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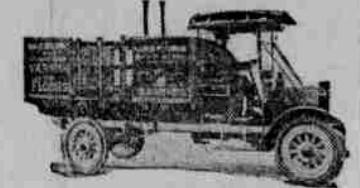
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Cartoons Magazine for September.

The present crisis between the United States and Germany is reflected in cartoons from many quarters of the world. Some of the best of these are reproduced in the September Cartoons Magazine. A French artist, for instance, pictures Uncle Sam wielding a huge club, labeled "Right." Germany, in the garb of a bespectacled woman, wearing a helmet, looks beligerently at him from a chair. Uncle Sam, with a threatening gesture, reminds her that "perhaps she can read this better than if it were a 'scrap of paper.'"

An Australian cartoonist has the Kaiser plucking, one by one, the tail feathers from the American eagle. The feathers are marked respectively, "Lustitana," "Gulfright," "William P. Frye," etc., while the Kaiser is represented as saying, "She loves me—loves me not."

London Punch shows President Wilson as Noah. A dove of peace is returned to the ark to report "Nothing doing." "Say, Boss," the American eagle speaks up, "why not try me?"

Even more interesting than the cartoons on political subjects are the samples of Japanese art, picturing the lighter side of war. The efforts of these oriental Nasts are quite amusing, even if a trifle elementary.

A Waste of Time.

A civil engineer, who was building a railway in Mexico, was trying to show a native how much the new railway would benefit the country.

"How long does it take you to carry your produce to market at present?" he asked.

"With a mule it takes three days." "There you are!" exclaimed the engineer. "When the new railway is in operation you will be able to take your produce to market and return home the same day!"

"Very good, señor," was the placid reply, "but what shall I do with the other two days?"—Kansas City Star.

Let Her Down.

Little Mildred had just had her first dip in the briny.

"How did you like it, dearie?" asked her mother, as she fastened the little 6-year-old's frock.

Mildred glared at the sparkling sea with much annoyance.

"I didn't like it at all, mother," she replied coldly. "I sat on a wave and went through."—Answers.

Of Course.

"Suppose all the energy that is wasted in dancing were devoted to some useful purpose?"

"I never entertain a supposition like that."

"Why not?"

"Because experience and observation have taught me that the energy devoted to dancing is foot power and not brain power."

Reason for Leaving.

"Are there any fish in this stream?"

"There was yesterday," replied the country boy. "But since you've been walkin' up an' down with that fancy fishin' outfit I shouldn't be surprised if they had all jumped for the river an' hid."—Washington Star.

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CAP and BELLS



PLEASED A BREEZY DRUMMER

Not At All Disturbed When Informed He Had Taken Judge Hornbuckle's Seat at Table.

"Now, this is the way I like to be treated in a hotel," said the breezy drummer, as he sat down to breakfast in the Pikeville house. "The morning paper is lying beside my plate."

"It begs yo' pardon, boss," said the head waiter, in considerable agitation. "You're in Judge Hornbuckle's seat. He's been settin' there fur twenty years an'—an'—he's due here at any minute."

"I should worry," was the drummer's only reply.

"Well, maybe you kin take keer of yo'self, boss. I guess you ain't never been bef' do judge, like I has. Dat's why I've gwine out an' stay in de kitchen till de crucus blows over."

Safety First.

Neighbor—What was the trouble in your flat this morning, Willie?

Little Willie—No trouble at all.

Neighbor—But what was all that noise?

Little Willie—Oh, that was father trying to save the price of a shave.

What's Your Hurry?

"It takes a small only twelve days, three hours, four minutes and twenty seconds to go a mile," she read from the newspaper.

"Yes," he admitted, "but then she doesn't have to dress for theater first."

Part of It Possible.

"I intend to do something in this affair. I don't intend to sit on a stool and look pretty."

"Well, if the worst came to the worst, you could sit on the stool, you know."

Careless of Her.

"Oh, say, who was here to see you last night?"

"Only Myrtle, father."

"Well, tell Myrtle that she left her pipe on the piano."—University of Nebraska Awgwan.

Rained Pitchforks.

"Did you ever see it rain pitchforks here?" asked the city man in the country.

"Sure," replied the farmer, "my neighbors gave me a pitchfork 'show-er' when I was married."

Some Name.

"What is your name, my little boy?"

"Caesar, sir."

"Well, you're named after a great man."

"No, I ain't, either. I was named after my uncle's dog."

Heard on the Train.

"What book is that you are reading, Jim?"

"The Sorrows of Satan."

"Well, I'll say this for you, Jim; you always do take an interest in the troubles of your friends."

His Way.

"How did you become so rich? Have you always earned more than you spend?"

"Not a bit of it, young man, but I've always managed to spend less than I earned."

ALL IN THE GAME.

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HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

If your health is poor as a result of a weak stomach, lazy liver or clogged bowels—

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Submersible Oil Tanks for Supplying Submarines.

The ability of the German submarines to keep at sea for indefinite periods when hundreds of miles from any German naval base has been one of the surprises of the war. It is now suggested that the Germans may have established secret submarine bases consisting of submersible oil tanks at unrequented points along the Norwegian coast and among the islands at the west and north of Scotland, and that the enormous supplies of oil required for the operation of these vessels is obtained from this source. This could be accomplished by means of a submersible tank that had already been invented for commercial purposes before the war began. This tank is cylindrical, is 150 ft. long and 30 ft. in diameter, and has an oil capacity of 2,280 tons. It is divided into four or more compartments which can be used for various grades of oil and can be emptied separately or together. Each end of the tank is divided vertically into two compartments, the upper compartment being utilized as a pump house and the lower as a ballast or trimming tank. With these trimming tanks, which can be filled with sea water or emptied by means of electric pumps, the cylinder can be floated or submerged, or can be made to float at an angle with the pump house at one end above water. An electrical oil pump forms part of the equipment. When a submarine or other vessel is to replenish its bunkers it comes alongside, couples its electric cables to the pumps in the valve house and pumps out the required supply of oil, after which the tank is sunk to the depth required for concealment. A picture of one of these supply tanks in use appears in the September Popular Mechanics Magazine.

A Practical Age.

"Let's play we're trappers and hunters. I'll be Kit Carson and you can be Deadwood Dick. We'll pretend to make a heap of money killing wolves for the bounty."

"Be practical, kid. We can earn real money swatting flies at 5 cents a pint."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Unfortunate.

"How do you happen to be in prison?"

"It is the result of an accident."

"You ran over some one with your auto?"

"No, ma'am, I fell over a chair and waked up the owner of the house."

Too Noley.

"That pest who lives next door to me has a habit of starting up his lawn mower at 6 o'clock in the morning."

"Spoils your beauty sleep, eh?"

"Not only that, but my daughter complains that she can't practise her music lessons with all that racket going on."

Speed Indicators.

"A speedometer indicates how fast one is going."

"So does one's bank balance."—Boston Transcript.

WOMEN WHO ARE ALWAYS TIRED

May Find Help in This Letter.

Swan Creek, Mich.—"I cannot speak too highly of your medicine. When through neglect or overwork I get run down and my appetite is poor and I have that weak, languid, always tired feeling, I get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it builds me up, gives me strength, and restores me to perfect health again. It is truly a great blessing to women, and I cannot speak too highly of it. I take pleasure in recommending it to others."—Mrs. ANNIE CAMERON, R.F.D., No. 1, Swan Creek, Michigan.

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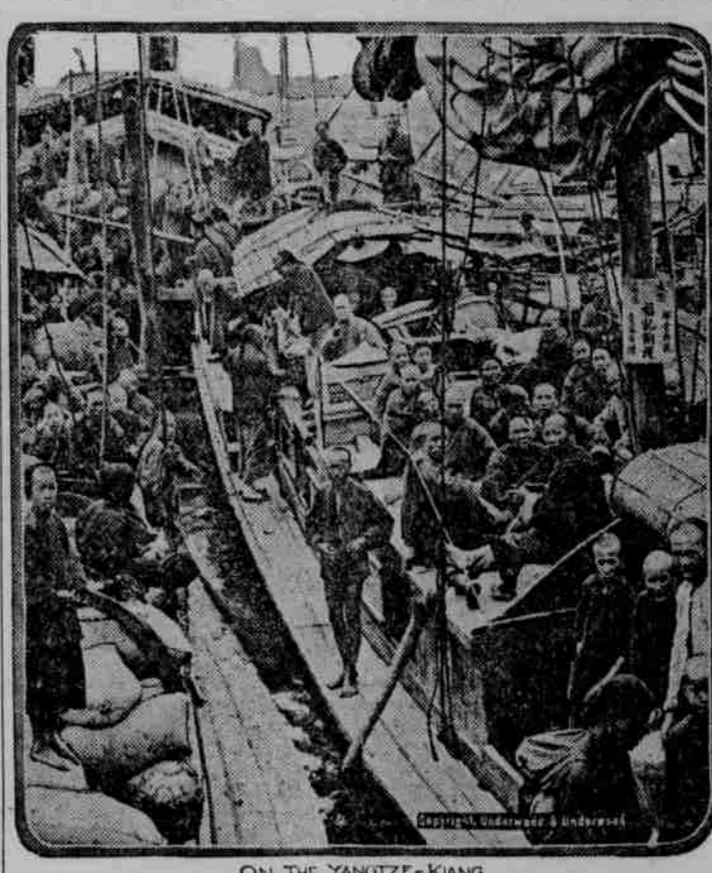
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RIVER LIFE in CHINA

IF YOU visit Hongkong or Canton or Shanghai you will find thousands of people who spend their lives from first to last on water. Both in Hongkong and Canton a population equal to that of a considerable town lives on little boats called sampans, and never by any chance do these water dwellers set foot on land if they can avoid it, the Hongkong correspondent of the Dundee Courier writes.

Nor can they get back quickly enough to their native element if business should call them from it for a little time. They are unhappy on land; one can read it alike in their carriage and their faces. Even the tiniest of children dislike dry land. But see them aboard a rocking cockleshell of a boat, and, if you are tender hearted, you have heard tremors the first time or two. They are able to do little more than walk, yet they balance perilously on the narrow side of the boat and perform feats that would turn a white mother's hair gray in a day.

But these Chinese mothers do not turn gray; they do not even look at their offspring. For one reason, they are too busy; for another, there is not the faintest need for them to worry. What is bred in the bone comes out even in the flesh of a sampan-born youngster, and ability to get about a rocking boat at the age of fifteen



ON THE YANGTZE-KIANG

months or so is bred in the bone of these babies.

Girl Babies of Little Account.

Besides, babies (girl babies at least) are of very little account. If one of them should fall overboard she may be pulled out again before she is drowned, and if she is not caught up quickly enough the loss is not greatly serious from their point of view. You may regard this as exaggerated, but it is overstated no whit. The writer remembers successive days—when he was new to the far East and took notice of such things—seeing first a girl baby and then a hen fall into the water.

Will Squeeze you if he can.

The mishap to the baby caused no excitement whatever, but in the case of the hen there arose a mighty screeching. The mother and grandmother and what may have been either aunts or sisters set up a tremendous row which did not subside until some time after. The loss of a baby was neither here nor there; the loss of a hen would have been serious from an economic point of view.

Whether among land or water people in China, girls are not greatly wanted and the addition to a family which has already a sufficiency of girls of another of the female sex is counted almost a calamity. But it is a calamity which is easily got over. One hates to set down the horrid fact, but the unwanted baby is quite often got rid of by the simple expedient of dumping it overboard. Especially does this take place with much frequency in Canton.

In the British city of Hongkong the practice is not so commonly followed, because the authorities have a swift way of dealing with unnatural parents of this stamp. But it is not yet stamped out and probably never will be. The best that can be said is that

HONDURAS IS RICH COUNTRY

Has Climate of Every Variety, but Has Few Roads and Not Much Money.

Honduras is a rich country and its resources remain in almost a virgin condition. It possesses a climate that varies with its topography, the temperature on the coasts being hot, in the lowlands of the interior it is warm, and in some places cold. Its mountains abound in minerals and its tablelands and valleys are especially adapted for the raising of cattle and the pursuit of agriculture. Honduras, with all varieties of climate, with its lowlands on the coast, its valleys and undulating plains, and its highlands in the interior, all covered with a rich and fertile soil, can produce all classes and kinds of fruit, grains and vegetables, such as bananas, plantains, coconuts, pineapples, mangoes, agave, oranges, corn, beans, rice, wheat, oats, sugar cane, coffee, tobacco, indigo, etc., but most of these will never be produced on a large scale until highways are built and transportation facilities afforded the people, says a commerce report. This is the situation the country presents. It is rich, but undeveloped. It is easily susceptible to great development, but its population is scant and has not the means to develop it themselves. Capital must be imported with which to do it and those furnishing the capital will control and receive the benefits of increased trade and commerce.

Construction of Coral.

The varying and indescribable colors of the corals are due to a miscgenation of cells, each one of which has acquired an individual chemical color from different sea food. Just as the ruby, the sapphire, the amethyst and other of the stony gems took their color from their separate environments, so the coral, builders of reefs which in a year may change the charts of the sea, are transformed into colors such as no artist could imitate. It is fine for the most ordinary mind to study these things as each step in the infinitude of steps in the progress of knowledge leads closer to the original and divine thought.

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THE LIGHT WEIGHT, NICKEL STEEL REPEATER.

"Preparedness."

German preparedness did not keep Germany at peace "far longer than other nations." The German preparedness is vicious—they have been held to peace and tricked and threatened into peace year after year. They were spoiling for a fight because they were so prepared. Preparedness always breeds treachery and it's a horrible thing that we've got to get prepared. It's a dangerous thing, but just now the infinitely greater danger is in our utter unpreparedness. We must be able to defend ourselves—and know how to stop when we've reached that point—Booth Tarkington.

Then They Fumigated.

Mrs. Parvenue—John, that Mrs. Kawler who was just here said she had been having a bad attack of ongue. What's that?

Parvenue—Something catchin', perhaps. Why don't you look it up in the dictionary?

Mrs. P.—I did. I went through all the 'O's, but I can't find no such word.—Boston Transcript.

HOW TO HEAL STUBBORN TORMENTING SKIN DISEASES

A Baltimore doctor suggests this simple, but reliable and inexpensive home treatment for people suffering with eczema, ringworm, heat-rash and similar itching, burning skin troubles. At any reliable drug store get a jar of resinol ointment and a cake of resinol soap. These will not cost a bit more than seventy-five cents. With the resinol soap and warm water bathe the affected parts thoroughly, until they are free from crusts and the skin is softened. Dry very gently, spread on a thin layer of the resinol ointment, and cover with a light bandage—if necessary to protect the clothing. This should be done twice a day. Usually the distressing itching and burning stop with the first treatment, and the skin soon becomes clear and healthy again.—Adv.

Shelled.

"Jack used to be absolutely neutral until he was hit by a shell."

"Why, I didn't know he'd been anywhere near the firing line."

"He wasn't. He was canoeing on the Harlem river, and one of those four-oared shells came along and punched a hole in the side of his canoe."

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Swamped.

"I had the deuce of a time talking to Miss Gadders last evening."

"Thought you were a conversationalist."

"I couldn't get in a word."

Women Food Experts.

Two women in the government service at Washington are food experts. One is a pomologist and another is a specialist in medicinal plants.

An electric fire alarm siren invented by a Denver man has been heard 17 miles.

The man who says he is glad he is married is either an optimist or a liar.

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Too Little to Mention.

Departing Pupil—Ah, professor! How can I ever thank you? I owe everything I know to you.

Professor—Madam! Please do not mention such a trifle.—Sydney Bulletin.

His Preference.

"You say this man stole your coat," said the magistrate. "Do I understand that you prefer charges against him?"

"Well, no, your honor," was the reply; "I prefer the coat, if it's all the same to you."—Boston Transcript.

Origin of "Hurrah!"

"Hurrah!" was originally a fighting exclamation and is derived from the Slavonic "Hura!"—"To Paradise!"—the belief being that valiant fighters went straight to heaven if killed.—Answers.

His Gait.

"That old sea dog at the banquet last night seemed to be continually steering for the wine on the sideboard."

"Yes, I noticed he had quite a list to port."—Baltimore American.

Can we squeeze in this crowded car?"

"Maybe, Charley," replied the sweet thing, "but don't you think we'd better wait until we get home?"

A Female Veteran.

He—Isn't that General X. and his daughter over there?

She—Yes. They say that she has been through more engagements than her old father.—Boston Transcript.

When You Want Something Particularly Nice—

You can always depend upon K.C. not to disappoint you. The double raise makes doubly certain—nothing is left to "luck." If the batter is a little thin, K.C. will raise it light and feathery and it will be all the better. Jarring the stove or turning the pan around makes no difference—K.C. sustains the raise until baked.

When there's a birthday or wedding cake to bake, or refreshments for reception or party to provide, take no chances—

Use K.C.

Opportunity Calls.

"Opportunity is at your door."

"What is it?" inquired the pessimistic citizen. "Opportunity to subscribe to some worthy cause, or a chance to invest?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

After Twenty Years.

"I see an Englishman who has been twenty years in the jungle has returned to civilization."

"And what an inopportune moment he selected."—Baltimore American.

Nature Never Intended Woman to be Sickly

As a matter of fact it is her right and strength—to be just as strong and healthy as man—perhaps more so—in view of the fact that it is she who brings into the world the offspring. Every woman can be strong and healthy. Don't resign yourself to a delicate life.

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