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It has been said of Dr. Lee DeForest, inventor of
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Morning and All News and Advertisements Must
Reach Our Office Monday to insure insertion that
week. Very Important Matters may receive atten-
tion Tuesday morning. We need to make the mails early
Wednesday afternoon and to do this we need co-operation. If by
chance material is omitted, it will probably be because it was re-
ceived too late. Our people will kindly bear these facts in mind

SHOW SOME INTEREST

By Heeding This Suggestion:
"Plenty Seats Up Front"

Regarding the important subject
of church attendance and the pre-
vailing tendency of people to select
the back pews, a pastor in a nearby
town writes the editor the following
letter which contains much truth:

"Parents are invited to bring
their children and take seats with-
them toward the front in the main
body of the house. We extend that
invitation to all the people for every
Sunday. The tendency to take the
back seats is injurious to the inter-
est of the meeting. It leaves a great
stretch of empty pews between the
minister and the people. The
preacher cannot speak with so much
animation, nor the people hear with
ease and profit under such circum-
stances. If the people would take
pains to be on time and go right up
to the front that in itself would be
a revival of religion. Then any who
were unavoidably late (and it is
better to come late than not at all)
could fall in quietly in the rear
pews. Then it would look as though
the people took some interest in the
services which they are supporting.
At any place of entertainment they
would want a good seat. At the
same time it would give new heart
to the minister, and renew his
youth and the feeling that it was
worth while for him to do his best.

"We believe it is both a duty and
a blessing to all affected to attend
the services in the house of God and
to join heartily in all exercises. I
know there are counter-attractions
and they prevail with many. In the
winter it is too cold, and the travel-
ing is too bad. In the summer na-
ture is so beautiful that we must
go abroad to behold it, and hold
communion with its visible forms.
So what time is left that we can af-
ford to spend at church? Some
will even claim that they can get
more good and worship God better
by traveling out of doors. It is
perfectly sure that whatever pleas-
ure or profit we may think we win
by Sunday pleasure or amusements
we shall not find our Christ there.
He abides in the assemblies of his
people. And Christ is the 'one
thing needful' for the troubled and
sinful heart of man. He has come
into the world on purpose to give
us a saving message from the heart
of the eternal God. In Him alone
there is salvation for ourselves and
for our children in this world and
that which is to come."

N. H. Orphan's Home

To the Reporter:

It was our privilege to attend the
annual meeting of the Orphan's Home
Corporation recently held at Franklin.

A very large number of people from
this town have contributed to the fund
for a new building and for a larger
endowment, and I am sure that each
one would have been pleased to see
the good work being done at the Home
and notice the happy and natural life
of the children.

The patriotic exercises by the boys
and girls were very inspiring and it is
evident that they are being trained to
become good citizens.

Money from Antrim people is still
being received and "yet there is
room."

R. C. Goodell, Chairman.

Massachusetts Casino

Yes, They Opened Up at Lake Mas-
sachusetts Saturday, June 7, and three
dances a week thereafter, Tuesday,
Thursday and Saturday.

Your friends are planning to attend
many of these occasions, also to have
a good time at the beach—one of the
best anywhere around.

You had better plan to go. Adv.

A FEW THOUGHTS

Suggested By What Is Hap-
pening Around

The month of roses is almost gone
but the beautiful blossoms are unusu-
ally late this year; they will be just
as handsome, however, when they do
appear.

Talk about the "Filipenos"
not being able to rule them-
selves and being deprived of an
opportunity to try it, what do
you think of the disgraceful
actions of the law makers who
are supposed to know better
down in Rhode Island? Dol-
lars to doughnuts it is not all
newspaper talk.

When you are thinking hard
things about the bonus act and
what it will cost the country,
it might be well to think of
what sort of a country this glo-
rious land of ours would have
been if there had been no
American Legion and Ger-
many had accomplished what
she set out to do.

In spite of a chilly, back-
ward season and some other
discouragements New England
farmers are going ahead with
plans for crop acreages, in
most cases, about up to the
usual, says the State Depart-
ment of Agriculture. General-
ly the oat acreage remains but
little changed, and the crop
though late and in need of
warmer weather promises rea-
sonably well. Over a long pe-
riod the acreage in hay shows
considerable decrease, but the
annual change is slight. Aside
from being late the hay crop
promises good yields and with
warmer weather and a contin-
uation of present moisture
may easily turn out a big crop
generally. Some increase in
alfalfa is reported.

AUCTION SALES

By Ezra R. Dutton and John
T. Crowe, Auctioneers,
Greenfield and Jaffrey

The real estate and personal
property of the late Edward
Harrington will be sold by the
administrator, Henry W. Wil-
son, on the premises one-half
mile from Hancock village on
the Stoddard road, on Thurs-
day, June 26, at 12.30 o'clock
p. m. In addition to the home
place, the Foote place so called
will be sold, also a note of
\$300.00 and a lot of household
goods. For particulars read
auction bills.

By Silas A. Rowe, Auctioneer

H. Wilder Elliott will sell a
lot of personal property at his
residence, near the Goodell
Farm so called, in Antrim vil-
lage, on North Main street, on
Saturday, June 28, at one
o'clock p. m. Goods consist of
household furniture, wagons,
harness, small farming and
carpenter tools, two Ford
trucks, two blue tick hound
pups, standing grass, and a
miscellaneous lot of goods usu-
ally found at a clearance sale.
For particulars read auction
bills.

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Disease is within the person afflicted. In all cases of
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parts of the body, nerve pressure is found at the spine.
Nerve pressure is the underlying cause of all diseases
and irregular conditions.

CHIROPRACTIC LOGICAL

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pactic has helped them and it can do the same in your
case. Let nothing stand in your way of regaining vig-
orous health. Let me point to you just where the cause
of your trouble lies. Don't delay in having your case
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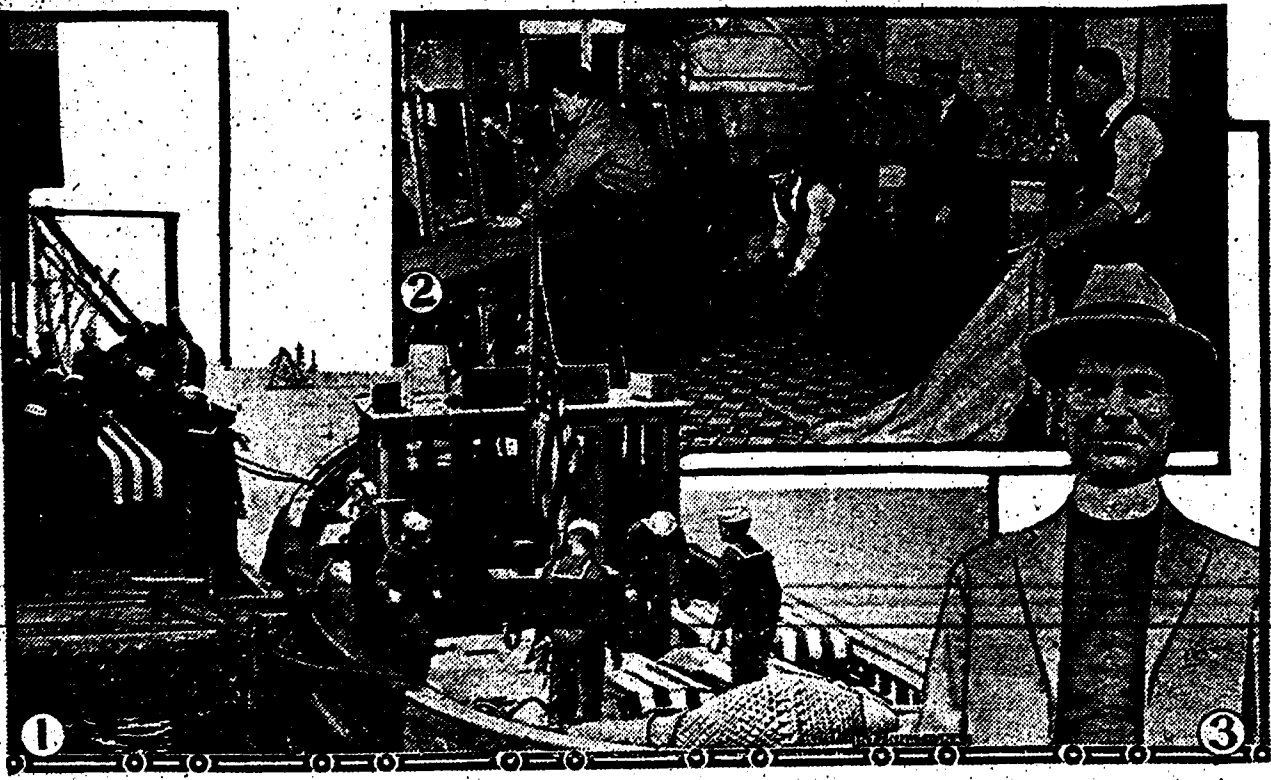
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1—Bringing ashore from the hospital ship Relief the bodies of the victims of the gun turret explosion on the U. S. S. Mississippi. 2—Fitting up fine room for women delegates to the Democratic convention in New York. 3—Rev. Robert B. H. Bell of West Orange, N. J., who has been working many cures that seem miraculous.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Democratic Convention May Last Many Days—Boom for Houston Started.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

DEMOCRACY'S hosts—meaning the representatives of the Democratic party—asssembled in Madison Square garden, New York, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the Presidency and vice presidency, and the indications at this writing are that they will be there for some time before they make a choice. However, William G. McAdoo, who admittedly will have the largest vote on the first ballot, predicted as he arrived in New York that he not only would win the nomination, but would win it before many ballots had been cast. Leaders of the opposition to McAdoo scoffed at his claims. This is intended to be a review of the events of the past week, not a forecast, but it can be said that the fight was centering on the proposition to abandon the time-honored rule of the Democrats which requires a two-thirds majority for a nomination. McAdoo's generals naturally were for this change. Brennan of Illinois, who is determined to defeat the Californian, declared if the two-thirds rule were abolished, so, too, must be the unit rule—in which case the change would do McAdoo little good. One other thing the new boss of the party said: "I want to see an anti-Ku-Klux-Klan plank in the platform, and they won't be able to make it too strong to suit me."

Next to the suggestion that the platform include a moist plank, that matter of the Klan is perhaps the most annoying that the committee on resolutions has to handle. A good guess is that the Democrats, like the Republicans, will evade both issues. Toward the end of the week there developed a sudden and rather strong boom for David F. Houston for President. He will be remembered as secretary of agriculture and then of the treasury under Woodrow Wilson, and his boosters asserted that, shortly before his death, Mr. Wilson advised the nomination of Mr. Houston in 1924. Mr. Houston, who now resides in New York, is president of the Bell Securities company and director in various financial concerns.

HAVING established their headquarters in Chicago, the Republicans are merely waiting for the Democrats to put up a ticket to open the battle. Congressman Everett Sanders of Indiana has been made director of the speakers' bureau, and it is the intention to start the campaign in the Middle West, probably in Nebraska. Charles G. Dawes, vice presidential nominee, is likely to be sent there to make his first speeches. Mr. Dawes, addressing his fellow townsmen of Evanston, Ill., last week, said a number of things that should be pleasing to the American public regardless of party affiliations. In language characteristically vigorous he denounced "the curse of demagoguery in political discussions" by which, he said, the real facts and the economic principles involved in questions of national policy are continually obscured. He pledged himself to adhere, in the coming campaign, to the truth and to the common sense conclusions to be drawn therefrom, and concluded: "As to the demagogue on the stump, whatever may be his party, I want it distinctly understood that in the coming campaign I ask no quarter and will give none. I know that I will have the sympathy of all good citizens irrespective of party and I hope our political opponents will follow the same course. Let common sense reign."

UP IN St. Paul, Minn., assembled the so-called Farmer-Labor progressive national convention which had been denounced in advance by Senator LaFollette and Samuel Gompers because it was known that the Communists, who take orders from the Moscow Internationale, would try to dominate it. These Reds, led by William Z. Foster and C. E. Ruthenberg,

though seemingly in the minority, actually did get control of the convention, but when the Minnesota delegation threatened to bolt they toned down the platform until it was only plank and then decided to nominate Duncan McDonald, head of the Illinois Workers' party, for President. This, however, was only tentative pending the meeting of the Cleveland convention of the committee for progressive political action on July 4. It was understood that if the Cleveland meeting put up some other candidate, McDonald might be withdrawn and that man endorsed. Many of the delegates in St. Paul wanted to nominate LaFollette, despite his scathing denunciation of the convention, but were persuaded this would be worse than useless. William Bouck of the state of Washington was nominated for vice president. W. J. Taylor of Nebraska made a fiery speech denouncing the Russian redness of the convention and then led a bolt of 40 farmer delegates who refused to submit to the dictation of the Communists. In the St. Paul platform are several interesting planks. One declares against "Jim Crowism" and calls for "full equality, economic and political, for the negro." Another urges a system of land tenure to abolish landlordism and tenantry and designed to secure the land to the user. Of course the platform contains a resolution demanding the recognition of the soviet Russian government. The Farmer-Labor party of Minnesota, which last week renominated Senator Magnus Johnson, took no part in the convention.

WHILE the Japanese government was doing its best to put a stop to the boycott on American products, Secretary of State Hughes formulated and sent to Ambassador Hanamura his reply to Japan's note of protest against the exclusion clause of the immigration law and compared them with the old "gentlemen's agreement," showing that there is no material difference, congress having only exercised its prerogative in defining by legislation the control of immigration instead of leaving it to international arrangements. The secretary concluded his note by expressing the conviction "that the recognition of the right of each government to legislate in control of immigration should not derogate in any degree from the mutual good will and cordial friendship which have always characterized the relations of the two countries."

BECAUSE of the insistence of the Oregon government that H. C. Cummings, British agent, get out of Mexico at once, Great Britain has severed all relations with Mexico, and there is no telling now when it will grant recognition to the present regime there. British interests in Mexico have been entrusted to the United States and Chile. Prime Minister MacDonald and his cabinet decided that the Mexican attitude was impossible for any self-respecting government to endure. Sir T. B. Hobler was getting ready to sail for Mexico to investigate the question of recognizing it, but his mission has been called off. Mr. Cummings, who had entrenched himself in the British legation, was ordered home immediately. All the British had asked of Mexico was that Cummings be permitted to remain until the arrival of Hobler. This was refused in a note that was considered impertinent. Expulsion of Cummings was ordered because he sent "radio messages" to the Mexican government in trying to protect the interests of British subjects. He did everything he could in behalf of Mrs. Rosalie Evans, a widow, who has been fighting pluckily to prevent the expropriation of her estate.

FOR a time last week it seemed the rule of the Fascists in Italy was about to come to an end, because of the great scandal arising from the kidnapping and brutal murder of Matteotti, a Socialist deputy who is said to have had in his possession full details of a huge bank failure in which certain Fascist chieftains were involved. So threatening was the situation that Mussolini's ministers tendered their resignations and the king called on the members of the Order

of Annunciation—mostly former premiers and members of the royal family—to help form a general cabinet. Mussolini, however, arose to the emergency, displaced and replaced various high officials, directed the arrest of the guilty men and began a general housecleaning of the Fascist government. One of the accused is said to have confessed. By the end of the week the excitement over the affair was waning, but it was admitted that the scandal had dealt Fascism a severe blow. The truth is that the Fascist movement had begun to degenerate from a high moral crusade into a mere politicians' party, many of the members of which were concerned mainly in obtaining and retaining public office. Mussolini's dictatorial methods had begun to irk the people, and while he may continue in power, his rule is likely to be less autocratic.

EDOUARD HERRIOT, France's new premier, went to England Saturday to spend the week-end with Prime Minister MacDonald in conference over the application of the Dawes plan. Before he started he conferred with Foreign Minister Hymans of Belgium, and then said France and Belgium were in complete accord concerning the matter. Herriot also received Herr Brietscheld, German Social Democrat deputy, who told him the majority of the reichstag favored carrying out the Dawes plan and that France could count on Germany's sincerity in executing it. The necessary bills for carrying out the Dawes plan will not be introduced in the reichstag before the middle of July, being complicated and extensive. Herriot disappointed the extreme radicals and many Germans in several matters. First, he declared his policy was to retain control of the Ruhr until Germany had given the requisite guarantees. Then he selected for his minister of war General Nollet, head of the allied control commission in Germany. This caused a great protest from German Nationalists and Monarchists, especially as Herriot said he chose Nollet because he knew more about the military situation in Germany than any other man and that while France's policy would be to take action against the growing militarism in Germany, France would nevertheless help the young German democracy. Premier Herriot told the French parliament that he was preparing to recognize Russia, and that the French embassy at the Vatican would be suppressed. He said complete amnesty would be granted all war prisoners except those condemned for treason.

PARLIAMENTARY elections in South Africa resulted in victory for the Nationalist-Labor coalition and gave momentum to the movement for an independent republic. Gen. Jan Smuts, former premier, was defeated by a labor candidate, and General Hertzog, advocate of secession from the British empire, was elected. He may be the new premier. For the fourth time Lieut. Ernest de Myster of Belgium won the James Gordon Bennett balloon race with the balloon Belgica, and thus gained permanent possession of the trophy. He traveled about 500 miles and landed in Scotland. America's globe encircling aviators made good progress last week, flying from Touane, French Indo-China, to Saigon and then 500 miles to Bangkok, Siam. They expected to reach Rangoon before the week ended.

POST OFFICE employees of Canada struck and tied up the postal service across the Dominion from coast to coast. Business was seriously hampered and its demoralization was feared unless an early settlement was arranged. The workers have been asking an increase of salary, but instead are facing a decrease. Their union has proposed that the government shall place the postal service employees under the industrial disputes act immediately for a settlement of the salary schedule. In the meantime the men will accept the present salary and all benefits antedate April 1, 1924. "Well, if that is your attitude you will be out till I freeze over," was the declaration of James Murdoch, Dominion minister of labor.

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE NEWS

Dentists Elect Dr. Brion
Members of the New Hampshire Dental Society, in session in Laconia, elected N. E. Brion of Manchester, president.

Man's Body Hanging in Barn
The lifeless body of A. C. Howland was found in his barn in Lancaster, hanging from a beam. Ill health was supposed to have been the cause of suicide. Howland was about 65 years of age.

Re-elect President Wilcomb
At the annual convention of the New Hampshire District Postmasters held in Berlin, Postmaster A. H. Wilcomb of Chester was re-elected president; Postmaster Colton of Hinsdale, vice-president; Postmaster Annis of New Ipswich secretary-treasurer.

Boy Set \$12,000 Fire to "See Department Run"
Two small boys confessed to the Milford police that they set the fire which destroyed the plant of the American Towel Company, causing a \$12,000 loss. One boy said he wanted to see the fire department run and the other said he wanted to earn some money helping clean up, as he did at another fire. Kerosene oil was used to start the fire.

New Dormitories
Three new dormitories for 200 students are to be erected by Phillips Exeter Academy the coming year, the plans now being in the hands of the architect. They will be named Amen, Wentworth and Cilley halls, and will be on the former Gilman estate, Court and Elm streets. The Long house and the Edward Gilman house will be moved to other sites.

Name Veterans' Camp for General Patterson
The annual encampment of the New Hampshire Veterans' Association, to be held at the Wells, August 26, 27, 28, 29, was named Camp J. N. Patterson, at a meeting of the executive committee of the association held in Laconia. The camp was named in honor of the late Gen. Job N. Patterson, of Concord, a veteran of both the civil and Spanish wars.

Make Wage Offer
A proposition relative to wages has been placed before the Manchester tarmen by a board of two arbitrators chosen to settle the dispute of the carmen and street railway officials. It is understood that the carmen have been asked to accept an increase of five cents an hour for work on two-man cars and seven cents an hour on one-man cars. The men sought an increase of 15 and 25 cents an hour, respectively.

N. H. University Gives Six Honorary Degrees
Gov. Fred H. Brown of New Hampshire received the honorary degree of master of arts from the University of New Hampshire at the commencement exercises. Elizabeth P. Demeritt, dean of women at the university, received the same honor. Other honorary degrees were as follows: LL.D., to President Clarence C. Little of the University of Maine; Sc.D., to Dr. Edward O. Otis of Boston and George A. Loveland, director of the United States weather bureau at Boston. Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale delivered the commencement address.

Goden Rule Farm Hills Vacancies
At a meeting of the executive committee of the Golden Rule Farm Homes' association in Franklin, Frank R. Woodward of Hill was chosen vice-president to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Mrs. Arabella R. Kendrick. Mr. Woodward, being a member of the executive board of which the vice-president is a member ex-officio, a vacancy was left on the board to which Mrs. Hiram R. Blanchard of Tilton was appointed. The board took action in regard to various improvements to be made at the farms. The Bradley cottage will be improved this summer and repairs will be made on a barn. A very satisfactory report was given of the present finances of the institution, giving encouragement for extending the work.

Feeble Minded Numerous in N. E.
Ernest W. Butterfield, commissioner of education in New Hampshire, declared in an address at Concord that New England leads the nation in the number of feeble-minded citizens. This is because it is the oldest section of the country; he added. The commissioner said feeble-mindedness is an unnecessary burden but that it is filling our jails and institutions. Dr. Butterfield urged segregation as the best means of combating the problem.

Senator Keyes on Price Fixing Investigation
Senator Henry W. Keyes, of New Hampshire has been named a member of the committee to investigate the amount of losses sustained by the farmers of the United States on account of governmental fixing of prices on wheat during the World War. The Senate adopted a resolution during the closing hours of the past session directing the committee on agriculture to make such an investigation.

"Chick" Dillon Held in \$4000.

A man claiming to be Robert J. Harris of Manchester, but who the police say is John F. ("Chick") Dillon of Boston, who was indicted with Herman Barney for the murder of Patrolman Deininger at Chelsea, Mass., was arraigned in municipal court, Dover, charged with attempting to defraud a Dover woman through the sale of a stolen automobile, and was ordered held in \$4000 bail for superior court.

Say Connecticut Delegation Will Vote for Brown

Democratic politicians are interested in a report that the Connecticut delegation had decided to vote for Gov. Fred H. Brown of New Hampshire on the first ballot at the Democratic national convention in New York. The New Hampshire delegation is prepared to offer Governor Brown's name as a candidate for the Presidency and it is believed that he will receive votes on the first ballot from Maine, Vermont, and very possibly from other New England states.

Bugbee Honored as Green Leader
The elections of N. D. Bugbee, '25, as track captain and F. T. Osgood, '25, as tennis captain for next year, the appointment of Harvey W. Cohn as assistant track coach and the awarding of athletic insignia to members of the varsity track and tennis teams and of the freshman track and baseball teams were the chief announcements made by the Athletic council at its recent meeting. Bugbee, captain-elect of the track team, has been the Green's premier high hurdler for the past two seasons. He placed fourth in the intercollegiate last year and won his race in the triangular meet with Penn and Yale this year, but was hampered by a leg injury during the latter part of the present season.

Prejudiced Court Tried John Wren
After the hearing of the case of John Wren before the Governor and Council, Allen Hollis of Concord, one of the best known lawyers in the state or in New England, made an investigation from a lawyer's standpoint at the request of a member of the council. At the outset, Mr. Hollis was wholly disinterested but his researches convinced him that Wren had not been proven guilty of the murder at Hinsdale of John Stewart Hamilton. Mr. Hollis thus summarized his conclusions after careful study of all the records: "Wren was tried in a small community where public sentiment had been so inflamed against him by the newspaper accounts of supposedly incriminating conduct, that the court felt obliged to accept jurors who said they had formed an opinion. It is obvious that the judges had adopted this general view. Their rulings, if correct in law (and Judge Walker, one of the most learned lawyers on the bench, decided there was error in one instance), were unusually rigorous in effect, especially in matters of so-called discretion, as illustrated in a denial of a postponement, so that Mrs. Wren might be present, and the ruling out of the testimony of an attack made by laborers on Hamilton and the suicide of Adams when summoned to testify, both being circumstances which suggest to the average mind that someone else than Wren was implicated. "The counsel for Wren were without experience in such cases and were without money or resources. The county solicitor was a first class lawyer, and he had the assistance of detectives and police.

Flag Always to Be in Evidence
L. J. Taber, master of the National Grange, has recently given the following official ruling: "On and after June 14, 1924, no Grange can be legally opened unless, in addition to the open Bible upon the altar, the flag of the Republic is in evidence in the Grange room." This ruling will necessitate few changes in New Hampshire, for Judge F. M. Beckford of Laconia, introduced a resolution and advocated its adoption in an eloquent address, that all subordinate Granges in this state be requested to display the national flag in the Grange hall, the resolution was unanimously adopted by the State Grange in 1907 and the display of the flag has been made still more imperative by the circular about flag etiquette recently sent to all Granges by the State Grange.

At 72 Takes 430-Mile Hike
Herbert Welsh, 72 years old, widely known Philadelphia painter and publicist, is resting at his Summer home and studio at Sunapee Harbor, having completed his ninth hike of 430 miles from his Winter home at Germantown, Pa. Mr. Welsh, carrying a 23-pound pack, arrived looking well and fit. He left Germantown on May 26 and averaged close to 18 miles a day on the road. He covered 27 miles on the final lap. After missing many of their sheep, Stephen Hall and Luke Bellows, of Jacksonville, Vt., came on a large black bear while they were out in the pasture. Hall fired at the animal, wounding it. They then trailed the bear for half a mile, but lost track of Bruin in the darkness. It is believed that the bear had cubs, as she evidently had carried the sheep for some distance from the pasture.

Nipped a Plot to Kidnap the Wealthy Girl

By AUGUSTUS SHERWIN
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IT'S pure gold, mister. Give me the price of a meal and you can have it." Bryce Hulbert regarded the speaker carelessly. He was of the genus tramp, ragged, frowny, dissolute looking. He held in his hand a medal, souvenir or watch charm, with an undecipherable monogram, apparently embracing oriental symbols. It was a bluish stone, rimmed with copper. "Where did you get it?" he inquired. "Just found it." "Say, I'm hungry—"

Hulbert passed the man a small coin. He was poor himself, but it was his way to help the needy clear down the line. The man bolted away for the nearest gin shop. There was a small ring imbedded in the medallion. Hulbert affixed it to his watch chain, a chain having only a pawnbroker's check at its pocket end. Hulbert soon forgot about the trinket upon his watch chain. Economy was forced upon him, owing to the state of his exchequer. That evening a somewhat unique array of food in the window of a little eating resort bearing a name in Greek letters over its door, attracted him to enter the place.

He had noticed, while he ate, two men at a neighboring table observing him narrowly. Just as Hulbert arose to leave the place one of them approached him. He looked Hulbert squarely in the eye, slightly drew back his coat and there, on the lapel of his vest, there showed the prototype of the trinket that Hulbert wore at his watch chain. "You are ready?" he said, simply. Hulbert bowed. He recognized instantly that he was mistaken for another, but the spirit of adventure possessed him. "Your work is all laid out for you," the stranger said in a cautious tone, "if your ship is at moorings."

Again Hulbert nodded. "Then come. Our orders are to place the woman in your charge." The man beckoned to his comrade. The latter bobbed his head in token of introduction. They led Hulbert from the place. "It would be best to get a closed carriage," observed the man who seemed to have the most to say in the premises. "There is what was given me for you," and he handed a roll of bank notes to Hulbert. "The rest will be sent as soon as you cable word of your arrival at Algiers with the woman." Hulbert accepted the money. What was he plunging into—a kidnaping exploit? However, he nerved himself to go through it. He halted at a cab stand and engaged a four-wheeled vehicle.

After a devious route, leading into the foreign quarter of London, the vehicle halted. "You may as well remain within the carriage," spoke Hulbert's companion. "We will bring the woman down. She is quiet." He placed a peculiar emphasis on this word. "Once aboard the ship, she will be reasonable. When she knows that to rebel is of no avail." Five minutes later the foreigners appeared carrying a wrapped-up figure. A glint of light from the carriage lamp revealed the uncovered face of a beautiful young girl, unconscious, drugged. She was placed within the vehicle. "You will make no miss on the plans?" spoke the man to Hulbert. "All is arranged, is it not?" replied Hulbert tersely. Then he was somewhat disturbed, for the other man got into the carriage beside him, after naming a dock on the Thames to the driver.

Hulbert had hastily formed a plan regarding what he would do as to the girl. After they had proceeded about half a mile he spoke to the man, signaling the driver to stop. "Go get me a dozen cigars at the drug store we just passed," he directed. Then, to the driver: "Drive fast; stop for nothing." Hulbert reached his own boarding house. He dismissed the puzzled and wondering hackman. Then he carried the girl up to his room, summoned the landlady and sent for a doctor.

It was nearly midnight when the physician succeeded in arousing the girl. For three hours thereafter she, the landlady and Hulbert, formed a trio engaged in explanations. The young girl had been kidnaped from a private school by the foreigners. Her parents were traveling on the continent and were immensely wealthy. The scheme had been to hold her in seclusion for a ransom.

At daylight Scotland Yard was notified. From what information Hulbert could give, the expert police were able to take up the trail of the would-be kidnapers. The entire gang were run down, the matter became public and Hulbert became a newspaper hero. There followed the immediate return of the alarmed parents of Eunice Gadsdell to England. They overwhelmed Hulbert with their attentions. They did more than that—they looked favorably upon the attentions of Hulbert towards their daughter. The medallion is a souvenir in the happy family of Hulbert and Eunice, now man and wife.

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"This unusual date line appeared in the morning papers of May 17 that had gone to press about 4 o'clock in the morning. The dispatch told of the arrival the same day, Saturday, at 11:35 in the morning, of America's round-the-world fliers—apparently seven and a half hours after the papers were printed.

"But because the fliers had hurdled the date line immediately after leaving the last Aleutian Island they had jumped twenty-four hours into the future. Their arrival was really about sixteen and one-half hours before the papers went to press. They had begun to speak a different language from America—their 11:35 Saturday was the same as 11:35 Friday in the United States.

Something to Remember
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Top—Monticello, Home Designed and Built by Thomas Jefferson, Writer of the Declaration of Independence. Left—Thomas Jefferson. Right—Desk on Which He is Said to Have Written the Famous Declaration.

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Immortal Author of Declaration of Independence Rests Among Scenes of Beauty.

Thomas Jefferson in his day had one of the finest mansions on the American continent. The author of the Declaration of Independence, said a celebrated Frenchman, was the first American to consult the fine arts in building himself a shelter. It may be truthfully said that Monticello is the personal creation of Thomas Jefferson; it is an architectural expression of his tastes and ideals. He drew the plans for the mansion, laid out the grounds and supervised in person the work, which was done by his own slaves, says a writer in the Pathfinder Magazine. The lumber was from his own forests, the nails were made in his own nail factory and the bricks were burnt in kilns on the plantation. Jefferson was born in Shadwell about three miles from Monticello. He became the head of the family at fourteen when his father died and left him with his mother, several sisters and an imbecile brother. When Jefferson returned from college, he was the richest, the best-educated and the most conspicuous young man in Albemarle county. It was during this period that he conceived the idea of building a home on Monticello, which in Italian means "little mountain." The mansion was started in 1770, but it was not completed until 1802, after Jefferson had become President.

If possible, the visitor going for the first time to Monticello from Charlottesville should walk. Only on foot can the magnificence of the approach be appreciated. A sharp bend in the winding mountain road brings us to a gate with a lodge beside it. This is the entrance to Monticello. We are informed by the occupant of the lodge that we still have a good half mile to go before we reach the mansion on the mountain top.

Jefferson's Own Epitaph.
Well up the slope we come to a small graveyard inclosed by a high fence. Directly in front of the cemetery gate is a simple marble shaft bearing this inscription: "Here lies Thomas Jefferson, author of the Declaration of Independence, of the statute for religious freedom in Virginia, and founder of the University of Virginia." So this is the tomb of Jefferson, the man who wrote the immortal Declaration of Independence, who served successively as member of the Continental congress, governor of Virginia, ambassador to France, secretary of state under Washington, vice president under John Adams and twice as President of the United States, and who spent the last years of his life as the revered "sage of Monticello." But why does the body of Jefferson lie buried here in this lonely mountain spot?

The answer is a beautiful story. From earliest boyhood Little Mountain was Jefferson's favorite resort. Here he and his friend Dabney Carr came in the afternoons to study, to talk, to dream and to watch the sun bury itself in Carter's mountain, which rises

300 feet above Monticello. Under an old oak the two boys built a rustic seat and many were the happy days they spent there together. Jefferson loved Dabney more than all his other friends. One day they made a boyish compact. They agreed that the one who should die first should be buried by the other under this old oak in full view of the beautiful Blue Ridge mountains.

Dabney Carr's Early Death.
Years passed by. The tie of friendship was strengthened by Dabney's marriage to Jefferson's favorite sister. Both Jefferson and Dabney were elected to the state legislature. They cast their lot with Patrick Henry and the anti-king party. One day young Dabney Carr, almost with the eloquence of a Cicero, made a speech advocating a union of all the colonies against the tyranny of Britain. Every patriot heart in Virginia was exalted and Dabney Carr was their leader. But poor Dabney never saw the end of the struggle. The youth who so fearlessly bearded the Hanover lion died before the Revolution had really begun. Jefferson was absent and Dabney's body was buried at Shadwell. When Jefferson returned he did not forget the compact of their boyhood. He could not break faith with his dead friend. So the body of Dabney was disinterred and laid to rest under the grand old oak on the slope of Monticello. Again

glimpsed for religious freedom, and father of the University of Virginia." No mention of the fact that he was President of the United States for two terms, and might have continued in office if he had not chosen to follow Washington's wise and noble precedent and refused a third term. No mention of his purchase of the magnificent empire lying west of the Mississippi. No mention of his other high official honors, such as being vice president, secretary of state, minister to France, member of congress, and war governor of Virginia, when his courage and wisdom in sustaining the strategic policy of Washington in the North, in spite of danger and sacrifice to Virginia, and to himself, were of great moment to the common cause.

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At Jefferson's Grave.

time sped by. Over half a century elapsed. The great statesman died at the ripe age of eighty-three. Then Dorsey, the gardener at Monticello, dug a grave for his old master beside that of Dabney Carr and the second part of the compact was fulfilled. The mansion itself stands in classic simplicity among the trees on the very summit of the mountain. From the west it has the appearance of a state ly one-story building surmounted by a white octagonal dome. This dome was originally intended for a billiard room, but before it was completed the Virginia legislature passed a law prohibiting billiard halls, both in public and in private. The dome was then converted into a ballroom. One of the most noticeable features about the estate is the absence of barns, sheds and out-buildings. Jefferson had such buildings erected far enough down the mountain slope so as not to mar the landscape on top.

Enduring Claims to Fame.
Jefferson dictated his own epitaph, and it is interesting as an estimate by a great man of his own achievements. His title, to the regard of posterity he based on the fact that he was "author of the Declaration of American Independence, and of the statute of Vir-

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The purchase of Louisiana was the act of a far-seeing statesman worthy to be named in the epitaph of the greatest. But it was done in defiance of Jefferson's theory of constitutional authority, although Jefferson, rightly, took his theories very seriously. It was a conspicuous example of the truth that a great statesman, like a great commander, knows when to disobey.

Liberty and Justice Under American Flag

Many people are disposed to undervalue symbols, while others exalt them above the thing signified. The American flag as a symbol is to be revered for what it represents, and only because it does represent certain things which the American people ought never to forget. We all know what those things are, and yet at times they do not seem to have any vital relation to the life of the people. Liberty, of course, is witnessed to by the flag. But there are strange ideas afloat about liberty. It does not mean the right of every man to do as he pleases, but it does mean the right of the citizen to use his own faculties for his own development. Our liberty has a long history, reaching back into English history which, up to the revolution, was also ours, and is yet up to the revolution. American liberty is not a creation, but a growth which culminated in the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution.

It is for this sort of liberty—an ordered and institutional liberty—that our flag stands. It is also the pledge of equality of opportunity. Self-government, the right to "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness," the great federal principle and the representative system—these are some of the blessings that Americans should think of when they see the national emblem. The flag is the flag of a people who have been called on to make great sacrifices in behalf of noble causes and who have not held back. National independence, freedom, national unity, democracy—men have fought and died for these when they fought and died for the flag. When it was carried to Europe in the great war it was greeted by all peoples as the banner of liberty and justice—and so it is.—Indianapolis News.

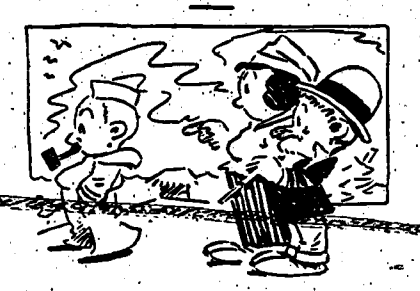


Wit and Humor

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Gentle hands were lifting Pat from the wreckage of his automobile, which had just been struck at a grade crossing by a fast passenger train. "How did it happen?" asked a friend who was with the rescue party. "Begorra," fumed Pat. "'Tis more than I can understand. Ye'd have thought that the engineer of the train could have seen me comin' in broad daylight!"—Everybody's Magazine.

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Mrs. Landsman—Oh, there's an old sailor. I wonder if he can dance a hornpipe.
Her Husband—Dance a hornpipe? No. He's smoking it. Don't you smell the burning horn?

A Wish

If every wish I wish for you (Or half of them) should e'er come true, You'd be so happy that my pen Need write no wish for you again!

Of Relative Importance

Bob—Have you heard what's happened to poor Bill?
Rob—No, what?
"He's got a funny growth behind his nose."
"How did he get it?"
"Well, I don't know that, but he calls it his face."—London Answers.

Hopeless

He—To think that the tunnel we've just come through cost three million dollars!
She—An entire waste of money as far as you're concerned!

Can Hold Himself In

"Does your husband love you as well as he did when you were first married?"
"He claims to, but he doesn't make such a fuss about it."

Missing

Mrs. Flatbush.—The man was here today looking for a gas leak.
Mr. Flatbush.—And did he find it?
"Yes, but they haven't found the man yet."

Tit for Tat

Council—What happened after the prisoner gave you a blow?
Witness—He gave me a third one.
Council—You mean a second one?
Witness—No; I gave the second one.

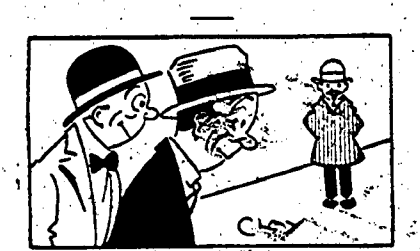
No Money in It

"I thought you said he was wedded to his art."
"So he was, but he applied for a divorce on the ground of non-support."

Simply Killing

Mistress—So you are taken with the butcher, Mary?
Maid—Indeed I am, ma'am—he's simply killing!

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Why It Was

She—Father was terribly angry when he saw the ring you gave me, and told me to return the "darn thing" at once.
He—Your father must be an old "crab."
She—No, he's a Jeweler.

As Bad as That?

Olive (with wet eyes)—M-men are all liars.
Jessie—Oh, don't say that!
Olive—Well, I s-suppose there are a few who are not, but all the really n-nice ones are!

His Condition

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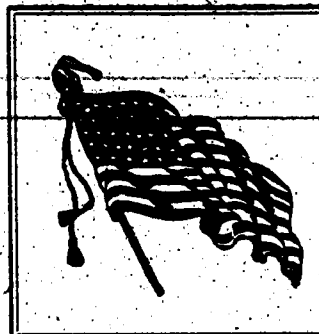
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Miss Anna F. McIntyre is spending a couple weeks' vacation with friends in Worcester and Boston, Mass.

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Ralph G. Winslow and family have arrived at Alabama Farm for the Summer months, and are with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Smith.

The parties who have purchased the house recently sold and vacated by Orrin Meiser, have removed into their new home and are occupying it.

Mrs. G. F. Jones has returned to her home here, after a few weeks' stay at St. Joseph's hospital, Nashua. She is somewhat improved in health.

Elbridge B. Lincoln, a former High school teacher in Antrim, was calling on friends here on Monday. He is at present conducting a Summer school for boys, at West Lebanon, Maine.

Lost—From the Henderson Place, a Peahen. Last seen near the homes of Albert Coullidge and Leo Lowell. Any information will be gladly received by Mrs. F. C. Henderson, Antrim. Adv.

The bungalow being erected on the vacant lot opposite the residence of H. Wilder Elliott, on North Main street, is owned by a Nolan family, and will be used for Summer occupancy.

A. J. Zabriskie has taken a lease of the Main Street Garage, at Bennington, and is conducting it personally, while his partner, Charles Robertson, is in charge of West Street Garage.

The first quarterly conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held at the church on Saturday evening of this week, with Rev. Edward A. Durham, of Haverhill, Mass., District Superintendent, in charge.

Wanted to buy. Antiques and Old Books; particularly early books, papers, letters, etc., relating to Mary Baker Eddy and Christian Science. Also, a copy of Whitton's History of Antrim. P. E. Richardson, 12 South Main St., Concord, N. H. Adv.

The following are the new officers of the ladies' circle of the Baptist church: Mrs. Fred A. Dunlap, president; Mrs. B. J. Tenney, vice president; Mrs. W. W. Brown, secretary; Mrs. Henry A. Hurlin, treasurer.

John L. Fleming and wife, of Lowell, Mass., were week end guests of the Balch family and Mrs. Elizabeth Paige. On their return home, Mrs. Paige and Mrs. Balch accompanied their brother, Mr. Fleming, for a visit in his home.

Members of the Baptist society to the number of forty gave Mr. and Mrs. Alwin Young a surprise on Wednesday evening last, when they entered their pleasant home on Concord street and passed a most pleasant evening together. This occasion being also a "pound party," each one left a pound of something worth while, and as a result Mr. and Mrs. Young are many pounds better off than they previously were, and the renewing of friendships was worth very much more.

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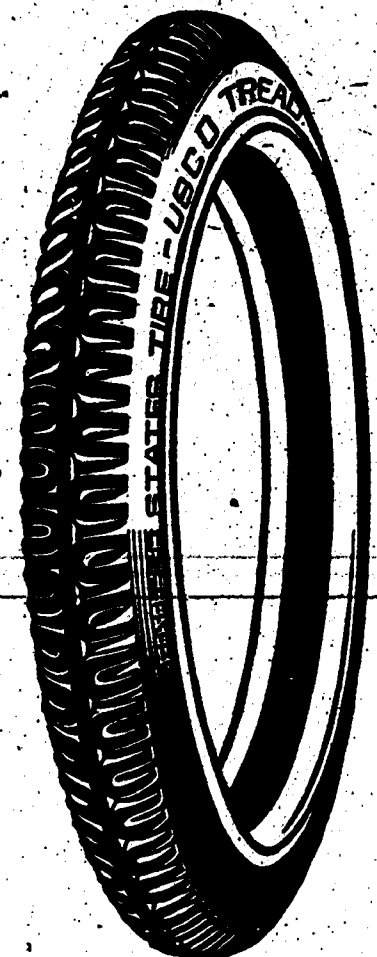
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Antrim Locals

The editor will be glad to print all communications, signed by the name of the writer, bearing on any matter of public interest, except articles or letters advocating or opposing the nomination or election of candidates for public office, which will be treated as advertising.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Warren are entertaining relatives for a season.

Dwight Parker, of Baldwinville, Mass., was the guest last week of Lee W. Sheppardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thornton have vacated the tenement in the Mrs. Junia Wilson house and for the present are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Proctor.

Mrs. B. L. Brooks, who has been ill the past couple weeks, has been cared for at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leo Lowell. H. D. Dodge also spent the time with Mrs. Lowell.

A few of the members of the ladies' aid society of the Methodist church took advantage of the offer of its president, Mrs. C. F. Carter, to enjoy a picnic at her cottage at Gregg lake on Saturday last. The day was a good one for this purpose and all who attended had a fine time.

Wanted.—The names, date of birth and death of the parents of Margaret Dinsmore, who married Robert Mills and resided in Deering. Mr. and Mrs. Mills are buried in the cemetery in Deering. She was born 1759, died April 7, 1839. \$5 will be paid for the above information. Communicate with the editor of this paper.

The Antrim base ball team played with Loudon on West street grounds on Saturday afternoon and won by a score of eleven to one. Some of the game was very interesting to watch and a goodly number of our people attended. The outstanding features of the game were the pitching of Thornton and the batting of Harlow. The Antrim boys showed up well at this game.

At a meeting of the directors of the Antrim Baseball Association held at the selectmen's room on Thursday evening last, it was decided to have two baseball games on West street grounds Fourth of July, with Hillsboro team. For a good many years Hillsboro and Antrim have been rivals on the baseball field, and it is thought very likely that this aggregation will draw good crowds at both games. In the evening a dance will be given in the town hall.

Maybe some of our readers had noticed it, but really we have passed our longest days and their length is now steadily decreasing.

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REPORTER RAMBLINGS

The cost of living has now declined to the lowest level of the year, according to some authorities, and still it seems just as hard as ever to make both ends meet.

tant office in our country that says it makes no difference to him whether he runs on a "wet" platform or a "dry" one, cannot have any great mind of his own.

Ten Dartmouth seniors assert they have never been kissed. Where were they during the winter carnivals and junior proms held while they have been students at Dartmouth?

With the vacation season near at hand, motorists should give thought to the necessity this year for the protection of our forests from fire. Last year 1,500 fires in our national forests. More timber is burned every year than falls before the lumberman's axe.

The research committee of the Maine Federation of Business and Professional Woman's Clubs has gathered statistics showing that the average wage of Maine women in the clubs is \$27 a week, and the average time of service nine years. This is a credit to Maine women and also to their employers.

The price for boxes at the national Democratic convention to be held at Madison Square Garden, New York, has been fixed at \$1800 for six chairs and \$2700 for 10. These are the minimum figures. Without doubt the maximum contributions will be greatly in excess of these modest amounts.

There are three hundred thousand professional criminals in our country, reports the National Surety company. This is a very low estimate without doubt. It's the word "professional" criminals that keeps the number so low.

Things Worth Knowing

EGG YOLKS.—Place a piece of wax paper over a dish holding unused egg yolks and they will not get dry.

PAINTED WALLS.—To remove marks on painted walls, caused by striking matches on them, rub with the cut surface of a lemon, then clean with a cloth dipped in whiting. Wash the surface with warm water and soap and then wipe quickly with a clean cloth wrung out of clear water.

SPOONS.—Mix mustard with milk instead of water and the spoon will not get black.

BROOMS.—A broom will last longer if dipped into scalding suds once a week. This toughens the bristles.

BUTTER.—To cut butter smoothly and cleanly, cover the knife with oiled paper.

INK STAINS.—To remove ink stains from linen, try pouring melted tallow on the marks. Then wash the article, and the ink and grease will both disappear.

POTATOES.—Add a teaspoonful of baking powder to mashed potatoes before they are whipped. This will make them very light and flaky.

Water Bottles.—To clean glass water bottles try using coffee grounds and soapy water. Let stand awhile and then shake thoroughly and rinse. Crushed eggshells also perform this work well.

Summer Dresses.—If all summer dresses are ironed on the wrong side they are less likely to fade. Should any article become scorched hang it in the sunshine and the stain will most always disappear.

Stove.—After cooking greasy food wipe your range carefully with brown paper. This will help to keep the range bright.

Cooking Utensils.—If every cooking utensil is washed as soon as emptied and while it is still hot, half the labor in washing will be saved.

Pipes.—When the pipes become clogged, mix a handful of soda and a handful of salt together. Force down the pipe and leave for half an hour—then pour down boiling water.

Rust Spots.—To remove rust spots wet the spot and rub with

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE HILLSBOROUGH, S. S.

Court of Probate
To the heirs at law of the estate of Oliver S. Cram late of Antrim in said County, deceased, intestate, and to all others interested therein: Whereas Annie M. Cram administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has filed in the Probate Office for said County, her petition for license to sell real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, said real estate being fully described in her petition, and open for examination by all parties interested.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Probate to be holden at Hillsborough Bridge in said County, on the 25th day of July next, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

Said administratrix is ordered to serve this citation by causing the same to be published once each week for three successive weeks in the Antrim Reporter a newspaper printed at Antrim in said County, the last publication to be at least seven days before said Court.

Given at Nashua in said County, this 16th day of June A. D. 1924.
S. J. DEARBORN
Register.

Antrim Locals

WANTED.—Men or women to take orders for genuine guaranteed hosiery for men, women and children. Eliminates darning. Salary \$75 a week full time. \$1.50 an hour spare time. Beautiful Spring line. International Stocking Mills, Norristown, Pa. Advertisement

Wednesday, June 18, Mrs. Anna Eaton Carter entertained the Past Department President's Association of the Woman's Relief Corps, at "Weliket Lodge," Gregg Lake. Those present were Mrs. Eliza A. Patten, Mrs. Harriett G. West, Miss Lenna E. McCoy, of Manchester, Mrs. Flora A. Hanson, of Amherst, Mrs. Gertrude N. Howison, of Milford, and Mrs. Mary Proctor Howe, of Worcester, Mass. The day was ideal, the party a pleasant one, and the ladies were loud in their praises of the scenery around Gregg Lake.

Fourth of July Celebration at North Branch

A grand Fourth of July celebration will be held on Cadillac Inn grounds, in North Branch village, four miles from Antrim village, on the Keene road to Concord, auto route 9. Committees having details in charge are working hard for its success. Ball games, sports, clam bake, midway, dancing, etc., will be special features. Posters to be circulated very soon will give further particulars, but this notice is sufficient to let everyone know that something in the way of a real celebration will be given at a short distance from home.

cream of tartar. Then place in sun to dry.

Piano Keys.—Rub piano keys with a soft rag moistened with lemon juice and dip in silver whiting.

To Stone Raisins.—Pick the raisins from the stem and place in a bowl. Then cover with boiling water and let stand for two minutes. When the water is poured off the seeds can be removed quickly and easily without the usual stickiness.

Cake.—To keep cake moist place an apple in the tin.

Salt.—In damp weather when salt will not come out of the shaker, put a few grains of rice with the salt. The rice will absorb the moisture.

Broom.—When purchasing a new broom press it to the floor. If it is a good broom the straw remains firm. If the straws spread out and bend, do not purchase it.

Mirrors.—Use soap suds in washing specks from the surface of mirrors. Then rub the glass thoroughly with a soft pad made of crushed newspapers to give a high polish.

Suet.—If suet is put in the oven to melt a little before chopping, it will be more easily chopped and waste is prevented.

Stove Brushes.—Stove polishing brushes should be washed occasionally in warm, soapy water, to which a small amount of soda has been added.

Once Too Often

Chester:—Yes, I'm a model workman—husband—etc.

She:—"I believe you are right. The dictionary says: 'a model is a small imitation of the genuine.'"

Bennington.

Moving Pictures!

Town Hall, Bennington
at 8.00 o'clock
Wednesday, June 25
Anita Stewart in
"Question of Honor"
Saturday, June 28
Big Boy Williams in
"Western Firebrand"
Pathe Weekly and Comedy

A new building is going up next the barber shop for an ice cream shop.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. George King is ill with bronchitis.

Several from this place attended the graduation at Milford.

Gordon Dodge, of Lowell, Mass., was a visitor here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Gerrard have been entertaining friends from Boston, Mass., the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Messer are entertaining their nephew, from Nashua, for the summer vacation.

Mrs. Harry Knight is to pass the summer with Miss George at her camp in Stoddard.

A cablegram has been received from Rev. E. C. Osborne; he is in Glasgow, Scotland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pierce and family have gone to the shore for the summer.

Robert Clafin and Harold Eaton graduated from Milford High on Friday, the 20th. They are members of a class of 41 to graduate this year.

If men have done the things pictured in "The Whipping Boss," the film should have gone a step further and given their names.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wilson and Mrs. Harry Knight attended the Frankestown anniversary, these being the only invitations sent here.

The annual recital of the piano pupils of Miss Lawrence was held in Grange hall on Monday evening; it was quite up to its usual merit.

There will be the usual Sunday school at 12 o'clock; a good attendance is hoped for, as there is talk of a picnic soon. There will probably be a morning service; listen for the bell.

The funeral of Miss Bertha Diamond was held at the Catholic church on Wednesday last and was very largely attended; relatives from Springfield, Northampton, Bay State, Florence and Thorndike, Mass., and from New Britain, Conn., were present. Solemn Requiem Mass was said by Rev. Father Leddy, assisted by Rev. Father Hogan, of Manchester Cathedral, and Rev. Father Cushing.

Card of Thanks

We wish to heartily thank all friends and neighbors who so kindly remembered us with the many beautiful flowers, automobiles, and words of sympathy during our recent bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Diamond
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Diamond, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Diamond
Mr. Arnold Diamond

The Court of Love

The Court of Love was the name applied in the later Middle Ages to groups of noble ladies who often, while assembled to listen to the declamations of the troubadours, took occasion to decide upon questions of courtesy and etiquette, particularly in affairs of love. According to some authorities, these courts formed regular institutions during the Twelfth century. There was a code of 31 articles and decisions are said to have been based on this code. A typical example of the questions submitted to such tribunals is the following: "If a lady listened to one admirer, pressed the hand of another, and touched with her toe the foot of a third, which of these three was the favored suitor?"

Great Use Given Milk

The great care given in the United States to the wholesomeness of milk and other dairy products is frequently commented upon by world travelers. That the people of this country appreciate the efforts made to protect the health of cattle and to keep milk sweet and clean from the farm to the consumer is shown by the quantities of dairy products they use. Figures compiled by the United States Department of Agriculture show that in this country there are approximately 25,000,000 dairy cows, one-fourth of all the milk cows in the world, and we consume all the product of this great herd, although we have only about one-sixteenth of the world's population. Uncle Sam's best recommendation for the milk, butter, cheese and condensed milk produced here is the fact that he uses them himself.

CHURCH NOTES

Furnished by the Pastors of the Different Churches

Presbyterian-Methodist Churches
Rev. Wm. Thompson, Pastor
Thursday evening the service will be of a very interesting nature. 1 Cor. 13.

Sunday morning worship with address by the pastor; subject, "Resting on the Unseen."

The Church School will meet for Bible study after the morning service.

The Christian Endeavor will meet in the church for devotion at 6 p. m.

Tuesday evening, the choir will meet in the church.

Man's boasted wisdom is dull stupidity in comparison with the cunning of God, and yet before human pride even omnipotence fails.

BAPTIST

Rev. R. H. Tibbals, Pastor
Thursday, June 26, regular prayer meeting at 7.30 p. m. Topic, "The Master's Way of Vanquishing Temptation," Matt. 4, 1-11.

Sunday, June 29, morning worship at 10.45. The pastor will preach on "Spiritual Dynamite."

Bible School at 12 o'clock, with classes for all.

The Union Service at 7 o'clock will be in the Presbyterian church, and Frederick W. French, baritone, of Manchester, will sing.

Potatoes For Sale

I have some very nice potatoes which I will deliver anywhere in Antrim at \$1.50 per bushel.
Charles D. White, Antrim.

Administrator's Notice

The subscriber gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Oliver S. Cram, late of Antrim, in the County of Hillsborough, deceased.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment.

Dated June 11, 1924.

Annie M. Cram.

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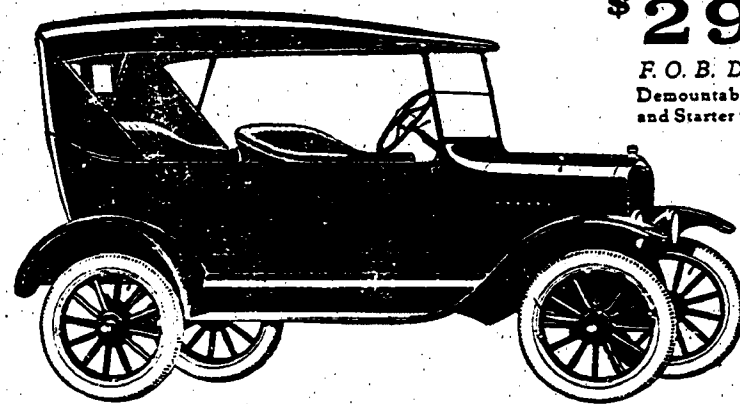
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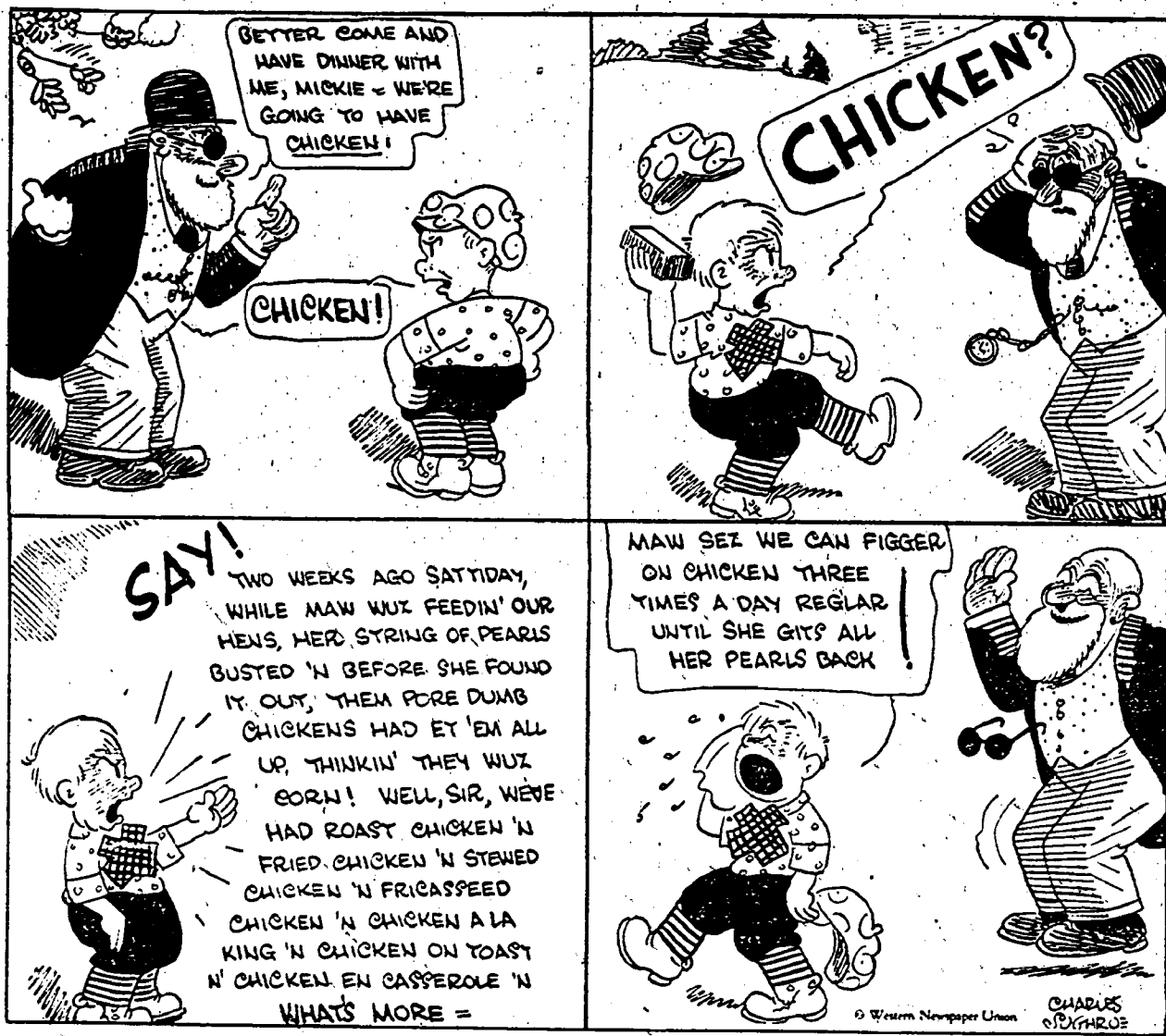
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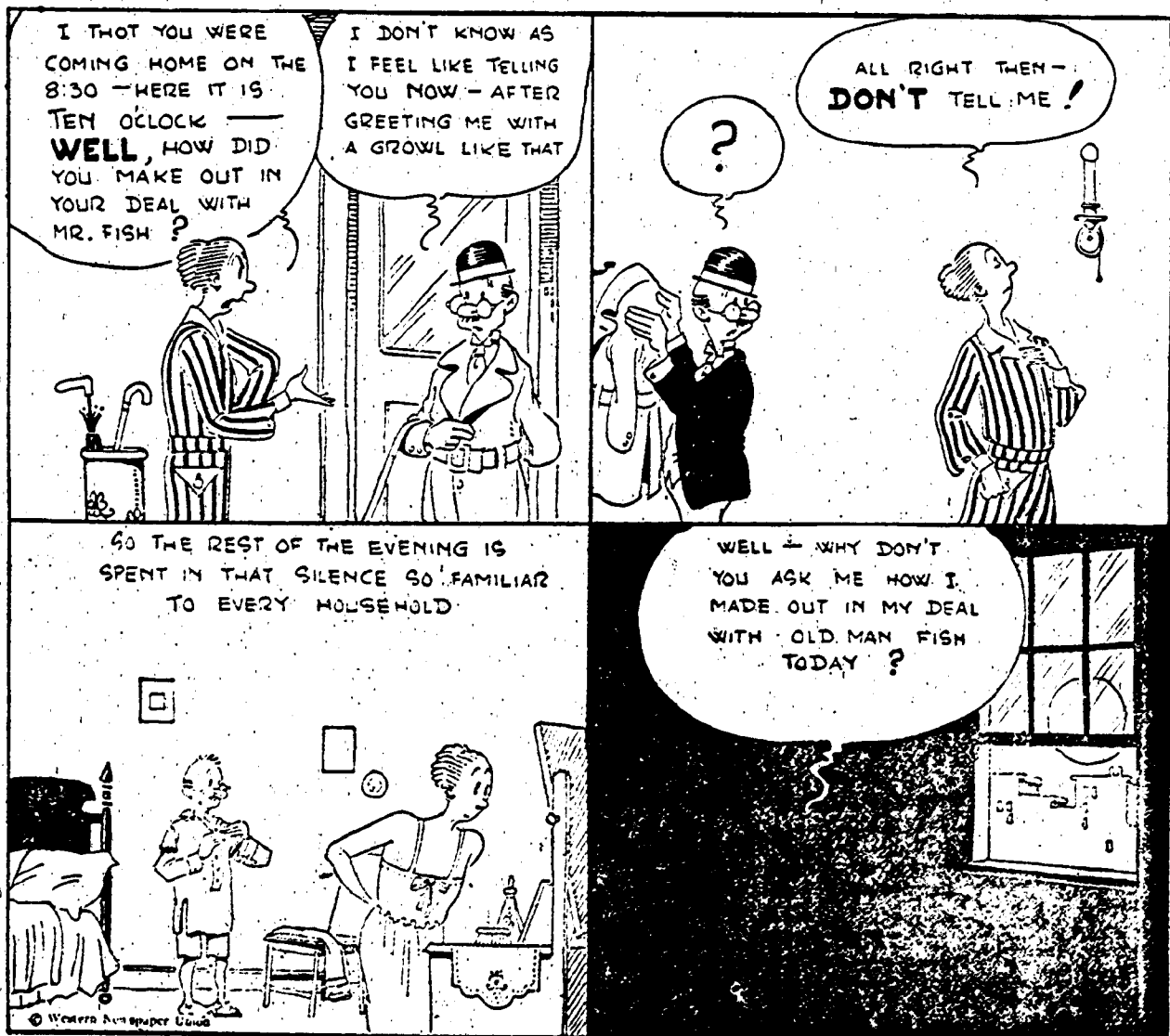
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Many send for a sample bottle to see what Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine will do for them. By enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., you may receive sample size bottle by parcel post. You can purchase medium and large size bottles at all drug stores.—Advertisement.

Weather Broadcasting

Through international co-operation, a regular weather bulletin covering a region in the South Pacific ocean nearly as large as the continental United States is now being broadcast twice daily from Apia, Samoa. Messages are exchanged and relayed between islands 2,000 miles apart, and the forecast from Apia is based on them. Special storm warnings are also broadcast when conditions warrant them.

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Want Weather Report

Prof. Harold W. Melvin, head of the English department of the engineering school of the Northwestern university in Chicago, has found out by taking a poll of his classes that the weather report is read by more students than any other type of news appearing in the daily newspaper. Sporting news attracted the first attention of about half of the students.

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English Woman at Forge

The village blacksmith as Longfellow saw him would be interested could he see his vocation usurped by the "weaker sex." The first woman in England to work at the anvil is Miss Florence Swann, who manages her father's wheelwright and engineer's business in the town of New Cross. What adds interest to Miss Swann's work is that she was a milliner before the war.

French Bar Radio Comedy

Comedy singing is once and for all banned before the microphone of the Postes, Telegraphies & Telephones station, in Paris. Humor may be all very well in its place, but when it comes to using the government station to make fun of the government, humor ceases to be, and the whole affair assumes a very serious aspect. Government in France is not a joking matter!

Agreement

Judge (to witness)—One of you must be telling lies.
Woman—Of course he is, sir.

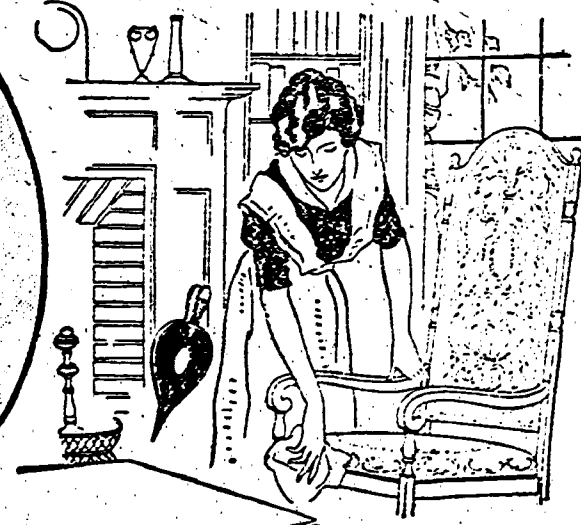
Settled by Mutineers

Pitcairn Island, in the South Pacific ocean, has an area of only about two square miles and a population of about 100 souls. It was settled in 1790 by mutineers from the British ship Bounty.

Helpful Advice to Overworked Women



MRS. C. E. CHAPMAN
1920 ELM ST., NEW ALBANY, IND.



DAY in and day out, week in and week out the tired, over-worked housewife and mother toils on, sweeping, dusting, cooking, cleaning and mending. Is it any wonder that after a time a weakness, such as Mrs. Chapman had, develops and the wife and mother pays a toll in physical weakness and pain for her efforts of love, the natural result of overwork?

Women who find themselves afflicted with weakness, pain, headaches, backache, nervousness, irritability and melancholia will be interested in Mrs. Chapman's letter, and should realize that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is especially adapted to overcome such conditions.

Mrs. Chapman's Letter Reads as Follows:

NEW ALBANY, IND.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for a weakness which many women have from over work, and from which I suffered for quite a while. I wasn't fit to do my work and my sister advised me to take this medicine. After the first few days the pains were not so severe as they had been and after taking a few bottles I am not bothered any more. I am to any woman suffering from female trouble. Only yesterday a friend called me on the phone and knowing what it did for me wanted to know what to ask for at the drug-store, as she meant to give it a trial."—MRS. C. E. CHAPMAN, 1920 Elm Street, New Albany, Indiana.

Another Case of Nervous Breakdown

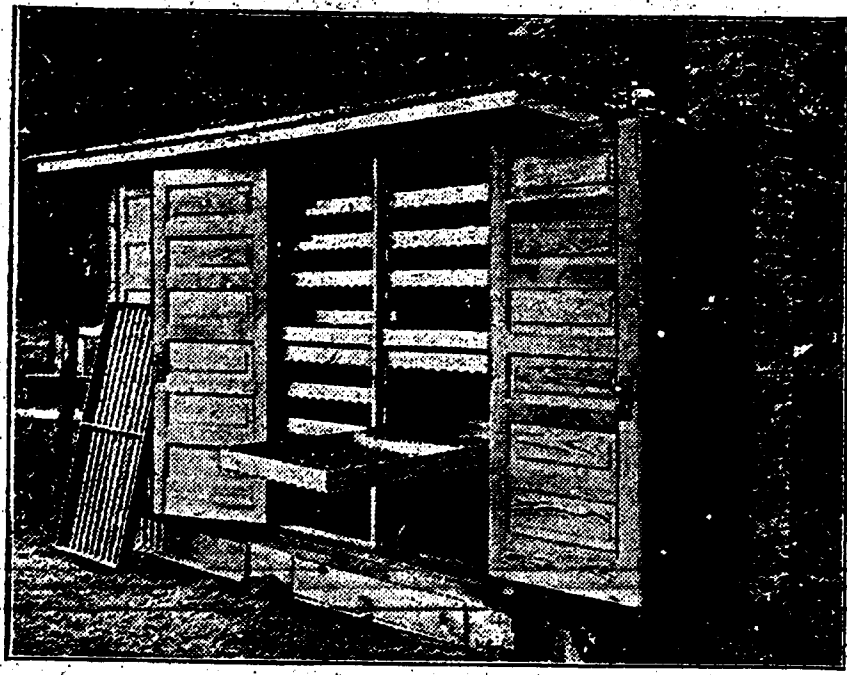
MEMPHIS, TENN.—"Two years ago I was completely run-down and my nerves were a wreck. I could not sweep a room without resting, I could not do any of my work except a little at a time and the doctor's medicine did not help me. One day some one threw a little book on to my porch and in it I read several testimonials of women who had been like myself. I went right out and got me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and before I had taken the whole of that bottle I knew it was helping me. I took six bottles and then in about three months I took two more. Now I am in perfect health. I do all my own work and could do more. I can truly say that I know Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound gave me my health."—MRS. O. J. HANCKLES, 415 1/2 E. Georgia St., Memphis, Tenn.

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CONSTRUCTION OF SMALL COMMUNITY DRIER



Small but Satisfactory Community Drier.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Community driers or evaporators have proved of great value in taking extra work out of the house during the busy season. A small but satisfactory co-operative drier may be built by the following directions, which are recommended by the United States Department of Agriculture:

The thermos or fireless cooker principle is used in this drier; that is, a space of three or four inches is allowed between the walls of the house, to be filled with sawdust. This holds the heat and relieves the necessity of a constant watch over the fire. The furnace should be placed at the opposite end from the door and a stovepipe run from furnace end to the door end and back with sufficient elevation to cause good draft. A drier of this size and type should, with good management, dry from four to six bushels a day, and should pay for itself in one season. Wet weather has no effect on this type of drier.

Building Plan of House.

The house is 6 by 12 feet. The uprights in front are 6 feet 8 inches. The uprights in back are 6 feet 2 inches to give roof 8 inches fall for watershed. Doors are fastened to 2 by 4-inch uprights in front. Doors are 2 feet 8 inches by 6 feet 8 inches. The furnace is 15 by 15 inches by 4 feet, covered with two sheets (24-gauge) black sheet iron 2 inches apart—air space to prevent fire. The radiation is secured by ordinary stovepipe attached to furnace.

The house is heated after the plan of a tobacco barn—a small furnace of rock or brick is built at one end, a stovepipe carries the radiation to the

opposite end of the house and back, with an elevation of two feet above the furnace. This stovepipe may extend outside of the house a sufficient space to escape the eaves and an elbow and three or four joints may act as a chimney, or if a chimney is preferred, it may be built at a cost of \$4 or \$5 additional.

Plan of Trays.

There are three lattice partitions in the house, making four sections 82 inches wide for drying trays; 12 inches above the sill place across a piece 2 by 4 inches on which the center uprights, 2 by 4 inches, and the back upright, 2 by 4 inches, rest. (Put upright pieces the 2-inch way.) The tray bearers, 1 by 3-inch strips, are fastened to the uprights. The space between the tray bearers is filled with 2-inch strips to act as guides for the trays and to force the draft to circulate between the trays. If these spaces are left open they will act as a flue and carry off the heat. The sides of the trays are of 3/4 by 8-inch lumber, making the trays 3 inches deep. The bottom of the tray is made of lattice strips 3/4 by 1 1/4 inches, with 1-inch space between the strips running lengthwise. The trays have a center partition to support the bottom laths and cheesecloth is used to cover the laths. There are 8 inches from the top of one tray to the top of the next. The trays move on the bearers like a bureau drawer.

A small opening must be left at top of house just above doors—an outlet for steam. A 3-inch opening at front foundation must be planned to let in cool air to keep the fruit from sweating.

Hogs Profitable on Dairy Farms

No Matter What Type of Farming Is Followed Pork Production Is Requisite.

Dairy farming may be of two types; the intensive type where dairying is the major project on the farm, or the diversified type where dairying is of equal importance along with several other projects. No matter which type of farming is followed pork production is an essential part of either.

Porkers Are Essential.

On many dairy farms the amount of land is limited. Of all meat producing animals the hog is best adapted to diversified and intensified farming where a large income is desired from a small acreage. Dairy farming cannot be conducted along the most efficient and profitable lines without a sufficient number of hogs to utilize the skim milk and buttermilk or whey which may be available for feeding and the undigested grain in the droppings of the cows. It is rather doubtful whether any system of farming can satisfy all the principles of good farm management as does a properly conducted dairy business, which depends on the output of cream or butter and pork for its principal revenue.

Simple Equipment.

For raising hogs, equipment need not be extensive or expensive. Hogs can be handled with less equipment than any other class of farm animals. Shelter suitable for early farrowing should be provided, but it need not be elaborate or of a kind which would in any way mean a burdensome overhead expense. Hogs are affected by extreme heat more than any of the other farm animals, but suitable shade costs little more than the time spent in providing it.

Hogs fit in well with the labor plan of the dairy farm. Since the bulk of the work with cows comes at milking time there is, as a rule, slack time throughout the day which could be profitably spent in feeding and caring for the hogs.—H. H. Smith, Colorado Agricultural College.

Various Cover Crops in Orchard Are Beneficial

Some of our readers talk about a cover crop for the orchard, but they seem to have the wrong idea of just what this means. The real cover crop means both cultivation and cropping. Says the Rural New Yorker. For instance, the ground is plowed early in the spring and kept well stirred up through the summer with some kind of cultivator. Then, about the middle of June or a little later a crop is seeded to hold the ground during the rest of the summer and the fall. All sorts of crops are suggested for this purpose. Some growers use a combination rye and clover. Others find buckwheat and clover very satisfactory. The object is to have some crop growing through the late summer and fall, so as to give organic matter which may be plowed into the soil the following year. A cover crop holds the ground and prevents washing in case of late rains. It also causes the trees to ripen their wood earlier, and usually gives a little better color and quicker ripening to the fruit. Another advantage is, with such a crop growing in late summer, it prevents the loss of nitrates from the soil. The use of early oats, barley or clover seed in the early spring would not be as satisfactory, as it would not be possible with such a crop to give the early culture which most of our orchards require. Early plowing and cultivation up to the middle of June, and then the cover crop, is a standard plan for handling an orchard.

Dipping Cows Does Not Decrease Flow of Milk

"Dipping cows for the eradication of cattle fever ticks when properly done does not interfere with the milk flow," asserts Dr. J. G. Du Puis, president of the Dutch Belted Cattle Association of America.

Doctor Du Puis, who operates a high-class farm near Miami, Fla., bases his conclusion on experience of the most convincing nature. In his statement to the United States Department of Agriculture he says his farm became infested with ticks in 1920 and 1921 through the carelessness of railroad employees. He adopted the practice of dipping his cattle every 14 days.

Production records kept on the herd during the dipping treatment made a satisfying revelation. One of the cows, "Fernell" No. 1981, had produced 18,477.9 pounds of milk and 584,814 pounds of butter, two milkings daily. This record won the state championship for all breeds in Florida and the world's championship for the Dutch Belted breed.

Better Sires Campaign

"Better sires and better feeding" is one of the things that we will make progress on in Kentucky this year." This statement in a letter from Wayland Rhoads, field agent in animal husbandry of the University of Kentucky, to the United States Department of Agriculture, was accompanied with 270 applications for membership in the "Better Sires—Better Stock" campaign. Each of the 270 persons had signed a pledge that the would use pure bred sires exclusively for all kinds of live stock raised. Eighteen counties were represented.

Ways for Checking Inroads of Beetles

Well to Let Fowls Run in Asparagus Patch.

Several ways exist for checking the inroads of asparagus beetles. According to the vegetable department of the agricultural college in New Brunswick, a combination of methods is usually found necessary.

Chicks of all ages feed upon asparagus beetles; therefore, it is well to let the birds run through the patch. Many commercial growers use small colony houses containing a dozen birds. They are placed 150 feet apart each way in the field.

If a few stalks are allowed to develop during the cutting season, the beetles will collect on these, and if the stalks are kept covered with poison the infestation will be considerably checked. When preventive measures fail, it might be well to make ridges higher and cut stalks deeper, as the beetles will do no injury until the stalks come out of the ground.

When the cutting season ends and the plants are allowed to make the tall top growth, the beetles and their larvae often become very destructive. This top growth is essential for storing reserve plantfood in the roots. The beetles may be checked by dusting powdered arsenate of lead or paris green upon the foliage when it is wet with dew. A blow gun is effective for making this application.

Grass-Fattened Cattle Will Give Best Results

Less grain is required when cattle are fattened on grass, according to H. D. Fox of Missouri. Other advantages are: Less nitrogenous concentrates such as oil meal or cottonseed meal necessary. There is no roughage to handle, hogs following the cattle usually make better gains and the manure is scattered in the fields.

Flies and a possible scarcity of labor are the principal disadvantages in such a system of feeding.

The cattle best suited for grass feeding are those which have been wintered on cheap roughages and are thin. Fat or half fat animals had best be finished in dry lot unless they can be kept on grass for at least two months.

Calves or yearlings that are to be marketed during the pasturing season do best when fed grain continuously. Older cattle may do without grain until the middle of July or the first of August. Cottonseed meal or oil meal supplements for corn are advisable for young cattle, and also for older ones if they are to be finished in the shortest possible time. The amount to feed will depend upon how much clover or alfalfa there is in the pasture.

Corn may be fed shelled, ground or broken, shelled or ground probably being better for young animals because they will eat more. More hogs can be used to follow cattle in pasture because they will get part of their living from the grass.

Inoculate Soy Beans to Assist Greater Growth

Inoculated soy beans have made a greater growth than those not inoculated and growing side by side. This is especially true on poor soils.

An experiment at Michigan showed that soy beans that were planted side by side, and the only difference in treatment was that one was inoculated and the next plot was not, on analysts, showed a different protein content. Those that were inoculated had 50 per cent greater protein content than those not inoculated. This experiment was on poor soil where it proved that inoculating has a beneficial effect on the plant itself. This difference was not so great on better soil.

Soy beans grown at Iowa state college under similar conditions, the only difference being that one plot had inoculated beans and the other did not, were easily distinguished in September. At this time the inoculated beans were green while those that were not inoculated were yellow.

FARM NOTES

Lam on the lime! Most land needs it.

A late start in the spring means a hustle till August.

One of the easiest way to kill profits is to let expenses grow.

With water so cheap and the cows willing to do the drinking the least a man can do is to provide it.

Thin the vegetables while they are small; thick sowings are likely to mean spindly plants.

The more unreasonable the weather the more seasoned must be the farmer's experience if he is to succeed.

Iowa farmers have spent as much for tiled drainage as the cost of the Panama canal; it may be profitable on your farm.

Even a hog will appreciate plenty of clean, fresh water during the hot days of summer; how much more so will the delicate dairy cow.

Swapping quarters for dollars is the way one farmer describes growing legumes; he says he gets a dollar in soil improvement for every quarter he spends.

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Rivers Carry Salt Into the Ocean

At first it strikes one as strange that, although the sea must originally have been formed of distilled water—that is, congealed watery vapor—and though all the rivers that flow into it, estimated to amount in the aggregate to 6,500 cubic miles of water every year, are fed exclusively by rainfall, which is also distilled water, it should nevertheless be extremely brackish, very salt indeed in the tropics and less salt at the poles.

Yet it is chiefly the rivers that account for the saltiness of the sea. It is estimated that they carry something like 100,000,000 tons of saline matter into the ocean every year and, further, that the ocean holds in suspension no less than 140,000,000,000 tons of salt, a sufficient quantity, if extracted, to cover the dry surface of the earth to a depth of 400 feet, says London Tit-Bits.

It is believed that 90,000,000 years have been required for the sea to attain its present saltiness.

All He Wanted

Dupree Fountain, room clerk at the Rice hotel, likes to recall this incident from those he encountered during his early days in the hotel business.

Dupree was working in a hotel in a small Louisiana town. A tough sailor approached the desk. "Want a room, sir?" inquired Fountain, pen in hand.

"Naw," replied the sailor. "I think I'm a banana. All I want is a skin, so I can curl up in the fruit bowl."—Houston Post.

The Editor Knows

Sinkville Editor—It's a pity that so few writers know how to start an automobile.

Sinkville Reporter—Why, how's that?

Sinkville Editor—Here you say, "The robbers ran to a waiting car with engine running, forced in the clutch, threw out the gears, and stepped on the change-speed pedal, and made their getaway."

Will blind confidence lead you to physical disaster at age 31?

This is the experience of the average American, United States Life Tables, 1920, indicate

For the average person, health—physical freedom and full vigor—extends only from age 18 to 31. Then the slump. After 40, earnings fall off rapidly. What do these startling facts (taken from the United States Life Tables, 1920) mean for you?

It is time to check up. It is time to take stock of the present, and face the future with open eyes. Blind faith in the power of the human body to absorb punishment has failed miserably. Unwise eating, stimulated nerves, sleeplessness; disregard of the simplest laws of health; the leaking of the overwrought body to new exertions by the use of drugs—physical decay beginning at age 31! This is the tragic chronicle.

Nature provides a danger signal—fatigue—to warn when the body needs rest. Certain drugs have the power to deaden the fatigue signal. One of the most common of these drugs is caffeine—a drug classified as a poison. The average cup of coffee contains from 1 1/2 to 3 grains of caffeine—a dose equal to that often administered by physicians in cases of heart failure.

Caffein, by deadening the danger signal of fatigue, appears to give new strength. Actually, this strength is robbed from the body's own reserve, stored up for life's emergencies.

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SEVERAL WAYS TO COOK CUCUMBERS

They Are Excellent as Cooked Vegetable.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Cucumbers are excellent as a cooked vegetable, suggests the United States Department of Agriculture, though many people do not know or use them in this form. To prepare them for cooking, peel them, cut lengthwise or crosswise, or both, and scoop out the seeds. They are tender and delicious if steamed in a colander or steamer and served with a white sauce like sliced carrots or turnips, kohlrabi, Jerusalem artichokes, or asparagus. Baked halves of cucumbers stuffed



Roiled in flour and Fried Like Egg-plant.

with fine bread crumbs from the center of the loaf which have been seasoned with salt, pepper and onion juice, or a little chopped onion, are appreciated as much as stuffed eggplant, peppers or tomatoes.

The cucumbers may be mashed after steaming or stewing in a very little water, seasoned with butter, salt and pepper, and served in the same way as yellow or white or Hubbard squash. Lengthwise halves of peeled cucumber may be rolled in flour and fried like eggplant. Sliced cucumbers may be sautéed in butter in which a tablespoonful of chopped onion has been cooked till golden brown. In Switzerland, France and Hungary, cucumbers are prepared and served in all these ways, which are worth trying by American housewives.

BACON IN SANDWICH WILL HELP FLAVOR

Especially Appetizing When Served at a Picnic.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

What to put in the sandwiches for school or office is a constantly recurring problem. Almost everybody likes bacon—it is usually on hand and it may be prepared in a very few minutes. Why not use it occasionally in sandwiches? suggests the United States Department of Agriculture. When time is short, plain bacon sandwiches, consisting of bread and two or three slices of crisp-cooked bacon, can be put together in a very few minutes. Bacon sandwiches out-of-doors can be made wherever one's picnic party happens to be. The bacon can be toasted over a fire in the woods, each person cooking his own pieces with the aid of a forked stick; and either because of the jollity of the occasion, or the good flavor of the bacon, or the special taste given by the wood fire, the sandwiches will seem to be the best one has ever eaten.

Sliced onion or pickle in a bacon sandwich gives an acceptable flavor. Various kinds of "club" sandwiches are made, all of them including bacon as one of the chief ingredients. A chicken club sandwich is commonly made with three pieces of toasted bread as a basis, and between these two fillings consisting of lettuce, bacon, tomato and sliced chicken, with salad dressing. Veal or other cold meat makes a palatable filling in a club sandwich. These sandwiches are bulky and are intended to be served on a plate and eaten with a knife and fork. They constitute the main dish for a luncheon or supper, but as they are ordinarily made with toast they are not so suitable for packing in a lunch box to be eaten several hours later.

Bacon and cottage cheese combine well in sandwiches, either of plain bread or toast. Eggs and bacon can be made as acceptable in sandwiches as when served together for breakfast. The egg may be scrambled and mixed during cooking with the bacon cut up in small pieces, or it may be hard-boiled, minced and mixed with the bacon when being put into the sandwiches. Liver and bacon sandwiches are made by chopping the liver to a paste, seasoning it with salt, pepper and small pieces of bacon, and using the mixture as a sandwich filling. Bacon may be added to give zest to any cold meat used in sandwiches. If the sandwich can be served while the bacon is hot, the result is particularly good. A little salad dressing is needed on the meat. Lettuce, watercress, celery or tomato may be added, making a result similar to a club sandwich, except that bread is used instead of toast.

Tying Cast Iron Into Knots Is Now Possible

Tying gray or white cast iron in knots is now made possible by a new process invented by Alex. K. Schlaap. The process is very simple, consisting in heating the cast iron to a temperature shortly above the critical temperature of 1,800 Fahrenheit, while protecting it in a muffle surrounded by a gas flame and open at the top. As soon as the gray cast iron reaches the proper temperature the muffle and its contents are removed from the furnace and allowed to cool in the open air. The whole operation requires about 45 minutes, starting from cold cast iron.

The method has been in continuous use for a year, chiefly for the purpose of softening gray iron castings for machining purposes, and especially for making automobile piston rings. The most noteworthy characteristic is the combination of pliability, ductility, malleability, and resiliency. In its resiliency the heat-treated metal most resembles steel, since it shows this property both before and after distortion. For example, a thin bar might be coiled up into a spiral and used as a spring, although, of course, not nearly as strong and resilient as a tempered steel spring. It is worthy of note that this annealed cast iron does not warp on standing. Samples of annealed iron have stood for several months without changing shape by as much as one thousandth of an inch, as compared with unannealed castings of the same metal and pattern, which have warped.—Iron Age.

Indians of Amazon Valley

War is the normal state of the Jibaro Indian of the Amazon valley, first for the purpose of getting wives from neighboring or enemy tribes, second, for revenge of injuries inflicted upon relatives during wars, then for enemy heads that are supposed to bring good luck to the possessors because of the sacrifice of the victim to the devil. The heads of their enemies also become a source of income to these savage Amazonian tribes, since they are exchanged with traders for arms, ammunition, etc.

The skull is removed from the head of the decapitated enemy through a slit in the back from the neck up. The skin is then boiled to arrest putrefaction, after which it is dried and reduced in size by inserting hot stones the size of an orange. When the interior has been shrunk to the size of the stones hot sand is used to continue the process of drying and shrinking. After the process is completed, the head is hung up in the hut as a trophy and feasts are held in its honor. These miniature heads, retaining to a remarkable degree characteristic likeness to the living person, are in demand in the outside world.—Detroit News.

Real Color of Gold

Few persons are familiar with the real color of gold, because it is seldom seen except when heavily alloyed, a state in which it is much redder than when it is pure. The purest coins ever made were the \$50 pieces which were once in common use in California. Their coinage was abandoned because the loss by abrasion was so great and because their interior could be bored out and filled with lead. They were octagonal in shape and were the most valuable coins ever minted and circulated. All gold is not alike when refined. Australian gold is distinctly redder than that taken in California. Moreover, placer gold is more yellow than that which is taken from quartz. This is one of the mysteries of metallurgy, because the gold in placers comes from that which is in quartz. The gold in the Ural mountains is the reddest in the world.

Really Ladylike

Calamity Jane—Doctor, I'm so glad you hurried. I've been severely bitten on the arm.
Doctor Woodchuck—I can't quite make out what sort of animal bit you. The wound is too small for a horse's bite and too big for a dog's.
Calamity Jane—Oh, it wasn't an animal, it was another lady.

One of Many

Probably there isn't a physician who doesn't have a few charity patients as well as those who can, and do, pay their bills, and one of these gave a good laugh to the attending nurses at the hospital.

"I'm very grateful for what you have done for me, doctor," said the woman, adding, "I pray for you every night."
"Why, that's very nice of you to think of me like that, Mrs. Blank," said the doctor, highly gratified.

"Lord, sir, it ain't a bit of trouble," replied the woman affably. "It ain't a bit of trouble to put your name in along with the others."

Wanted to Know

The wife of a certain bishop had given a long and sympathetic address to a number of women from the east end of London on the question of making the life of the home happy and peaceful—especially peaceful.

After the address one of the women was overheard while making this remark:

"All very well, but why didn't she go into detail? For instance, I should like to know what she does when her old man comes home drunk."

Radiator Plays Lullaby

They recently installed their new baby in a room in their apartment which formerly had been the guest chamber and so far they are delighted with a hitherto unrealized attraction which the room possessed, says the New York Sun and Globe. Every night about 10:30, just after the baby has been fed and should settle down for the night, the radiator commences to beat out a tattoo that has had the effect of acting as a lullaby to the baby. Before it ceases he has fallen asleep, but their joy is tempered somewhat by the fear that some night, more wakeful than usual, he will not have lapsed into unconsciousness before the radiator stops its tune and the problem will then be what substitute to give him.

Lacked Harmony

Wife—Henry, I'm afraid we'll have to have the drawing room done over.
Hub—What?

Wife—I've just found out that the wall paper does not harmonize with the color of the gown I'm going to wear when we entertain next Thursday.—Boston Transcript.

Some Difficulty

A very stout and portly gentleman was once asked why he did not play golf, and this was his reason:
"I did try it once, but I found that when I put the ball where I could see it I could not reach it; and when I put it where I could reach it I could not see it."

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ROSS H. ROBERTS,
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Antrim School Board.

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3:30 p. m. Concord
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Smoking Introduced in America by the Chinese

The Indian long has enjoyed the reputation of having invented the pipe and bequeathed to white men the joys of tobacco. Recent discoveries in the West indicate, however, that the Indian in turn may have inherited the smoking habit from a much earlier period, and that smoking was introduced into America by the Chinese at some remote time. It is certain that the East Indians have been smoking for some two thousand years.

Long before tobacco was discovered smoking had become a fine art. Babylon doubtless had many smokers who were as particular about their pipes and brands as any one today. They smoked different woods and herbs and paid special attention to blending them to get the desired flavor. A piece of wood was burned to a charcoal, and smoked in an ornamented pipe. When the charcoal was red hot a powder was dropped on it and the resulting smoke was inhaled. Throughout Central Asia in remote times smokers were common and were exacting about the "tobacco," or whatever it was they smoked. They used the gum from trees, bark and many aromatic herbs and smoked various kinds of flowers. Soldiers have been smokers from remote antiquity. The Russian military camps still yield pipes. The ruins of Roman cities, notably Pompeii, show that smoking must have been common. Many of the pipe designs were most elaborate.—New York Times.

Yankee Genius Floods World With Everything

I make bold to believe that in the United States today at the close of this first quarter of the Twentieth century there can be seen an ingenuity in plot-making and a fertility in devising situations recalling that which was to be observed in France in the days of Scribe and Dennehy and Sardou and in Spain in the days of Lope de Vega and Calderon, two periods of dramatic dexterity and of abundant productivity. The American faculty of invention, which has filled the world with Yankee contrivances, seems to have been directed suddenly to the construction in Scribner's. I am aware that to say this is to lay myself open to the retort that we are engaged in quantity production rather than quality production. If thus cornered I should have to confess that there may be more than a little truth in the charge; but I should proffer as my rejoinder the statement that not a few of the American plays of this century are as interesting in the library as they are in the theater.

Discovered

A young man whose gallantry was in excess of his pecuniary means sought to remedy the defect and to save the money required for the purpose of expensive flowers by arranging with a gardener to let him have a bouquet from time to time in return for his cast-off clothes.

One day he received a bunch of roses which he at once dispatched to his lady love.
In sure anticipation of a friendly welcome he called at the girl's house the same evening and was not a little surprised at a frosty reception.

After a pause the girl remarked, frigidly: "You sent me a note today."
"A note! If. To be sure, I sent you flowers; but—"
"And this note was with the bouquet. Do you mean to deny it?"
And the young man read: "Don't forget the old trousers you promised me the other day."

Declares Ants Are Toppers

Ants consume more alcohol in proportion to their body weight than does the most accomplished "old soak," asserts Prof. Paul Lindner, chief of the Fermenting Industry Institute in Berlin, Germany. The industrious insects manufacture their own home-brew in their digestive canal by the action of yeasts on the milky juices that they extract from aphids, or plant lice, which they keep for that purpose. Other insects have similar homemade home-brew outfits that they use to capacity, Doctor Lindner stated. Wasps are accomplished bootleggers.—Popular Science Monthly.

Magnets Lay Nails Straight

To lay nails straight in containers, a packer equipped with magnets is reported to have been built by a Swiss inventor. The machine is said to be able to fill kegs, boxes, or paper cartons and to handle wire rods, hairpins, knife blades and fishhooks with equal ease. The articles to be boxed up are poured into a huge vibrating hopper in lots of about a thousand pounds and are straightened out on large trays.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Psychology Expert

"When one forgets and leaves a parcel or some such article in a shop or car, it is because the subconscious mind regards that parcel as an incumbrance, and as something which ought to be got rid of."
Aberdonian in the class—Well, how can you explain this? Last night I went away from a shop without my change, and—
Collapse of class and lecturer.

It All Depends

North—Are you in favor of women taking part in public affairs?
West—It's all right if you really want the affairs public.

Always Had Bad Luck With Pets

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I never had a fond pet
To glad me with its soft, black eye,
But when it came to know me well
And love me, it was sure to die.

THAT was the only verse of poetry that Miss Dolly knew. She had come across it in a scrapbook once, and treasured it in her mind.

For, being past the age of attractiveness to men, and having never married, Dolly had an inordinate fondness for household pets.

Anything on which to lavish her unwanted affections. Dogs, cats, parrots—add the same fatality overtook them all. Now she was gazing with fearful indignation at the body of her canary, stretched out cold and limp upon the floor of his cage.

Something had happened to his little inside, something inexplicable and unsuspected—and that was all that remained of Jim.

"I'll get a tabby," reflected Miss Dolly. "Cats don't die on you like birds do. It's a year since Tom was poisoned. I'll get a tabby, and keep her in the house, and she'll come to love me in time. A nice, big one—what's that under the bed?"

Miss Dolly, who was making up her room, started as she saw the overhanging sheet and blankets stir. A purring sound came from beneath. Miss Dolly lifted up the blanket.

"Pussy, pussy!" she whispered. A large and tawny form came from underneath the bed. Miss Dolly found herself looking into the great, staring orbs of a lion.

All was confusion down at the circus. Dick, the oldest lion in captivity, had got away.

Dick had delighted generations of circus-goers who had thronged the tent, in the eager expectation of seeing Signor Antonelli, his attendant, fall a victim to his famishing maw. As a matter of fact, Dick was too old to want to do anything but sleep in the sunlight. He had to be prodded into his tricks. The trainer had to secrete a piece of meat about him in order to awaken Dick to any interest.

And somehow the cage had been left open, and Dick had strolled out and disappeared.

He had been seen in town, slinking along an alley toward an odorous garbage can. The alarm was out. A panicky mob of townsmen, armed with sticks, guns and rifles, was hot on Dick's trail. Shots were being fired, the streets were filled with an increasing crowd.

"He's gone that way!"
"I saw him streaking up that alley!"
"Savage lion at large! Lock your doors!"
"Don't shoot! Don't shoot!" It was Signor Antonelli in the van, trying to calm the infuriated, frightened crowd. "He's harmless. He's an old lion."

Nobody listened to him. The mob streamed up the hill in the wake of the sallow, yellow form that had been seen slinking into a back yard. The yard was that of Miss Dolly's house.

"He's gone into Miss Dolly's house!"
"He'll eat her alive!"
"Here come the police!"
"Here comes the fire department! Drown him out!"

"What's the good of that when Miss Dolly's inside him?"

The police cordon formed round the house. Three of the bravest officers, with pistols drawn, rushed to the back door. With a single united blow they broke it from its hinges.

"Where's that lion?"
"Well, of all the—"

Miss Dolly, her face red with anger, stood confronting the astounded officers. She had just risen from a chair in the kitchen, and one hand was still clasping the mane of the vagrant lion, which looked up growling from the basin of milk that it had been lapping.

"Say, that's a lion; that ain't no pussy-cat!"
Signor Antonelli pushed through the crowd. "Ah, Mees, my lion—"

Dexterously he flung a lasso over Dick's head, and led him away. There was no opposition on the part of either crowd or police.

Miss Dolly sank back into her chair. "It always happens," she moaned, throwing her apron over her head. "Something always happens to every pet I ever have. I'm going to get another canary bird."

Probably

"Uck-yassah!" agreed old Brother Bulginback. "Brudder Bogus do shout long and loud. De on'y thing I knows dat kin beat him am a steam whistle. But we isn't said nuthin' to Brudder Bogus yet; we judges dat he's so fur away fum de Lawd dat he's p'intedly 'bleeged to yell in awdah to make hisself heered."

Safety First

Dorcas—Do you ever allow a man to kiss you when you're out motoring with him?

Philippa—Never. If a man can drive safely while kissing me, he's not giving the kiss the attention it deserves.—Kansas City Star.

His Real Status

Judge—You are charged with being a deserter, having left your wife. Are all the facts in the case true?
Prisoner—No, your honor, I am not a deserter. Just a refugee.

