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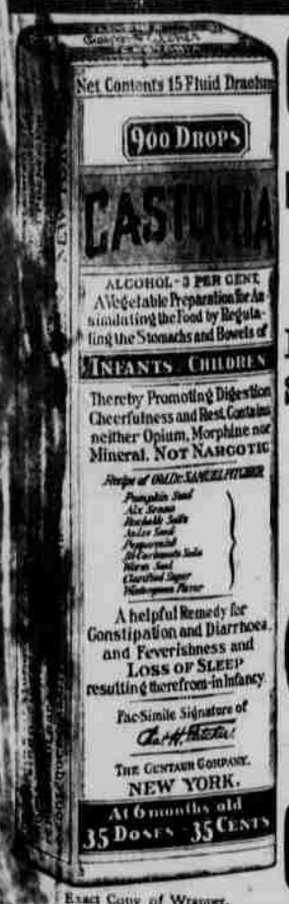

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SEA SOLDIERS GOOD SHOTS.

There Is a Story From Vera Cruz That Tells of the Marksmanship of Uncle Sam's Marines.

The marines know how to handle a rifle; 50 per cent. of the force are qualified, listed shots. There is a story from Vera Cruz that tells of good shooting and a sure eye, Henry Reuterdal writes in the Youth's Companion.

Our bluejackets were marching up the street from the plaza between rows of two-story houses. A well dressed Mexican, with a newspaper over his knee, was sitting on the balcony of his house, apparently watching our sailors advance; but hidden under the paper he held a big revolver, and as our men went by he fired. The bullets were striking, but our officers could hardly suspect a well-dressed Mexican, reading a paper and looking peacefully on from his own house, of being the sniper.

Dropping his paper, the Mexican went inside to reload. When he came out again on the balcony the glint of the gun caught the attention of Lieutenant Colonel Neville on horseback in the plaza, 1,000 yards or more away. Through his eight-power field glass the colonel saw plainly the flash of the shots under the newspaper.

"Get him," he said, turning to his orderly.

The man raised his rifle, pressed the trigger—and the Mexican fell out of his chair.

"Got him, sir," said the marine.

ROOM AT THE TOP.

Little Jennie had been eating very heartily, but she asked for another piece of cake.

"Jennie," said her mother, "I don't believe I ought to give it to you. You're about as full as a little girl can possibly be. Another mouthful, and you'll burst!"

"But, mamma, my neck's left yet!" said the little girl, persuasively.

THE EXCEPTION.

"I am going to call up that pretty telephone girl and ask her to marry me."

"Then you won't get the usual answer.

"What do you mean?"

"She'll hurry to reply, 'Ring on.'"

A man seldom says what he thinks. Instead he says what he thinks you think.

Biliousness and Stomach Trouble.

"Two years ago I suffered from frequent attacks of stomach trouble and biliousness," writes Miss Emma Verbryke, Lima, Ohio. "I could eat very little food that agreed with me and I became so dizzy and sick at my stomach at times that I had to take hold of something to keep from falling. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablet's advertised I decided to try them. I improved rapidly." Obtainable everywhere.

Words resemble sunbeams—the more they are condensed the deeper they burn.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Success is a matter of buying experience and selling it at a profit.

CALOMEL DYNAMITES A SLUGGISH LIVER

Crashes into sour bile, making you sick and you lose a day's work.

Calomel salivates! It's mercury. Calomel acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver. When calomel comes into contact with sour bile it crashes into it, causing cramping and nausea.

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

If you take calomel today you'll be sick and nauseated tomorrow; besides, it may salivate you, while if you take Dodson's Liver Tone you will wake up feeling great, full of ambition and ready for work or play. It is harmless, pleasant and safe to give to children; they like it.

Like a Boy at 50 Bubbling Over With Vitality—Taking Iron Did It

Doctor says Nuxated Iron is greatest of all strength builders. Often increases the strength and endurance of delicate, nervous folks 100 per cent. in two weeks' time.

New York, N. Y.—Not long ago a man came to me who was nearly half a century old and asked me to give him a preliminary examination for life insurance. I was astonished to find him with the blood pressure of a boy of 20 and as full of vigor, vim and vitality as a young man; in fact, a young man he really was notwithstanding his age. The secret he said was taking Iron—Nuxated Iron had filled him with renewed life. At 30 he was in bad health; at 45 he was careworn and nearly all in. Now at 50, after taking Nuxated Iron, a miracle of vitality and his face beaming with the buoyancy of youth. As I have said a hundred times over, iron is the greatest of all strength builders. If people would only take Nuxated Iron when they feel weak or run down, instead of dosing themselves with habit-forming drugs, stimulants and alcoholic beverages I am convinced that in this way they could ward off disease, preventing it becoming organic in thousands of cases, and thereby the lives of thousands might be saved who now die every year from pneumonia, grippe, kidney, liver, heart trouble and other dangerous maladies. The real and true cause which started their diseases was nothing more nor less than a weakened condition brought on by lack of iron in the blood. Iron is absolutely necessary to enable your blood to change food into living tissue. Without it, no matter how much or what you eat, your food merely passes through you without doing you any good. You don't get the strength out of it, and as a consequence you become weak, pale and sickly looking, just like a plant trying to grow in a soil deficient in iron. If you are not strong or well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous run-down people who were ailing all the while double their strength and endurance and entirely get rid of all symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles in from ten to fourteen days' time simply by taking iron in the proper form. And this after they had in some cases been doctoring for months without obtaining any benefit. But don't take the old forms of reduced iron, iron acetate or tincture of iron simply to save a few cents. You must take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated like Nuxated Iron if you want it to do you any good, otherwise it may prove worse than useless. Many an athlete or prizefighter has won the day simply because he knew the secret of great strength and endurance and filled his blood with iron before he went into the affray, while many another has gone down to inglorious defeat simply for the lack of iron.—E. Sauer, M.D.

NOTE—Nuxated Iron recommended above by Dr. E. Sauer, is one of the some organic iron compounds. Unlike the older inorganic iron products it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, make them black nor upset the stomach, on the contrary, it is a most potent remedy in nearly all forms of indigestion, as well as for nervous run-down conditions. The Manufacturers have such great confidence in Nuxated Iron that they offer to forfeit $100.00 to any charitable institution if they cannot take any man or woman under 60 who lacks iron and increase their strength 100 per cent. or over in four weeks' time provided they have no serious organic trouble. They also offer to refund your money if it does not at least double your strength and endurance in ten days' time. It is dispensed in tablet form by all good druggists.

THE NIGHT ROAD.

I love the little highway beneath the golden stars,
That wanders through the pastures and leadeth through the bars,
The little road of nighttime—all quiet, still and deep—
That leads us with the children to the merry land of sleep.
The night road o'er the meadows,
And by the winding stream,
Till through the tender shadows
We find the home of dream.

I love to walk the night road, so winding and so fair,
To listen to the music of the magic lutes of air;
The little road that wanders from all the roar and strife
Unto the pleasant country of the sweet and restful life.
The night road, the bright road,
The fairy road again
That winds through sleepy hollow
To the tents of fairy glen.

There are no fifes or bugles and no rolling drums where runs
The night road in its beauty to the land of setting suns;
But evermore the angels with their white wings kneel in prayer
At the shrines along the highway where our hearts forget their care.
The night road, with its magic,
Its beauty and its glow,
Where with the little children
To the sleepy land we go.

BIBLE IN THE TRENCHES.

The Only Book to Bring Cheer and Inspiration to the Soldiers.

BY REV. CHARLES STELZLE.

A close-up experience in the trenches and hospitals will convince any man that the Bible is the greatest comforter and inspirer in the world. This is why it is the "best seller" in the world.

The Bible was written thousands of years ago, but nothing that has since appeared in printed form has had anything like the same circulation.

Men may talk as they please about other books being "inspired," but when a soldier is about to go to the front, or when he realizes that he must get ready for "the roll call up yonder," he doesn't ask that the chaplain or nurse read something to him from Shakespeare or Milton—he wants the Bible.

And because this is true, it's a fine thing that the American Bible Society has for just 100 years been placing Bibles with soldiers in every notable war on American or foreign soil.

It prints the Bible in 150 languages, and employs over 2,000 correspondents for distributing the Bible, in whole or in parts. Last year about 8,000,000 volumes were distributed, and during the 100 years of its history nearly 118,000,000 volumes.

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And it isn't done in a perfunctory fashion, either. For there's always a word of advice as how to read, so that the soldier may get the best use of the Bible.

As he reads for inspiration, suddenly the old book of Psalms takes on a new meaning. For many of these old songs were written in times of war or in preparation for war. You can almost hear the sounds of martial music and the shouting of fighting men.

And when comfort is needed, the Twenty-third Psalm stands out, familiar, and filled with memories of childhood days when mother taught him "The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want," and all the rest of it, even down to the "valley of the shadow of death," where he'll "fear no evil."

Other scripture there is, to satisfy every mood and every need.

What the Bible is doing for the men in the army no man can tell, but here are a few snap shots:

A professional man who had been drinking hard and living high was tired out, badly wounded, between the Canadian and German lines. "It was all right, though," he said, "for thanks to the silent influence of this little book (pulling a Testament out of his pocket,) I was able to make my peace with my Maker."

They found a Testament in the hands of a dead soldier on the battle field, with words written on the fly-leaf: "Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life." Who can deny that this made him a better soldier.)

To a correspondent who had given a soldier a New Testament came a letter in which the soldier wrote: "I have found the pearl of great price"—referring to what he had discovered in the Bible.

"We are coming face to face with death—we have mighty need of consolation," wrote another.

The Bible keeps men human, and often makes them divine. This is what is needed in the great war we are now fighting.

YOU AND THE TRUTH.

Truth Does Not Belong to Us, It Is We Who Belong To The Truth.

Truth does not belong to us, it is we who belong to the truth! Woe to him who possesses it and treats it as something that belongs to himself. Happy is he who is possessed by it! No preference, no kinship no sympathy counts here.

Alas! It is not thus that men understand it It is for this reason that they degrade truth and that it becomes without power in their hands. Instead of winging its way heavenly in vigorous flight, it crawls along the earth, like an eagle whose wings have been broken.

Nothing is sadder than to see how those who ought to lend their voices to truth turn it to their own uses and play with it. The voice, human speech, that sacred organ whose whole worth lies in sincerity, has in all ages been the victim of odious profanations. But in this age it is more than ever attained. The evil from which it suffers is defilement.—Exchange.

SOME MEN.

Here's the way the Arkansas Gazette looks at it:

"Some men
Work on
Perpetual motion
Machines.
And some men
Try to lift
Themselves
By their bootstraps
And some men
Argue with women
And I can't see
Where there is
Much choice
Between the three."

THE ANSWER.

"None but the brave deserve the fair?"

"Well?"

"Don't you know the answer?"

"No."

"Enlist first and propose to me afterwards."

Most men's idea of justice is to get what they want instead of what they deserve.

Health About Gone

Many thousands of women suffering from womanly trouble, have been benefited by the use of Cardui, the woman's tonic, according to letters we receive, similar to this one from Mrs. Z. V. Spell, of Hayne, N. C. "I could not stand on my feet, and just suffered terribly," she says. "As my suffering was so great, and he had tried other remedies, Dr. —— had us get Cardui. . . I began improving, and it cured me. I know, and my doctor knows, what Cardui did for me, for my nerves and health were about gone."

TAKE

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

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