

THE SWISS AND EXEMPTIONS

Confidential Circular Regarding Military Service of Swiss Citizens.

It appears that by treaty between the United States and Switzerland in 1850 when any subjects of the latter country became citizens of the United States they are exempt from military service...

2. Swiss citizens who have declared their intention to become citizens of the United States. (a) When a man is called for physical examination he must immediately claim exemption...

LaFollette, the Immune. Investigation being the order of the day in Washington, how strange it is that only one man escapes! Officers of the army and navy, some of them facing the enemy, are made the subjects of accusing inquiry...

A Point of Honor. An inquiry by the British naval prize court, when a captured German lieutenant claimed as his personal property \$1000, which had been found sewn up in his coat, after he had replied to a question that he had no money other than that found in his pockets...

FILTH, FINGERS AND FLIES. BEWARE THE CLOSED MIND. These Are the Most Potent Factors in Spreading Disease. Fingers as disease carriers rank next to flies...

HOW TO KNIT SOCKS. For the Information of Red Cross Workers. Cast on 68 stitches, 20 on one needle 24 on other 2 needles. Rib 4 1/2 inches 2 plain and 2 purl. Knit plain 7 inches (11 1/2 inches in all)...

Smashing the British Empire.

The Germans may well be discouraged if they aim to smash the British empire. They are no nearer the hate-England weaver than Napoleon was...

Instant Action Surprises Many Here.

This grocer's story surprises local people: "I had had stomach trouble. All food seemed to sour and form gas. Was always constipated. Nothing helped until I tried buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka. ONE SPOONFUL astonished me in its INSTANT action."

Our Precious Document.

The original engrossed copy of the Declaration itself is safely shut up in a safe in the state department in Washington.

Power of Big Guns.

It is not easy to understand what the power of a gun really is—its penetrating and destructive power. What we call a fifteen inch gun, which means one whose muzzle or hollow part is fifteen inches in diameter...

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Tillamook County. Colin W. Cottam Plaintiff vs. J. E. Sullivan, J. C. Davies and T. J. Leonard Defendants.

Other Views.

"So you want to marry my daughter, young man? Why, we hardly know you. Have you enough to support her on?" "Sir, I thought you had too much pride to let any of your family take money from strangers."

Generous.

"Could you lend me \$5?" "No. I'm going to be married. But I'll see to it that you don't get an invitation. So you'll save at least \$10 by that."—Life.

How It Happened.

"How did you happen to quit the stock market?" "Well, my margin got very narrow and I sort of slipped off."—The Lamb.

Telling the Pull Man.

Dentist—Which tooth is it that troubles you, Sam? Pullman Porter—Lower Pinc, sah.—Boston Transcript.

Beats on the Water.

It is almost unthinkable that a bird should build a nest on the water. Yet that is exactly what the grebes always do.

The Deacon's Philosophy.

No one ever gets to heaven before his time, and to most of us it's a long time coming.

Just a Guess.

"What's all that pounding in the other room?" questioned a drummer while he was waiting to see the buyer.