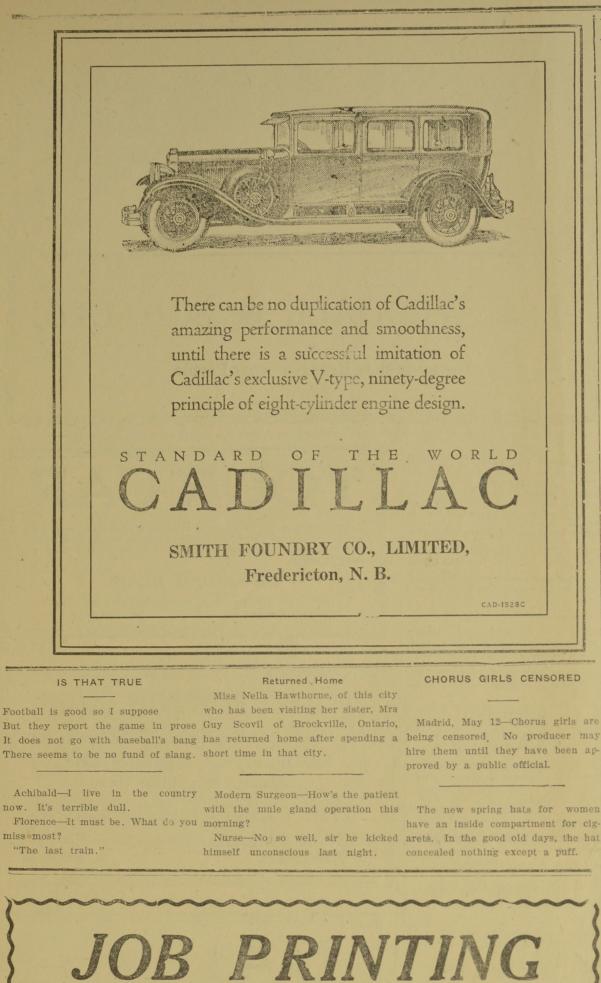
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DOPE ADICTS ARE CLEVER AS TRICKSTERS; RESORT TO NUMEROUS SUBTERFUGES

Not so long ago, busy travelers on just what use is being made of their New York's midtown subway lines be- money and do not care as long as big gan to speculate on whether or no dividends roll in. Others know, in his sleeping sickness had hit the town's opinion and should considering crippled beggars. Every day or so a themselves in nowise their brother's dozen, ragged mendicant was seen keepers.

available save a few furnished by

Addicts All Walks of Life

True, when his ten years or so (

But whether rich addicts, unless

the Government found the great bulk

waiters, cooks, soldiers, sailors, ban

bers, housemen, butchers, bartenders

most part unfortunates unable

work

draftsmen, teachers, and last, but far

prison, now out, and haunted through

their human misery by the chimeric

desperate enough to ball, and the

weakest devising and trying the can-

liest, most outlandish, monkeylike

Of this latter class the subway

leeper was an interesting example

ic, consider the lamented soul whom

my acquaintance, the one-time Cali-

classified with that considerable army

Roughly, he might be

A queer company, the

steadily at anything, now in

were: Hou'se-

lying on the platform of one or an-So the contrast bety other station, says the New York "dope" world is even more marked

And always he has his dirty cap than ever between th upturned beside his pitiful, huddled any other world that ever was. The form; nearly always the cap was Government made a determined atspotted with tossed coins. For it tempt to find out just how many adseemed that a sleeping beggar, for dicts there were and just how many some odd reason, made greater appeal addicts there were and to what cl to the heart of a human than a walk- of society they mainly belonged ing one. The matter was interesting was found that only existent record and travelers talked; the thing got were those in penal institutions, pub into the papers. Were there a lot of lic hospitals, and health departments; such beggars? Even the police were at any rate these were all that were

One day the situation cleared. De- doctors. There was revealed, in oth tectives finally had arrested one of words, what every doctor knows, that these sleepers, and it developed there your "dope" user keeps his habit a was only one, but that he had can- secret as long as he can, and that nily chosen a different station for your rich addict, saved from public each sleep. He was, he admitted, a confession by his money, never, never "dope fiend" of years' standing. He tells.

had been at the end of his rope, no home, no food, no money-nothing

He had been on his way to the indulgence had come to its inevi police station, where he might give able end of wrecked health, the rich himself up and take the "cure" as man calls in the doctor, and, in alwhen a fellow "fiend" met him and gave him a "shot."

Remunerative Sleep

He fell asleep that wet night in a Broadway doorway, and his cap fell of known "fiends" beside hiim. When the drug wore keepers, laborers, clerks, physicians off, the addict stared at his cap in amazement - but his tremeulous hands found the \$4 or more in change which pitying New Yorkers had thrown him was real

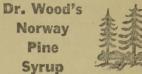
For a time, then, this lived the life of a "dope" using Riley He bought "junk" with the \$4 and lay down in the subway to sleep. People it seemed to his cap with him, found his sleep to be heavy took it for complete exhaustion and sometimes parted with a greenbac going their way, muttering There were subway leeps that netted him as much as And almost all he perceived the czars of he admitted, went

The czars? Well, the United States government make's an average profit of two million dollars a year through the Administration of the Harrison anti-narcotic law, according

Her Three Boys **Mad Terrible Colds** That Hung On

Mrs. G. Ames, 35 St. George Street, Chatham, Ont., writes:--"'Last winter my three boys had terrible colds and a cough that hung on so long that it began to worry me.

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project adopted by the comarmy engineers who recommend ed a 23-foot depth at a cost of \$24,000.

FIREALARM LOCATION IN THECITY

6 Argyle and York Sts. 7 Victoria Public Hospital. 8 Children's Home. 12 Westmorland and Aberdeen Sts. 13 Northumberland and Saunders Sts. 14 Brunswick and Smythe Sts. 15 Charlotte and Smythe Sts. 16 George and Northumberland Sts. 17 King and Northumberland Sts. 21 York and Queen Sts. 23 York and George Sts. 24 Queen and Westmorland Sts. 25 Brunswick and Westmorland Sts. 26 Charlotte and Westmorland Sts. 27 King and York Sts. 28 Saunders and York Sts. 31 Queen and Regent Sts.

32 Needham and Regent Sts.

of "dope" victims who resort to sneak 34 Queen and Carleton Sts. thievery and sohp lifting to raise the 35 Brunswick and Carleton Sts.

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public law at Columbia University recent world conference on narcotic, education that taxes and fines, toclerks, agents, chemists, et al.

And just why, with some 5,000 pedsent to federal prisons yearly, Uncle turn later and retrieve the loot. Sam should choose to keep the two of the mysteries they are forever uncovering underneath the capital dome.

Traffic Can Be Ended

But regardless of the mystery, the two million dollars profit in fines indi- "junk." cates that the more or less "hushedup" dope industry is well up in the big ring," smuggling the "dope" en and robbed. traffic could be wiped out in jig time. The czars, according to the experienced veterans, are capitalists who bear the same relation to the drug traffic that capitalists bear to any other business-save that they keep their investments a total secret. Mr Oyler pictures them as a group of moneyed profit seekers lolling about

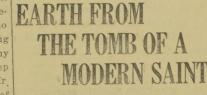
business, but clandestinely and giving sinews of war to the "dope" runners.

Some, he believes, do not know of spreading religious propaganda.

In other words, the savant told the are full of such, who divide their time 37 George and Regent Sts. when out of the workhouse between 38 King and Regent Sts. plundering store counters and such 43 Aberdeen and St. John Sts. gether with funds derived from the things and "dope" sprees. Their tricks 44 Queen and St. John Sts. disposition of confiscated "junk and are variled, from the former fat man 45 Brunswick and St. John Sts. stuff," yield that tidy fortune over who grew painfully thin on "snow," 46 Charlotte and St. John Sts. and above the cost of the federal nar- and who utilized the surplus room in 51 King and Church Sts. cotic bureau and its small army of his vest to shove shirts under, so that 52 George and Church Sts. of the fellow who used to steal coun- 53 Union and Church Sts. ter stuff, hide it in washrooms, walk 54 Shore Street and Waterloo Row. dlers and smugglers of "dope" being out with empty hands, and then re-

Not only to the "dope" driven million dollars for other purposes slaves steal money, but they go after 57 Grey Street and University Ave. than furthering its adequate fight the drug direct. After the war there 112 Aberdeen and Smythe Sts. against dope , is a question even the were several instances of men going 113 Northumberland and Argyle Sts. professor admitted was a puzzler, one into doctor's offices, posing as former soldiers so injured that they had to have narcotics. And in many ina hardened user his daily need of

Records show scores of instances where glib, eager addicts have gained list of American commercial enter- access to the doctor's office, by preprises. Indeed, Ralph H. Oyler, chief to be ill, and when his back was turn-New York City narcotic agent, holds ed rifled his cabinet of drugs. Often if it weren't for the "czars and their a doctor, on refusal, is attacked, beat-



Constantinople, May 12-A package New York offices and clubs, osten- of earth from the tomb of a Moslem tibly able directors of legitimate saint, in the belief of the donor, an old servant, will protect Miss Edith through intermediariles engaged in Sanderson, on her trip home to Berke ley, Calif. She is one of the three American teachers recently convicted

or him

56 Lansdowne and Waterloo Row.

