



TRIALS of the NEEDLES
 IF NOT GETTING ANY BETTER THE DOCTOR HAS BEEN TO YOU. THE DOCTOR HAS BEEN TO YOU. THE DOCTOR HAS BEEN TO YOU.

There were three at the little table in the cafe, a lady and two men. Suddenly the electric lights went out, and the lady, quickly and noiselessly, drew back.

An instant later there was the smack of a compound kiss. As the electric lights went up each man was seen smiling complacently.

"I thought I heard a kiss," said the lady, "but nobody kissed me."

Then the men suddenly glared at each other and flushed and looked painfully sheepish.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

WHY PEOPLE SUFFER.

Too often the kidneys are the cause and the sufferer is not aware of it. Sick kidneys bring backache and side pains, lameness and stiffness, dizziness, headaches, tired feeling, urinary troubles. Doan's Kidney Pills cure the cause.

Nathan R. Mill, Stryker, Ohio, says: "Kidney troubles pulled me down until I was skin and bone. I could not work and finally took to bed. Doctors said I had gravel and advised an operation. The secretions were painful and sometimes almost stopped. Doan's Kidney Pills brought relief and finally a cure."

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Fine foods cause need for Cascarets. Don't whip the bowels with a harsh cathartic. These candy tablets act in Nature's way. Millions know they act exactly as coarse food would do.

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Senator Dooliver, of Iowa, says: "The stream of emigrants from the United States to Canada will continue."

Senator Dooliver recently paid a visit to Western Canada. He returned with a report that the land hunger in the heart of the continent is increasing. He says that he will recommend to the United States Government that it should encourage the settlement of Americans in the West.

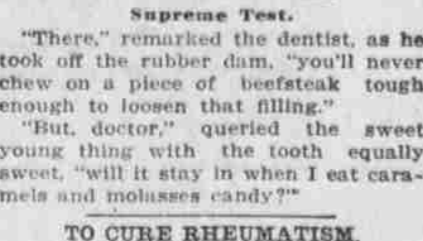
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THE FARM AND GARDEN

Back to the Farm. There are three all-important things to be weighed by the city man who wishes to return to the farm. The first is his wife. If she is in every sense of the word a helpmate, loves the country and can give up what she has been used to in the city for the sake of the children and the building of a real home, then the prospects are fairly favorable to begin with.



Supreme Test. "There," remarked the dentist, as he took off the rubber dam, "you'll never chew on a piece of beefsteak tough enough to loosen that filling."

"But doctor," queried the sweet young thing with the tooth equally sweet, "will it stay in when I eat caramels and molasses candy?"

TO CURE RHEUMATISM.

Prescription That Cured Hundreds Since Published Here. "One ounce Syrup of Sarsaparilla Compound; one ounce Tonic Compound; add these to a half pint of good whisky. Take a tablespoonful before each meal and at bed time; shake the bottle well each time."

A NEW TOWN EVERY WEEK.

The above caption about represents the growth of Central Canada. The statement was made not long since by a railroad man who claimed to have made the remarkable discovery that such was the case. There is not a district of a fair amount of settlement in any of the three Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, but has its school, and the railroads have stations every seven or eight miles apart, around which group the towns, some large and some small, but each important to its own district. Schools are largely maintained by public funds and the expense of tuition is but a nominal sum.

The Farm-Wife.

Where ends the road across the hill? I do not know—I do not know; But all day long and all the night I long to go—I long to go!

Owls for Orchards.

The fruit growers of New Zealand, after long racking their brains in vain to find some way of getting rid of the small bird pest, recently thought of trying owls, says the Sydney Mail. A hundred small German owls were ordered from Europe, and a part of the order was delivered last September. The owls were liberated in the fruit-growing districts and immediately proved a wonderful success. They kill waxeyes, finches, green linnets, thrushes, blackbirds and sparrows; also mice, rats and young rabbits. They fed their young on caterpillars, grubs and beetles, and their only fault seemed to be an occasional fondness for a barnyard chicken.

Butter Fat and Butter.

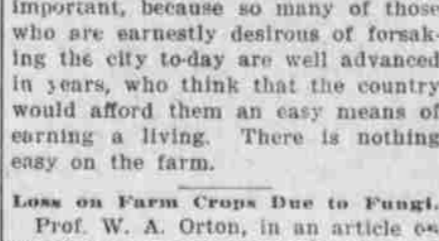
What is the difference, you ask, between butter fat and butter? Or how much butter will a given amount of butter fat make? Well, the difference is usually about 15 or 20 per cent—that is, eighty pounds of butter fat will churn about a hundred pounds of butter. The amount varies according to the way of doing the work, for some butters have more water, salt and curds in it than any other butter. Anyway, there will be more butter than butter fat.

Animal Food for Poultry.

Bones and meat secured from the butcher and cut into fine pieces by means of a bone cutter are perhaps the best substitute for the insects a hen finds when on free range. Horse

CONVICT MADE GOOD.

Trusty Who Has Aided and Earned Enough to Save Sister's Home. Out from the whirl of our material life come occasionally strange stories of human goodness in those whom society has cast out. The Kansas City Times says. Convicts with hearts and hands are fine impulses are by no means rare. James G. Pogue was of this class. He was a convict in the Kansas state penitentiary at Lansing, where he was sent for grand larceny. It appears that his only sister had mortgaged her home to provide funds for his defense. But nevertheless he was sent to prison. His conduct as a convict was so good that he was made a "trusty" an office that is something of a step toward life endurable to some men. But he never forgot about the sacrifice made for him by his sister, and when the mortgage became due he knew that the little property must be sacrificed.



How to Remove the Blocks. Men could with ice tongs. In removing ice blocks with this board, the operator will not get wet.

Value of a Good Garden.

A good home garden is a great institution. It means more on many farms than the crop of wheat, corn or oats. It furnishes food for the family throughout the summer, and, if properly handled, a liberal supply for winter. Some gardens are handled so skillfully that there is a surplus of vegetables for sale almost every week. It means much to the farmer and his family and should be planned with the utmost care and given the very best attention.

Increasing Flow of Milk.

It must be remembered that beyond a certain point grain will not increase the flow of milk at all. The cow has a limit; she can use just so much food and pay for it, and no more, and it is

Profitable Hog Has Strength.

The profitable market hog must possess a good, strong constitution, for without this no hog can make a good market hog. The hog that possesses a good, strong and vigorous constitution is invariably extremely good through the heart and chest, and here is where he lives, and he cannot be strong and vigorous if he lacks in this essential of development. He should have a good strong back, be broad and strong through the ribs, for it is a mere chance if we ever find a profitable market hog that is weak and poorly developed through the loins.

Correcting Defects of Hoof.

If the horse has defective feet keep them carefully trimmed and shod, if necessary. The soft hoof should be shod and re-shod every six or eight weeks in the winter when the ground is frozen, and at all times of the year where the roads are rocky or gravelled. By keeping the horse with poor feet properly shod it will do good service without loss of time. It is best, however, to breed for good feet.

Wisdom in Buying Feed.

When much food is to be bought the aim should be to grow so much coarse fodder that whatever is bought will be bought in the shape of fertilizer. The wisdom of doing this arises from the less cost of transporting concentrates because of the less bulk which they contain in proportion to their nutriment. The fertilizer may be very profitably used in growing the coarse feeders needed.

Moisture for Brood Eggs.

A hen left to herself will get off her nest very early in the morning, when the air is cool. She has the eggs heated to 103 or 104 degrees. She gets off the nest, and the cool air, coming in contact with the warm eggs, causes the moisture to predrip, and it moistens them sufficiently without any additional wetting.

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SHORT METER SERMONS.

Conversion is no sugar coating over a rotten life.—Rev. S. E. Young, Presbyterian, Pittsburg.

Lack of forethought brings disaster in any sphere of life.—Rev. H. Hepburn, Presbyterian, Aurora, Ill.

The world is a mirror reflecting the features we hold up to it.—Rev. G. C. Peck, Episcopalian, New York City.

We have just as much religion as shown in our ways and doings.—Rev. E. W. Smith, Presbyterian, Louisville.

Laboring men should put Christ on their platform. Stand behind Him and the case is won.—Charles Stelzel, Baptist, Chicago.

Every heart can become a sanctuary of the eternal. Wherever there is love there is holy ground.—Rev. J. Silberfeld, Hebrew, Newark.

Clean hearts, honest dealing and helpful efforts alone reach God's attention and gain His favor.—Rev. C. F. Reiser, Methodist, Denver.

God broadens life for us only so fast as we intensify it. What men deserve they sooner or later get.—Rev. C. E. St. John, Unitarian, Philadelphia.

There is no other discernment of spiritual truth, but that which proceeds out of a pure heart and an obedient mind.—Rev. W. W. Gillies, Methodist, Brooklyn.

In the school as in the home, God, Christ, heaven, hell, faith, hope, charity, duty, all these doctrines and more are needed.—Cardinal Gibbons, Roman Catholic, Baltimore.

It is that which separates us from God, and that His holy eye is no respecter of persons, circumstances or conditions.—Rev. D. Broughton, Congregationalist, Atlanta.

The commercial spirit of the world is in the church. God cannot work through a church which is dominated by the money power.—Rev. A. B. Holderley, Baptist, Atlanta.

Faith in God is the opposing factor in the great problems of life; faith in God is the determining factor in the development of man's character.—Rev. F. W. Hinnett, Presbyterian, Danville, Ky.

We must limit the value of money, lessen its purchasing power, so that money alone shall not be able to buy for man respect and honor and homage.—Rev. S. S. Wise, Hebrew, New York City.

It is not a sin to enjoy innocent amusement after attending mass Sunday morning, but men should not engage in a business on that day only to make money.—Rev. I. P. Whelan, Roman Catholic, Newark.

So long as a man's liberty of speech and action is not called into question, he has a right to believe that he has not exceeded the liberty of interpretation which the church permits.—Rev. W. H. Babcock, Reformed, Bayonne, N. J.

Casey's Vacation. Casey's wife was at the hospital, where she had undergone a very serious operation a few days before. Mrs. Casey called to inquire as to Mrs. Casey's condition. "Is she resting quietly?" Mrs. Casey asked. "No, but I am," said Casey.—National.

In summer, a man with an automobile can make us feel envious, but in winter a man with a sleigh cannot, however many bells he may have.

Joke from a show at the opera house: "Never run after a street car or a woman; there will be another along in a minute."

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The poor children of Exeter, England, are provided with breakfasts at school at a cost of a farthing.

Distemper. In all its forms, among all ages of horses and dogs, cured and others of the same stable prevented from having the disease with Spohn's Distemper Cure. Every bottle guaranteed. Over 500,000 bottles sold last year. \$3.50 and \$1.00. Good druggists, or send to manufacturer. Agents wanted. Write for free book. Spohn Med. Co., Spec. Contagious Diseases, Goschen, Ind.

The Paris motor omnibuses use a mixture of equal parts of alcohol and benzol for fuel. The average consumption is nine centiliters a ton kilometer.

This Will Interest Mothers. Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, cure Croup, Whooping Cough, Teething Disorders, Stomach Troubles and Destroy Worms; 10,000 testimonials of cures. All drug stores. 25c. Sample FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

One on the Old Man. "Grandpa, how many letters in the alphabet have more than one syllable?" "Let me see, Tommy; a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z."

"You didn't learn your letters very well when you were a boy, did you, grandpa?"

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children's Teething softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

It Might Be Worse. Restless Roger—it always makes me mad, old pal, to think that this earth is two-thirds water.

Sandy Pike's—O, cheer up! Suppose the rest of it was soap instead of land.—Ally Sloper's.

FOR DEEP-SEATED COLDS and coughs, Allen's Lung Balm cures when all other remedies fail. This old reliable medicine has been sold for over 40 years. See the B.B. bottles. All druggists.

Fired of the Game. "Billingsley tells me he has moved his gasoline tank into his garage." "But that's awfully dangerous, isn't it? The garage may catch fire at any moment." "That's what Billingsley hopes."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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