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Giant in Giant State

Fred Shruder of Jewell City, Kans., is the tallest man in his state, in all probabilities, as his claim to being the Kansas giant goes unopposed. He is six feet nine inches tall, and he is a hard-working farmer. He weighs 255 pounds and has no desire to enter the prize ring.—Chicago News.

The Same Old Backache!

Does every day bring the same old backache? Do you drag along with your back a dull, unceasing ache? Evening find you all "played out"? Don't be discouraged! Realize it is merely a sign you haven't taken good care of your kidneys. Take things easier for a while and help your kidneys with Doan's Pills, a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. Then the backache, dizziness, headaches, tired feelings and other kidney troubles will go. Doan's have helped thousands and should help you. Ask your neighbor!

A North Carolina Case

Mrs. Ida Gaddis, Water St., Waynesville, N. C., says: "My back ached and I tired quickly and seemed to give out completely. I had dizzy spells when specks before my eyes blurred my sight. My kidneys were too free in action. I felt much better after taking a box of Doan's Pills and two more boxes drove all trouble from me."

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Why She Shot Him

She had just returned from the barber shop, where she had exchanged her heavy tresses for a shingle. "I simply could not stand the weight of all that hair on my head another day," she explained to her angry husband.

"I always thought your head was weak," was his only comment.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Dr. Perry's "Dead Shot" not only expels worms or tapeworm but cleans out the mucus in which they breed and tones up the digestion. One dose does it. Adv.

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THE AMERICAN LEGION

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"FIGHTING JOE" IS NATIONAL CHAPLAIN

"Fighting Joe" is the title which has been bestowed by general consent on Rev. Joseph Lonergan of Durand, Ill., recently elected national chaplain of the American Legion. And the title is not airy tinsel, either. It has a background.

For it harks back to kid days when as a boy with two fists who knew how to use them and Father Joe sometimes found employment for them in ways other than earning money by working on railroad tracks to go to college. The story goes back to the time when he was a famous football star, "the miracle halfback" at St. Viator's college.

The nickname recalls a baseball career culminating in a batting average for his last year of .448, rather a big league average. It carries a picture of Father Joe, the ecclesiastical student at Montreal, tying up his priestly soutane above his knees and sliding bases like Ty Cobb. It is reminiscent of the young priest at Aurora, Ill., who appeared in the pulpit one day with a bulging black eye—fruit of too strenuous endeavors to show



Rev. Joseph Lonergan.

his eighth-graders in the school league he organized how to take 'em hot off the bat.

Then comes the time when Father Joe took up his work with the Eighty-sixth division organizing at Camp Grant. He was without military status and without salary, but he carried on. While there he lectured to all officers at Camp Grant on the necessity of religion. Shortly afterward he got a commission as first lieutenant chaplain, and began his extraordinary activity in the fighting game. It was he who spoke at Camp Grant's greatest day, July 4, 1918, when he addressed 50,000 of the division gathered there. A sentence stood out, which was flashed over the country: "A man never became a man until he got a good punch on the nose."

Then the Argonne and the Vosges. Father Joe says that when the shooting was close he became Dugout Joe, but the boys don't say that. They think he's all man. The chaplain reorganized a band for the Twelfth engineers, "the band with a personality," chosen by the French mission to accompany them when they took over Alsace and Strassburg from the Germans. He was transferred to the Ninetieth division and remained with them until he was discharged. Membership in the American Legion followed soon and then his election as department chaplain for Illinois in 1922. In 1924 he was unanimously named national chaplain. That's the story of "Fighting Joe" Lonergan, whose record at the front with the men endeared him to all veterans and makes him a very popular "padre."

Legion Posts Aim to Cut Down Fire Loss

"The source of America's largest and most preventable waste is fires, and American Legion posts and departments throughout the country are taking up the problem with an aim to appreciably cut down the loss annually of millions of dollars from fire," declared Legionnaire J. H. Dulaney. He and W. S. Atkinson are heading the department of Oklahoma's move for fire prevention. Both are leaders in the Oklahoma Fire Prevention association. The American Legion, department of California, has been active in fire prevention in the redwood forests on the coast the past year.

Prize for Student

It's time to reward the studious lad with the bulging cerebrum, as well as the campus hero of bulging biceps, decided the A. A. Mountain post of the American Legion of McMechen, W. Va. Accordingly, they offered a substantial cash prize to the high school student whose scholarship record is best during the year.

EDUCATION WEEK

THERE is no record in history of a military organization manifesting such an interest in the themes of peace and there has never before been such an expression on the part of a military organization of a consciousness of the importance of universal education as a guarantee of the safety and perpetuity of our democracy, as has been displayed by the American Legion," was the declaration of Vernon M. Riegel, director of education, state of Ohio, in congratulating the Legion as having been responsible for the inauguration and promotion of American Education week. The Legion in co-operation with national agencies introduced American Education week in 1921. The week has been observed annually since then by Presidential proclamation.

MANY POSTS AFTER MEMBERSHIP HONORS

American Legion posts throughout the nation have been extremely active for some weeks in signing up members in advance for 1925, according to Frank E. Samuel, national director of organization and membership. Posts have been tumbling over themselves to claim honors for early membership returns. Never before has there been such a contest and such a scramble for recognition in this work, it is declared.

First dues for 1925 were received by national headquarters from Joe Williams post at Farmer City, Ill., which had signed up 14 men for 1925 by the first of October. The first post in the country to sign up more members for 1925 than it had had in 1924 and to send the dues to national headquarters was Victor Cornell post, Pelican Rapids, Minn. Fowler post, Fowler, Ind., the home post of Thomas S. McConnell, department commander for 1925, was a close second. Other posts which were among the first to go over the top in this hot contest were Pulaaki post, Detroit, Mich., and Roy Cole post, Grand Ledge, Mich.

The Florida and Connecticut departments are staging a contest to see which will have the larger percentage of 1924 membership signed up for 1925 by the time the bells ring out on New Year's eve. Florida suggests that the losing department buy the delegates and alternates of the winning outfit a big dinner at the Omaha convention of the Legion next year.

Florida appears to be looking for something. That department won only three of the big Legion prizes offered at the 1924 convention. They carried home the trophies for the largest percentage of membership signed up by March 1 over the preceding year's membership, for the largest percentage signed up for the year over the preceding year's total and that for the largest number of man miles traveled to the national convention at St. Paul. Florida surely basked in the limelight.

Colorado, Utah and Wyoming are mixing things in a little friendly rivalry, Western style. The winner is to be the department which signs up for 1925 the largest percentage of its 1924 membership and will receive a stand of department colors presented by the losers.

Organized German Labor and Escort Companies

Do you know who directed the festivity of the German prisoners of war taken by American troops during the late fuss abroad? His name and title is Lieut. Col. William Briswold Gough, at present deputy county surveyor of San Diego county and a member of the San Diego post of the American Legion. Colonel Gough is a veteran of the Mexican border trouble, enlisting in the army in 1916. When the World war included the United States he was sent to France with the commission of captain. With the Fifteenth Field artillery he was wounded in action and then was placed on the general staff, where he took complete charge of the prisoner-of-war department of the A. E. F., and in that capacity organized the German labor and escort companies.

Fine Clubhouse for Hollywood Legion Men

Hollywood (Cal.) American Legionnaires will have one of the largest and finest clubhouses in the United States, if plans approved by the Hollywood post of the Legion are carried out. The clubhouse will be erected on property already owned by the post and will include swimming pool, a dormitory, gymnasium and other departments usually found in the most exclusive men's clubs. Money will be obtained to finance the building of the club from the weekly boxing bouts held at the Legion stadium, which have proven very popular with the "movie" populace, stars and "extras" alike. Hollywood post recently raised \$100,000 to carry on the post's relief work for disabled veterans.

Iowa County Lost Most Men

Madison county, Iowa, according to figures of American Legionnaires of the county, lost more men during the World war than any county in the United States in proportion to population. With a loss of 52 men, Madison county gave more than any county to make the world a safer place to live in.



SADIE'S SNOW DOG

Sadie was a dear little girl. She had a pretty voice and pretty ways and she had a little dog named Snow. Snow was very small and very fluffy. His hair was very curly and he had a great deal of hair.

Sometimes Sadie wished her hair would curl so easily!

Snow enjoyed life very much. He had a warm box for his bed. It had soft cushions in it and he could curl up and go to sleep.

Then Sadie had a little neighbor friend who was fond of Snow and who played with him, too.

Snow thought life was very nice indeed for a little pet dog with a devoted mistress such as Sadie, and with so many friends, too.

But one day in the winter time Snow got into the cellar. It was fun there. He had a beautiful time.

He played in the coal bin and thought it was lots of fun to see the coal go coasting down from the coal piles.

And he loved to see his own fluffy white paws become so changed in color. That was very amusing.

Well, after he had been playing for a long time in the coal bin he heard Sadie calling for him.

He was sure he would surprise her. He was sure she would think his little black feet were very cunning.

But when he came rushing up from the cellar Sadie seemed too aston-



Sadie Seemed Too Astonished.

ished to be as happy as he thought she would be.

"Oh, Snow!" she said. "How you do look!"

And when he wanted to bound into her lap, she said, "Oh, no, down! Down, Snow, you naughty dog!"

Well, she didn't like his black paws as he had thought she would!

He had been naughty. That explained perhaps why he had been having so very good a time. He was being naughty!

Sadie's friends came to see her that very afternoon and they laughed at him.

"Well," said Sadie, "you wouldn't laugh if you had only given him a bath two days ago, and now look at him!"

"But he does look funny I will admit."

Only you see he is so used to being petted, and I simply can't pet him while he is like that.

"He'd simply ruin everything I had on."

Everyone seemed to agree that this was so.

Well, he had a bath that very afternoon and then he couldn't go out because he had to keep very warm so as not to catch cold.

And he was covered up with a blanket and watched over carefully.

Not very long after this Snow was taking a walk with Sadie and with several of her friends.

It was a nice day but the day before had been wet and rather foggy and the snow looked dirty and horrid. Now his name was Snow and when he had looked dirty everyone had exclaimed in horror—though some had laughed seeing him as he had been.

At any rate Sadie had rushed at once to give him a bath.

But the snow all around was dirty and no one seemed to think it was funny.

No one seemed to be laughing at it, nor giving it a bath, nor doing anything about cleaning it.

Well, people were very strange.

Snow had made up his mind about that.

But they were nice in spite of everything. That was true, too.

So he enjoyed life as much as ever, only when he couldn't understand things he gave up trying to understand them or puzzle them out.

It was much better for a little dog not to worry his head about some of the curious ways of humans—it was much better that way.

The main thing that counted was that humans were nice and that Sadie was nicest of all and she was his mistress, his own dear, dear mistress!

How He Was Punished

Small Johnny—Did your mother punish you for going in swimming yesterday, as she threatened to?

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One-Man Island

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How's Your Liver?

Ogretta, N. C.—"I contracted malarial fever, while in Oklahoma, and all at once my whole system began to decline. There seemed to be almost everything wrong with me, especially indigestion and bad liver trouble. I tried several doctors, but none seemed to give me any relief. Finally I came back to North Carolina. Then, I began taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, took it about one month, and I have never had chills since. The terrible liver trouble and indigestion which I had are gone and I am enjoying good health."—Walter R. Martin.

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