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On the outbreak of the war, Vandervelde devoted himself to the problems of national defense, the liberation of his invaded country, and in August, 1914, was summoned to join the Government as Minister of State, later becoming a member of the Cabinet. At the time of the peace negotiations and the signing of the Versailles Treaty he used his influence to obtain the insertion of labor clauses, relating especially to the eight-hour day. As Minister of Justice in the "Liberal-Catholic-Socialist" Cabinet formed after the war, Vandervelde effected great humanitarian and scientific reforms in the prison system. After the important successes achieved by the Labor Party at the general elections of 1925 he entered the "Socialist-Catholic-Coalition" Cabinet as Minister for Foreign Affairs and played an important part in negotiating the Locarno Pact in 1925, which he signed on behalf of Belgium.



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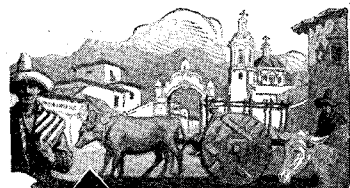
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By the Way

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On the day before the closed season ended a big bull moose strolled across the bridge from Milford to Oldtown, Maine, and placidly took in the sights. The time chosen was 8:30 A.M., and the moose moved leisurely through the business section, quite unawed by autos, trolleys, and human beings. After a thorough survey he vanished in the woods. No one interfered with his visit, but the fact that it was timed so nicely excited due comment among the Yankees.

From "Der Gotz" (Vienna):

A man appeared at a police station and said:

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Have you noticed the recent flood of war stories in the fiction magazines? The demand seems to be unprecedented and ever growing. The "Saturday Evening Post" has been specializing in tales of the war for the past six months. "Liberty" is running a serial called "War-Birds," which claims to be the uncensored diary of a soldier. A new magazine has just been started with the title "War Stories." The success of "The Big Parade" seems to have started the craze for war stories both in the films and in the periodicals.

"Guy, dear, don't go so far out in the water. You might get drowned."

"But look, daddy's a long ways out."

"I know, dear, but your father's insured."

We usually associate all speed records with America; but as far as railways are concerned England takes the lead. The Great Western Railway's train from Paddington Station, London, to Birkenhead now develops the amazing speed of 92 miles per hour.

The manager of the Imperial Tobacco Company of St. John's, Newfoundland, sends us the following letter which he received from a Belgian police agent:

Brussels, Belgium.

Dear Sir: I take the opportunity of respectfully asking your help in the case which I am exposing to you hereafter.

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"Do let me see your engagement ring."

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A moving-picture trade paper thus describes the high and moral tone of present-day Hollywood:

De Mille has also issued strict orders that no profane language be used during the making of the scenes or in the presence of Warner. When the musicians are loafing around and not providing music for any particular scene they are instructed to play only "Onward, Christian Soldiers." This tune is played every morning as De Mille makes his appearance on the set, with all the players standing with bowed heads and in reverence until the director takes his position along the tripod.

Overheard at a soda fountain:

First Girl: "Went to church last night and heard a sermon on 'Saving Your Soul.'"

Second Girl: "You did, did you?"

"Yes, and, oh, boy, that sermon was a wow!"

The talk then shifted to the price of lipsticks.

We are informed that Woodrow Wilson's favorite limerick, which was quoted in this department as being written by Rudyard Kipling, was in truth written by Anthony Euwer, of Portland, Oregon.

Young Bride: "I want a piece of meat without any gristle, bone, or fat."

Butcher: "Lady, you don't want any meat—you want an egg!"

Six words of five letters each are needed to complete the following sentences. Each word contains the same letters. Answer next week:

I would not a ——— mate enjoy,

Even though a king at ——— were he,

As a hunter of ——— I might him employ,

If he would ——— accept, as coins for his fee;

I would him ——— for a conquering master, If he could my heart ——— and cause no disaster.

Answer to last week's puzzle: "Battering-ram."