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FRANCE RECOVERS MILLIONS IN LOOT

REPORT OF THE WIESBADEN COMMISSION.

Exposes Huge Robberies by Soldiers — Restorations of Booty Secreted in Belgium.

Elaborate defences by erudite Germans against the charges that the invaders stole everything they could get their hands on in French territory during the war are substantially offset by the report of the Wiesbaden commission which directed the restoration of stolen articles to French citizens under special provisions in the treaty of Versailles.

As a result the world probably can expect another set of blue, white, yellow, green and other rainbow hue bound books explaining how more than 15,000 frames worth of paintings, books and furniture identified by the French owners as having disappeared when the Germans crossed the Rhine homeward bound happened to be picked up in error.

Activities of Robber Army.

In addition, as an astounding example of the devotion of the German direct to the ideals of the former Crown Prince, the Wiesbaden commission has sought out a quarter of a million tons of industrial material, 30,000 head of agricultural machinery, hundreds millions of francs worth of stolen securities, which the German hordes learned to their dismay were not negotiable. These restorations were not confined to German territory, but nearly as much has been recovered in parts of Belgium where German troops were concentrated. The commission is said to have discovered evidence of the inner workings of a German army service for the transport of stolen material from Belgium across the Rhine and which was used to commence extensive operations as far east as the Prussian frontier.

The restorations from the Belgian frontier include 50,000 tons of industrial materials, 2,000 canal boats and a great quantity of railway material. In many cases owners were so discouraged by the damage done to their property as to relinquish their rights to the stolen material. This unclaimed material has been sold by the French government both here and to German buyers, with the result that 24,000,000 francs and 26,000,000 marks were added to the French treasury, more than enough to pay the whole cost of searching for the material and its reshipment to the proper owners.

Winning an Indian Throne

That the Orient is still the land of the strange and romantic is shown by a story that comes straight from everyday modern life in India, but which might have been invented by Scheherazade herself for the entertainment of the sultan. It is an account of how the Gaekwar of Baroda won his throne.

It appears that in 1875, after the maharajah Malhar Rao was deposed, the council sought a worthier member of the family as his successor. Four sons of the house lived in the city, but the council felt that they were too old and incompetent to become efficient rulers.

In a distant village, in a mud hut, the council found a poverty-stricken family of the royal race. In this family were three sons, each of whom was young enough to be molded into a capable ruler. After some deliberation the council decided that one of these boys should have the throne, but left the selection to the dowager maharanee.

Accordingly, the three brothers—Gopal, Dada and Sampat—were summoned to the city of Baroda. Shortly after their arrival they were admitted to the presence of the maharanee. Her highness asked each in turn why he had come to Baroda.

The youngest was so awed and bewildered by the magnificence of the court that, after smiling foolishly for a moment, he burst into a storm of tears and sobs.

The next in age, who was more stolid, did not behave so hysterically. He answered the query as any well-behaved Hindu lad of his age would have done. He had come to Baroda, he declared, because his relatives had brought him there.

But when Gopal, the third boy, was asked the same question, he airily responded:

"I have come to be the maharajah of Baroda."

The maharanee and her councilors with one accord decided that the youth who gave this bold reply showed the most promise of becoming an able ruler of his people. He was chosen and there was no need to regret the choice.

Have Some Grit.

Be cheerful, keep smiling, no matter how things are;
Be kind, be gentle, and the road will not seem far.
Standing still and moping will never help a bit—
The folks who're up and doing are the folks who have some grit."

From a shark weighing 500 pounds, it is possible to obtain 10 square feet of leather suitable for boots and shoes.

FRAGILE, PALE AND MISERABLE

The Melancholy State of Thousands of Bloodless Children and Young Girls.

How often do you hear the remark, "She is very delicate?" How often it means that some young woman is living in misery, suffering from periods of prostration, dizziness, loss of appetite and disordered digestion. Headaches afflict her at intervals; pain in the back and limbs follow any exertion. She is never really well.

This fragile state of health, this lack of vitality, calls for prompt treatment. The blood must be nourished and made strong enough to vitalize the system that is so lacking in energy. In such cases Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have proved remarkably successful in making the new, rich, red blood necessary in restoring tone to the system. Mrs. L. M. Duncan, South Mountain, Ont., tells of the wonderful benefit Dr. Williams' Pink Pills made in the case of her young daughter. She says: "It is only right that I should let you know of the good derived from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills by our girl of eleven years. She was always very thin and not gaining in weight. Her appetite was poor and she had no desire for wholesome food. Finally we decided to give her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After taking one box, she went away on a three weeks' vacation, taking three boxes of pills with her, which she took regularly while she was away. When she returned home we were surprised and delighted to see how well she looked, and to find that she had gained seven pounds in weight. She had a much better color and her appetite had improved so that she was always ready for her meals. She continued using the pills until she had taken seven boxes, and the great improvement they made in her condition was noticed by many around here. I can only add that I believe Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a splendid medicine."

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British officers and men still serving in France number 37,000.

The Glory Hole.

As we came into the furnace room the stoker was turning away from the glory hole, through which he had been looking into the great furnace. The glory hole is a little peephole to which the stoker can put his eye and examine the fire without opening the big doors and thus losing some of the heat.

Seeing us with our guide, he said, "Would you like to look at the hottest place in the world? Do not look too long, for it might blind you for a time."

One after another we put an eye to the hole and for a moment looked into a brightness like that of the sun. When we turned away, everything for a moment was black.

One after another as we filed out of the room, we remarked, "Why, I am still looking through the glory hole! I can see into the furnace just as plainly as I could when I had my eye to the hole. It makes a spot of light everywhere I look. I did not suppose anything could be so bright as that."

And as I listened to their talk, I remembered the words, "And the city had no need of the sun, neither of the moon, to shine it; for the glory of God did lighten it, and the Lamb is the light thereof." If the brightness of the furnace and of the sun are too much for our eyes, what must it be to behold the glory of God, who gives light to the heavenly city! God does not now let us look into that glorious place; but sometimes He holds his hand over us, as He held it over Moses in the cleft of the rock and gives us a glimpse of the glory. And how wonderful it is—the glory of God! There is nothing with which we can compare it. It is brightness that would hide the light of the sun as the risen sun hides the stars.

Can it be that God intends his children to be glory holes through which others can catch a glimpse of His grandeur and the glory of His heavenly abode? If we are true children of God, surely something of the brightness of purity and love and holiness will shine through us, so that others may at least "take knowledge of us that we have been with Jesus."

Canada's Indian poetess was Pauline Johnson (a daughter of Chief William Johnson of the Six Nation Indian Reserve, near Brantford), who wrote several volumes of poems and gave recitals of her work. She died in Vancouver.

Picture frames are often hung because of their gilt.

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The Home That Wins.

Right into the hands of every father, the Boy Scout movement puts an insurance policy for his boy's future. Scouting is not something outside the home to turn you boy over to, and forget about. Scouting is the most actice force ever let loose in the world for welding father and son together into a winning team for home and country.

Every father does not realize that the average Ontario boy is awake 5,500 hours a year. You put him in school for 900 of these hours and everlastingly keep after him to make good. You place him in church and Sunday School for perhaps another 100 hours and let him know you are looking for results. You keep him around home and under your watchful eye for probably 1,500 of his waking hours and then turn him loose for his play—3,000 hours a year—and that's the end of it. Why? Because you are past the play age, or think you are.

Yet right here, in these hours he is away from home and other wholesome influences, is where your boy forms his character and needs you most. Scouting gives you, as a father, a complete playtime programme through which you can win your son for life. Scouting wins, and the home that "puts in" Scouting wins too.

Scouting is the manliest programme ever devised for a boy. As associate members of The Boy Scouts Association fathers unite with their boys in Scouting. They become pals with their sons and "home scoutmasters" backing up the regular scout leaders. The home with Scouting in it wins. If Scouting is not in your home, a letter addressed to the Provincial Headquarters of the Boy Scouts Association, Bloor and Sherbourne Streets, Toronto, will bring back a reply telling how you can help to put it there.

KEEP LITTLE ONES WELL IN WINTER

Winter is a dangerous season for the little ones. The days are changeable—one bright, the next one cold and stormy, that the mother is afraid to take the children out for the fresh air and exercise they need so much. In consequence they are often cooped up in overheated, badly ventilated rooms and are soon seized with colds or grippe. What is needed to keep the little ones well is Baby's Own Tablets. They will regulate the stomach and bowels and drive out colds by their use the baby will be able to get over the winter season in perfect safety. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A Little Knowledge.

Young Anthony Giles, son of Farmer Giles, upon demobilization went to one of the special schools arranged for ex-Service men.

There he learnt all the newest "hints" about farming.

Old Farmer Giles, some time after his son returned to the farm, met an old friend, and together they discussed the boy's return.

"Did your boy learn anyhing at the Farm School?" inquired Giles' friend.

"Yes," answered Giles. "He learnt a little too much for us."

"How so?"

"He came back with a lot of newfangled notions about how to run a farm, and seemed to think the old home-place was a sort of experimental affair, and that me and the hired men were just the fellows to do the work."

Surnames and Their Origin

SINCLAIR

Variations—St. Clair, St. Clare, Sinkler.
Racial Origin—Norman-French, also Scottish.
Source—Geographical.

In the classification of the Norman-French contribution to the nomenclature of the English must be included this group of family names.

In a sense they may be regarded as having been family names at the time of the Norman invasions, though it is certain that only a minority of the men who bore it as a designation of the localities from which they came actually bequeathed it to their descendants.

In a sense, too, the name of Sinclair may be regarded as Scottish, for it is the name of one of the clans of Scotland. But the Scottish clan name is subject to the same explanation of Norman-French origin as the English. Like many Scottish names, including those of several of the clans, it is not a native name.

The forms St. Clair and St. Clare, of course, explain the source. The forms Sinclair and Sinkler are but variations in spelling which have developed from spellings which originally were by no means similar. There is a "Thomas de St. Clare" referred to in the ancient writs of Parliament, and the name occurs variously in the old documents as "St. Clare and "St. Clair."

The Scottish clan name traces back to a follower of William the Conqueror, a "Comte de Sancto Claro," through his son William, who in the reign of King David I. of Scotland, attached himself to that monarch's court. Through grants of land at first, and intermarriage later, the Sinclair line grew into the clan system of the northern Goels as a distinct entity, and won the recognition of King Haco VI. of Norway, to its sway over Orkney. Other old strongholds of the clan were Caithness and Stratherne.

MOONEY

Variations — O'Mooney, O'Moynagh, Money.
Racial Origin—Irish.
Source—A given name.

The family names in the Mooney group, like virtually all Irish surnames, are derived from a given name, and originally bore either the prefix "O" or "Mac," signifying in the Irish tongue "descendant of," and came into being first as tribal or clan names, being adopted by all the followers of the chieftain's banners as well as by his own family.

Strangely enough, one of the variations of this family name of Mooney, or "O'Maoinaigh," which is the ancient Irish form, comes very close in its English meaning to the meaning of the given name from which the family name is developed. This variation is Money. The given name in the ancient Irish was "Maoinach," from the Irish word "maoine," meaning "wealth."

The domination of English custom and language, as well as English law, in some instances compelled at various periods the Anglicizing of Irish family names, and the existence of such wisely varying forms as Mooney, Moynagh and Money is traceable to the fact that the English and Irish alphabets do not parallel each other completely, and the pronunciation of the Irish diphthongs is quite different from English.

Family names of the Mooney group are common, both in Ulster and in King's county, having been derived from different chieftains of the same name.

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Was That Not Wise?

King Nomolos was the wisest of kings who has ever reigned, and every Tuesday from seven to nine-thirty of the evening he would distribute wisdom to the most foolish of his subjects.

One day there came to his court a very foolish man. He had ten women running after him, all demanding that he should marry them, and it was not law in the country that he should take unto himself more than one wife, and the foolish fellow dare not face the wrath of nine even to gain the favor of one.

He was not dreadfully keen on marrying even one.

And he appealed to his king for wisdom; and the women stood by glowering.

"Let me think," said the king, removing his crown, and calling upon his two scratchers-in-chief to scratch his head for him.

And having thought for the space of three asterisks the great monarch commanded:

"Let the ten women step forward and give their ages."

Silently, and one by one, the ten women disappeared.

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What Is a Silo?

The best we have seen on this subject is an article by Lyman Carrier in the American Journal of Agronomy. He says:

"A silo was used as a grain-pit in the dry Mediterranean countries before the Christian era. From this original structure we get the name silo applied to the structure used today in preserving green forage.

"The modern practice is traced directly to Germany and Hungary and is supposed to be the application of the principle of preserving sauerkraut. The fact that the Germans used salt in making their first sour hay lends weight to this opinion.

"The first silos were pits dug in the ground and made wider at the top than at the bottom. Into these pits green grass was packed and tramped down by five or six men. Salt was added at the rate of one pound to 100 pounds of grass.

"The first attempt to ensile corn was made by a German sugar manufacturer in 1861. The French and Germans then persevered in similar attempts but met with varying degrees of success. A Frenchman, Count Poederer M. Peret, through his investigations and efforts, earned the Legion of Honor and the popular name of 'Father of Ensilage.' Introduction into America came about through articles in agricultural papers.

"In 1891 Prof. F. H. King, of the Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Station, began the study of the whole subject of silo construction and ensiling. King's silo tables for determining the tonnage in a silo are classics. No man has done more than he to make the silo a success."

X-Rays Snapshots.

Remarkable progress has been made in X-rays work owing to the discovery of a new photographic plate which is 25 times more rapid than anything known hitherto.

This new plate makes it possible to take radiographic pictures of the heart lungs, or stomach, in a fraction of a second with ordinary apparatus, and, besides saving the patient and operator from the risk of exposure to the X-rays, photographs can be taken of organs of the living body so rapidly that they appear perfectly distinct, whereas with the longer exposures at present required organs such as the heart or lungs make movements which blurr the image, rendering diagnosis difficult.

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Case in Point.

"Of course dogs have intelligence," Bibbs declared warmly. "Now here is Dubbs; he's a lover of dogs, and I'll leave it to him if some dogs haven't more intelligence than their masters."

"Sure!" Dubbs responded heartily. "Why, I have a couple of dogs like that myself."

And Dubbs even yet sometimes wonders why they all laughed.

Faith is an invisible and invincible magnet, and attracts to itself whatever it fervently desires and calmly and persistently expects.—Ralph Waldo Trine.

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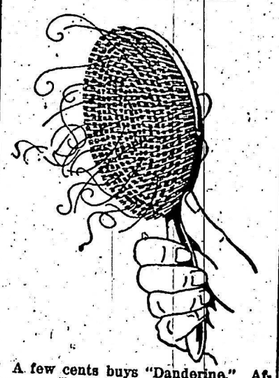
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His Two Ears.

"It seems to me, Tommy," said a father to his small son, who was very forgetful, "that everything I shy to you goes in one ear and out the other."

"Well," replied the youthful observer, "I guess that's what I've got two ears for."

First Come.

A little boy called on his aunt who lived next door, allured by certain savory smells.

"Hello, Aunt Sue," he greeted her "nice day." Then, after a minute's embarrassed pause, he came to the point. "Aunt Sue, I smell somethin that smells like fust rate mince pie with raisins in it."

"Yes, Will, I have some mince pies, but they're for company.

He pondered this, and then suggested hopefully, "I come to make a little bit of a visit myself."

Neutral.

"But are you a British-born subject?" angrily demanded the official at the Passport Office.

"My mother was British——" began the applicant.

"Yes, yes——"

"But she married a Frenchman——"

"Yes;"

"In Italy."

"Yes; but where were you born?"

"I was born on a ship flying Spanish colors whilst she was lying at anchor in Honolulu Harbor, but my parents died in Brazil when I was only four years old; and I was adopted by a Chinaman, who brought me up in Russia——"

"Well, he's——" began an official.

"He's a bleemin' League of Nations!" exploded the official who had first spoken.

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Dragonflies as Food.

In the Malay Archipelago, at the season when the rice fields are in flower, dragonflies are exceedingly numerous, and every day boys may be seen catching them with birdlime. For this purpose a slender stick is used, with a few twigs at the end well anointed, so that the least touch captures the insect, whose wings are thereupon pulled off, the body being consigned to a basket.

The dragonflies are thus gathered for the table. Fried in oil with onions, they are esteemed a great delicacy.

Minard's Liniment for Dandruff.

The ten invaded and pillaged departments of France have produced this year 500,000 tons of wheat and one-fourth of the nation's oat crop.

The first railway bridge across the St. Lawrence River was the Victoria Bridge, near Montreal, opened in 1859; the second, the Lachine Bridge, in 1886; the third, the Coteau, in 1890; the fourth, the Cornwall, in 1897; the fifth, the Quebec Bridge, near the City of Quebec.

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