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new spirit: for why will ye die, O house of Israel? For I have no fore turn yourselves, and live ye .- Ezekiel 18: 31, 32.

PRAYER:-We daily rejoice, most merciful God, that Thou Thee and live.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

Christmas shopping is both a science and an art. A science, in that it calls for our best judgment of expenditure consistent with the social and temperamental demands of the occasion. An art, in that the gifts we choose reflect the tastes and personality of the giver, and should satisfy the needs or fancies of the recipient.

This calls for some service somewhere, and from somebody. Right here is where the merchants of Ashland can be of valuable assistance; and this is one-of the best reasons why we should do our Christmas shopping at home. If the local merchant does not have what you high. want, let him order it for you. He will be glad to do so.

The great question now before the country is, "what shall I get for her, him, or it?" And don't overlook the "it," for that means the baby, of course! It takes little to satisfy the baby, but it takes a lot to satisfy the giver that the baby is satisfied.

If you are losing sleep over the annual problem of Christmas giving, why not step into one of our home stores and confess your troubles. What the storekeeper or salesperson will do for you will be a revelation! It is his business to make timely and pleasing suggestions to you. Even worry saved is money gained. Modern mer- free-versifier's manuscripts. chandising is more than "waiting on" customers and selling goods; it consists in selling the right goods to the right party. A sale that displeases the cutomer is a dead able how hard liquor isn't to get. loss to the merchant. A sale is a cold, crude transaction unless there is service and value behind it. Besides, after Christmas there is always the question of exchanges, re- jail conditions. He might be there himself some day. fittings, etc., to which the home-town store will give careful attention.

But there is more to the point than this. There is ANATOLE FRANCE not a store, (we venture to assert) in Ashland that will not gladly assist you in every reasonable way to solve your Christmas problems with the same care and prudence that you exercise in your own affairs. Rather strong statement, but we make it boldly, gladly and truthfully. This paper stands foresquare for fair dealing in business relationships, and we would rather make a mistake in assuming the right than sin in assuming the wrong.

You do not heitate to put your will with your lawyer, since the death of the great your money with your bank, your life in the hands of your French writer. Naturally he dedoctor, your innermost secrets in the confidence of your serves the most honored resting ner friends. Why hesitate to put your Christmas shopping troubles in the hands of our merchants? Let us try it philosopher would have desired this year. If one of them goes wrong to the extent that such honors. Many, many times there is a gross betrayal of public confidence on his part, The Tidings will, if necessary, take an everlasting crack at him for the next fifty-two weeks!

FALSE ECONOMY

Among all the ups and downs of life there is one impressive the land has seen for struggle that is common to us all; that is the constant need for determining where expenditure should stop and saving should begin. We have heard a lot about false The quais along the river were economy; also a lot about forming the saving habit in public and private affairs. There is a happy medium to be found, and wise is the man and lucky the governmental up flowers that fell for precious unit that finds it.

Regarding expenditures in government, Lieutenant Governor George R. Lunn, of New York, hits the nail squarely on the head, and his quotation is worth reading. He says:

"We want economy, but that does not consist always ill at ease before a crowd. Not in cutting down taxes, nor in lack of expenditure. Some- accustomed to speaking in pubtimes big expenditures are the essence of true economy. Sometimes we have what we call a 'political economy' meeting, where a man who is running for office shouts trembled that taxes must come down, and he pulls them down in | Timid, too, he was with wohis speech. He gets into office, and in order to make good he does cut expenses by every rule of false economy. He vetoes all needed improvements. He cuts down until he them like a spectacle, wondered has a budget that is less than his predecessor's and he at them and became indifferent at thinks he has done a big thing. What happens? The next almost the same moment. man to follow him says the same thing. He fails to repair the old or to build the new.

"The time will soon come when shame will burn the face of every citizen of the state because of the failure to ing "Bechellerie" where his last do the thing that ought to have been done, and some brave days were spent. It was the war soul will have to do it all in one year. That is what we call political economy. That lets human beings suffer in

state institutions for the safe of speech."-How often have we seen this happen! Yet it has one mans of 1870. He left for the redeeming element. If it were not for this "political Touraine as the Germans were economy,"-in other words-if it were not for the fact approaching Paris. Chance took that people hold the restraining power and pull the check lovely surrounding gardens. He reins on government expenses, our officials might run us bought it for a song and installed

TIDINGS headlong into public debt, trusting in cautious successors to pull us out.

Again let us send out a call in trumpeting blasts for that worthy companion, Happy Medium.

CALLING FOR TROOPS

When a handful of men, unarmed, assemble to protest against some grievance, or even against some erroneously supposed grievance, it is going too far to call out state troops or national guardsmen. Soldiers, in peace time, should be the last word in last resort in matters of this kind.

When there is actual violence or threatened violence against the persons or property of our citizens, and the situation is, or rightfully appears to be beyond the control of local law officers in maintaining or restoring order, it is time for state or natonal police assistance.

AFTER THE WORK'S DONE

When Aristotle long ago said that the right use of leisure was the chief end in education, he little dreamed marches across the jungles and field artillery and ten regiments died that in our day this idea would be used in support of a morasses of the Isthmus of Pan- of corps artillery with a total Immediately afterward the plea for a change in education.

In an article in the current number of one of our magazines the writer contends that the students who go into saic, systematized efficiency in business and industry through the doors of a college warfare, according to the annual training get only the technical education required for report of Major-General William their work. They get no training in the right use of their leisure after the routing work of the day. For the vast majority of our boys and girls college doors never open trips have been made into the WHY WILL YE DIE?—Cast away from you all your transgres- at all, and only a relatively small number finishes even jungles by the different batteries sions, whereby ye have transgressed: make you a new heart and a the high school. In an age when most work is done by of the Fourth Field Artillery, stapleasure in the death of him that dieth, saith the Lord God: where- machinery, when even a good share of the remainder is Zone. One such trip constituted mechanical and routine, it is pointed out, these children a crossing of the isthmus by a willest not that any should perish but that all should come unto should be given training which in later years would help complete battery - the first time, them to make better use of their leisure time.

> Most parents and teachers will agree that this suggestion is worthy of consideration. We can ill afford to neglect the fact that what use people make of their leisure time is very important both as a matter of social welfare and business efficiency. While it is not proposed to restrict the individual in his pleasures, the community should aim to make these pleasures as wholesome as possible for the individual and society.

The cannubial S. O. S. tands for Some One Sulking.

Good neighborhood: Any place where the rents are too the tangled undergrowth which

Usually the fiddler is paid by some one who didn't

The less pride a man has the fewer things he finds extensive explorations into the unit necessary to lie about.

A hick town is a place where people make casual conversation about their souls.

Add Dictionary of Smiles: As widely traveled as

Considering that we're legally dry, it's truly remark-

Every citizen should join the movement for better

body of Anatole France be plac- many an interesting and lively the Pantheon, France's discussion of politics. Westminister Abbey? This is the question that is all important place of the land. But there seems to be some doubt if this simple he repeated to his family that he wished only the simplest funeral with no official ceremonies. Nevertheless the French nation accorded him a splendid burial and his funeral was probably the most many a day. There were no priests or pastors, but speeches by important political and literary men. black with crowds of people and school children followed the procession to the cemetery picking

Anatole France, like most great men, was extremely modest and heart, liked great political manifestations, but felt exceedingly lic he formed the habit of writing his discources and while he read them his voice and hands

men, so the story goes. He seldom spoke to women, except his very old friends, and regarded

An Epicurean - skeptical and indulgent, even in the face of nature. In reality France did not love the country and his charmthat chased him from the Paris which he adored, for he feared for his valuable collections, parts of which were plundered by the Gerhim to the old chateau with its

his precious belongings. Joseph Caillaux, ex-president of

the Council, who has been temporarily banished from Paris, was allowed to return to the capital for the funeral of his great friend who held him in greatest sympathy and admiration. During the last few years of his exile PARIS, Nov. 25. - Shall the he visited La Bechellerie and had

Clemenceau the "Tiger," was alone one of Anatole France's best friends and they were always both delighted to meet at some din-

"Literature," Clemenceau once said of his friend, "is his Ingres violin, just as politics was once mine. Only, I admit that he is a

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For the present Prime Minister, tion to the organized reserves. Herriot, France did not seem to found him too "pale, to luke-warm ed, and only 7,889 reserve of ish regiment stationed in India too reactionary." Speaking of one ficers are now enrolled. There had been home on leave. Their of the Ministers' books he once were 23,393 field artillery offic- money diminished rapidly, and

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25. ama provide the American artil- strength of 2,159 officers and young men received a lawyer' leryman with romance and ad- 30,209 men venture even in this day of proto the War Department.

During the last year numerous tioned at Gatun, in the Canal

The object of the trip was to determine the feasibility of transporting artillery from the Atlanfic to the Pacific by means of pack transportation. The march-only sixty-five miles-was accomplish ed after twenty-three days of most difficult going. On some days only a few miles could be made, due to the difficult terrain and to the large amount of bridge building, and trail clearing through had to be done by the men. Acthrough the forest primeval.

In the Philippines the Twenty fourth Field Artillery, stationed at Camp Stotsenburg, conducted known country in the interior to improve the artillery target-range and to open a trail from Camp Stotsenburg to the west coast of the island of Luzon. As far as known, they were the first troops to reach the summit of Mount

tion work cannot be overestimated siderably less wheat on farms keeps the artillery in excellent condition for service. The trail also should prove of material value to commercial interests.

During the last year the Twenty-fourth Field Artillery also com pleted a march over the old Government trail, known as the "Eba Trail," from Camp Stotsenburg to Olongapo, the naval station, by way of O'Donnell. Jungle growth had obliterated the old trail, and the construction of a new one

The field artillery made good progress last year, according to

there is a need for greater atten-

In the event of war 20,000 field hold much esteem. Politically, he artillery officers would be need- subalterns, belonging to a Brit-"Herriot will never have any War. Twenty units of the R. O. the boat back to India. style. He cares too much for the T. C. are now in operation, and Aboard the ship they found an

creased activity in field artillery a terrible bore. Thereupon the in National Guard units. Upon young soldiers made him up a the outbreak of the World War table for bridge for the yovage 975 enlisted men. The expan- day until the ship reached India sion, as a result of the war, call- The old man expressed his deep ed for 3,247 officers and 79,917 gratitude to the soldiers and left Piercing dank jungles in the Phil- enlisted men, and at present there them, with renewed and hearty ippines and making epochal are eight brigades of divisional thanks. A few weeks later he

CHICAGO, Nov. 25 .- One hundred and seventy million bushels ed from the United States by January 1, according to the Sears Roebuck Agricultural Foundaany unit of the American army tion, Even with increased comhas marched entirely across the petition from Canada this year, the estimated amount will not be decreased, the Foundation re-

The largest week of the season ended October 25, with a total export of more than eleven million bushels, not including flour. Combined exports of both wheat and flour for the four months from July to October, inclusive probably will run close to 115,000,000 bushels. The phenomenal movement to

market has kept prices from showing any runaway tendency, and will mean less pressure over the remaining eight months of the crop year. The amount of look than that which has gone into the hopper, according to the

Probably 125,000,000 to 140, 000,000 bushels more wheat was sent to inspection points this year than last, while the increase in the crop was only 70,000,000 bushels, the Foundation points out. The inference drawn from The importance of this explora- the report is that there is conaccording to General Snow, as it than there was at this time last

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ers in service during the World they were only too glad to take

during the last year 6,434 stu- old man who was bemoaning the dents were enrolled, an increase of fact that he could not indulge his nearly 400 over the preceding sole hobby-bridge. The experts The report also shows an in- the old man, because he was such

They played all day and every

letter starting that, as a token of his gratitude, the old man had left them £20,000 a year-more than \$100,000 - between them

And it is amazing the extreme courtesy that young officers are now showing to strangers on the

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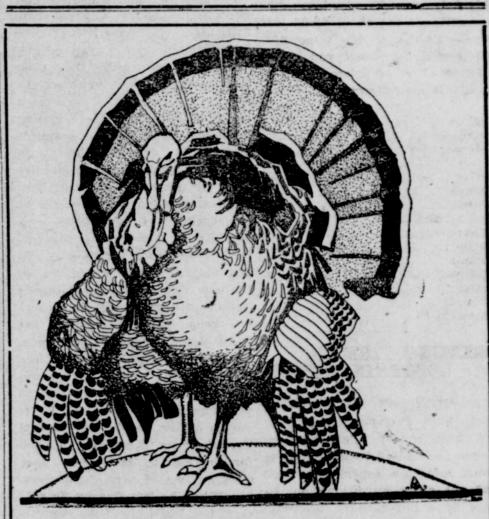
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