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SERVING HIM WITH SHOT.

Powder Monkey on the Battlefield—How the Ammunition is Supplied.

If it were not that there is a very excellent and elaborate system of supplying soldiers with ammunition during the course of a fight it would be almost hopeless to attack any position. Modern cartridges are very heavy things to carry. The long bullet, the heavy brass work of the case, and the weight of the wads and powder, all combine to produce an article which, though it is of small compass, is very weighty.

When our soldiers are attacking a Boer position their operations require that each man shall have a large supply of ammunition. This must all be carried forward as the fight progresses. The Boer entrenched upon a hill-top may have the largest supply of his ammunition by his side, and he is not weighed down by it, as our soldiers are when storming the position.

WHAT HE CARRIES.

During a protracted fight the British soldier is, in most instances, compelled to fire away all the ammunition which he is personally able to carry. An ordinary private carries 100 rounds. Just before an action, when heavy firing is expected, this 100 rounds is supplemented by fifty more from the battalion reserve of seventy-seven rounds per man. Thus each private advances into battle carrying no less than 150 possible dealers of death.

Whenever a soldier falls or is wounded he is immediately stripped of his ammunition, and it is at once distributed among the men who are still capable of carrying on the fight. The reserve ammunition for each battalion is carried in four carts and on the backs of two pack mules. When an action appears imminent, a temporary reserve, called a "brigade reserve," is formed. This consists of two carts taken from each of the four battalions composing the brigade. Thus special reserve is placed under an officer selected for the occasion. In the event of any of the battalions becoming detached from the brigade, they receive their own carts back again.

AMMUNITION PACK.

In addition to the above, there is always with the regular ammunition column seventy-seven rounds for each man, and a further supply is carried in the "ammunition pack" of fifty-five rounds per man. Accordingly the total amount carried in the field for each infantry soldier works out at 309 rounds.

The men who actually bring up the cartridges to their comrades of the fighting line are selected from each company for their strength and agility. This duty of bringing up supplies of ammunition during the engagement is a very arduous one, and only the most physically fit are able to attempt it.

The mules which accompany a battalion are supposed to get within 500 yards of the men in action, and the carts to within 1,000 yards.

A SUBSTITUTE FOR RUBBER.

Velvril Is Said to Be Superior to the Natural Product in Some Respects.

Velvril is the name by which a new substitute for rubber and guttapercha is to be known. It is to be used largely for deep sea cable insulation, to take the place of rubber, The desirability of such a substitute being found is seen in the fact that one cable recently laid required over 500 tons of rubber, or one-fifth the annual output, for its insulation. The new insulator is a mixture of nitrated linseed or castor oil with nitro cellulose. This gives a homogeneous mass, the elastic and other properties of which can be modified by changes in the proportions of the constituents. A good imitation of Para rubber is secured by mixing two pints of nitrated oil with one pint of nitro-cellulose. Castor oil yields better results than linseed oil. The elasticity of the product is 25 per cent. It is said to be more durable than rubber, and it can be molded under heat and pressure, or worked by dissolving in any suitable solvent, and then evaporating the solvent. Velvril is claimed to be superior to vulcanized rubber, in that it is without action on copper. It appears to possess many advantages, but satisfactory information as to its cost of production is not yet forthcoming. The purposes for which it is expected to be specially adapted are machine belting, the manufacture of portmanteaus, camping-out sheets, loin cloths for horses, balloon materials, hose and tubing, carding wire foundations for spinning rollers, floor coverings, paints, enameled leather and fishing lines. It is non-explosive, and not more inflammable than other kindred organic products.

HENS HATCH THE EGGS.

In China hens are employed to hatch fish eggs. These are sealed in an egg-shell and placed under the unsuspecting hen for a few days. The contents of the shell are then emptied into a shallow pool, where they can bask in the sunshine until the minnows are strong enough to be turned into a lake or river.

ACETYLENE SEARCHLIGHT.

A German officer has invented an acetylene searchlight which can be carried by one man, and which will illuminate everything within a distance of 100 yards. It is expected to be of great use in searching for the wounded after a battle, and in bridge building at night.

SHOEMAKER'S STORY

Tweed Shoemaker Who States He Was Cured of Backache by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

No Reason to Doubt it. He is But One of a Thousand—Dodd's Kidney Pills Always Cure Backache.

Tweed, Nov. 27. There is a shoemaker in this town who is one among the thousands who have been cured of Backache by Dodd's Kidney Pills. The shoemaker's work sitting bent over the bench or last all day is naturally a strain on the back, but that of itself is never the cause of the real Backache. Backache of the genuinely painful and distressing kind is caused by disorder of the kidneys. In fact the ache or pain is situated directly in the kidneys as the sufferer will find if he tries to rub the pain away with liniments, as he would were it a mere stiffness of the muscles.

Mr. W. S. Bushy, of Tweed, thought his case was of the latter kind. He bore with it for years, thinking it inseparable from his work. Finally, however, he found his mistake. He writes:—

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

All men believe in dreams—while asleep.

A plagiarist is a writer who collects his thoughts.

The whir-r-r of the alarm clock is an eye-opener.

The luxuries of life are the things we don't really need.

He is a busy man who does half as much as he intends to do.

Poverty may be a blessing, but only when it clings to our enemies.

It is said that a model woman earns a living by trying on cloaks.

A physician says the outbreaks of humanity are always more or less rash.

THE SCIENCE OF DREAMS.

According to the recent studies of Signor De Sanctis of Turin, children begin to dream before their fourth year, but are unable to recall dreams before the age of four or five. This age, he concludes, is that at which a child first becomes distinctly conscious of self. Aged people dream less frequently and less vividly than the young. Women's dreams are more frequent, more vivid and better remembered than those of men. Criminals and delinquents dream much less frequently and much less vividly than other people. Two-thirds of the most depraved criminals examined by Signor De Sanctis were never conscious of mental activity.

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