

### OCEAN LINERS AT THEIR ENGLISH HOME

#### SIX SHIPS NOW BERTH AT SOUTHAMPTON.

#### Plans Arranged to Make This South of England Port the Largest in the World.

Long before the train steams into Southampton the giant funnels of the world's great wonder liners loom up in the distance, towering above the port, and dwarfing all the surrounding buildings into mere specks.

The new South of England home for these floating towns is the baby of British seaports. But the near future will witness great changes in the town.

Six out of seven of the world's biggest ships—the Majestic, Berengaria, Aquitania, Olympic, Homeric, and Mauretania—have made the port their headquarters.

A Sixteen-Ton Load! The Majestic is the last word in shipbuilding. Apart from her colossal tonnage—55,000 tons registered weight, but which could be increased to 64,000 tons if necessary—the vessel is mammoth in every way.

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Imagine the great provision stores aboard one of these ships. It takes over 12 tons of fresh meat to feed the people on board, and something like 50,000 eggs are used on every voyage of five days.

Even and is being "Made." The six ships "at home" in Southampton would weigh nearly 300,000 tons between them.

These massive ships glide alongside the docks as easily as trains run into stations, and it is rare, indeed, if they are a few minutes behind the advertised time.

To make Southampton the first seaport of the world the town authorities, together with the South-Western Railway Company, intend to do things on the super-scale.

The docks have been planned to take the largest vessel ever likely to be built, and a new floating dock is to be built which will pick up the 56,000 ton Majestic out of the sea as if she were a cork.

The five great piers which are to be the berths of these floating towns are to be similar to those of New York, only much finer and longer.

Careful tests show that the following are distinguishable at 100 yards:—The parts of the body, eight movements of the head, arms, or legs, and the details of dress.

Let the man be another 100 yards away and his face becomes almost a blur. It being impossible to distinguish the features.

Let him stand 400 yards away and his face is a speck, but it is still possible to perceive movements of the leg or arms. When he is 600 yards away he is merely a form.

### GROWING BOYS AND GIRLS

#### Need Rich, Red Blood to Keep Up Health and Strength.

It is a mistake to think that anemia is only a girl's complaint. Girls probably show the effect of weak, watery blood more plainly than boys.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People is a medicine that will give you a new health through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I therefore got a supply for my boy, and by the time the first box was used his appetite seemed better.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

An English tank barge for transporting oil is steered by electricity and can be controlled from a vessel towing it.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

### The Only Way is Through.

The only way out of a job Bill knew was through. He never once thought of going around or tunneling under it, into the ground, or turning back—none of these would do.

"The only way out of a job is through," said Bill; and—well, he proved that he knew.

"Let's build a derrick and go over-head," one said. "The job is wrongly shoved on us; it rightly belongs to the other cuss. Let's slide right by and leave it flat."

Bill learned a lot that none other knew. Going through. Jobs hunted Bill up and got in his way. It isn't my job by rights, 'tis true. But the surest way out of a job is through.

Now they call him "Boss," those others do; and you for your several brains and wills. Bill's had success, for the head guys know.

Remember his name because he knew "The best way out of a task is through." —Strickland Gillilan.

Considerate. "Would you mind driving a little slower, old man?" "Not getting scared, are you?" "Oh, no, nothing like that, but I'd hate to take any unfair advantage of my life insurance company."

### Surnames and Their Origin

SWINBURN. Racial Origin—English. Source—A given name.

This is an English family name widely known, but one which might give you something to puzzle over in its origin, or at least in one of its origins, for it has two.

As you might see, if you went carefully over a map of Northern England, there is a locality in Northumberland which bears this name, and undoubtedly in many instances the family name came into being in the form "de Swinburn," indicating that the bearer had come from this place.

The other origin is only revealed upon more painstaking research. It lies in a Norse given name of which we of today might well be pardoned for not knowing—the name of "Sveinbjorn," the meaning of which was "young bear" or "boy-bear."

In the north of England, as well as along the west coast of Scotland, the Norse influence was at one time very strong. In fact, numerous expeditions, of the Vikings left settlers in many localities, thereby bringing as much influence upon the nomenclature of England and Scotland as did the Danes.

The given name of "Sveinbjorn" would naturally, within a few generations, be softened into an Anglo-Saxon form, and then, following the period of Norman dominance, come to the surface finally as Swinburn.

### The Optimistic Time of Life.

Youth is always optimistic. It is always picturing the Promised Land ahead. Nature is a great diplomat. She knows she must hold up great inducements to youth in order to hold him to his task, to keep him from getting discouraged, giving up and turning back, to keep him going on.

For example, the youth in school cannot see the use of all the things he has learned. Much of it seems dry, dreary drudgery to him. A similar thing is true of many things in the use of all his life.

What marvelous pictures of a home of his own Nature throws up on the youth's screen just he forget and become selfish, living only for himself, saving only to gratify his own desires. But this fascinating home picture makes him reconciled to stick and dig and save.—Success.

### CHOLERA INFANTUM

Cholera infantum is one of the fatal ailments of childhood. It is a trouble that comes on suddenly, especially during the summer months, and unless prompt action is taken the little one may soon be beyond aid.

Tablets are an ideal medicine in warding off this trouble. They regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach and thus prevent the dreaded summer complaints. They are an absolute safe medicine, being guaranteed to contain neither opiates nor narcotics or other harmful drugs.

Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### The Trysting Place.

When the day lowers and I can feel My self-control grow weak, A little closet hid away I seek.

And if shut and bolt the door On those I love, 'Tis only I may be alone With One above.

A little while with Him, and lo! The tangle's straight. Surely that little door for me Is Heaven's gate!

A little gate of heaven, I'm sure That door must be, For when I open it again Heaven goes with me! R. W. T.

### Sentence Sermons.

A mule can not pull while he is kicking and he can not kick while he is pulling. Neither can you.

God will not look you over for diplo-mas and medals but for scars. Some folks make their joys mere incidents and their sorrows great events.

What we are not up on we are generally down on. The only motto some people seem to have is "if something ain't wrong, 'tain't right!"

If some sermons were as broad as they are long we would all be better off. You can't own any more than you are worth.

Some people grow with responsibility; others swell. Some people are absolutely punctual in being late.

The more we possess the more we are possessed by our possessions. H. M. Stansifer. Few things are more foolish than hating.

### When Clouds "Speak."

Anyone who has observed a clear sky being quickly obscured by clouds must have wondered how such a state of affairs came about.

The water-vapor that is evaporated into the atmosphere manifests itself in many other forms than rain. All the clouds are due to it, for they are nothing but aggregations of excessively minute drops of water or crystals of ice, that have condensed out of the air because the latter has become too cool to retain them.

The forms of clouds are endless and ever-changing, but there are certain characteristics which allow them to be grouped roughly into several classes. They are the thin feathery lines and bands commonly called "mares tails," floating nearly five miles high.

Sometimes lower are the "speckled," "mackerel," and "dappled" cloud effects. Lower still, about a mile high, are the great rolling masses of clouds—the ordinary domed "woolpack" clouds of the summer sky. They are the dark clouds with the silver lining. The "woolpack" cloud is due to moisture carried upwards by ascending air-currents which have been warmed by contact with the ground. Here we have also the heavy grey ragged pall—the raincloud.

The gigantic "thundercloud" may sometimes grow until it becomes three miles deep from summit to base! It is simply a dense rain-cloud, which is the source of heavy summer showers. Often it is accompanied by storms of thunder and lightning. The latter is caused by the discharge of the electricity that has accumulated upon the raindrops in the cloud, the former being the audible effect of the discharge.

Light travels about a million times faster than sound, and therefore we see the lightning before we hear the thunder; both are, of course, actually simultaneous.

### Hurricanes to Order.

Have you ever wondered how the varieties of weather—rain, fog, and wind—that one sees on the movie screen are produced? For artists and photographers waiting for real weather such as they require to occur, a lot of valuable time would be wasted.

The simplest solution is to make your own weather, so that you can turn on just the type you want. Three appliances are used. The first is the rain-maker, which looks like a light-made fire-engine. It is provided with a lattice-work tower on the top of which stands an operator who, by opening or closing taps, can produce either fine or heavy rain.

The rain is directed, towards the air current made by the wind machine, and by varying the strength of the "wind," the "rain" can be made to fall gently or in wild driving squalls.

The wind machine is nothing more than an engine with a large propeller mounted on a motor-trolley. By regulating the speed you can have a gentle breeze that will just rattle the heroine's curls, or a hurricane which tears leaves and branches off the trees and buffets the playboys as severely as a real storm.

The fog machine, also mounted on a trolley, contains a number of metal nozzles with regulating valves. Through them a harmless white gas is liberated in such quantities as may be necessary.

The safe way to send money by mail is by Dominion Express Money Order. "I myself an good fortune," said Watt Whitman. Why shouldn't we all say the same? Why shouldn't we be and have good fortune when we are the children, the heirs of the Creator of the universe? Why shouldn't we hold our own heads? Why shouldn't we be independent? Why shouldn't we be happy?

The heir of an earthly monarch holds up his head; thinks he is somebody; feels proud of his inheritance. But think of what the humblest human being has inherited in comparison—all of the good things of the universe! He has not only inherited the earth, but he has inherited the heavens, the sun, the moon, the stars. He has inherited the principles of love, of truth, of beauty, of sublimity, of power—everything that is worth while, everything that is good for him. We are all blessed with this great inheritance.—O. S. Marden.

### Fresh Water Spring in Ocean.

A fresh water spring which comes from the bed of the sea with sufficient force to be distinguishable from the salt water which surrounds it is one of the curiosities which may be witnessed at this time of the year off Ebury Cove, Torbay, England.

The real source of the phenomenon has never been located but it is surmised that the accumulated rainfall somewhere in shore creates pressure sufficiently strong to force an outlet on the ocean floor one hundred yards from shore.

The difference in color is marked enough so that the fresh water can be told from the salt from the beach and yachts have been able to refill their water casks from the supply of fresh water which is absolutely untainted.

Plane Truth. Mose—"Dis here flying business am a mighty ole venture." Rustus—"How come you say dat?" Mose—"Didn't see a parson say dat Ecu sold his 'holiship' to Jacob?"

### MUNN AND WIFE NOW ENJOYING BEST OF HEALTH

#### Toronto Couple, After Putting Tanlac to the Test, Declare it Restored Them Both to Splendid Condition.

"My wife and I put Tanlac to the test and we both think it is a wonderful medicine," said Edward Munn, of 123 Rose Ave., Toronto, Ont.

"For three years I was in a general run-down condition from stomach trouble and indigestion. The little I ate would cause gas to form, so I had to eat very little. I was miserable most of the time. I was troubled continually with constipation and frequent dizzy spells made me feel like I would fall if I stood up."

"I was always having headaches and towards the end of the day I was fagged out all the time. I hadn't gotten far on Tanlac before I knew I was getting better and now I feel fine in every way. My wife was badly run down, too, and Tanlac was just as effective in her case. We are now enjoying excellent health and are glad to recommend Tanlac for it certainly does the work."

Tanlac is sold by all good druggists. A Difficult Task. A couple of elderly merchants in the course of an altercation touching some business matter, so far forgot their dignity as to threaten each other with bodily violence, the first declaring his intention to pull the other's ears.

"This threatened one was so indignant that he contended in a third merchant, to whom he repeated the threat, adding: "If he tries it, he will have his hands full." And he wondered why his friend smiled.

Tripoli has no rivers and rain seldom falls. O. McPherson, Furniture Dealer, Underlayer, and Armstrong, B.C. Minard's Liniment Co., Ltd., Yarmouth, N.S.

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Yours truly, W. E. McPherson, Secretary of Armstrong High School Baseball Team.

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"I had these on my face for about a month before I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I could feel the pimples getting better after a few days' treatment, and I used one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment when I was healed." (Signed) Miss Florence Thayer, Wright, Quebec.

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