

TEACHES WORK IN METALS.

School in a Saxon Town Gives Finest Technical Education.

An exhibition of the work done by the pupils of the Metal Workers' school at Freiburg...

Many of the German states are affording the school library and granting free scholarship to deserving young men.

Extensions are frequently made to the large factories and mines in the neighborhood.

The tuition fee for the half year is 700 marks (\$25) for citizens of the German empire...

At the football game the young men, despite her sabbie stole, shivered.

"That shiver," said her companion, a physician, "is nature's method of warning you."

"You see the shiver is an involuntary rhythmical contraction of the muscles and there is nothing like a contraction of the muscles for raising the temperature of the body."

"This when you shiver nature is setting you through a little course of exercise to warm you up."

Living on Air. A very distinct advantage about working is that it does not give one an appetite.

Penalties of Fame. Being the author of one of the best-sellers of the year has its drawbacks.

Rule for Hospitality. In Washington, Ga., the first town in America named after the father of the country...

Lloyd's Blackest Day. Sir Henry Lloyd, who has just retired after 22 years' service as secretary of Lloyd's...

The Same Things Abroad. "I suppose," said Ascum, "you took to all the automobile races while you were in France."

Willing to Help Along. The cranky old bachelor was irritable. Calling the landlady, he said: "Mrs. Hasbly, who is it that keeps singing, 'I Would Not Live Alone?'"

Poplar Air. First Youth—I pulled the governor's leg to the tune of \$100 this morning.

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The best work that most of us do is not begun in our offices or at our desks, but when we are wandering in the woods or sitting quietly with undirected thoughts.

Philippine Bats. Among the curious inhabitants of the Philippines, according to Prof. Clinton of Washington, are fruit-eating bats, some of which are nearly as large as cats.

A Boy's Impression. Edmund Gosse once dined with Sir Leslie Stephen, and thus described the impression made upon his youthful mind by the essayist.

Bear Raida a Camp. A bear of unusual size terrorized a camp of 200 laborers employed by the American Pipe Line company.

For an hour the animal wandered about the camp, and while the men were armed, they were afraid to leave their shanties to meet him in open combat.

Dogs aroused the sleepers, and Cullen Webster, a clerk, awoke to find the bear looking in at his window.

Took a Compulsory Course. "Yes, ma'am," said the tattered tramp, "you'd hardly believe it, I look at me, but I'm a college man, ma'am."

How interesting," said the kind-hearted woman. "What degree did you earn?"

"De third degree, ma'am, in U. P." "The University of Pennsylvania?"

Zinc Fumes to Remove Soot. An artist has discovered that a piece of zinc laid upon the red hot coals of his furnace or kitchen range will remove every particle of soot from the chimney.

An All-Night Affair. Clark—I heard the boss asking you just now what made you look so tired.

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THE SOUTHERN WOMAN'S REDUCTION TO POVERTY AND MENIAL TASKS MOTIFIED MORE BY A MANLY BRAVE, BUT FEW HAD THE WORKING GALLANTRY OF A BIG-HEARTED IRISHMAN OF WHOM THE AUTHOR OF "DIXIE AFTER THE WAR" TELLS.

"Faith," said Pat, "an' what is it you're thryin' to do?" "Go away and let me alone."

"If ye don't 'fave off clanin' thim garnments, they'll be that dirty!" "Go away!"

"Sure, me child, if ye'll 'list shlep to th' other side av th' tub whiet, puttin' me to th' inconvenience..."

"He was about to pick her up in his mighty hands. She moved and dropped down, swallowing a sob."

"Sure an' ut's as good a washer-woman as I ever wore breeches, I am," said Pat. "An' that's what I've learned in th' army."

IN SHORT ORDER HE HAD ALL THE CLOTHES HANGING SNOW-WHITE ON THE LINE, AND BEFORE HE WENT BACK TO CAMP HE CUT ENOUGH WOOD FOR HER IRONING.

"I'm yer Bridget Ivery wash-day that comes round," he said, as he swung himself off.

He was as good as his word. This good-natured soldier did her washing every week—YOUTH'S COMPANION.

SETTLED SMART YOUNG MAN. "Camp-Meeting John's" Smart Answer to Flippant Question.

Camp-meeting John Afton, the grandnephew of Madame Nordica, was for many years a picturesque figure among the Methodist ministers in the state of Maine.

At one time, having gone to Lewiston to attend a quarterly meeting, he was approached in the street by several young men who were evidently out for a good time.

"Camp-meeting John," said the spokesman, "who was the devil's grandmother?"

"The devil's grandmother," replied the old man in the quick speech, "is characteristic of his speech. The devil's grandmother—how do you expect me to keep your family record?"

BIAGNINI'S EIGHTIETH BIRTHDAY. When Prince Biagarelli was 80 years old he received an immense number of congratulatory birthday messages by wire and post.

Miser is Still Waiting. A man who was very miserly boarded up his stacks of hay year after year in the hope of making double the price he was offered for them.

Inherited Failing. The caller who "drops in for half a minute" had exceeded the time limit by about four hours.

Protecting the Public. "Give me a can of corned beef." "Got a prescription?"

"You'll have to give your name and address, also make oath as to what you want it for"—Houston Post.

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"Couldn't I? Just watch me fog this seam!"