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Legislature Now At Recess While Members Junket

Legislative Committees Are Visiting Institutions to Study Needs.

INCOME TAX IS PROPOSED

Governor Wars on Lobbyists; Lennon Seeks Detroit Crime Probe.

Lansing, Jan. 24.—Michigan's Senators and Representatives are scattered to the four corners of the State today. The Capitol is almost depleted of lawmakers, as the Legislature has recessed from Jan. 20 to Feb. 2 to allow the many legislative committees to visit the various State institutions to secure first-hand information regarding their condition and financial needs.

In the face of already high taxes and budget requests for the next two years totaling \$78,702,925 as compared with \$60,446,138 for the past two years, the legislators realize that they must pare these requests considerably. They are now acquainting themselves with the various governmental institutions and activities so that they can pass judgement intelligently when voting away the public funds.

At the end of the first three weeks of the session, 54 bills and several resolutions had been introduced and were pending before committees. During this present recess many of the members are putting the finishing touches on a whole flock of proposals which will probably be dumped into the legislative hopper on Feb. 2nd.

Would Allow Income Tax

A constitutional amendment to empower the Legislature to draw up a new system of taxation for the State, including a State income tax, has been introduced in the House by Rep. Wilber B. Snow of Comstock. The proposed amendment would authorize the Legislature to "classify real estate, personal property and income for the purpose of taxation."

Not as radical or fundamental in character, but having a much better chance of passage is the bill being fathered by Rep. Douglas Black of Twining which would postpone the last day for paying general property taxes without penalty from January 10 to February 10. This measure passed the House two years ago, but died in the Senate committee.

As a means of coping with the chicken thief situation, Rep. Luther E. Hall of Ionia has introduced a bill to require every poultry buyer to obtain and record on blanks to be furnished by the Secretary of State, detailed information regarding each lot of poultry purchased. This information would include: date of purchase, name of seller, his or her residence, color, color of hair, eyes, height, weight business occupation, kind of poultry purchased, the number thereof, whether such poultry was raised by such seller or purchased of others, and if purchased from others, then the name of the person from whom so purchased and the date thereof. If the poultry were delivered in a motor vehicle, the purchaser would also have to record the auto license number. This bill will undoubtedly arouse a great deal of support, as chicken stealing is reported to be on the increase in many parts of the State.

May Debar Lobbyists

Governor Green has sent the Legislature a special message in which he called their attention to the activities of John L. Lovett, general manager and lobbyist for the Michigan Manufacturers' Ass'n. After calling attention to Mr. Lovett by name, the Governor declared, "When any man is a lobbyist, no matter what position he has held or is holding he should automatically be barred from the floor. You are entitled to have your deliberations unhampered by the presence of lobbyists. If your rules are not adequate, permit me to respectfully suggest that they be made to cover this point."

Rep. Burton G. Cameron of Charlevoix promptly introduced a resolution that the Speaker and two Representatives constitute a committee to examine and pass upon all lobbyists. However, nothing definite has been yet done in this regard.

The Detroit newspapers were thrown into an uproar when Sen. Peter B. Lennon, who lives near Flint, introduced a resolution to provide for a special committee of four representatives and three senators to investigate conditions in Detroit pertaining to crime, vice, the courts and the police department. The Detroit members did not take kindly to this resolution and Rep. Archie M. Reid of Detroit promptly introduced a resolution using almost the same language but providing for a legislative investigation of the crime situation in Flint, instead of Detroit.

Public Hearing on Mine Disaster. The first public hearing by the 1927 Legislature was held Jan. 19 before the Rules and Resolutions Committee of the House. It related to the Barnes-Hecker mine cave-in which occurred Nov. 3 and resulted in the death of 82 miners. Rep. John Holland of Bessemer is sponsoring a resolution asking the State to make inquiry into the cause of the disaster and to prevent the mine owners from sealing the shaft before removing 42 bodies still in the mine.

While there are no new developments in connection with the proposed fifth normal unborn state institution is much in the lime-light. This is the proposed new tuberculosis sanatorium for which \$500,000 was appropriated by the 1925 Legislature. The legislative committee which had been empowered to select the site reported in favor of space on state property adjacent to the University of Michigan Hospital at Ann Arbor. While Governor Green was holding a conference with University and public health officials regarding this matter, Sen. Seymour H. Person of Lansing introduced a bill to repeal the law passed two years ago, providing for this institution and making the half million dollar appropriation.

Many of the new bills thus far introduced are highly technical in nature and are of interest to but few people. One would repeal the law passed two years ago prohibiting the killing of black bear, while another measure would forbid chiropodists from amputating a foot or toe. Another proposal which will get more newspaper publicity than votes, is Rep. Chas. Culver's bill to allow the trial judge to add to any sentence for murder, attempted murder or assault, ten to twenty strokes of the lash on the bare back, well laid on at the end of each six months imprisonment, the total not to exceed 300 strokes.

Three Carloads of Limestone

Distributed in Charlevoix County. Fourteen Farmers Purchase 135 Tons

Growing appreciation of the value of limestone and marl in Charlevoix County is evidenced by the recent delivery of three carloads of this soil sweetener to several farmers, two bought in East Jordan and the other from Boyne City.

This means that over 60 acres of land will have a covering of two tons of this lime dust and can therefore render more efficient and profitable service to its owners. This is indeed a very small percentage of the soil in Charlevoix County that is hungering for lime and by lack of yield is constantly indicating to the farmers the necessity of its use.

One farmer who has used limestone for years on his land and noted the gratifying results from its use has called it "white gold," a name that shows the high esteem it merits among tillers of the soil.

Why is it that years ago farmers were getting larger yields from the same land than is the case of today? The reason is simple and obvious, our soil is being robbed of its available plant food through the loss by constant cropping and the returning of little or a small per cent of that depleted. Don't forget that your land is only an instrument in your hands; it works when you work, it lays idle when you lay down on the job, it yields you when you feed it, and it cannot make good plant growth when the elements necessary for plant growth are lacking, so therefore look well to its needs.

Is it sour, does it lack organic matter, and does it lack plant food? These three factors all have to be considered individually and collectively if your land works profitably for you. Organic matter and plant food can be returned by proper crop rotations including legumes, and by fertilizers, but the most economical way to correct soil acidity is to add limestone or marl. Soil land can never work at full capacity, why not then make this your first step in increasing your yields, as have the following farmers, who have purchased this "white gold":

Murphy Bros., Roscoe Smith, Ole Omland, John Rude, Sam Ulvund, all from East Jordan; Frank Behling, Wm. Behling, Harry Behling, Bergman & Son, Geo. Morton, Henry Gooch, Chas. Crouterfield, Ben Gardner, and David Smith from Boyne City.

You have the most time of the entire year to get your lime now before the busy season sets in and while the roads are conducive to drawing heavy loads, why not talk with your neighbors and get together orders for a 45 ton car at from \$2.00 to \$2.30 per ton net price delivered. If you are interested in limestone or marl for yourself and neighbors drop a line or phone to your County Agr'l Agent at Boyne City and he will gladly assist in securing the orders and the working out of details. For your convenience he will be at the East Jordan Co-ops. each Wednesday and at the Court House each Thursday during the winter. Stop in and let's talk it over. Next article will be on the subject of marl for correcting soil acidity.

B. C. MELLENCAMP,
Co. Agr'l Agent.

M. S. C. Broadcasts Courses

The winter special courses by radio broadcast from Station WKAR Michigan State College of Lansing, Michigan, began Jan. 16th and will close April 28, 1927. These programs consist of lectures on poultry, stock, farm crops, horticulture, soils, meats, cooking, agricultural co-operation, and international relations. The next broadcasting will be Monday, Jan. 31, at 7:15 p. m. eastern standard time. The complete schedule works on this plan: Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, beginning at 7:15 p. m. eastern standard time.

Home basket-ball games on the Michigan State College schedule will be broadcast on the following dates: Monday, Jan. 31—Bufilet University. Wednesday, Feb. 9—Hope College.

Friday, Feb. 18—University of Pittsburgh.

Tuesday, Feb. 22—Notre Dame University.

Capital punishment would get a lot more sympathy if they'd agree to hang all the scoundrelmongers first.

What a wonderful team King Ben and Almee would have made in the old days.

University Extension Course

Prominent University Professors are To Appear in East Jordan at Intervals During Next Few Months.

Two dates are already arranged with Professor W. D. Henderson, the first one coming Tuesday, February the first. All are high caliber men. This course is provided by the University gratis. All the expense to East Jordan is the postage on the advertising material. It gives any community a real opportunity to hear the best the University provides. As the title suggests, it is an educational course, though limited.

The first number will be by Prof. John L. Brumm, who you recall gave a most excellent commencement address last June, and will be here Tuesday night for the first number, at the High School Auditorium at 7:30 o'clock. The writer recalls hearing of a talk he gave to the Educational Club at the University Summer School the past summer, and many Superintendents said it was the best address given to the Club. Mr. Brumm always gives a worth while discussion on any subject. His lectures are filled with a pleasant strain of humor. As was announced last year, he is the head of the Department of Journalism at the University of Michigan.

The second number comes March 18th, and will be given by Dr. Poole of Lansing, who is connected with the University. This will be a talk especially for the boys of the High School. A later announcement will be made in regard to this lecture.

There perhaps will be one other speaker on the Extension Program. The continued privilege of these lectures largely depends upon the number who attend. It would, therefore, be to the best interests of East Jordan to have as many citizens present as possible to the coming lecture, which without question, will be well worth while and cost you nothing.

ROUND TABLE

The North Western Michigan Roundtable will meet at Cadillac Friday and Saturday of this week. This is the mid-winter meeting of the Superintendents, Principals and Commissioners of northern and western Michigan, and is always a meeting filled with interest to the school men of this section, as it gives them a chance to talk over problems of vital local interest.

The principal speaker will be Arthur B. Moehlman, formerly head of the Child Accounting Department of the City of Detroit, and chairman of the Child Accounting Committee for the State of Michigan. He is an expert on school statistics and finance, and is a leading Professor of Michigan's Educational Faculty under Dean S. Whitney.

Bert Martin died from injuries sustained in a logging accident at the East Jordan Lumber Co.'s banking grounds at Chestonia, last Saturday, Jan. 22. He was working on the jammer, when an evener broke, striking him full force in the stomach. He was taken to the Lockwood Hospital at Petoskey, where he passed away Thursday morning, Jan. 27th. Mr. Martin was 49 years of age. His wife having passed away at East Jordan about seven years ago. He leaves two daughters and two sons, viz.: Mrs. Lena Kamradt of Holland, Mich., Miss Gertrude, Oris and George Martin, besides brothers and sisters. The remains were taken from Petoskey to the home of his sister at Charlevoix.

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DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

"Freckles" those harmless but annoying brown spots that are most frequently found on the heads, arms and face, are small masses of pigment cells on the external layer of the skin. They may be produced either by the chemical rays of the sun, by the X-ray, or by the arc light, on any part of the body exposed.

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First, Mr. Blossie cut up a beef and showed us the different parts of the animal. He cut off the plate, round, rump and the loin and told us that the lower end of the loin was called sir loin. He told us that forty per cent of the animal was cut into steaks and sixty per cent was cut into other cuts. He showed us the parts of the animal that were used for roasts. The first seven ribs are called rib roasts and the rest is called chuck. Soup meats are taken from the brisket. A beef weighing 300 pounds is considered a very good beef. A young calf or veal is usually killed when six or eight weeks old. The muscles are pink in color and the fat is white. When the veal is sold to the market it has the skin on it and the butcher skins it. The purpose of this is to hold the meat together in place. The season for veal is in the spring, but, it usually can be purchased throughout the year. The neck of beef is tough, but is a cut that when cooked properly has a very sweet taste and is much sweeter than some of the choicest cuts. I learned that when meat is cooked in larger quantities it keeps its flavor much better than if cooked in smaller quantities.

Second, he cut up a hog and named and explained certain cuts of meat such as pork steaks, side pork, pork chops, and ham and telling from what part of the animal they were taken. Mr. Blossie told us that there is a powder or salt that is used in smoking ham and bacon by just rubbing it on the meat and leaving it a while before being used. This salt or powder is called "hickory salt." This way of smoking is more convenient than making the meat with smoke. Years ago people used to have so called smoking houses in which they hung the meat up in large pieces and built a fire of wood and shut all windows and doors and smoked the meat. This process is said to take much longer. "Hickory Salt" is smoke, condensed to powder form. "Marbling" is the fat and lean of the hog. One part fat and below that one part of lean and so on, which makes it look like marble. There is much fat taken off from the cuts before it is sold to the customers. The butcher takes this fat and makes it into lard and sometimes sausage. When the butcher wishes to make salt pork he puts some of this fat in brine made of salt and water. Fat is clarified when made into lard, by heating the fat to a certain temperature and then by putting it in water. Raw potatoes are also used in clarifying fat but this is a much slower method than with water. Mr. Blossie told us that they used to clarify fat with a white powder. They heat the lard to a certain temperature and put this powder in and it all foams up. Then they skim off all of this foam, which is now a blackish gray in color, leaving the lard as white as snow and entirely pure. Mr. Blossie showed us how much of a hog's foot is used in making pickled pigs' feet. He also told us how to pickle them, first they are

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The curing process is done by putting a brine on the meat and leaving it for a certain length of time. Meats may be cured either by salt or sugar and salt. You can also merely salt the meat and let it form a brine of itself, but the other way is preferred by most butchers.

While there we saw the machine which is used for slicing bacon and different cold meats; pressed ham, veal loaf, etc. There are some parts of the hog, beef and veal, which are as a rule not used a great deal by the people, namely: brains, ears, snouts, kidneys, etc. These parts are called sundries. Branded meats are not in general used so much when the butcher can purchase meat from the local farmers.

Cosher meat is meat that is killed by the rabbi for the Jews. His method of killing an animal is quite different than that of the butcher. The rabbi when killing a beef hangs it up alive by its hind legs and slits its throat and lets it bleed to death. This trip to the meat market was very interesting and I am sure a great deal was learned by all of the class. We thank Mr. Blossie for his kindness in presenting us this demonstration as it was very helpful to us in our work.

SELMA THORSEN,
Ninth Grade.

East Jordan Loses to Harbor Springs

In spite of the great improvement in team work and shooting the East Jordan Basket Ball team was defeated by Harbor Springs Friday evening 22 to 10. The tight defensive play of each team was outstanding and not until the third quarter when the locals weakened a trifle did Harbor top them. Cornell and Stewart of Harbor scored ten points between them to give their team an edge which was never overcome by the locals.

Cornell, a man of four years experience opened the scoring by a long accurate shot for Harbor. This put the locals on the defense, the quarter ending 2-0. They continued the strong defensive playing the second quarter opening up just long enough to score one basket and then adding three points via the foul route. East Jordan lead at the half 5-2.

The second half Harbor caught the locals flatfooted from the start, which proved the deciding quarter of the game. Cornell sank three goals, while his team-mate, Stewart, added a goal and two points by fouls. With the substitution of Smith for Shepard the locals again braced and held them the fourth quarter while Barnett added a basket and Smith a point by foul.

The game was the fastest played by the locals this year and they fought on even terms with Harbor's experienced team for all but a short time during the third quarter. East Jordan lacks the scoring ability shown by Harbor in that they are of less experience but should gain this weakness before the tournament dates.

EAST JORDAN			
	G.	F.	P. Ttl.
Gleason R. F.	2	1	1 5
Shepard L. F.	0	1	0 1
St. Charles C.	0	0	0 0
Barnett R. G.	1	0	3 2
Taylor (C) L. G-L. F.	0	1	1 1
Smith L. G.	0	1	1 1
3 4 0 10			

HARBOR SPRINGS			
	G.	F.	P. Ttl.
Campbell R. F.	0	0	0 0
Cornell L. F.	5	0	2 10
Stewart C.	4	2	1 10
Hahn (C) R. G.	0	0	0 0
Linehan L. G.	1	0	2 3
Johnson L. G.	0	0	0 0
10 2 10 22			

Referee, McMillan of Petoskey.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the many acts of kindness extended us by friends during the illness, and at the death, of our wife and mother.

G. J. Zerwekh,
Al Warda

Plant Poison Scientists

Scientists do not understand the cause of the formation of an unusual four-leaf clover. Plants of the four-leaf strain have been bred, but apparently with but little success.

Historic Table

The table on which Gen. U. S. Grant drew up his conditions of surrender is on exhibition in the old National museum.

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MILES DISTRICT
(Edited by Mrs. A. Miles)

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Addis and son Jamie called on Mrs. Pauline LaLonde in East Jordan Sunday.

It will soon be Candlemas Day, half the winter and half the hay.

Francis Evans helped Archie Kowalski to repair his engine last Monday.

The Lilak Mill which has been shut down the last week is repaired up and running again.

Wesley Sinnerman visited Saturday with his aunt, Mrs. Fred Bancroft.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mobilo are both on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Steenhagen called on Mrs. Anna LaLonde Monday afternoon in East Jordan.

Miss Agnes LaLonde of East Jordan hiked out to the A. Miles home Monday afternoon and rode back with Miss Hipp.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weiland of Ellsworth were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Steenhagen.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Murphy and daughter, Sadie, of Ranney Dist. took supper at the A. Miles home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mombberger of East Jordan visited Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bancroft.

Francis Evans has been helping to do the chores at the Zell Bricker farm a few days last week.

PENINSULA
(Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

Miss Eula Arnott of Maple Row farm returned to Boyne City High School, Tuesday afternoon, after being home for nearly two weeks with exzema on her face.

R. G. Short, the McNeess man of Bay Shore was on the Peninsula Thursday and Friday.

Herbert Gould of Mountain Dist. went to Flint last week where he expects to find employment.

Ray Loomis of Gravel Hill traded his Ford touring car to Walter Daniels of Boyne City for a Ford coupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Staley are giving a card party Friday evening at their home near the Gleaner Hall.

There were 22 in attendance at the Star-of-Hope Sunday School Jan. 23. The session was conducted by Mrs. Will Scott in the absence of both Will Scott and Will Sanderson, Supt. and Ass't Supt.

Orval Bennett and Frank Hayden have completed their wood cutting job for F. H. Wangeman.

The ice harvest has begun in earnest.

Ralph Gaunt, Bob Myers, Geo. and Bob Jarman helped W. C. Howe put up ice Monday.

Ralph Gaunt and Bob Myers helped fill the big ice house in East Jordan last week.

F. K. Hayden and Orval Bennett

will begin putting up ice Wednesday.

David Gaunt will put up ice, Tues. Douglas Tibbit who resides in Boyne City is trimming his cherry trees at Cherry Hill.

Mrs. Nellie Evens who is employed in East Jordan, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Bennett at Honey Slope farm.

Alfred Reich who is employed at the Chemical plant in East Jordan came home Monday evening for a few days rest and to visit with his family at Lone Ash farm, Bunker Hill, so side.

The Three Bells school was dismissed Monday because of a smoky stove.

Lucy and A. G. Reich are still to ill to attend the Star school, but all the rest of the pupils were there except Francis Russell, who is also ill with a severe cough.

Zepha and Edward Faust of Mountain Ash farm are absent from Three Bells school because of a bad cough.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Russell of Ridgeway farm visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mose LaLonde in Chad-dock Dist., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Croll of the David Staley farm went to Boyne City, Monday to see Mrs. Croll's father, David Staley, who is very ill with cancer in his face.

Little Everett Conyer, infant son of Mrs. Harriett Conyer of Knoll Krest is quite ill with the cough like nearly every child in the country has.

There was so much illness last week Thursday and Friday, the Mountain school was closed and it is reported that Clara Staley was the only pupil well enough to attend Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Hayden of Orchard Hill purchased a fine Holstein cow of Claude Stanley in Boyne City, Saturday.

Little Marjorie Scott is ill and unable to attend Sunday S. S.

Will Sanderson of Northwood farm returned Tuesday of last week from a two-weeks' business and pleasure trip to Chicago and Milwaukee.

Clarence Johnston went to Boyne City Tuesday to get a load of dry wood for the Three Bells school.

Miss Helen Croll and her friend, Miss Smith who attend high school in Boyne City spent the week end at the David Staley farm with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Croll.

NORTH WILSON
(Edited by Carl Bergman)

Mr. and Mrs. Will Behling and children visited Wednesday at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Behling.

Mrs. Harry Behling visited school Wednesday.

Miss Dorothy and Margaret Behling were dinner guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schroeder, Sunday.

August Behling Sr. returned home Monday from Detroit, where he has been visiting his daughters, Mrs. T. Senior and family and Miss Bertha Behling.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Behling and family were Sunday afternoon visitors of his father, August Behling.

Mrs. Carl Bergman and children were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schroeder.

Ellis Stapley was a Sunday evening visitor at Bergmans.

Our teacher, Elgie Dow is staying at his home in Boyne City and coming to school horseback.

Presbyterian S. S. Enjoy Outing

Thursday evening of last week, officers, teachers, and members of the two adult classes of the Presbyterian Sunday School, to the number of thirty-one, boarded a special E. J. & S. train, their destination being "Camp Nine" of the East Jordan Lbr. Co.

A light lunch, consisting of mashed potatoes, roast pork, hash, baked beans, tomatoes, buns, bread and butter, tea, plums, jelly, pie, doughnuts, cake, cookies, ginger snaps, graham wafers, etc., was served, after which we inspected the kitchen and store rooms, returning to the coach, via the dining room.

No mention will be made of the half pie consumed by the Superintendent, the five doughnuts whose disappearance our hostess vouched for nor our music supervisor's loyalty to the potatoes.

A special warning to don coats while it was still possible was heeded, after which we returned to the coach where we went into executive session.

A general discussion of plans and problems followed, then we started homeward, the return trip being enlivened by singing which reflected the harmonious spirit that characterized the entire evening.

As the train neared East Jordan our appreciation of the kindness of those who made the trip possible was expressed by giving the Chautauqua Salute.

This meeting is to be followed by others during the winter as a source of inspiration to our workers.

The Wrecking Crew

The car was brought to a total gas rage for repairs and was badly damaged.—Texas paper.

Lamentable Fact

It is the nature of the human disposition to hate him whom you have injured.—Tacitus.

State News in Brief

Lansing—The Michigan membership in the House of Representatives in Congress would be boosted from 13 to 17 under two methods of reapportionment based upon the estimated population in 1930 which is being considered by the House Census Committee. Many other states also would have their quota of members increased if the methods are accepted.

Lansing—To aid cities in constructing and maintaining trunk line highways Senator Peter H. Lennon, of Genesee, introduced a bill to have the state help construct trunk line highways through cities. The state would be required to pay \$40,000 per mile for construction and \$1,000 per mile for maintenance. At present the cities stand all expenses incident to both.

Lansing—A change of policy by the house judiciary committee in Congress, by which the omnibus bill for new federal judgeships is scrapped and individual bills reported for each district, may yet get eastern Michigan a third federal judge at this session of congress. In initiating this policy the committee reported individual bills which would create extra judgeships in eastern Michigan.

Detroit—All records for the issuance of automobile license plates in the Detroit office of the secretary of state, were broken for one day, recently. More than \$300,000 had been received and approximately 23,000 plates for 1927 issued when the last applicant was served at 6 p. m. One of the largest single amounts was a check for \$24,000, submitted by the owner of a fleet of trucks.

Detroit—Detroit showed a decrease in retail prices of food amounting to three per cent for the year ending December 15, 1926, according to statistics released at the department of labor in Washington. Cities reporting a greater decline than Detroit were Houston, Kansas City, Memphis, Minneapolis, Omaha, Richmond, Savannah and Seattle, each of which dropped four per cent.

Detroit—New York, then Texas, were the greatest contributors among states to the nation's exports during the third quarter of 1926, the commerce department at Washington, found in completing a statistical calculation. Pennsylvania ranked third, California was fourth. Michigan, the source of heavy automotive exports, was in fifth place, with \$61,671,000, compared with \$57,398,000 in 1925.

Corunna—When no effort is made in 25 years to collect a note, the holder of the note has no recourse in law. This, in effect, is the ruling of Judge J. H. Collins, in circuit court, in dismissing a suit brought by Miss Mae Osborn, of Perry, against H. S. Dunning, of the same place. She sued, as administratrix of the estate of her father, to collect on a note for \$500 given her father in 1901 by Dunning.

Flint—A world's record high score was established here when the Senior Girls' team of Flint defeated the First Presbyterian Church Girls' five, 90 to 0 in 30 minutes of play. The score at the half was 29 and 61 points were scored in the last 15 minutes of play. The previous record was made January 7, 1927, when the Warren, Penn. high school girls' team defeated the Mt. Jewett high girls' team, 84 to 0.

Owosso—The fact that a man marries at the age of 83 years is not sufficient proof that he needs a guardian. Judge Matthew Bush, of probate court, so ruled in declaring Lambert Johnson, Shiawassee township farmer, did not need a guardian. A jury, which heard testimony in the case, instituted by Johnson's two children, stood five against the appointment of a guardian and one for it. Johnson has considerable property.

Detroit—Miss Hattie Shields, 35 years old, was found guilty of cruelty when arraigned before Judge Harry B. Keidan. The case was referred to probation authorities. Miss Shields admitted leaving home for a five day period while two dogs, a cat and a bowl of goldfish were left uncared for. On her return, it was testified, "one dog was dead, the other had to be shot, the cat was stricken and the goldfish frozen. The complaint was made by the humane society.

Lansing—Charging that the present State Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Howell is "in disgraceful condition," Rep. James T. Upjohn, of Kalamazoo, chairman of the special commission appointed by the 1926 Legislature, to select a site for the new \$500,000 sanatorium authorized the same year, reported to the House recently the commission had decided to place the new hospital at Ann Arbor. The commission's word in the matter is final, for it was given authority to act.

Lansing—Compensation paid to injured workmen would be increased under bills introduced by Senator Cass J. Janowski, of Detroit, and Senator Seth Pulver of Owosso. Both bills provide for increases in the maximum compensation paid to injured workmen. The Janowski bill is the more liberal providing an increase in the minimum compensation from \$7 to \$10 a week, and in increase in the maximum from \$14 to \$30. The Pulver bill leaves the minimum where it is, and increases the maximum to \$20.

WHAT MEN MISS

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

"I DO not wonder," Ruskin says, "at what men suffer, but at what men miss."

Martin was left enough money by his father to keep him comfortably and during the years in which he was engaged in business for himself he accumulated enough on his own account to make him quite independent. He is not yet really old and he is quite free from business worries. His house is large, and well-ordered and Martin has ample leisure, but he hasn't a book about him. He glances through the local and the city paper once a day and that is as far as his reading goes. He has missed all the romance, all the adventure, all the comradeship of books. He has never heard of D'Artagnan, or Colonel Newcome, or Rob Roy, or David Copperfield. When he sits down alone on his front porch or on a long winter evening before his grate fire he has missed all the companionship of great or interesting characters which might have been his had he made the acquaintance of books. Science and history, and poetry and fiction and the biographies of great men—he has missed all of these and is the poorer for having done so. And all unnecessarily he has done this, for he has had at his disposal both the time and the money necessary for the full enjoyment of books.

If you are looking for support of any enterprise, religious, charitable or otherwise you need not call on Walker. It isn't that he cannot afford to give; he just hasn't any interest in giving. His main enjoyment has been in the accumulating of money. He spends little on himself. His clothes are commonplace or hardly that; he goes nowhere; he runs his household affairs on the lowest possible margin. He invests his surplus carefully, shrewdly. He has in his possession the smallest collection of gold bricks of anyone I know who has invested as much as he has done. He gives nothing away and so he has missed out of his life the joy of helping onto his feet some one who has fallen, the satisfaction of seeing the development of some worthy institution to which he has contributed. He has never been the recipient of many thanks, of much gratitude, of a great deal of appreciation of favors conferred. He has missed a lot of pleasure which he could easily have had.

John has been a very independent man all his life. He has prided himself that he is under obligations to no one. What he is and what he has he has to thank himself for, he claims. He has never gone out of his way to cater to anyone, and what people thought of him mattered little. And now he comes to old age, alone, isolated, without friends and without companionship. It is a dreary life he lives as is the life of anyone who in gaining other things has missed friendship. Some time what we miss is worth more than what we gain.

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Joint for Meat Eaters

Experiments on vegetarians and meat eaters made in the University of Brussels are said to have shown that in endurance the eaters of vegetables surpassed the eaters of meat by from 50 to 200 per cent.

College Fraternities

The first American college fraternity of which there is a record was the "Flat Hat club" that appeared at the College of William and Mary in 1750 and continued in existence until after 1772. It was secret, literary and social. The oldest Greek letter fraternity in this country now in existence is the Phi Beta Kappa, organized in 1776.

Early American Congress

The Anti-Stamp-Act congress, the first congress of the American colonies, met on October 7, 1765. Nine colonies were represented. Four colonies not represented were: New York, Virginia, North Carolina and New Hampshire.

Under Control



Tree Seeds for the Battlefields



Secretary of War Dwight F. Davis inspecting part of the millions of American tree seeds that will be sent to France, Belgium and Italy to reforest battle areas. The seeds are presented to our allies of the World War as messages of good will from the American Tree association. They will be shipped on the tenth anniversary of the United States entry into the World War. Miss Mildred Brail of the American Tree association is shown with the secretary of war.

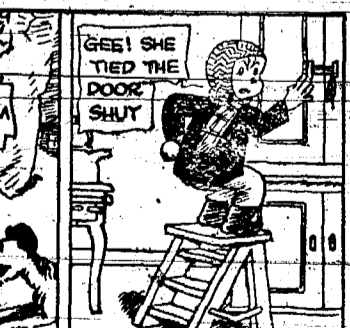
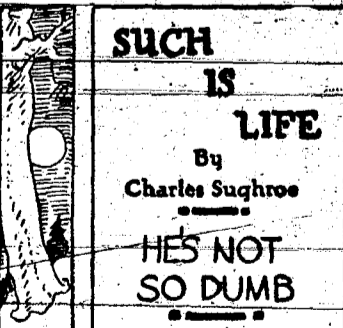
Says the Deacon:

It's strange how people will abuse the bridge that carries them over, instead of trying to "make the earth a little heaven to go to heaven in."—Atlanta Constitution.

RHEUMATISM

While in France with the American Army I obtained a noted French prescription for the treatment of Rheumatism and Neuritis. I have given this to thousands with wonderful results. The prescription cost me nothing. I ask nothing for it. I will mail it if you will send me your address. A postal will bring it. Write today. PAUL CASE, Dept. M-990, Brockton, Mass.

Many politicians can tell you who put the "lit" in politics.



Peoples' Wants

MUNNIMAKERS

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The Sandman Story

by Martha Martin

THE BROWNIE BROTHERS

BILLIE BROWNIE and his brother Bennie were all ready for adventures. A boy and a girl who had wandered into Dreamland that evening had come to pay them a visit. And of course Billie and his brother were particularly anxious to entertain their guests as best they could.

And they were as ready for adventures as were their guests. They had been busy of late and had not had so much time for play and they were quite ready to begin playing at once.

Now the boy and the girl had never had many adventures. They had lived rather lonely lives, though it is true they had made a number of animal friends.

"Well," said the boy, as he saw Billie Brownie and his brother, "you are a fat pair, but oh, you do look so jolly."

"How nice of you to say so," the two Brownie brothers replied, and as they

He pointed with his left hand to Bennie for his right arm was around Bennie and his right hand was stroking Bennie's shoulder.

"I'm very happy, too," said the boy. "And I am also," said the girl. "So am I," said Billie, "which makes four of us happy."

"And now for our adventures! Our friend, Knight of the Mist, is on his way now! Ah, here he comes!"

And then the girl and the boy met Knight of the Mist. He was the great, great, great, great grandson, Billie Brownie explained, of the greatest old Knight-of-olde days, who always wore armor.

This Knight wore mist as his armor for he was the brave knight of the air. "I am ready," said Knight of the Mist. "I hope you are!"

Oh, yes, they were ready, so they followed Knight of the Mist. He helped them into his very enormous airship; it was simply huge and looked like a car on a train.

After they had started they stopped off for one of the cows and one of the hens from the farm and the girl's pet cat and the boy's dog. Also a rooster was eager to go along, too. So they made quite a party as you can imagine.

Then they adventured up in the clouds and about the clouds. They paid a visit upon His Royal Highness, Sir Skyscraper, who was to be found in a big city. They found him to be a bumptious fellow with a fine opinion of himself and ambitions far greater than he could realize, for he had never really touched the sky with his greatest amount of reaching, but always he went along in his rather tremendous way—yet still not able to approach the sky territory.

The cow tried to appear as though used to all these modern conveniences which she was now seeing but it was not natural to her. She bemoaned the day she had ever switched her tail at flies, for flies weren't queer like skyscrapers, and she could swish her tail at flies. Skyscrapers didn't notice her tail!

After they had adventured all evening the Knight brought them back and they left their friends and Dreamland. But ever after it seemed to the boy and the girl that the animals who had gone adventuring had somewhat lost their heads over all the traveling for often they saw a certain look in the green eyes of the cat and the soft mild eyes of the cow, which showed they were dreaming of things above a milk saucer and a milk stool!

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"You Are a Fat Pair, but You Do Look So Jolly."

did so they hugged each other and fell over on the ground.

"Not hurt, I trust," said the girl. "Not a bit of it," said the Brownie brothers together, as they picked themselves up.

"I do believe you're Brownies," said the boy.

"You are right," said Billie. "My name," he added, "is Billie Brownie, and this is my brother."

Big Cause for Clover Failure

Acreage Declining Because of Spread of Anthracnose in South.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

For some years the acreage in red clover has been declining quite as much in the southern and southeastern parts of the clover belt as elsewhere. The area in question includes Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee. Anthracnose disease, according to the United States Department of Agriculture, is the chief cause for red clover failure in these states. This disease is described in Farmers' Bulletin 1510-F, just issued by the department. The bulletin also reports on some experiments with red clover seed from different sources when sown in infected territory and calls specific attention to the only remedy—the use of seed produced by plants resistant to anthracnose disease.

Attack of Anthracnose.

Anthracnose may attack the clover plants either in the seedling stage or when they are fully matured. It is the injury to the crown of the plant which, between July and early September, causes heaviest losses in spring seedlings and which may practically destroy a stand of clover. Many of the cases of so-called winter injury are no doubt due to a severe thinning of the stand during the summer or to the death of plants during the winter as a result of the earlier injuries caused by the disease.

The best means of combating clover anthracnose is by the development and use of strains of clover resistant to its attacks, a method advocated years ago by the Tennessee agricultural experiment station. At present there is only one distinct strain known to be highly resistant, says the department, though there appears no reason why other highly resistant strains should not be developed locally throughout the infected area. The one resistant strain known was developed several years ago by the Tennessee station. Under climatic conditions of Tennessee and neighboring states it is capable of maintaining a heavy clover stand in spite of attacks of anthracnose. It does not, however, show up to such advantage when sown in northern states. The behavior of this strain demonstrates the advantage to be gained by developing and using clover which has become acclimated and suited to the local conditions under which it is to be grown. The seed supply of this Tennessee strain is very limited at present, however.

Develop Resistant Strains.

Highly resistant strains can be developed by farmers themselves if they will take the trouble to save seed from plants that survive and mature in a diseased field. The very fact that some plants are able to live and mature in spite of the presence of anthracnose indicates their resistance to its attacks. Organized efforts should be made by local state authorities to stimulate production of resistant seed and a demand for such seed.

As long as seed of unknown origin must be used the department advises seeding in late summer or early fall wherever experience has not shown this to be impracticable. Seeding at this time will give the clover plants a chance to escape the early attack of the disease and produce a hay crop even though there may be no second growth.

Copies of this bulletin may be obtained as long as the supply lasts by writing to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Everything to Be Said for Pushing Pig Along

There is everything to be said for pushing a pig to quick maturity. A point is reached early in its existence when more meat is required to produce a pound of flesh. The pig, like all other growing or producing animals, requires a maintenance ration that cannot be used for growth or production, and the longer it lives the more with it absorb in maintenance and attendance; if it is allowed to grow in a so-called store condition it will have exceeded the most salable size by the time it is fit for slaughter; and lastly the benefit of rapid turnover is sacrificed.

Farm Hints

It pays to keep cherry trees from growing too high; height makes it difficult to harvest the fruit.

When corn is 75 cents per bushel farmers can afford to pay as high as \$27 to \$30 a ton for shorts to feed to hogs.

Sows that will produce litters next spring should have plenty of exercise. They should be in good flesh but not too fat at farrowing time.

Put alfalfa or clover hay in an open wire basket where hens can get the leaves. They are a first-class substitute for green feeds during winter.

Old apple trees may be pruned heavier than young ones, for the stimulating effect of heavy pruning is not so objectionable with them, but large or scaffold limbs should be removed only where necessary.



Miss Matilda Houghton, daughter of the ambassador to Great Britain and Mrs. Alanson B. Houghton, whose engagement to Chandler Parsons Anderson, Jr., of New York, has been announced by her parents. Mr. Anderson was formerly secretary to Mr. Houghton.



Edwin Wide, the noted Swedish runner, who arrived in this country recently, has begun training for the various track meets. Wide is the man who defeated Paavo Nurmi.

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Happiness in Labor

The joy that comes to us in the knowledge that we can labor, that we can fill a niche in this busy world, is enough to compensate us for the effort. On our ability to labor depends our existence, contentment, and happiness.—Grit.

History Proves It

Numbers of the old melodies may not come back in popularity, but the old jokes will.—Clearwater (Fla.) Herald.

EXACTLY SUITS ELDERLY PERSONS.

There is a sound therapeutic reason why Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs and colds is especially suited to the needs of elderly persons; because it contains no chloroform, or opiates to cause constipation (that bug-bear of advancing years) and to dry up the natural and necessary secretions. Mildly laxative, wonderfully soothing and healing to the irritated area, Foley's Honey and Tar Compound quickly stops all coughs and throat irritations, lingering "flu" coughs and disturbing night coughs. Is exactly suited to the needs of elderly people. Ask for it.—Hite's Drug Store. adv.

Nothing New

A scientist says a new drug may abolish the habit of sleeping. A new baby has the same effect.—Albion Mirror.

WHEN I WAS TWENTY-ONE

BY JOSEPH KAYE

AT 21—Brander Matthews Had His Manuscripts Rejected With Unfailing Regularity.

"I WAS only two months more than twenty-one when my two years' attendance at Columbia's Law school ended at last. I managed somehow to answer the questions put to me. After I passed the examination, and before the commencement at which I was to receive my degree I married and left almost immediately for a honeymoon in Europe.

"While I was still at law school my contributions to the magazines were rejected with exemplary speed. In 'The Critic' Sheridan tells us that 'When they do agree on the stage their unanimity is wonderful,' and equally wonderful to me was the unanimity of editors. No matter how laboriously I might feather my essays they were homing pigeons; and I could always count on another swift return. With the modest confidence of youth I was but little discouraged; and while one article was vainly paying its round of visits I was already engaged upon another.—Brander Matthews."

"TODAY—The receipt of a Brander Matthews in an editorial office is hailed with respect and pleasure and a check is made out even before it is read, for Mr. Matthews is among the most famous of all-American critics and writers on the theater, besides being a notable figure in the other branches of literature. Perhaps it might be said that Matthews is the George Brandes of this country, a comparison with which even his name is in harmony.

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"THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS

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AMBER

OF THE many mystic qualities which were formerly supposed to pertain to amber its potency as a charm against rheumatism appears to be about the only one which survives in popular superstition. But a belief in this quality persists with remarkable vitality and is defended by persons whom one would least suspect of such credulity. Henry Ward Beecher always carried about with him a string of amber beads to cure or to ward off his rheumatic attacks; and amber set as jewelry is still sold in London for the cure of this malady. Only a few years ago amber had a much more prominent place in therapeutics. In 1863 Rev. C. W. King, in his "Natural History of Precious Stones" wrote: "That the wearing of an amber necklace will keep off an attack of erysipelas has been proved by experiments beyond the possibility of a doubt." Oil of amber still has a place in the United States dispensary, and perhaps there still exist some old-time doctors who use it medicinally.

The ancients, who attached mystic qualities to all sorts of precious and semi-precious stones, were not likely to neglect amber; that strange substance born of the sea and of the color of yellow sunlight. The Romans used to place in their mortuary urns pieces of amber and jet, the jet symbolizing the darkness of death and the amber the light of immortality. Possibly the black stone was an offering to Pluto and the yellow substance an offering to the sun-god. In the medicine of the Middle Ages, which was largely folk-medicine, amber played an important part, and, as has been said, has continued to play a medicinal role down to our own times. The reverence with which the ancients regarded amber was increased by the discovery of its electrical properties. Doctor King says: "The electric property of amber was remarked as early as 600 B. C. by the Ionic philosopher, Thales, and from this observation may be dated the study of electric phenomena."

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U. S. Patent Office

The first patent letters issued by the United States patent office in Washington were to Samuel Hopkins, July 31, 1780, for a process of manufacturing potash and pearl ash. Since that time the patent office has granted more than 1,500,000 licenses.



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How to Judge a Crankshaft

Some engineers favor light crankshafts with many bearings. Studebaker uses a heavy shaft with four bearings, but those four have greater bearing surface than the seven bearings of many other cars.

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What Lincoln Said

"How long should a man's legs be?" "Long enough to reach the ground," replied Lincoln.

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Generous Folk Most Pliant
As the sword of the best tempered metal is the most flexible, so the truly generous are most pliant and courteous in their behavior to their inferiors.—Fuller

Englis' Women Weavers
Men are not entering the weaving industry nowadays in England in any great numbers. In some districts as many as 90 per cent of the weavers are women.

Absolutely Outclassed
The covered wagon just naturally had to pass out. It was slow and hardly ever ran over anybody.—Detroit Free Press.

SHORT TALKS BY THOUGHTFUL MOTHERS

An Ohio (Cleveland) mother says this: "We prefer Foley's Honey and Tar Compound above all other cough remedies for our children because it contains no chloroform or harmful opiates and is not in the least constipating. It helps their coughs quickly and makes them comfortable when they have snuffles and feverish colds. Baby is subject to croup and it gives us a feeling of security to have Foley's Honey and Tar in the house." Mrs. E. H. I.—(name furnished).—Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar Compound.—Hite's Drug Store. adv.

Flexibility Is Big Crop Factor

Rotation Is Long Recognized Principle of Farming Economy.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Flexibility in crop rotation is a long recognized principle of farming economy. Agricultural history contains many illustrations of the use that has been made of this idea, from the Middle Ages to the present time, especially in Europe. It is commonly observed, however, says the bureau of soils of the United States Department of Agriculture, that uniformity of soil, even on a single farm, is most unusual, and that one field may require an entirely different rotation of crops from another adjoining it. A rotation best suited to a low-producing sandy soil is unlikely to be suited to a highly productive silt loam. Again, a hillside field, subject to soil washing, calls for different rotation management from a field on a flat area.

Each Farm Has Problems.
Each farm presents its own problems. The farmer who farms more or less with live stock is not so much concerned with rotation as with the acreage of crops necessary to meet his feeding requirement. The truck grower is concerned primarily with the question of crops in relation to market conditions. In either case rotation is a means to an end, with two aspects: The growing of the desired crops in a manner, or in different rotations, best suited to the soil and crop conditions; and the dovetailing of the different rotations so as to enable the farmer to realize annually the required acreage of each crop he desires.

Influencing Conditions.
Still greater flexibility in crop rotation may be needed, owing to local conditions which may arise, such as insect pests, crop diseases, or weeds. Changing the common fixed rotation may reduce army worm injury, or an additional infertile crop may help combat some obnoxious weed. Changes in economic or market conditions may compel rotation changes. Any cropping system which will permit of easy alternation is preferable to one that does not possess this quality of elasticity.

Hardest Alfalfa Seed Is Brought From Canada

For many years it was thought that Grimm was the hardest known variety of alfalfa and, for that reason, was most desirable for this region, but recently Ontario Variegated, although not a new variety, has come into prominence and has proved itself fully as hardy as Grimm, according to Prof. L. A. Dalton at the New York state college of agriculture at Ithaca, N. Y.

When Grimm was considered the only good variety to plant, the farmers had to pay high prices, and, frequently, they resorted to common alfalfa as a substitute. The common alfalfa, however, came from many sources where the climate was mild; and therefore the seed was unadapted to our severe winters.

Although Ontario Variegated has been grown in Canada for half a century, the production has not been large enough to meet the demand from the United States until during the past few years.

Ontario Variegated is like Grimm so far as one can tell, says Professor Dalton, and this has a bearing on the question of Grimm versus Ontario Variegated. Grimm is higher priced, and in some instances the Ontario Variegated is purchased and resold as Grimm.

The best way for farmers to get genuine hardy Ontario Variegated alfalfa seed, he says, is to buy from reliable seed men and insist on this variety.

Value of Horse Manure When Properly Gared For

Experiments at Purdue university indicate that when properly cared for, the manure from a well-fed horse is worth \$14.75 per year; from a dairy cow \$11.75; from other cattle \$11.80; from a sheep \$2.25; and from a hog \$2.10. At present, however, only a few farmers are realizing these values because they do not care for the manure properly.

Over half the total fertilizing value of the manure, solid and liquid, is contained in the urine; therefore every reasonable precaution should be taken to prevent its loss. The urine usually contains about three-fourths of the total nitrogen and four-fifths of the total potash. And these are two of the most important elements needed for plant growth.

FARM NOTES

Keep boarder cows until you discover that they are boarders.
Stinking smut which grows in wheat brings a loss that means defeat.
More than 5,000,000 forest trees were planted in New York state this fall.
Cutting the weed trees in the woodlot will improve the quality of the stand in future years.
Hens that are to be used for broods or layers should have two months rest between laying seasons.

Good Tips for Home Gardener

Judicious Use of Manure and Fertilizer Is of Much Importance.

As he prepares his seed-bed for planting, the wise home gardener, bears in mind that nothing is more important in making every foot of the garden yield its best than the judicious use of manure and fertilizer, classed as "cool" manures, and although the plant food is not as readily available as in horse manure, it will give very good results. Poultry and sheep manure are dubbed "hot" manures, and should be applied very cautiously, especially on the root or fruit crops.

When fresh manure is used, it should be plowed under to a depth of six to eight inches and entirely covered with earth. On the other hand, if the manure is well-rotted, only half of it should be plowed under, and the other half broadcast and raked into the surface.

Commercial Fertilizers.
If you want the best all-around fertilizer, get what is generally known as either the 4-8-4 or the 3-8-3. The term "4-8-4" simply means that the fertilizer contains 4 per cent ammonia, 8 per cent of phosphoric acid and 4 per cent of potash. In all fertilizers, nitrogen is the first, phosphoric acid the second and potash the third number.

One pound to every 25 square feet of garden surface is the average application of commercial fertilizer. Half of this should be broadcast and raked into the surface ground and the other half applied under the row, or hill, as the case may be.

Either nitrate of soda or sulphate of ammonia is used to give a larger leaf growth on those vegetables which produce edible leaves, such as lettuce, endive and parsley. Small applications of about one teaspoonful scattered around each plant of tomatoes, cabbage, eggplants, etc., or side-dressed celery, will give a better growth in stalk and better colored leaves.

Where Lime Comes In.
Lime should never be used in direct contact with the manure, because it has a tendency to liberate the nitrogen faster than plants can use it. Practically all garden soils need lime, however, and would be benefited by about ten pounds for each 100 square feet. Any finely pulverized lime is satisfactory for this. The right time to apply it is after the manure has been plowed under. Broadcast and rake it into the surface soil.

Rats Carried From Town in Different Shipments

Many of the rats prevalent in agricultural and poultry-raising sections are carried from towns to farms in shipments of dairy and poultry feed. The biological survey of the United States Department of Agriculture has learned from surveys in these regions. This emphasizes the nation-wide need for concerted effort between the rural and urban people as a basis for the efficient control of rats. The problem calls for widespread co-ordination of effort and the utmost persistence in the application of repressive measures. United action by representatives of farmers' organizations and chambers of commerce or other civic organizations is urged by the bureau in all parts of the United States where rats occur.

Green Feeds Essential for Health of Poultry

During the last cold spells of the season many cases of leg weakness in hens that have been laying heavily are reported. These are usually traceable to the fact that the owner has run out of green food. Such foods contain what is technically known as vitamins. When they are exhausted from the bird's body she begins to suffer. If green feed is given the bird will soon recover. Cabbage, sprouted grains or even steamed alfalfa leaves are beneficial. G. C. Kram, Poultry Specialist, Colorado Agricultural College.

Farm Hints

It's easy to haul lime in winter on a sled.
High priced protein feeds mean that we should grow more alfalfa and clover.
More than twenty million forest trees were planted in New York state during 1926.
It pays to pay cash for seeds and fertilizers. Get credit at a bank; they make that their business and they charge less too.
Vegetable protein such as is contained in cottonseed meal is best for cattle and sheep, while the animal protein of tankage is best for hogs.
A handy helper in burning roadside and inside fence rows is a torch made by twisting a piece of baling wire around a gunny sack that has been rolled into a tight wad and soaked in used crank case oil. Such a torch when effectively applied makes the stubbornest trash burn clean.

Farm Forest Large Labor-Saving Crop

Within the Reach of Every Farmer Without Outlay.

Reducing labor costs increases profits in any business and most progressive business men are constantly on a search for labor-saving systems. Farmers do this by installing labor-saving machinery but there is still another way which has been largely overlooked and this lies in giving more attention to labor-saving crops.

"The farm forest is one of the great labor-saving crops for North Carolina farmers," says R. W. Graeber, extension forester. "This crop is within the reach of every farmer without a great outlay of money if he will only co-operate with nature and follow the system which nature so plainly suggests."

Mr. Graeber states that no special soil preparation such as plowing and harrowing is needed for a crop of pines, oaks or poplars. No seed is needed if a few seed trees are left in place. No fertilizer is needed because nature maintains the fertility of the forest soil through the annual fall of leaves and twigs. All that is necessary is to keep out destructive forest fires. When the fires are kept out, a heavy blanket of leaf litter prevents weed growth and helps to hold a good supply of moisture. It is in the harvest alone with a timber crop that labor of man is required.

"Nature has provided fine conditions for tree growth in North Carolina," says Mr. Graeber. "Good soil, ample rainfall and a long growing season will permit any farm woodland to produce an annual growth of one-half to one cord of wood per acre, while many areas of pines are producing two cords and more an acre each year. Where a farmer does not cut more than the annual growth of his timber, a self-perpetuating, labor-saving crop is made an actual reality."

It is not necessary to spare the ax but it is necessary to so use the ax that the best tree specimens have an opportunity to contribute their share to an unending crop, states Mr. Graeber.

Feeding Hens Legume Hay Favored Plan in Winter

Legume hay, either cut in one-half inch lengths or left in its natural form placed in a wire basket or box may be fed to laying hens during winter as a substitute for succulent green feed. The second and third cuttings of alfalfa are best for these carry the most vitamins and proteins because they have a higher percentage of leaves, according to the New York State College of Agriculture at Ithaca, N. Y.

Quoting the Ohio experiment station, the college says that, from November to May, as good results were obtained from laying pullets confined indoors and fed legume hay as from those having access to an outside range of blue grass.

The hay should be carefully cured to preserve the green color for the valuable properties of the plant seem to be linked with the color. Alfalfa and clover leaf shatterings are often obtainable when these hays are fed to other animals.

The Ohio experiment station reports that no benefits were derived from ordinary alfalfa meal mixed in the mash at a rate of 5 per cent by weight. Whether the recent product, alfalfa leaf meal, will prove valuable like the hay, remains to be determined. Another good way to feed the legume hay is to tie it in a bundle and suspend it from the ceiling within easy reach of the birds. The department says it is surprising how the birds relish the hay and the quantity they will eat.

Give Pig Some Protein to Balance Corn Ration

Many farmers have more trouble in successfully growing fall pigs than they do with spring pigs.

According to the New Jersey State College of Agriculture, this is generally due either to parasites or to certain deficiencies in the ration. A large percentage of the winter ration generally consists of corn, and this feed supplies the nutrients needed for fattening, but must be balanced by some protein feed if proper gains are to be made. If skim milk or buttermilk is available it is unexcelled as a hog feed to supply the necessary protein to balance the corn.
If neither of these is to be had, a mixture consisting of two parts of tankage, one part of linseed oil meal, and one part of alfalfa meal is good, advises W. C. Skelley, assistant animal husbandman at the college. This mixture has given excellent results in the Middle West. It not only meets the protein requirement, but the alfalfa meal supplies a vitamin which is necessary for growth.

Encourage Drinking

Cows having access to water at will produced 5 per cent more than when watered once a day. This result was obtained from average cows on the federal dairy farms, Beltsville, Maryland. The higher the production, the greater the benefit of frequent watering.
Cows require 80 per cent more water in hot than in cold weather. The use of large quantities of beets reduce the amount of water required. In cold weather cows prefer water that has been warmed and will drink more of it.

Welcome, Atlantis!

Scientists tell us that the floor of the Atlantic ocean is gradually rising and that the lost continent of Atlantis may reappear. That will be handy for seafaring passengers who want to get out and walk.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Knocker's Long Service

A brass knocker on the front door of Francis Hopkinson's house has been in use since the building was erected in 1750 at Bordentown, N. J.

Easy to Believe

Probably the easiest thing is to believe that the kind of car or anything you want represents real economy in the long run.—Ohio State Journal.

PROBATE ORDER STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Charlevoix in said County, on the 19th day of January, A. D. 1927.

Present: Hon. Servetus A. Correll, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Christine M. VanDeventer and Emma Glyde VanDeventer, Minors.

Walter G. Corneil having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the 10th day of February, A. D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Charlevoix County Herald a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

SERVETUS A. CORRELL, Judge of Probate

PROBATE ORDER STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office in the City of Charlevoix in said County, on the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1927.

Present: Servetus A. Correll, Probate Judge.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ida Misenar, Deceased.

The above estate having been admitted to probate and Belle Roy, appointed executrix thereof.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present their claims against said estate; and that such claims will be heard by said court on Friday, the 6th day of May, A. D. 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate office in the city of Charlevoix.

It is further ordered That public notice thereof be given by publication of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Charlevoix County Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in this County.

SERVETUS A. CORRELL, Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made and executed by Wellington Baker, a single man, of East Jordan, Michigan, to Fred Martin of East Jordan, Michigan, which said mortgage bears date the 19th day of September, 1925, and was recorded on the 25th day of September, 1925, in Liber 67 of Mortgages, on page 48, in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Charlevoix, Michigan; that said mortgage is past due and there is now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage the sum of Six Hundred Eleven and 10/100 (\$611.10) Dollars, at the date of this notice including principal, interest and attorney fee; that no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage and of the statute in such case made and provided NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday the 31st day of January, 1927, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, standard time, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Charlevoix, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix is held) said Fred Martin will sell at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage and all legal costs.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows: "The South-east quarter (¼) of the South-east quarter (¼) of Section Twenty-(20), Township Thirty-two (32) North, Range Seven (7) West, containing Forty (40) acres of land, more or less."
FRED MARTIN, Mortgagee.
CLINK & WILLIAMS, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Business Address, East Jordan, Mich. (First publication Nov. 5th, 1926.)

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Briefs of the Week

Marvin Benson was at Detroit on business the past week.

Mrs. Lillian Kile of Muskegon is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. G. Sedgman.

S. Golden returned to Chicago, Monday, after being here on business and visiting at the Rosenthal home.

Mrs. B. E. Waterman returned home Monday from an extended visit with relatives at Albion, N. Y., Detroit and Holland, Mich.

Rev. C. W. Sidebotham left Tuesday morning for a three day trip to visit his parents at Bay City, and to attend a meeting of the State Presbyterian Council at Detroit.

William C. Spring of Flint was here a few days last week on business and renewing former acquaintances. His mother, Mrs. C. Spring accompanied him home Saturday for a visit.

Arthur E. Wells has sold his residence in this city—built last year—to Robert Campbell, Cashier of the State Bank of East Jordan. Mr. and Mrs. Wells plan to go to Iola, Kansas in the near future.

Last Thursday evening the officers and teachers and adult classes of the Presbyterian Sunday School had supper at the lumber camp near Chestonia. After supper the Sunday School Board had a business meeting in the passenger coach at the camp.

Mr. Taylor of East Jordan, who is employed at the new Christian Reformed Church, suffered an accident Saturday when a mortar board broke striking him on the head. He was taken to a physician in East Jordan, and five stitches were taken to close the wound.—Ellsworth Tradesman, Jan'y. 20.

Word was received here of the death of Leon Grant of Muskegon Heights on January 9, 1927, at his home, after a lingering illness. Mr. Grant spent a great part of his life in East Jordan, where he left many friends. He leaves besides his wife, one daughter, Alma, and one son, Floyd. Interment took place in the Mona View cemetery, Muskegon Heights.

The Kiwanis Club of Traverse City is planning to purchase 40 acres of ground which will be planted to pine and Norway spruce. The trees will be planted by school children of the city, and when the interplanted spruce is ready to be harvested as Christmas trees, the school children at that time will again aid in the work. The money received from the sale of trees will be used as a loan fund for High School students or for boys and girls who have to get financial aid to enable them to enroll as high school students. It is believed that the proceeds of the sale of the spruce from the 40 acres will create a fund which will be large enough to meet the needs of Traverse City students.

Mrs. Dan Kale is visiting relatives at Flint.

Miss Mary Stanek was home from Petoskey over Sunday.

Home Baked Goods for Sale. Order of Mrs. Alice Joynt, phone 205. adv.

Mrs. Victoria Kake of Detroit is here to visit her daughter, Mrs. Guy LaValley.

Franklin Heath who has been here for a visit, returned to Kalamazoo last Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Patterson of Flint is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kale.

William Higgins, who has been employed here, returned to Traverse City, Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Bennett went to the Lockwood hospital at Petoskey, Tuesday for treatment.

Mrs. Leonard Schomberg and son of Petoskey was here over the week end to visit Mrs. John Shier.

H. W. Grutsch returned to Grand Rapids, Monday, after a two weeks' visit here with his son, Carl Grutsch.

The roof at the Malpass & Bretz, East Jordan Iron Works was damaged by fire and water Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews of Muskegon are visiting at the home of the latter's brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Painter.

Mrs. R. D. King and son returned to Kalamazoo, Thursday, after a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Sherman Conway.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thomas, who have been living at Bellaire, moved the past week to the Will Walker farm near Eveline Orchards.

Leonard, 3 year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Telgenhoff of this city, was operated on last week for appendicitis at the Charlevoix hospital.

A few of the Lady Maccabees and neighbors enjoyed a social evening recently at the home of Mrs. Thos. Passenger. A pot luck supper was served.

The Boyne Citizen of Boyne City is publishing the annual delinquent tax list for Charlevoix County. Parties interested should write above publication, with costs, for copies of same.

A very pleasant time was had at the Bunco party last Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Sanger. A large number were present, and the evening was very much enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served, after which prizes were given to the winners and losers. These parties are becoming very popular.

Inquiries are coming to the Chamber of Commerce for literature about Boyne City and Pine Lake Resort attractions. Our supply of books for distribution is gone. Are we going to wait until midsummer before making a definite move to get our district before the tourist public? Our sister towns show no apathy in this matter, Charlevoix and Petoskey realize and capitalize their opportunities, why should Boyne City hang back. Your Chamber of Commerce has a mailing list of 200 customers. We cannot take our attractions to our customers. We can only show our goods through the printed page and pictures. It is less than 60 days until people in Oklahoma, Kansas, Kentucky, Missouri, Tennessee, Illinois and Ohio will begin to think of summer trips. Let us get into the game at once, if we are to cash in next July and August.—Boyne, Citizen.



Presbyterian Church
C. W. Sidebotham, Pastor.
C. R. Harper, Foreign Pastor.

"A Church for Folks."
Sunday, Jan'y 30, 1927.
10:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.
11:15 a. m.—Sunday School.
6:30 p. m.—Evening Worship.
The Young People will have charge of the first 30 minutes and the Pastor will have charge of the remainder of the time.

There will be a party for the young people in the Church basement next Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Mrs. John Porter will be in charge.

First M. E. Church
Victor J. Hufton, Pastor.

Sunday, Jan'y 30, 1927.
Services at the Church Chapel.
Standard Time.
10:00 a. m.—Morning Service.
Subj:—"Evidences of His Presence"
11:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
8:00 p. m.—Epworth League.
7:00 p. m.—Evening Service.
Subj:—"Evangelical Christianity"
Men's Fellowship Club next Tuesday.

Church of God
Rev. Roy L. Harris, Pastor.

Central Standard Time
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Preaching Service.
6:00 p. m.—Young People Meet.
7:00 p. m.—Evening Service.
Mid-Week Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, at 7:00 p. m.

Pilgrim Holiness Church
Rev. B. E. Manker, Pastor.

Fast Time
11:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
8:00 p. m.—General Service.
8:00 p. m., Friday night—Prayer Meeting.
The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Latter Day Saints Church
L. Dudley, Pastor.

9:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
10:10 a. m.—Social Service.
7:00 p. m.—Evening Service.
7:00 p. m., Wednesday, Prayer Meeting.
7:00 p. m., Thursday—Religio.
All are welcome to attend these services.

FARM NOTES

The good farmer never stops learning how to farm. That's why he is a good farmer.

It is not advisable to plant alfalfa back on alfalfa land without a few years between crops.

Pain is suggested as a preventive of disease because disease germs will not flourish in a clean, well-kept place.

If there is a dark corner in the chicken house the litter will pack there, for lack of scratching feet to kick it out.

Just because a mare happens to be pure bred and possessed of a fancy pedigree is no excuse for letting her become fat, sluggish, constipated and suffering during the winter season.

Freshmen on Job Early
Freshmen of about forty colleges and universities report a week in advance of the formal opening in order to receive preliminary instruction intended to acquaint them with the life they are to lead in the institution, according to School Life.

Varieties of Jinxes
The natives of Galway consider the fox unlucky. If they meet a fox on their way to fish, they turn back for that day. If Irishmen or Italians pronounce the names of certain animals while they are fishing they are certain to have ill luck. In some sections of Scotland there are old women whose names are unlucky and such persons must be spoken of in an indirect way.

Lansing—L. L. Griffith, head of the Chelsea Cement plant, and his son, L. L. Griffith, Jr., were relieved of their duties by order of Gov. Fred W. Green. They remain on the payroll pending the outcome of an audit ordered by the governor, but are without power.

Mancelona—Over-exertion, necessary to push a stalled automobile from a snowdrift near here, caused the death of Edward Hopkins, who, with Bert Good, also of Royal Oak, were driving north when the automobile became stalled. Hopkins pushed on the car and freed it from the snow. Just as the car left the show bank Hopkins fell dead.

Detroit—With 2,148 motor cars for each 189.02 square miles, and on the basis of population, 4.4 passengers for each, Detroit has more automobiles than any other three cities which have a larger population. New York has but 1,704 cars to the square mile of area; Philadelphia, 1,518, and Chicago, 1,414. This means that to every automobile there are in Chicago 8.5 persons; Philadelphia, 10.7, and New York, 12.2 persons.

Berkley—Forced to flee in night attire from their burning home in Berkley one morning, recently at 2 a. m., Mrs. Anna Belenky, 28, and her two children suffered severely from exposure in their mile walk through the snow to find shelter. The feet of the two children, Vera, 10, and Xenia, 8, were frozen. The husband, Boris, who aided his family from the burning home, was not injured. The origin of the fire is not known.

Lansing—Henry W. Busch of Detroit and Frank R. Chase of Belding were named to the board of managers of Michigan Soliders' Home. Gov. Fred W. Green also announced the appointment of Rudolph E. Reichert of Ann Arbor as state banking commissioner. He is cashier of the State Savings Bank of Ann Arbor and chairman of the Republican committee of Washtenaw county. The appointment of state banking commissioner automatically carries with it membership on the state securities commission.

Holland—Dr. Geerlings, of Holland, was on a hunting trip in the Upper Peninsula and became lost in a swamp at twilight. He picked out a hollow log and decided to enlarge the opening and there spend the night. Hearing a noise, he turned and saw a black bear. He fired and toppled the bear, which jumped and ran. Meantime, Dr. Geerlings' brother, who was searching for him, arrived. By lantern light the two tracked and found the bear, which showed fight before it was killed. The bear weighed 220 pounds.

Houghton—Lucas Millenbach, a Boy Scout, caught a red fox recently by means of a bonfire and a pair of tongs. While skimming near his home Millenbach came on the trail of the fox. He tracked the animal and caught sight of it as it took refuge in a large pine stump. Knowing that he could not capture the animal alone, he kindled a fire near the stump to keep the fox inside while he went for help. With the aid of his brothers, Millenbach caught the fox around the neck with a pair of tongs and after considerable tussle, placed it in a bag.

Pontiac—Separated 16 years, a mother and daughter, have been united here through the medium of a newspaper clipping. The mother, Mrs. E. E. Walters, of Pontiac, discovered that her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Ellert, 20 years old, was living in Detroit. Mrs. Walters, then Mrs. Ostrander, was separated from her daughter, Mary, when the latter was three years old. A divorce was obtained by Mrs. Ostrander and she went to Denver, Col., after her remarriage. The daughter, left with an uncle in Saginaw, had lost track of her mother.

Lansing—Lack of funds is holding up the payment of \$2,000,000 due the counties January 1 from the 1926 weight tax receipts. This debt will have to be paid from the 1927 collections because of the large deficit faced by the highway department at the close of the last year. The weight tax law provides that \$6,000,000 of the collections shall be returned to the counties each calendar year. During 1926, a total of \$4,000,000 was sent out at different intervals, but owing to the deficit the final payment could not be made.

Parma—Two unidentified men, about 35 years old, held up Lillian Sanford, cashier of the First State bank of Parma, and forced her to turn over between \$5,000 and \$6,000 of bank funds. They made their escape in a Hudson coach with three accomplices, who had been waiting for them outside the bank. The thugs found Miss Sanford alone when they entered the bank, but shortly after the president and one of the directors entered, and these two, with two more customers who came in during the holdup, were all locked up in the vault.

Tecumseh—Mrs. Harriet Wheeler recently celebrated her 100th birthday at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Clarence Holdridge, south of Tecumseh. She came here from New York with her parents 90 years ago. Her husband, Curtis G. Wheeler, died in service during the Civil War. Mrs. Wheeler relates many interesting experiences with the Indians in the early days. She has been blind for the last eight years, but up to that time she did a great deal of reading and took a keen interest in the general topics of the day.

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Fish's Many Names

The crapple is commonly called bachelor, camp-bellite, new light, sac-a-lait, tinmouth, carpet and chequaplin. Its range is from New York and Vermont westward through the Great Lakes region and the Mississippi valley to the Dakotas and south to Texas.

China Enjoys Firecrackers

China consumes more firecrackers in a year than any other nation. They are used in connection with social, religious and military functions, as well as births and funerals, and peace demonstrations after quarrels.

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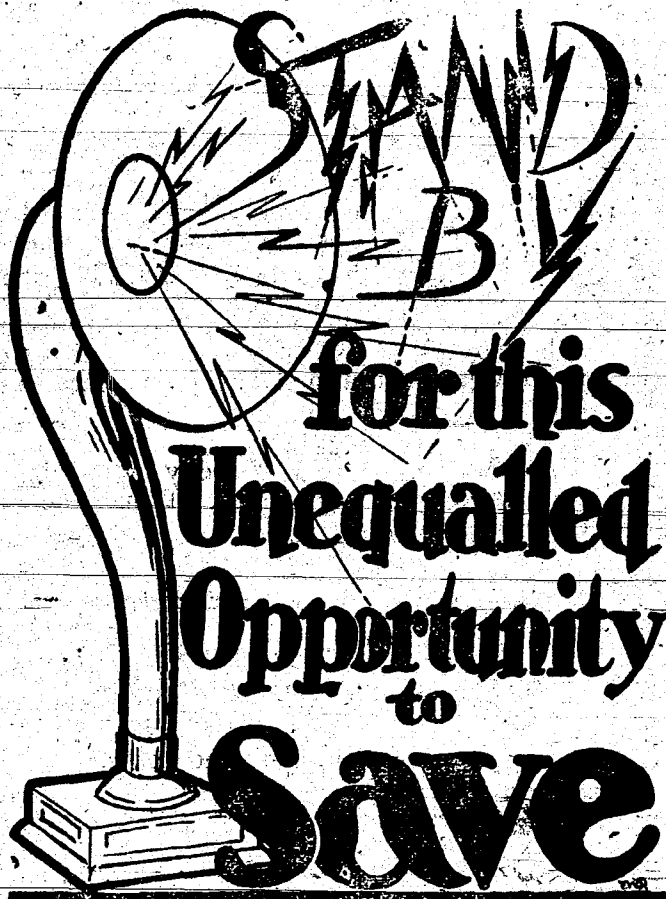
Would you like to make a new outfit for your Xmas doll? Come to the Company store and get a Pattern FREE for a doll dress, hat and under garment.

One condition only and that is that you buy the goods to make them at the Company store. When the set is finished, bring them in and a committee of three will decide which is made the best; and a prize will be given to that one. The patterns will be here by Saturday, Jan. 29, and you can begin.

Any girl under twelve can take part in this contest.

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66x80 Assorted Woolnap Plaid Blankets extra heavy and soft finish, \$2.97 pr.

1 lot of Boys', Youths' and Childrens' CAPS with earlaps and toques, 12c ea.

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One Big Lot of—MEN'S SUITS

Many are high-grade Suits that formerly sold to \$40, broken sizes. While They Last Only

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Men's High Top 10-inch Knitted FELT SHOES for

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Sport Style for Young Men. Black Coat with Velvet Collar. A Real Bargain for

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19c Yard

Your chance now to buy at great savings.

SHEETING—9-4 Pepperell, Lockwood, Wearwell Sheeting, for this Sale only

35c Yard

ROSENTHAL CO. — East Jordan

OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hacking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed up and miserable. Relief is sure.

What has become of the old-fashioned taxpayer who was always first to pay his winter taxes?

TRY SULPHUR ON AN ECZEMA SKIN

Costs Little and Overcomes Trouble Almost Over Night

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying Mentho-Sulphur, declares a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation instantly brings ease from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth.

It seldom fails to relieve the torment without delay. Sufferers from skin trouble should obtain a small jar of Rowles' Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.

Daddy of American Football



Here is Gerrit Smith Miller, eighty two years old, of Peterboro, N. Y., the daddy of American football. He organized the first grid team, the Onondaga football club, 84 years ago, and won his letters as a star player. Mr. Miller claims that college spirit alone can keep football going, and for this very reason he sees the failure of pro football games. Mr. Miller rates Jim Thorpe, famed Carlisle player, as the greatest player of all time, and as for present players, he rates Eddie Tryon above Red Grange.

Sailors Introduce Style

Sweaters, though universally worn now, were unknown to the general world a generation ago. It was the sailors and fishermen of northern Europe who first introduced sweaters into society and set the fashion.

Weight of Rain

The weight of an inch of rain on an acre of ground would be 226,812 pounds.

Smart Evening Wrap Made of Black Velvet



Black and gold! This smart evening wrap, worn by Marceline Day, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer player, is made of black velvet, with a bloused bodice and a gathered skirt. The grille and large, full sleeves are of gold braid.

First Clock?

The earliest complete clock of which there is certain record was made by a Saracen mechanic in the Thirteenth century.

DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

Why Oceans Never Fill Up

With many rivers flowing into the ocean, it seems they would soon fill up. But ocean basins are connected and anything which changes the level of the water in one, changes the level in all. Great quantities of river water, however, never reach the ocean. Part seeps into the earth's surface and becomes ground water, while some is taken up by evaporation due to atmospheric action.

New Ocean Sounder

A wonderful device has been developed by the United States navy, whereby a sound signal is sent out and is reflected by the sea bottom back to the instrument. It has revealed hitherto unsuspected features of the ocean floor.

CUT THIS OUT—IT IS WORTH MONEY.

Send this ad and ten cents to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive a trial bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds, croup (spasmodic) and tickling throat; also a trial packet each of Foley Pills, a diuretic stimulant for the kidneys, and Foley Cathartic Tablets for constipation, biliousness, and sick headaches. These wonderful remedies have helped millions of people. Send for them.—Hitt's Drug Store.



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Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions. Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists.

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Fault-Finding Cheap

Nothing is easier than fault-finding; no talent, no self-denial, no brains, no character are required to set up the grumbling business.—Robert West.

More Berries

In parts of Hungary, farm laborers are paid in vegetables. Occasionally, we suppose, a workman will ask for an increase in his week's celery.—Humorist.

Bowing to the Inevitable

They're teaching philosophy in one Kansas City kindergarten. A five-year-old student was asked the other day if he liked his teacher. "Uh-huh," he assented. "I he's te."—Kansas City Star.

Pity the Poor Plants

We hope that, as some of the respectable scientists say, plants and vegetables suffer just as animals do, for carrots are usually scraped and spinach, thank goodness, is always boiled before using!—Fort Wayne News-Sentinel.