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SAY A PRAYER AND BLOW UP FOE'S TRENCH.

Unions Now-Nobody Need Be Idle.

Great Britain is proud of him. He believes in dynamite and the sign of in', mind." the Cross. He says they can win the I reminded him that a man had ed and sore. It is actually a cause of war. When he has laid the one he been proceeded against in court for indigestion-not a cure. Others try makes the other. A button is pressed neglecting his work in a munition fac- pre-digested foods and peptonized and there is a flash and an explosion. tory. . . . A German trench is blown skywards, writes James Sherliker.

The man who has done it turns the departing souls; his sense of duty objected to a fellow-worker earning are strong enough to do it themselves. has not affected his fine, sympathetic more than a certain sum. nature. Until a few weeks ago his "Ere. . . Look 'ere," he life had been spent down a coal mine "cum along o' me and I'll show you not far from Birmingham, and, like somethin'." most men who work in the hiding- He took me to his home and proplace of Death, his thoughts are often duced an old report of the engineers' of the hereafter. Hence the whis- trade union and opened it at a page pered prayer and the love for an en- giving a list of members who were

though he and his collier comrades of work, etc. from the Midlands are doing wonder- "Do you do the same thing, to ful work in the war. They are men day?" I asked. of the mysterious underworld. "Eye-| "Certainly. We hate slackers as witness" never describes their doings, much as anybody. The man who and I don't suppose he will until the won't do his duty and help to save struggle is ended. Then he will tell the lives of men who are helping to hew eagerly they came forward, how save him will get short shrift at the valuable in trench warfare was their bonds of him to all the least. I was taking a doctor's prescription, name jokes in the ranks of our regular to the least. The least is the least of him to all t valuable in trench warfare was their hands of his trade union, I can tell knowledge of drilling and blasting, you. This Munitions Bill to do away how they wormed their way to the with strikes and slackness is very Williams' Pink Pills and I decided to "Spud"—the derivation is obvious. A certain independence of Germans as they had wormed their good, indeed, but it isn't needed as far way to the black diamonds at home, as the skilled workers are concerned." how unerring was their sense of hearing and of locality deep down beneath the surface of the battlefield. I hope he will give us a little of the human Several Regiments Claim Princess side, a little about the collier soldier who sings in the Midland chapel at home, and who lays his wire of destruction all the better for humming ly of "full age" several regiments in a hymn; a little about the man who the army are anxious that her name blesses himself as he plants his pow- should be identified with them and der and who sends men to the Beyond that there should be a "Princess with a prayer for their salvation. For Mary's Own." Among the claimants colliers, I am told, are far from being to this distinction are the 6th Draall cursers and atheists, and out there goon Guards-the senior cavalry regithe men who do the best work are the ment without the name of some memmen who find comfort in the unseen ber of the Royal Family identified

Saving Tommy Atkins.

blown up by these coal miners from was born in that county they should Jacob, reigned in his stead and hasthe Midlands; many soldiers in the have the honor of bearing her name, tened the swift decline of the Man-British trenches have been saved by To have a royal name coupled with a chu dynasty in China, is told the same men. When that strange regiment is an ambition throughout Messrs. E. Backhouse and J. O. P. underground rumbling is heard and the army, and particularly is this Bland in "Annals and Memoirs of the Tommy Atkins turns to his pal and the case in the cavalry. Three of these Court of Peking.' mutters, "Did you hear that?" and regiments indeed now claim royal Toward the end of his reign, Tao thinks hard about his wife and his kid- ladies as their Colonel-in-Chief. These Kuang, concerned as to the succession, dies at home, the miner from the Mid- are the 7th Dragoon Guards (the had almost decided to confer it upon lands lies down on his side with his Princess Royal), the 18th Hussars his favorite son, Prince Kung, a ear to the ground. He listens. Very (the Queen), and the 19th Hussars young man much superior in characsoon he knows where the drilling is to | (Queen Alexandra). These honors | ter and intelligence to him who eventwithin a few yards. And our men were bestowed by the King a short ually became heir to the throne. It are saved. Yes, a clever man is the time ago. miner from the Midlands. He looks funny in his khaki because he is not as upright as a man who works where there is plenty of space. But he is a great fighting man, and he is sorry to have to kill, but duty has called him. Success to his wriggling and his drilling and his exploding. I am proud

that I gave his little terrier a bone. The Midland district is doing well. It has sent a large proportion of men to the front. A terribly large number have laid down their lives. Widdows and orphans are in nearly every street, and a few minutes ago I witnessed the funeral of a slum hero who died here after returning from the war. Nobody is idle here. The great munition works are busy night and day, and I am assured that much of the extra money earned is being A man is out of spirits when there devoted to the war loan. I have been isn't a drop in the house.

asked half a dozen times in one if I want work.

"You can do a bit of laborin' if no thin' else," a man remarked kindly

No Slackers Now.

He took me firmly by the wrist. "Look 'ere, mister, if you could see the stock of shells in just one place you'd swear there was enough to blow up all Europe. We all thought so, No Slackers Allowed in the Trades but, as a matter of fact, our boys at ways, but it can only be cured in one Examples From Literature of Some

them," he said, grimly. I told him that at one place in the away with a prayer for the repose of north a trade unionist workman had

expelled for offences like drunkenness, You will hear little about him, al- chronic laziness, immorality, neglect

LADY COLONELS.

Now that Princess Mary is official with it—the 6th Inniskilling Dragoons, the 13th Hussars, and the 20th Hussars. The Norfolk Regiment, too, Many a German trench has been claims that as her Royal Highness ther's favor after the manner

Never Given.

thing, Johnny," replied the old gen- fer the succession upon his pupil. "But this book says that somebody that his sons should go hunting



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A CHINESE JACOB.

Gained the Emperor's Favor.

How Hsien Feng, winning his fa-

happened, however, that the latter's tutor, Ts'ao Chenung, knew of the emperor's predilection, and, desiring "Pa," said Johnny, who is a per- to enhance his own position, cast sistent knewledge-seeker, "what is a about for some means of inducing the law-giver?" "There ain't any such sovereign to change his mind and con-

tleman, who had been involved in The emperor, following the dynastic considerable litigation in his time. tradition, had given orders one day was a great law-giver," persisted the the southern park. Etiquette requiryoungster. "Then it's a mistake," re- ed that a prince who had not comjoined the father. "Law is never giv- pleted his studies should ask his tutor en. It's retailed in mighty small for permission to absent himself for quantities at mighty high figures." | the day. Hsien Feng therefore attended at the lecture room in the pal-The Speaker in the British House ace and found his tutor there alone. of Commons may only vote upon an The prince went up, and making the bow that ceremony requires, asked for leave.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc. Ts-ao asked for what purpose, and he answered:

"The emperor wishes me to take day's shooting."

Ts'ao whispered to him: "A-ko (the Manchu word used speaking of or addressing princes. sit you and watch the others shooting. Do not fire a shot, and give orders to your huntsmen not to set any traps. If the emperor asks you for spring season it is not right to take life, because both birds and beasts have their young to take care of, and plucked, and you, sir, can Goe!" such slaughter is a violation of natural harmony. Take care not to quarrel with your brothers, but do not endeavor to emulate them. If you, a-ko, will remember this, you are certain to win His Majesty's approval, for I know His Majesty's disposition. On this hinges your whole future. Be careful; do not forget."

When the princes returned in the evening and reported to their father, only Hsien Feng had an empty bag. To Tao Kuang's questions he replied exactly as his tutor had told him to

The emperor was delighted, and said, "This is the conduct of a superior man," and from that day he de-

cided to make him his heir. In later years, when Tao Kuang had passed away, Hsien Feng raised his tutor to the rank of assistant grand secretary, but he died before attaining to still higher honors. The emperor wept bitterly, and proceeded in person to offer a sacrifice to his reremains, besides conferring upon him the highest posthumous honors given to a Chinese during the last century.

A Cemetery Cough.

An old man was leaning against the walls of a cemetery not long rest on one of the stone seats that are placed at the gates of a cemetery. in physics Payn." The old man had a very bad cough, and it was while he was in a bad fit of coughing that a young man approached him. Thinking he would said: "I'll tell you, old man, you've is the first peer of the realm. got a cemetery cough." "Maybe," rewink in his eye, "but there's lots in that cemetery that would be glad of my cough."

PROPER NAMES

ANGUISH OF THE FIRST DAYS AT SCHOOL

of the Crimes Which Are Perpetrated.

ed with apprehension as the possibilibrought a delighted grin to the questhat to the indignity of having one's the genuine. name made the subject of jest and mirth was added the intense ennui produced by listening to the same not Hemford, N.S., says: "For months I too brilliant jeu d'esprit over and Britain Imports Yearly 200,000,000 was a great sufferer from indigestion; over again. Schoolboys are very tenfood of any kind was distasteful to acious of anything that appeals to me, and after eating I would suffer their crude sense of humor; and the much. Naturally I grew weak and unhappy new boy was never allowed est at the present time in England of was but a shadow of my former self. to hear the last of the exquisite joke. M. U. Schoop's metal sprinkling pro-I was taking a doctor's prescription, There are certain formulæ about cess consists of the manufacture of Then I read of a case similar to my lar army. Every recruit called Mur- per in lieu of brass or copper. The own cured through the use of Dr. phy is immediately rechristened advantages of such a process are aptry this medicine. By the time I had Also, in the same way a Lee becomes taken six boxes the trouble had en- "Gypsy," his comrades feigning to quantities of brass and copper hithertirely disappeared, and I could eat believe that he must of necessity be- to required is obtained. In addition heartily of all kinds of food. More long to the famous Romany family. greatly improved through the use of but the applicability of this nickname

the Pills. I can therefore strongly is a mystery. recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills In the Days of Theodore Hook You can get these Pills through per names were quite the thing; and, by an unknown method into extremeany dealer in medicine or by mail, while the auditors grinned, the vicpost paid, at 50 cents a box or six tim bore the infliction with as much board or paper can in this way be boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Wil- dignity as he could summon up. As liams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. a specimen of Hookian wit of this kind the following may serve: "A humorist of this epoch (I am not quite has a great army to feed. England's Are the Most Virulent and Irritant of sure whether it was the sprightly breadbasket in peace times needs re-Took His Teacher's Advice and Thus Theodore himself) invited to the house filling every ninety days. In war of a Mr. Pepper, greeted his host with times the period is shortened somethe words: "How happy you must be, what, Mr. Pepper, to see your friends all To fill the breadbaskets of 44,000,to be at the door:

ceedings are summary.

"God Send This Crumb Well Down!" In ordinary years it takes about No follower of Oliver could possibly 100,000,000 hundredweight, or about object to such an innocent wish.

as regards his aspiration. His name 000,000 bushels. was Channell. Arguing a case in the Part of this wheat came from Admiralty Division, he left the bench countries which are now allies of Eng- out the sting over-night. Never fails the tree-top, but does not move. in some doubt whether a certain ves- land in the world war. Comparative- -leaves no scar. Get a 25c, bottle of sel he mentioned was the Helen or ly little of it was from countries with Putnam's Corn Extractor to-day. the Ellen. "Is there an 'h' in the which England is at war. Russia has name?" the Judge at last inquired, been a bountiful source of supply, "Yes, my Lord," broke in his learned but now it is a different story. friend on the other side, "but it has been lost in the chops of the Channell. The most fearsome and commy advice: when you reach the park, plete pun of this kind was made by by Mr. George Sinclair of Knowes an examiner who had to tell a certain Mill, Prestonkirk, Scotland, from the undergraduate the result of his viva British South Africa Company, giving voce. The undergraduate's name particulars of the death of his son,

> There is a variety of the pun upon lions devouring a dead man. He a name, however, that one is almost fired three times at a lioness; the lions inclined to forgive, or at least to re- made off, and he immediately followgard with a certain leniency. It is ed them. Coming upon the wounded

> en an apt twist which brings in "The Cognomen of the Victim. One of the best of this kind is attri- arm. His rifle fell to the ground, but buted to Sir William Harcourt, Lis- he got out his knife and stabbed the tening to a long descended baronet animal repeatedly in the neck. His named Knightley descanting on the left arm was broken, and the lioness antiquity of his family, the politician struck him on the left side round to was heard to misquote a well-known the spine before succumbing to her hymn as follows:

And Knightley to the listening earth lowing morning. Recounts the story of his birth.

From the United States comes the story of an unwilling auditor of Senator Lodge, who, as the Senatorial eloquence showed no signs of ceasing, muttered to his neighbor: "Oh, for a Lodge in some vast wilderness!"

James Payn, the novelist and editor, was notoriously averse to physical exercise. A gentle stroll from the Cornhill offices in Waterloo Place to the Reform Club was the limit of his pedestrianism. So it was not strange that he showed signs of acute discomfort on a country ramble. As the party climbed a steep acclivity in the course of the walk one of them, no ago, and, being tired, he sat down to ticing the novelist's distress, whispered to another: "The labor we delight

After the members of the royal take a rise out of the old man he family, the Archbishop of Canterbury

> He (addressing the little sister of his betrothed)-"Don't you know me, little one? Who am I, then?" Little One (brightly)—"I know. You're my sister's last chance."

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PAPER CARTRIDGES.

A new application of extreme inter-

A certain independence of the large than this I found my general health All Clarks (or Clarkes) are "Nobby," three grams in each cartridge, as a a considerably larger number than heretofore. In the Schoop process the liquid metal is crushed by means and his merry friends jokes upon pro- of compressed air and is then inflated

provided with small effort and ex-

This saving counts, for England

tax collector called Winter was seen sources of supply than the domestic one must be looked to. There is, moreover, the fact that the English has become so much a habit that it body within a radius of 400 feet. You had much better pay him without may be classed with other British in-Though Winter's his name his pro- limitation of the King's prerogatives.

to the United Kingdom to draw This form of pun is no new one, wheat and flour from. There are the a modernized "stink-pot," which the indeed. Even in the seventeenth cen- British possessions overseas, all Eu- Chinese have employed from time imtury it rankly flourished. During the rope itself, the United States, Canprotectorate some of the late king's ada and South America. These adherents, drinking together, would Sources of supply are ample to infollow a crum of bread with a draught sure the average quantity of bread, ed to-day are the most virulent and of wine, and then utter the pious since a world-wide failure of the wheat crop never happens.

200,000,000 bushels, of imported Even the solemnity of our law wheat to fill the bread basket of the courts has been disturbed by the name United Kingdom, in addition to the pun. There is a story about a cer- domestic supply. In 1913 the importain barrister whose elocution was tations were approximately 106,000,not always of the clearest, especially 000 hundredweight, or about 200,-

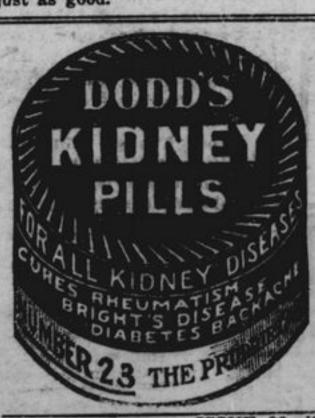
Scot Killed by a Lion. A communication has been received was Field Flowers Goe, and he sub- Norman, who was killed by a lioness sequently attained some eminence in while acting as a scout on the norththe church. The verdict was, "The west border of Northern Rhodesia. Field is ploughed, the Flowers are While riding ahead of a party of native carriers, Mr. Sinclair sighted six but before he could fire the lioness charged, and seized him by the left

when some familiar quotation is giv- lioness he dismounted from his horse, own wounds. Mr. Sinclair's injuries were so severe that he died the fol-

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Force of Habit. We gazed pityingly on the listless drug store clerk leaning against the soda counter.

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GASES IN WARFARE.

That the Germans were determined to break the agreement of the Hague Convention by which the powers promised to abstain from the use of all mustered!" A . better instance, per- 000 people when the agricultural area asphyxiating gases is evident from haps, is Hook's impromptu when a is limited, it is clear that other the fact that their patent office records show that Krupps patented a gun for throwing poisonous gas bombs some years before the war. Here comes Mr. Winter collector of people want wheat bread. Germans The specifications show that it would may thrive on rye bread, but with the throw a 150-pound bomb a distance of I advise you to pay him whatever he Britons at home eating wheat bread 400 yards, causing the death of every-

The use of asphyxiating gases in stitutions, such as parliament and the the form of bombs and other contrivances is really a revival of the an-In peace times all the world is open cient methods of warfare applied to modern conditions. The gas bomb is memorial; but whereas the old Chinese "stink-pot" merely rendered men unconscious, poisonous gases employirritant of poisons, and few men recover from the effects after they have inhaled the gas to any extent.

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Helping a Lady.

"Jack, I wish you'd come to see me occasionally." "Why, Vanessa, I thought you were engaged to Algernon Wombat?" "No; but I think I could be if I get up a little brisk competition."

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