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TWO DOLLARS THE YEAR IN ADVANCE.

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## NATIONALITY ESTABLISHED.

"Him" Was No Dago Because He Had Some Uncles Who Were "Cops."

There might be room for argument over the proposition that the trade of profession makes the man; but in certain cases there could be no doubt about the relation of calling and extraction, says Youth's Companion.

A worker among the children of New York's slums was endeavoring to get together a class of boys for the singing teacher at her settlement.

Happening upon a little boy hanging about a corner fruit stand, the settlement worker accosted him, and explaining about the class, asked him if he would not like to join. The child grinned and seemed willing.

Then the lady espied another boy, still smaller, whom she had not noticed at first. He, too, was hanging about the fruit stand, and evidently belonged with the other.

"Oh, and your little friend there," she said, pleasantly, "wouldn't he like to come and sing, too?"

The first child's coloring spoke indisputably of Italy, although his speech smacked of the Boveery. The smaller boy's hair was also dark. When no reply came to her question, the lady went on talking, trying to ingratiate herself.

"Your friend is Italian, too?" she remarked, interrogatively.

At this the little Italian stared hard at the lady, then broke into sweet speech.

"Him," he exclaimed, pointing to the smaller child, "him a dago?" Then with a derisive laugh, "I guess not! Why, him's got three uncles who's cops!"

## SHE OWNED A PIANO.

But Possession of It Did Not Weigh Against Her Chances for Relief.

A little girl at a recent Christmas entertainment in one of the college settlements talked grandly to visitors about "our piano." Pieces played on the piano to amuse the children evidently brought the subject to her mind, relates the New York Sun.

One very practical woman who contributes much to the support of the settlement heard the child's remarks.

"It seems to me," she said, rather censoriously to the head worker, "that a child whose family owns a piano isn't really suffering for need of help. There are plenty who are really in need, and I don't think it right to

exclude them in favor of one who owns a piano."

Seeking out "the child, the head worker questioned her closely.

"Did you say you had a piano at your house?" she asked.

"Yes, indeed," responded the child, cheerfully.

"Is it yours or your mother's?" "It's mine; Santa Claus brought it to me last year."

Light began to dawn on the settlement worker's brain.

"And how large is your piano—as big as that?" pointing to the upright in the room.

"Oh, no, mine is a twenty twenty bit of a one, just about so high," and the little girl leaned down and measured a distance of 12 or 13 inches from the floor.

It turned out to be a child's piano, presented by the settlement itself a year previously.

## TOWN SAVED BY FOREST.

There Have Been Instances Wherein Planting of Trees Has Done the Work.

Baby forests are some of Uncle Sam's pets. Successful forest planting has been done for some time in Nebraska, and now a new nursery is being planted in California near Santa Barbara. Seeds of trees suited to the climate there will be grown and in about two years the seedlings will be ready to be transplanted to their permanent locations. The upper water shed of the Santa Ynez river now is quite bare or sparsely covered with chaparral. This is the water shed which supplies the town of Santa Barbara with water, and it will be the first scene of attempt at reforestation. Good forest growth is essential both to preserve the water and to avoid the washing down of silt. If unchecked this would ruin the reservoir. The enterprise is one phase of the national endeavor to induce and to conserve the rainfall as well as to distribute the resulting water by the irrigation work. Italian irrigation has been termed the most economical in utilizing water supply, and the most highly developed system of administrative control. India's system is said to illustrate examples of irrigation on the largest scale, and America's yields the most rapid development.

## Buffalo in New York.

New York has in its zoological garden a herd of 25 bison, survivors of the herds that once trampled the plains. Fifteen have been offered to the United States government as a gift. The plan is to put them in the

Wichita Forest reserve. Bison do not thrive in a city park, but the government herds nearer to a wild state are increasing. The American buffalo may be saved from extinction, after all.

## In the Crowded Car.

"There's one thing I notice about Mr. Snitsch when he rides," said the horsey girl, "he bounces up and down in his seat."

"Huh!" interrupted the observant girl, "whenever I see him riding he just bounces down in his seat and hides behind his newspaper."—Philadelphia Press.

## SCIENTIFIC SPECIALS.

A cigarette smoker sends into the air about 4,000,000,000 particles of dust at every pull, according to Dr. Atkins' investigations.

Experiments justify the conclusion that increasing the intensity of light 200,000 times does not alter its velocity by as much as two feet a second.

Prof. Mollich, of Prague, says that photographs can be taken by the light emitted by raw potatoes and hard-boiled eggs, in which the phosphorescent germs have been artificially cultivated.

The degree of humidity of the atmosphere, says M. Jaubert, a Paris meteorologist, is shown by the state of the pavements. When these remain covered with mud there will be no immediate change in the weather.

The famous French chemist, Berthelot, has made experiments which show that a gramme of iodoforn exposed to the air will lose only a billionth part of a gramme in an hour, and a gramme of musk only a thousandth part of that.

Studies at the Yerkes observatory have determined the varying periods of the solar rotation, in zones five degrees wide, from the equator to latitude 35 degrees. Within five degrees of the equator, on either side, the period of rotation is a trifle more than 24½ days. The length of the period gradually increases toward the poles, becoming about 25¼ days between latitude 15 degrees and latitude 20 degrees, and nearly 25 1-3 days between latitude 25 degrees and latitude 35 degrees.

The Difference. "Arry—I say, Bill, wot's the difference between them 'ere gins as the bloke at the 'all was a-tellin' us about last night—the oxy-gin and the hydro-gin?"

Bill—Blowed if I know, 'Arry—unless one's pure gin, and the other's gin and water.—Ailly Soper.

## A Breather.

The Philosopher—I cannot understand how it is that you public singers seem unable to proceed unless you receive a certain amount of applause.

Operatic Star—It isn't the applause we want—it's the time to get breath.—Ailly Soper.

## Family Pride.

Mamma—You don't mean to say you took a second piece of pie when you were visiting, do you?

Tommy—Yes, Mamma. I wanted to show 'em I was used to having plenty at home.—Chicago News.

## RUMORED OF ROYALTY.

Earl Nelson, who is in his eighty-second year, is the only living peer who was a member of the house of lords when Queen Victoria came to the throne.

King Edward's reign has by no means brought joy to the heart of London tradespeople. A leading trade paper laments the fact that a great portion of the trousseau of Princess Margaret of Connaught was purchased in Paris.

There is something in the soft round cheek and the direct outlook of Princess Margaret's candid eyes that recalls the early portraits of the great queen, and there are traits of character that bear the same stamp, such as truthfulness, clear insight, earnestness of purpose, and last, not least, "saving common sense."

England's future king, Prince Edward of Wales, now 11 years old, possesses a child's habit of saying the unexpected thing. When visiting King Edward, the other day, the king asked him what he was studying, and the little prince said: "All about Perkin Warbeck." Asked who Warbeck was, the prince replied: "He pretended he was the son of the king, but he wasn't; he was the son of respectable parents."

There is a singular coincidence about the two English royal princesses named Louise. They are both the daughters of British monarchs, they are of very fair complexion and both married out of the blood royal. Each also selected Scottish peers—the dukes of Argyll and Fife—both of whom are as fair-skinned as their wives. Still further goes the coincidence, for neither of the royal duchesses has presented her husband with a male heir.

## FACTS AND FIGURES.

St. Louis butts into the procession with a tax assessment roll of \$469,900,000, an increase of \$10,000,000 over 1904.

Only four per cent. of the men of the British army have a chest measurement of over 40 inches, and 20 per cent. between 38 inches and 40 inches.

New York state is about to receive from the federal government \$118,585.84, interest and principal on an investment of \$20,000 in equipping troops for the war of 1812.

At Cheboygan, Mich., is the largest sawdust pile in the world. It is a hill, 1,000 feet long, 375 wide, 325 in circumference, ranges from 20 to 50 feet in height, and covers 12 acres. It is the accumulation of one lumber company since 1877.

Camille Flammarion's new perpetual calendar starts the year at the vernal equinox, March 21. Every quarter should contain two months of 30 days and one month of 31 days. This would make 354 days. The same dates would occur on the same days of the week, and one calendar would last a lifetime.

So It Would. Biggs—I wonder why a dentist calls his office a dental parlor?

Diggs—I don't know. Drawing room would be more appropriate.—Chicago News.

## CURRENT CONDENSATIONS.

This year the Jews will celebrate the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of their settlement in New York.

There is only one \$18,000 government greenback still in existence. It is owned by a farmer, and he refuses to let the government retire it.

The children of San Rafael, Cal., have been formed into a junior section of the local improvement club. Their duty will be to preserve the street trees and to keep paper off the streets.

During the last year the Canadian government has paid out in steamship subsidies a little over \$500,000. These subsidies have been paid partly for mail purposes, and partly, apparently, to establish commercial connections.

From the first of July next, the date at which the new Canadian provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan begin to exist, each will receive \$2,500 a year from the Dominion government, for five years, for the erection of public buildings.

In 1904 the number of arrivals at Ellis Island was 606,000, the number for the entire country being 800,000. Of these 253,150 settled down in New York city, and the great majority of the remainder went to other cities as laborers, etc., where they are not needed.

The San Francisco board of health procured 100 samples of red wines from restaurants, wine dealers and manufacturers and analyzed them. Forty-one were found adulterated with coal tar, salicylic acid, arsenic, etc.

The board of health gave names, addresses and full particulars and the local newspapers published the report. Some of the best-known firms in the city are in the list.

A little red button worn by some 300 women, old and young, married and single, among the leading social sets of the City of Mexico, marks a new departure, or rather a new step in progress.

This little round red button signifies membership in what is known as the Anti-Kissing League. Members of the league take a solemn pledge not to kiss one another in public or private, on the ground that kissing is contagious, or, rather, the means of conveying contagious diseases from one fair lip to the other.

Mamma (at dinner)—You mustn't stare at Mr. Smith so, Ethel.

Little Ethel—I'm waiting to see him take a drink, mamma.

"Why, dear?"

"Cause papa says he drinks like a fish, and I never saw a fish drink."

"Mamma," said five-year-old Margie, "I'll make a bargain with you."

"What kind of a bargain, dear?" asked her mother.

"If you'll give me a penny every day to buy candy with," replied the small diplomat, "I'll not tell anyone you have store teeth."

Little Harry lived in the country and had never seen a sailor.

"Papa," he said one day, "sailors must be awful small men."

"Why do you think so?" asked his father.

"Because," answered Harry, "I read in the paper about one who went to sleep on his watch."

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