

UNCLE SAM'S BIG PAY-MASTER WAS A WATER-BOY

At the Age of Twenty He Turned Down \$10,000 Job.

Representative Martin B. Madden, of Illinois, who will be the paymaster-in-chief of more than 600,000 employes on Uncle Sam's payroll, started at the age of ten as a water-boy in a stone quarry. He worked his way upward until he became the president of the largest contracting firm in the United States. At 20 he turned down a \$10,000-a-year job because he figured he would rather become a partner in the business where he was employed than work for someone else. Through an accident he entered politics. He is now the chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, and, with General Dawes, the Director of the Budget, he will approve all the appropriations for Federal government expenditures.

—It is estimated that one-fifth of New York City's population is un-naturalized.

PLENTY OF PROOF

From People You Know—From Oxford Citizens.

The greatest skeptic can hardly fail to be convinced by evidence like this. It is impossible to produce better proof of merit than the testimony of residents of Oxford, of people who can be seen at any time. Read the following case of it:

C. H. Piper, farmer, Route No. 6, Oxford, says: "I was troubled with my kidneys and I had pains across the small of my back. My nerves were all upset and the least thing would irritate me. I was also troubled with dizzy spells and black specks would blur my sight. My kidneys didn't act properly and I tried different remedies with no results. Finally I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and when I had taken them a short time, my back felt a whole lot better. Continued use made me feel like a different person."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Piper had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.



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CRAWLS TO CHURCH TO GIVE THANKS FOR HUSBAND'S RECOVERY

(Paris Special)

A curious sight was witnessed in the streets of Lisbon just after dawn recently. Maria Conceicao, wife of a workman, was seen dragging herself painfully on her knees from her house through the busy streets to the Church of Our Lady of Health, thus carrying out a vow made during the illness of her husband in case of his recovery.

The distance from her house to the church was over two miles and long before she had accomplished one-half of her pilgrimage, her knees were torn by the stone and her dress was stained with blood.

Maria's husband, a young tinman, fell seriously ill about six months ago and was given up by the doctors. His devoted wife tended him with untiring care and love and when it was thought that he was dying, she prayed for a miracle that should save his life, making a vow that if he recovered she would go on her knees, as a sign of thanksgiving, to the shrine of The Lady of Health.

The husband recovered and the wife has fulfilled her vow.

DELIGHTFUL CONCERT

Given At the School Building in Townsville.

Last Saturday evening the Townsville Music Club put forth their best efforts in the rendition of their first program consisting of vocal solos, duets, treos, quartets, sextets, and recitations.

This concert was under the direction of Mr. John H. Crosby and was highly entertaining and thoroughly enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience.

The many beautiful selections rendered by the various members of the Club showed much skill and talent, and gave credit to the director and to themselves.

Among those thoroughly enjoyed and worthy of the highest praise was "Barcarolle" by Mrs. W. B. Tarry and Mr. John H. Crosby, "Good night Sweet Dream" by Mrs. W. B. Chapin, "Come Where the Lillies Bloom," mixed quartet, "Greeting to Spring," by Mesdames Tarry, Bowling, Chanin, Crosby, Misses Kimball, Alston Kimball. Vocal duet by Theo. Crosby and George P. Tarry, "Pilgrim Song" by Mr. J. B. Watkins and the male quartet composed of Messrs. Tarry, Kimball, Tarry and Dr. Chanin added much to the joy of the occasion.

The recitations rendered by Misses Aline Taylor, Mary T. Watkins and Arline Kimball were also thoroughly enjoyed. This program will be repeated by the Club in Stovall, N. C., at the school building Saturday, Aug. 27, at 8 p. m.

The proceeds for the benefit of the Episcopal Church Rectory at Townsville.

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THE LAND OF BEGINNING AGAIN

I wish that there were some wonderful place,

Called the land of Beginning Again, Where all our mistakes and all our heartaches,

And all our poor, selfish griefs Could be dropped, like a shabby old coat at the door, And never be put on again.

I wish we would come on it all un-awares,

Like a hunter who finds a lost trail; And I wish that the one whom our blindness had done

The greatest injustice of all Could be at the gate, like an old friend that waits For the comrade he's gladdest to hail.

We should find all the things we intended to do,

But forgot and remembered—too late;

Little praises unspoken, little promises broken,

And all of the thousand and one Little duties neglected that might have perfected

The day for one less fortunate.

It wouldn't be possible not to be kind

In the land of Beginning Again, And the ones we misjudged and the ones whom we grudged

Their moments of victory here Would find in the grasp of our loving handclasp

More than penitent lips could explain.

For what had been hardest we'd know had been best,

And what had seemed loss would be gain;

For there isn't a thing that will not take wing

When we've faced it and laughed it away;

And I think that the laughter is most what we're after

In the land of Beginning Again.

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—In reply to Lord Northcliffe's slighting remarks concerning prohibition in America, Wayne B. Wheeler, of the Anti-Saloon League, shows that while there is room for improvement in prohibition enforcement there is a striking contrast between conditions in England and in the United States. Comparing 1920 with 1919, the total number of convictions for drunkenness in England and Wales shows an increase of 65.26 per cent, while the figures for every month in 1920 were higher than the figures of any month during the four preceding years, except in January, 1916, and December, 1919.

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Squeeze the juice of two melons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, which any drug store will supply for a few cents, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion whitener.

Massage this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes bleach out and how clear, soft and rosy-white the skin becomes.

Advertisement for Cardui, 'The Woman's Tonic'. Includes a testimonial from Mrs. Eula Burnett of Dalton, Ga., who says she was weak and run-down, thin, and just felt tired, all the time. She didn't rest well, wasn't ever hungry, and needed a tonic. Cardui is the best tonic ever made.

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And, you'll get the smokesurprise of your life when you roll up a cigarette with Prince Albert! Such enticing flavor you never did know! And, P. A. stays put because it's crimp cut—and it's a cinch to roll! You try it!

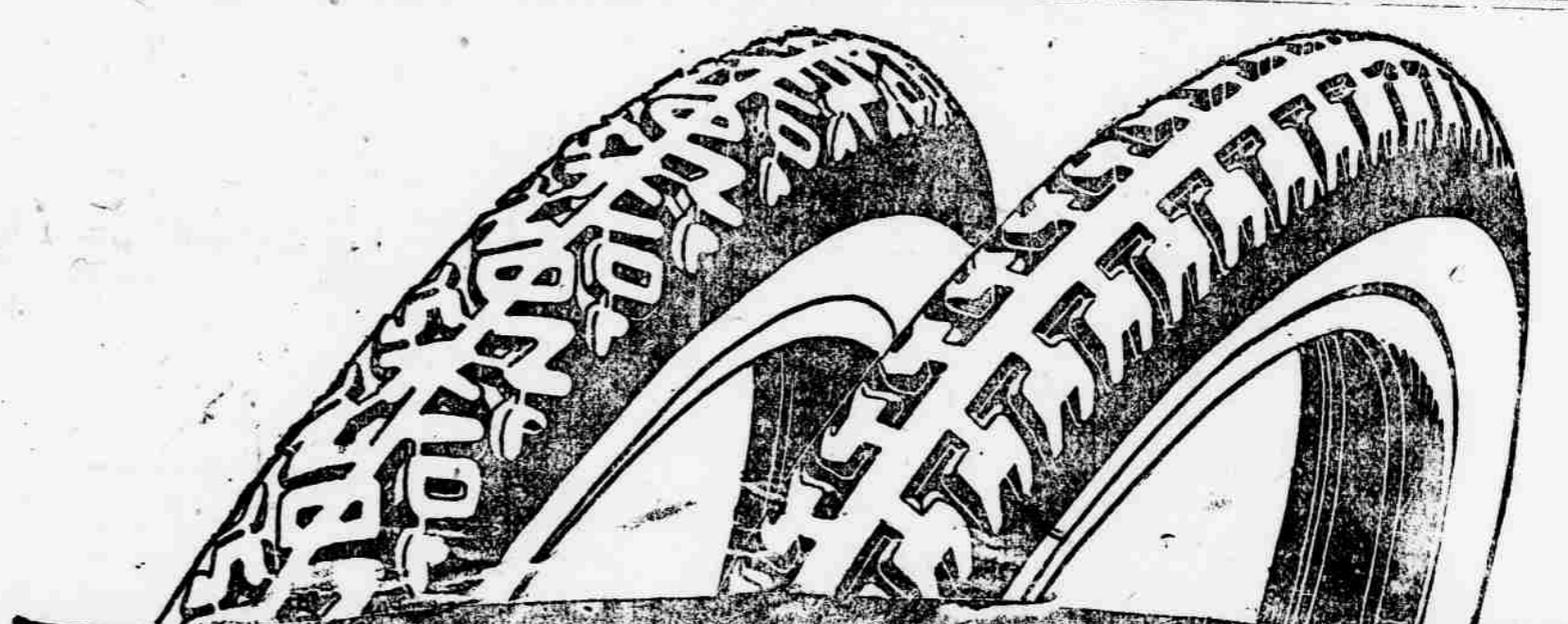
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