LOOK AT TONGUE! THEN GIVE AUSTRIAN PREMIER GIVES UP FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR STOM-ACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

CHILD GETS SICK

CROSS, FEVERISH

IF CONSTIPATED

"CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS" CAN'T HARM CHILDREN AND THEY LOVE IT.



Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign the little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhœa, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, dellcious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for bables, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomor-



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COUNT CZERNIN

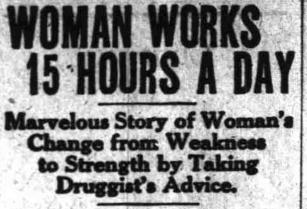
BETTER THOUGH POSITION

However, He Had Involved Emperor Charles in Most Unpleasant Position-Czechs in Revolt.

Coincident with the report of the acceptance of the resignation of Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian premier, comes a report of a serious outbreak of the Czechs at Prague, which for many months has been reported to be seething with anti-pan-Germanism. Bohemians, or at least the Czechs minority in that country. object to the creation of a German government there, but the incident may be more significant than has so far appeared. The Slavic races of Bohemia have long been standing out against the Germanisation of their country and the outbreak at Prague may be only another indication of the deep-seated opposition to the war aspirations of the central powers.

Washington .- News of the resignation of Count Czernin as Austro-Hungarian foreign minister lead to much speculation among officials and diplomats here as to the causes which brought about the rather dramatic exit of the Austrian official at a moment when, through his decided chang of attitude toward war issues. involving his complete acceptance of the extreme German views, it had been supposed that he had greatly strengthened his position.

This change was manifested soon



THE ROWAN RECORD, CHINA GROVE, N. C.

Peru, Ind.-"I suffered from a dis-

ant with backsche and dragging down pains so badly that at times I could not be on my feet and it did not seem as though I could stand it. tried different ines without any benefit and several doctors told me nothing but an operation would do me any good. My drug-gist told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it with the result that I am now well

up in the morning at four o'clock, do my nsework, then go to a factory and work all day, come home and get supper and feel good. I don't know how many of my friends I have told what Lydia E. my friends I have told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."-Mrs. ANNA METERIANO, 36 West 10th St., Peru, Ind. ,Women who suffer from any such all-ments should not fail to try this famous ments should not fail to try this famous

root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Defined. "Her moistened eyes were fairly blazing at me with rage.' "I see an attack of liquid fire."

Cuticura Beauty Doctor For cleansing and beautifying the skin, hands and hair, Cuticura Soap and Ointment afford the most effective preparations. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Oint-25 and 50.-Adv.



A QUESTION OF HEALTH AND OF DOLLARS.

"For every dollar the federal government collects in liquor taxes, the local taxpayers of the country spend \$10 to repair the damage done by liquor," points out Haven Emerson, health commissioner, New York city. "Is it the federal government that maintains the alcoholic wards of hospitals, supports the inebriate farms, pays the costs of the police, the courts, the prisons and asylums or poor farms?

"Come with me to the hospitals and the clinics, visit the homes of the poor, and see where the public must spend its money to rescue the remnants that liquor has left. Can you not see that it is worth a greater sacrifice than \$500,000,000 a year to liberate a country from the bondage of the alcohol habit? There is no need to drag ethics into the matter. It is a matter of lives, brains, health, bread and dollars and our promises due to our allies. Nothing so practical, nothing so patriotic, nothing so logical can be done by this country now as to face the issue in a manly way. As Lloyd-George said, 'England is fighting Germany, Austria and drink.' Let us finish the drink first, and free ourselves forever from the most habit-forming of drugs, and then go ahead and show our allies our effectiveness, our self-control, as only a nonalcoholized country can. The, world has never seen a nonalcoholized

ENFORCING NATIONAL PROHIBI-TION.

nation in war."

The champions of the liquor traffic advance this argument against national constitutional prohibition. They say in effect, it would not be wise for the American people to do a thing that the federal government couldn't enforce if they did it. Is that the challenge? Is that the issue? Are we to drive this thing from the field of morals, are we to drive it from the domain of economics, are we to drive it from the domain of decent civics and then have it turn to us and say to us: "All you say of me is true, but you can't inhibit me, bad as I am, for I am greater than your government, and your institutions!" Men, women, it is that issue that summons me to such conflict as with my poor powers I am capable of waging. For am not willing to confess that there is anything beneath the stars or under God Almighty himself greater than the sovereignty of my countrymen !- Ex-Gov. J. Frank Hanly of Indiana.



Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or tollet counter will supply you with three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Squeeze the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle, then put in the orchard white and shake well. This makes a quarter pint of the very best lemon skin whitener and complexion beautifier known. Massage this fragrant, creamy lotion daily into the face, neck, arms and hands and just see how freckles, tan, sallowness, redness and roughness disappear and how smooth soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless, and the beautiful results will surprise you .- Adv.

Excellent Manager:

"What kind of a housekeeper did Flubdub marry? Some say she's poor manager."

"I should consider her an excellent manager. She makes him get the breakfast and they take their dinner out."-Louisville Courier-Journal.

RELIABLE PRESCRIPTION FOR THE KIDNEYS

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do.

Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so many friends.

Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a



Red-blooded men of courage are the firing line—and there are many anemic, weak, discouraged men and women left at home.

At this time of the year most pe suffer from a condition often called Spring Fever. They feel tired, worn out, before the day is half thru. They may have frequent headaches a sometimes "pimply" or pale skin. Bloodless people, thin, anemic pe

ple, those with pale checks and lips, who have a poor appetite and feel that tired, worn or feverish condition in the springtime of the year, should try the refreshing tonic powers of a good al-terative and blood purifier. Such a one is extracted from Blood root, Golden Seal and Stone root, Queen's root and Oregon Grape root, made up with chemically pure glycerine and without the use of alcohol. This can be obtained in ready-to-use tablet form in sixty-cent vials, as druggists have sold it for fifty years as Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a standard remedy that can be obtained in tablet or liquid form.

A good purge should be taken once a week even by persons' who have a movement daily, in order to eliminate matter which may remain and cause condition of auto-intoxication, poison ing the whole system. To clean the system at least once a week is to practice health measures. There is nothing so good for this purpose as tiny pills made up of the May-apple, leaves of aloe and jalap, and sold by almost all druggists in this country as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, sugar-coated, easy to take.

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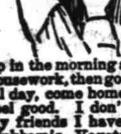
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Now its Long and Fluffy She Used

NOAH'S HAIR DRESSING



row, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."-Adv.

All He Wanted.

Two out-state monument dealers chanced to meet on the rear platform of a street car, and they were soon talking shop. After they had discussed designs and inscriptions for several blocks, one of the dealers happened to notice that a colored passenger was listening to the conversation with apparent interest.

Turning to the colored man, the dealer asked :

"You seem to be interested in tombstones, what do you want on your grave?"

"Say, boss," replied the negro, "I don't want none of them stone markers. When I die I want 'em to plant a watermelon vine on my grave and then let the glorious juice soak through."-Indianapolis News.

THE RESULTS ARE ALWAYS GOOD

Children and Grown-Ups Alike, Are Benefited by Old, Reliable Black-Draught.

Rockymount, Va .- Mrs. Sallie E. Chitwood, wife of W. T. Chitwood of this place, writes a letter which should be of general interest. It reads:

"I am very glad to make a statement in regard to my experience with Thedford's Black-Draught.

I have used Black-Draught for some time as a liver and stomach medicine and find it splendid.

I also use Black-Draught for my children in cases of colds or any of the many disorders where a laxative is needed. It has always given satisfaction.

I make it in a tea, and it is easy to take and the results are good."

Children and grown-up folks suffer plenty of pain and misery from liver and stomach troubles. What Black-Draught has done for Mrs. Chitwood and her family, in relieving these troubles, it will, no doubt, also do for you and yours.

Try Black-Draught for colic, teething troubles, sour stomach, indigestion, billousness, headache, constipation, feverishness, colds. It has been in successful and popular use, as a remedy for these and similar troubles, for over 70 years.

after the Brest-Litovsk peace conferences, where Czernin had become convinced that his moderate views regarding the basis of peace were unacceptable to the dominant annexation and forced indemnity party. Therefore officials here are inclined to believe that it was not because the count was obnoxious to Austria's great ally that he was forced out of office. but rather that the explanation was to be found in internal Austro-Hun-

garian issues. It is recognized that 'Czernin involved Emperor Charles in a most unpleasant position by his speech trying to fasten upon France the re-

sponsibility for initiating peace proposals last year, thereby enabling the French government to deliver a master stroke in diplomacy by producing the famous letter of Charles to Prince Sixtus. But quite aside from the Sixtus letter, recent events in Austria-Hungary have indicated that Count Czernin's tenure might be short. In the first place there was the frightful suffering of the population and especially in Bohemia, from the state of semi-starvation for which they held the government responsible because it would not make peace at once. Then there was the bitter dissatisfaction of the Poles and Czechs over the relinguishment of the rich country of Cholm to the Ukraine as one of the conditions of the Brest-Litovsk peace. Finally there was the concentrated hatred of the foreign minister by the anti-German elements of/the Austrian confederation because of his relapse into extreme conservatism and his adoption of the pan-German program in its entirety, with all of its reactionary policy.

It is understood Emperor Charles himself still has liberal leanings and is disposed to moderation so far as war is concerned, it is conceived that he might easily be inclined to rid himself of an official so unpopular with a large part of the Austro-Hungarian population.

It has been known, too, for a long time that the count has been a sick man and that he has often shown signs of distraction and has many times been near the point of absolute physical collapse as the result of his strenuous efforts te maintain control of the widely discordant element, that make up the dual empire.

AUSTRIAN RULER HURRIES DENIAL TO THE KAISER

Basel, Switzerland, April 15.-Emperor Charles of Austria has sent the following telegram to Emperor William of Germany, according to advices from Vienna: "Clemenceau's accusations against

Left the Squire Thinking. A well-known Hampshire squire, not-

ed for his shabby coats, was one day leaning over a gate which commanded a good view of his broad acres. A well-pleased smile was on his lips when he was startled by the sound of wheedling voice near him.

"Gie us a hand, old chap, to help my poor old donkey up the hill." The squire turned, and, with the smile deepening in his face, pushed the

little cart behind with so hearty a good will that the coster exclaimed with admiration : "Well, I'm darned if you ain't a

good old sport. I say," he went on in a whisper, "I've knocked over two or three of the squire's rabbits, and I'm darned if you shan't have one."

Whereupon, with a great appearance of secrecy, he pulled out a fat young rabbit from under a sack in the cart, and trotted away, leaving the bewildered squire with one of his own rabbits dangling from his hands .- London Tit-Bits.

Ultimatum.

For some moments we stand on the corner, waiting until the street crossing shall be passable.

The long, low, rakish vehicle continues to roll by. Casting our eyes down the street

along its length we mutter:

"What a nuisance these 200-cylinder cars are! I'll either have to own one myself or transact all my business on this side of the street."

We all love bargains, but we'd hardly respect a man who'd let us cheat htm.

Many a train of thought carries no freight.



A MODERATE DRINKER.

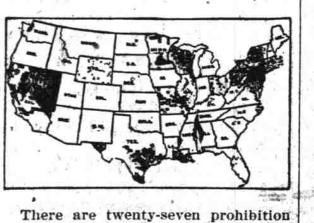
It was at the bedside of a very sick man. The physicians gravely watched the struggle between life and death. All depended upon the heart. Could ft cope with the crisis? Life hung by a thread. The thread snapped. The newspapers said he died of pneumonia, and so he did. But the physiclans remarked, "Too bad he used alcohol, otherwise he could have passed the crisis."

Yet this man was no drunkardjust a moderate drinker. He could "take it or leave it alone, just as he liked," and all the rest of it; was a highly respected citizen, and a staunch supporter of "personal liberty"-to take a drink when he wanted ft.

THE USUAL STORY.

"You need not talk bone-dry prohibition to me," says County Commissioner Charnock of Sloux Falls, S. D. "If from no other than a strictly business basis, I would be strong for it. The county 'charges have dropped one-half in the past six months.' Many of the floaters, who were always asking aid in the winter, have gone and the fellows who used to drink up their wages are now spending their money for necessities. There are only about ten or twelve county prisoners in the jall now and our bill for their jail maintenance will be about \$250 this winter. as against \$1,000 last winter."

PROHIBITION MAP OF THE UNIT. ED STATES.



sample bottle. When writing be mention this paper.-Adv.

Expert Advice.

"My husband always makes a fuss when I tell him I need a little money." "Your system is all wrong. Tell him you need a lot of money. Then he'll be glad to compromise on a little."-Louisville Courier-Journal.

\$100 Reward, \$100

Catarrh is a local disease greatly infinite inced by constitutional conditions. therefore requires constitutional treat ment. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICIN ment. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the Bys-tem. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE destroys the foundation of the disease, gives the patient strength by improving the general health and assists nature is doing its work. \$100.00 for any case of Catarrh that HALL'S CATARRE MEDICINE fails to cure. Druggists 75c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

They love their land because it is their own, and scorn to give aught other reason why .--- Hallock.

Old People Who Are Feeble and Children Who Are Pale and Weak Would be greatly benefited by the General Strength-ening Tonic Effect of GROVES TASTELESS chil TONIC. It purifies and enriches the blood and builds up the whole system. A General Strength-ening Tonic for Adults and Children. 60c.

The man who will not trust his feelings is not doing a credit business.

Anybody can follow a well-trod road, but it takes courage to be a pioneer.

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills are sim-ply a good, old-fashioned medicine for regu-lating the stomach, liver and bowels. Get a box and try them. Adv.

Next thing to having a thing is knowing where to get it.



Try Black-Draught. Recommended for young and old. For sale everywhere.-Adv.

The Way of It. "Could you get anything out of that handsome fool at cards?" "Yes; 1 'did' the handsome thing."

Don't mind a little dust-except to mind the example dust sets by quickly settling.

To remain a favorite never ask s favor.

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me are so low that I have no intention longer to discuss this affair with France. My cannon in the west is our last reply.

"In faithful friendship, "CHARLES." (Signed)

SCOUR THE SEAS TO FIND MISSING VESSEL

Washington. - Unremitting search of trade routes will be carried on by American and French naval and merchant vessels until every possible hope of finding some trace of the missing Cyclops has been exhausted. Although time passes without a report strengthening in the slightest degree the hope still felt by Mr. Daniels and several of his chief assistants, these officials refused to believe that the ship is lost.

states. The District of Columbia Alaska and Porto Rico are also dry. More than 88 per cent of the country's area is dry territory and more than 61 per cent of the people live under prohibition.

IT'S THAT KIND CF BUSINESS. I am shouting bappy to think that I am going to live long enough to preach the funeral sermon of the liquor business in America. I am overwhelmingly glad that I can see the end of this lawless, anarchistic, pimple-making, vice-producing, Sabbath-breaking, pocket-emptying, honor-wrecking, rag-bedecking, blood-polluting, riot-making, infamous, corrupt, God-forsaken business.-Billy Sunday.

Watch the approach of the water agon as the national vehicle!

