much more highly. But precisely the thing which she sought to avoid came to in mid-term to enter the Army are which she sought to avoid came to in mid-term to enter the Army are buoyed up when they find opportunity of advertising and 'plays no favor-

sense of humor, when she first saw each instance the underlying prin-the daughter of Gerrit Smith attired ciple is the same. It is demanded that for manhood" and that its "business" that German army discipline "makes nent was:

These ringing words of wisdom were not to the German public through the ini publicity bureau and, let us hope, p nto the sum of conscious thought makes up the zeltgeist.

don, Oxford and Cambridge in normal is developing the desired zeitgeist by times." the first time in 1849, in delivering a lecture in which she made no referto multiply instances, but it will reence to the subject of dress, and she
continued to appear in the costume
during an extended tour of the West,
which she made in 1852, in company
with Rev. Antoinette Brown, who also
was a famous woman of her down and the state of the solution of the subject of dress, and she
guire no extended argument to support the contention that the plan of
country into the clutch of the Kaiser.
It almost destroyed Italy. It cultivated hatred of Great Britain and
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in France.

A propaganda "directed from Spain and inspired and paid for in Berlin' If the plans of some of the state's spreads all over Central and South well wishers are fulfilled by the next America, where a pamphlet is circu-"the Vampire of the Continent" which contains "the most vicious at-tack on a nation ever published." It has published a spurious edition of the American official pamphlet. "Why America Went to War." inserting a preface which contradicts every state-ment contained in the text. It has lem and the ident bought up newspapers in South Amer-lea and Mexico, and the propaganda with great vim and determination an in the latter country "is more pow-unusually important problem submitted erful than in any nation of the world, by a bewildered housewife as follows: with the possible exception of Spain." "Dear Spley Sandwich Between the Any business man in Mexico who fa- War Bread Slices of Earnest Editorials vors the allies is refused advertising and Relics of the Past: I have a bou space until he is ruined or turns pro-German. It employs "nothing but expert liars, trained in falsehood for them. expert liars, trained in falsehood from their youth," and Germanowned newspapers "print the most scandalous stories about public men in America." It alarms fathers and mothers of American soldiers by painting "French women as moral lepers and the men as little better" and by circulating stories "to the effect that the morale and health of the American troops under General Pershing had been destroyed as a result of the ravages of disease."

These are the fruits of that "most effective publicity bureau in the world" of which Eibert Hubbard wrote in such high praise. The government which maintains is has the audacity to invite self-respecting nations to enter into peace negotiations with it, and some citizens of those with it, and some citizens of those nations are so blind or so craven that be overshadowed by the trifling pur-

cans who conscientiously object to the sary and wholly unjustified public in-war, though that is the only means terest in a perfectly natural event, from by which the world can be rid of this foul thing. The greatest danger to democracy is not the German army; it is the mental and moral poison which is spread by the German prop aganda to infect the minds and weak-en the wills of the peoples who are fighting against Germany-to 'develop in the allied countries a pro-The President's call upon the Boy Scouts to help in taking a census of the black walnut trees of the country is another reminder of our past prodigality, and yet our forefathers will not be seriously blamed for their de-

ficult, there was no local market and same feelings upon the people who shortly become abomirably odoriferous way.

"Peace with economic advantages'

The red man as a contributor to the Red Cross is a final testimonial to the influence of civilization upon tle slow about it, and undoubtedly we intent on bave made our mistakes, but at last

The proposed charge for baggage shows what Government control means. Consider the postal service— when you buy a money order the clerk does not throw in a stamp or two. It's a cafeteria sort of Government.

Some statistician will soon be figurated bow far those \$5,000,000,000 worth the statistician will soon be figurated bow far those \$5,000,000,000 worth the statistician will soon be figurated bow far those \$5,000,000,000 worth the statistician will soon be figurated bow far those \$5,000,000,000 worth the statistic box of the s

Some statistician will soon be figur-ing how far those \$6,000,000,000 worth Gr Stanton appeared in a similar costume, a hole and filling it again would give employment only for the hands. It is softened by a short skirt. Within a wash it is said Mrs. Bloomer heard to some stanton appeared in a similar costume, a hole and filling it again would give employment only for the hands. It is the mental phase of prison life which wash it is said Mrs. Bloomer heard to some they can begin shorting up. Little Bike would have been how soon they can begin shooting up the other bank of the Rhine.

Little Bike would have been beaned. Suddenly, with direful sound. A dreadful earthquake shook the

> men at Kursk has just discovered that Like dishes in a house of tin!
>
> Germany is violating the Brest-Litovsk They rubbed their lamps from being treaty. We would hate to be Trotsky when the whole Russian nation wakes up to what is going on.

Kaiser Wilhelm announces "Lithuania will participate in the war burdens of Germany, which secured her liberation." There you are, Lithu-What are you going to do

If Jeff Baldwin joins the Army, as he is said to have announced he will do, there is a fair prospect that the Germans some day will have a mighty alippery prisoner on their hands.

Wouldn't it be an ideal situation if It the "non-essential" line should continue to be drawn voluntarily even after the war is over?

Treason is treason in France, and

## The Peripterous.

Peripterous-A Structure Having Row of Columns on All Sides, -Dictionary.

(Synopsis of praceding synopses.)
The Oregonian, a great morning newspaper, employs a distinguished literary architect to construct a peripierous. Fis does it. It has rows of columns on easit, west, morth and south.
The Peripierous becomes a Free Auditorium for the expression of incompetent, irrelevent and immaterial opinion, new years and anecdotes.

The pacifist board of scientists having settled numerous enthralling ques-It has lem and the identity of the tripe fish,

they would have their statesmen suits of other scientists in relation to grasp the filthy hand which Ger-many extends. There still are Ameri-nor will it be distracted by an unnecesresearches so important to the real

A Tight Little Job That Fits

Ex-Candidate Hechawtry, having failed to secure the nomination in the late interesting event known as the Republican primaries, announces that he has offered his services to the Government as a "dollar-a-year patriot." Now that the Government is regulating the importation of crude rubber, it is intimated that Mr. Heehawtry stands a good chance of being named garter administrator for this district-a position for which it is known he holds peculiar qualifications.

It Also Started a Fight. Portland, May 25,-To the Architect: I notice that a famous editor has delved

are now burning fir stumps to be rid of them, but meanwhile the clearing of land will go on in the same old way.

I understand that a candidate for Councilman later slid into office on that slogan. S. LOGAN SLIDER.

She's Fled. Statistics have proven, alack and alas.
That poets of war are a husky, bold
class,
But Oregon's legions have caused me

Where poets are fewer-into Idaho. No essence of firs nor the ocean's moist breeze Ignite the war-fuse or disturb the mind's ease;
No lines from "Peripterous Columns"
to show

The strength of war poets-In Idaho. No editors' fires to rekindle with From poets who've striven to never

once shirk.

The pines, in compassion, shed cones which you know

Blaze brighter than poems—in Idaho. However, if ever the Kaiser lands here,

I fear that again I will turn in great fear To Oregon's poets for shrapnel, since lo, snipers are fewer-in Idaho ALYCE ROSALYEE RUSTING

Mistaken Identity.

In California, so they say. An auto met a bike one d Said the auto to the bike. man as a contributor to "You're a chap I seldom like."

You're a chap I seldom like.

For you often cross my path Giving rise to auto, wrath.

Can't you use your biky wits?

Said the bike then to the auto.

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"You don't go the way you ought to. we are winning Lo's confidence to the mutual advantage of both.

The proposed charge for baggage shows what Government control shows what Government control and charge for baggage shows what government control and charge for baggage shows what government control and con

The Council of Soldiers and Work- Making more than usual din

whiz:" they both exclaimed, "that's Lizzie."

—EDGAR M. MUMFORD. "Gee

Where Is Hef

It is reported that a tracer has found in Clearfield, Penn., the old-fashioned man who wears a peach stone watch charm and carries a combination pen, pencil, button book and rubber stamp. This search having been so satisfactorily rewarded, it is now necessary to find the other old-fashioned man his teeth with a telescoping gold tooth-

Pictures of Soldlers

PORTLAND, May 24 .- (To the Editor.)-Is there a law prohibiting the when Oregon gets under way you simply can't stop her, as witness the runaway finish she made in the Red respect?

MISS MAE STERLING.

Pictures mailed by American soldiers with Rev. Antoinette Brown, who also was a famous woman of her day and was one of the first to break down the barriers which excluded women from pulpits. American women were shouldering in London some of the fires which afterward burst into