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The Newest Notes of Science

In the base of a new shaving mug is a lamp to heat the water.

Death by prevention of sleep is a legal form of punishment in China.

A recent patent covers a combination of pocketknife, comb and cigar clipper.

Artificial wood for matches is being made from straw by an inventive Frenchman.

Rubber and asbestos, combined to form shoe soles, are the subject of a recent patent.

Scotland will have at Dunfermline a technical college chiefly devoted to linen weaving.

A new vacuum cleaner is specially designed to remove dust from books on library shelves.

Paper clubs for policemen, practically indestructible, have been invented by an Englishman.

To help in picking fruit a Californian has patented a thumb with a knife blade at the end.

Motion pictures are being used to teach improved methods of agriculture to natives of India.

Seeds of rubber trees have been found to yield an oil similar in its usefulness to linseed oil.

Men drilling an artesian well in Argentina found rich deposits of copper at a depth of 100 feet.

For twisting wires together a New York inventor has patented an attachment for an ordinary brace.

Natives of Peru use a boat made entirely of reeds and straw, even the sail consisting of straw matting.

In the interest of cleanliness there has been invented a bottomless milk bottle, having paper caps at each end.

What is believed to be the oldest inhabited residence in the world is a mansion in Germany that was built in 700.

For use in power boats in emergencies there has been invented an oar that can be folded to economize space when not needed.

Swedish chemists have developed a method for removing carbon from coal tar, leaving a clear, transparent golden brown liquid.

The discovery of fish glue is attributed to a Massachusetts man who while making chowder, found that it stuck to his fingers.

The Russian Government has authorized the cultivation of the poppy for the production of opium and oil for domestic consumption.

The United States imported more than a billion pounds of coffee last year, a record exceeded only twice before, in 1904 and 1909.

According to a French investigator, the chance of mistake in identification by means of finger prints is about one in 17,000,000,000.

To prevent an automobile splatter mud upon pedestrians there has been invented a flexible metal ring to be attached close to a tire.

The English inventor of a new wireless telephone claims that it is so compact that a man can carry the entire apparatus about with him.

In a new oven for household use the baking compartments are on top of the fire box and are surrounded by flues through which heat passes.

With ten pairs of revolving disks a static electric machine has been built in Paris that has developed 32,000 volts between its terminals.

A mirror is mounted on the back

of a recently patented automobile headlight to enable a driver to see vehicles approaching the back of his car.

With an area equal to that of Texas, two thirds of it tillable, Morocco has less than ten per cent. of its soil under even the rudest cultivation.

For reinforcing wood stove water-pipe there has been invented a compressed-air machine which winds wire around them, at the same time moving forward.

Tanks to hold half a ton of ice and electric fans to circulate the air from them are used to cool the interior of cars on the Egyptian state railways.

A Maine inventor's mechanical substitute for web feet are bags to be attached to a swimmer's legs, opening with the kick and folding with the return.

With wireless stations powerful enough to reach vessels in all Chinese waters, the Government of that nation will establish a typhoon warning service.

To prevent a cow switching her tail against a person walking her, a new motor-driven diaphragm has been patented a clamp attached to a steel spring to be twisted around one leg.

For ironing laces and dainty fabrics an iron has been brought out in England in the form of a polished steel roller, fitted with electric heating units.

A new automobile windshield is divided in half so that one section can be swung down to lessen the air resistance when but a single person is using a car.

Refrigerator cars, cooled by ammonia combustion engines utilizing petroleum for fuel, are being built for a German railroad.

Danger of breakage is eliminated in a new motor-driven dish washer in which the dishes are held stationary in wire baskets and water is forced around them.

Most of the world's sources of tin ore are either stationary or receding in output. Bolivia of all countries alone gives promise of permanence and future growth.

On a new cash drawer an electric bell rings until it is closed and locked and, once opened by pressing a combination of buttons, it cannot be reopened if partly shut.

A combination of telephone, microphone and phonograph has been invented in France for transmitting sounds from the last to distant points or to several points at once.

A patent has been granted for a sailboat that cannot be capsized by wind, in which the mast is hinged and so connected with counterweight as to hold the hull steady.

A German inventor has brought out a disk talking-machine record, across which is a groove that returns the needle to the starting point automatically to make it ready for the next record.

Pneumatic regulation of the temperature of residences is provided by a new thermostat that switches electricity to a motor to open or close drafts in the heating apparatus.

Geese are fattened for market in some parts of Europe by confining them in dark rooms, to which light is admitted at intervals, causing them to eat seven or eight meals a day.

By the use of a partial vacuum the United States department of agriculture has developed a hydrocyanic acid process for fumigating imported seed more rapidly than heretofore.

The construction of a new port on the east coast of the island of Luzon is expected to reduce the time for trips between the Pacific coast of the United States and Manila by four days.

Stray electric currents from a railroad are supposed to cause the trees on one side of a Brussels street to bud again and sometimes blossom after they once have shed their leaves every fall.

What His New York inventor claims is a punctureless automobile tire is filled with rubber balls instead of any inner tube, the injury of any one of which falling to effect the entire tire.

A vacuum cleaner for an automobile can be made by attaching a pipe T behind the muffler in such a way that the exhaust creates a vacuum in hose fastened to the upright portion of the T.

Curved plate glass used in a New York store window to prevent reflection has been found to polarize the light that enters it that the color and textures of fabrics in the window are emphasized.

An individual life raft invented in Germany is provided with a compass in front and an intermittent light, operated by a motor, like like the light, is supplied by a storage battery in the rear.

Sanitary linings for wash basins have been patented, made of antiseptically treated paper with a string so inserted that when it is pulled the paper is torn to let its contents escape into a drain.

A new portable electric light resembles a tape measure as the lamp is mounted on one side of a case which contains a coil of wire that may be extended several yards to a convenient source of current.

To enable a person to clean the outside of windows without danger of falling a long handled tool has

been invented with a clip to hold a wet cloth on one side of the head and a rubber squeegee on the other.

A French inventor claims to have discovered a substance more sensitive to wireless waves than any now in use and to have perfected receiving apparatus which does away with all other wires and antennae.

The moisture holder of a new letter-sealing device is so arranged that it will with the gum edges up-permost it will moisten the gum on each in turn as it is withdrawn.

In addition to nuts used in confecting the Indian cashew tree yields an insect-repelling gum, a juice that makes an indelible ink and three kinds of oil—two edible and the others used to tan fishing nets and preserve wood.

Because flash-light powders are not swift enough for the most rapid photography an electrical device has been invented which lights the powder and then snags a camera shutter when the burning powder is at its greatest brilliancy.

**ZEPPELINS OFTEN SMASH THEMSELVES.** Clumsy Big German Balloons Are Very Difficult To Handle.

Ever since the commencement of the war, the possibility of a Zeppelin raid on Great Britain has caused a great deal of discussion, for the Germans have taken good care to spread as much as possible dread of such an attack.

In aeronautical circles, however, little alarm is felt, for those who know the real capabilities of the Zeppelin airships are aware that the German inspired scare is about as empty as the gas filled aircraft itself.

Take, for instance, the much vaunted automatic guns which are said to be carried on a specially built platform situated on the sausage shaped envelope of the Zeppelin. It is extremely doubtful whether a single one of the Kaiser's airships is armed in this fashion, for Count Zeppelin in a new motor-driven diaphragm has been patented a clamp attached to a steel spring to be twisted around one leg.

On a new Zeppelin airship a tunnel was constructed through the gas envelope which enabled the crew to pass between the passenger gondolas and a gun platform on the top of the machine.

The craft climbed to a height of a thousand feet with a full complement of crew, and a number crawled up the ladder in the communication tunnel and primed the gun situated above the envelope.

The signal was given and the weapon fired, and this proved to be the last action of the unfortunate gun crew. The Zeppelin disappeared in a sheet of flame, and a twisted mass of aluminum and fabric crashed to earth carrying over thirty men to their doom.

A Zeppelin was manoeuvring near Berlin, with the usual crowd of admiring spectators looking on, and no doubt inspired by the large audience, the crew brought their machine close to the ground and began to trim the trees tops.

The day was gusty and a number of fierce air currents took possession of the airship and forced it out of control.

It crashed on to a wooded slope, around which the lengthy airship enveloped itself in a disastrous embrace.

The task of landing and sending off a Zeppelin is a nerve-racking undertaking. Various complicated devices, such as supporting trucks running on rails, are required to launch the machines into space, and even then a troublesome wind is likely to wreck the whole apparatus.

The usual landing crew of several hundred men were bringing a Zeppelin to earth on one occasion when, through a misty order, the front portion of the dirigible was released by the group holding it to earth.

The men in the rear hung on to their portion of the machine so that whilst the front shot up the back stayed down. The result was that the great airship broke its back, and several thousand pounds of the German taxpayers' money went to waste.

Mishaps such as these are bound to occur unless a picked company of five hundred men are drilled with military precision to handle a descending Zeppelin, for quite a little difference in weight will throw the ship up or down too much on one side.

**A Very Ancient Sin.** Windsor Record.

Grafting and theft are the outriders of war. It has been the case since the days when Achan confessed to Joshua.

"And Achan answered Joshua and said, indeed I have sinned against the Lord God of Israel, and thus and thus have I done:

"When I saw among the spoils a goodly Babylonish garment, and two hundred shekels of silver and a wedge of gold of fifty shekels weight, then I coveted them and took them; and behold, they are hid in the earth in the midst of my tent, and the silver under it.

"So Joshua sent messengers, and they ran into the tent, and behold it was hid in his tent, and the silver under it.

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NEARLY MILLION A DAY Pennsylvania System Earned \$354,000,000 Gross Last Year.

New York, March 26.—Gross earnings of all the Pennsylvania system lines last year were \$354,000,000. They were less by \$38,000,000, or 11 per cent., than that of the previous year. Still, they were close to a million a day, including Sundays.

The system paid out directly in wages last year approximately \$160,000,000, or at the rate of \$430,000 a day, but the men got at least \$50,000 a day less than the year before.

**Dividend Suspended.** New York, March 26.—The Southern Railway Company directors have decided to suspend the dividend on the preferred stock ordinarily payable in April. In October last the directors declared a dividend at the rate of 4 per cent. payable in five-year scrip immediately after the announcement of the suspension of the dividend the stock broke from 50 to 45 1/4. Its minimum is 43.

**Searched Field Discovered Nothing.** Toronto, March 26.—Canadian Mining and Exploration Co. spent 72 per cent of its revenue in 1914 looking for something good in mining, but did not find anything.

Revenue in 1914 was \$137,596, as compared with \$133,799 in 1913. The chief items of expenditure were for salaries, \$39,387 and examinations, \$35,746. The amount charged to these items in 1913 were \$37,723 and \$17,049 respectively.

The balance sheet shows cash on hand amounting to \$321,445, as compared with \$380,100 at the end of 1913.

**Municipal Bonds.** Toronto, March 26.—The bond houses in Canada report a better demand for good municipal securities at present than at any time since war broke out. The present demand does not come entirely from New York though New York houses are still paying considerable attention to Canadian securities. Quite recently it has become apparent that Canadian banks are in the market for municipals sold at a rate to yield six per cent. or better. The assumption is that the banks are seeing an outlet for their large accumulations under conditions which will give a fair return for the present and a probable profit when conditions settle down at the close of the war, and when Canadian municipals realize higher prices than at present.

**Seneca-Superior Earnings Lower.** Toronto, March 26.—The report of the Seneca Superior mine for 1914 shows a balance to carry forward of \$71,812, some \$14,000 less than at the end of the previous period.

**London Stock Exchange Holidays.** London, March 26.—The Stock Exchange will be closed five days at Easter time, from Thursday, April 1st, till Tuesday, April 6th.

**Steel Tie Company Chartered.** Dover, Del., March 26.—A charter was filed here for the Pittsburg Steel Tie company, Pittsburg, Pa. Capital stock, \$150,000, to manufacture, sell and deal in steel ties for railways.

**St. Thomas' Short Loan.** St. Thomas, Ont., March 26.—St. Thomas closed a deal to borrow \$150,000 from Eyer & Co., New York at 5 1/4 per cent. interest for one year.

**Financial Briefs.** The International Mercantile Marine Co. is likely to be put in hands of a receiver this week.

Canadian failures last week are reported at 78, against 71 the previous week, 54 the preceding week and 36 last year.

At the annual meeting of stockholders of the Pennsylvania railroad the increase of \$40,000,000 in the company's indebtedness was authorized.

The General Chemical Company has certified to the Secretary of New York state that it has increased its capital from \$27,500,000 to \$40,000,000.

At a meeting of the directors of the Winnipeg Electric Railway Co., a dividend of 2 1/2 per cent. for the quarter ending March 31st was declared. The reduction of the dividend is to 10 per cent.

Eastern financiers are organizing a merger of all the bedding and mattress factories in Canada and have representatives now in the west acquiring the factories in that line.

Stockholders of B. F. Goodrich Co., New York, have authorized a reduction of preferred stock from \$30,000,000 to \$28,000,000.

Profits of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company for the year ending Dec. 1st 1914, declined from \$1,256,953 in 1913 to \$415,164—equal to 67 per cent.

**Orangeism and Prohibition.** Orange Sentinel.

One of the outstanding features of the county meetings in Western Canada this year is the large number of lodges which have declared for prohibition. There seems to be a temperance wave sweeping over the west.

The Grand Lodge of British Columbia has passed a resolution in favor of such legislation.

But it is the Prairie Provinces which have shown the strongest desire to ally the Orange Association with the forces of prohibition. The proposal that has been made in several provinces to close the bars until the war is over, finds particular favor among Orangeism. There is in the city of Winnipeg and Province of Manitoba also, general satisfaction at the new legislation which closes the bars at seven o'clock.

It is apparent that the temperance cause is getting very substantial assistance from the Orange lodges in the western states. While the Orange Association is not a temperance society, it is an organization which does much, and stands ready to do more, in the cause of sobriety and the suppression of the liquor traffic.

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