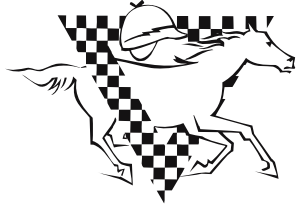


As a missionary said when the cannibals put him into the big pot, "At least they'll get a taste of religion."



A group of foreign manufacturers were being shown through an American plant and saw a machine that took a piece of sheet steel, and in one operation stamped, punched, and shaped it into a finished product. After they had watched it for a time, an apparently bitter argument broke out among them, with much arm-waving and finger-shaking. The guide asked the interpreter accompanying the party what all the shouting was about.

"Some of them," replied the interpreter nonchalantly, "insist it can't be done!"



Father looked up from his racing form and noticed the baby in the buggy. Turning to his wife he said, "Baby's nose is running again."

His wife snorted and snapped, "Don't you ever think of anything except horse races?"

An aviator coming down in a parachute met an old lady floating on a cloud, "Hey," shouted the pilot. "Have you seen a Spitfire going down?"

"No," said the old lady. "Have you seen a gas stove going up?"

A carrier pigeon stopped to rest on the window sill in the Pentagon building.

Close behind him came another pigeon who stopped off to talk.

"Where you going?" asked the second pigeon.

"To section M to deliver an order," answered the first.

"What's the number of the order?"

"235XM-Q78966-421SSTX," replied the first.

"Better get a move on," said the second. "I got an order rescindin' it."



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**W**hen we saw the picture of the baby on the front page, along with all of the minerals, metals, and fuels he or she will require in a lifetime, we thought it would be a good subject for the L&M Encore. We cater to the two industries that provide all of the minerals, metals and fuels described - oil and gas drilling and mining.

All wealth, in an economic sense, comes only from the earth, and provides humans with everything we need. We either grow it in the earth, mine it from the earth, or pump it out of the earth. L&M Radiator does not do much business with the agricultural industry, but we do a lot with mining and oil and gas drilling.



We think the amount of minerals, metals and fuels that every baby born in America consumes in a lifetime is staggering:

- 82,634 gallons of petroleum
- Primarily to transport us, sometimes heat us, sometimes to provide electricity, not to mention all things made of plastic.
- 34,045 pounds of iron ore to make steel for buildings, cars, trucks, appliances, etc., etc.
- 1,544 pounds of copper used in electrical and electronic parts, plumbing, not to mention jewelry and other decorative things.
- 572,052 pounds of coal to generate electricity and sometimes to provide heat.
- 69,789 pounds of cement to make roads, sidewalks, bridges, buildings, schools, houses.
- 5.59 million cubic feet of natural gas, again to make electricity or heat.
  - 31,266 pounds of salt used in various chemicals, highway deice, food and agriculture.

The list goes on and on. Once again we have to say that the numbers are staggering, especially when you think of how many babies are born in just American EVERY DAY.

*Alex Chisholm*

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- 69,789 lbs. Cement
- 34,045 lbs. Iron Ore
- 6,176 lbs. Bauxite (Aluminum)
- 572,052 lbs. Coal
- 25,244 lbs. Phosphate Rock
- 1.692 Troy oz. Gold
- 1,544 lbs. Copper
- 31,266 lbs. Salt
- 22,388 lbs. Clays
- 849 lbs. Zinc
- 1.64 million lbs. Stone, Sand, & Gravel
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