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Rejoicing of Original Submarine. The whale chuckled. "At least there is no controversy about who invented me," it cried.

Changed. "I wasn't always as you see me now," said the beggar. "So I noticed," said the man. "Yesterday you only had one leg."

Yea, Verily. Elois—it is said that many a book is sold by the title. Jack—Yes; and many an American heiress has been sold by the same thing.

Gentleness. "So you think the world is growing better?" "I do," replied the cheery citizen. "In spite of all these wars?" "Yes. If human nature were not very gentle and obedient it would be impossible to send so many men to war without letting them know precisely what they were fighting about."

Couldn't Impress Pat. Struggling along the country with a party of friends, Pat was telling them about some of the beautiful spots in Ireland.

One of the party, an American, exclaimed: "Waal, I guess we've got something in America that will lick all your scenery. Our Falls of Niagara, with tons of water rushing over the top, is a wonderful and an unusual sight." "A wonderful and unusual sight!" exclaimed Paddy. "That's nothing. It can't help falling over the top of the precipice. If the water stopped on the top, that would be a wonderful and unusual sight."

HARD ON CHILDREN

When Teacher Has Coffee Habit.

"Best is best, and best will ever live." When a person feels this way about Postum they are glad to give testimony for the benefit of others.

A school teacher down in Miss. says: "I had been a coffee drinker since my childhood, and the last few years it had injured me seriously.

"One cup of coffee taken at breakfast would cause me to become so nervous that I could scarcely go through with the day's duties, and this nervousness was often accompanied by deep depression of spirits and heart palpitation.

"I am a teacher by profession, and when under the influence of coffee had to struggle against crossness when in the school room.

"When talking this over with my physician, he suggested that I try Postum, so I purchased a package and made it carefully according to directions; found it excellent of flavor, and nourishing.

"In a short time I noticed very gratifying effects. My nervousness disappeared, I was not irritated by my pupils, life seemed full of sunshine, and my heart troubled me no longer.

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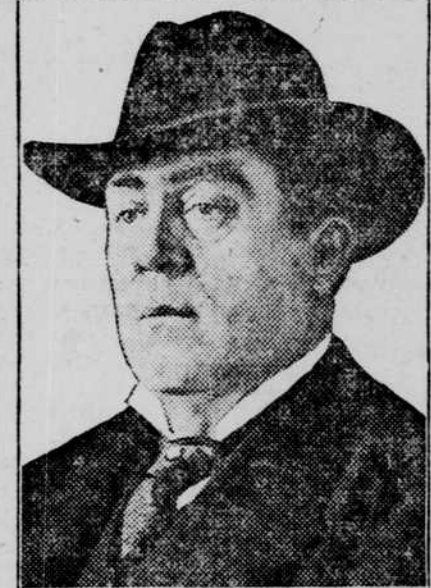
Interest in the sources of our drug supply, stimulated by the European war, has brought into some prominence one of Uncle Sam's most useful woman employees, Miss Alice Henkel, a botanist of the bureau of plant industry, who has made a specialty of investigations of medicinal plants. Miss Henkel's work has had a widespread influence through the bulletins she has written. These, nine in number, have been among the most popular bulletins issued by the department of agriculture. In fact, they are in such demand that many reprints have been made of each, and they are classed among the "best sellers" of the office of the superintendent of documents.

One of the most popular bulletins deals with weeds that are used in medicine. Miss Henkel's pamphlets have been used as reference books by many of the leading pharmaceutical colleges and dealers in crude drugs, and have been widely quoted not only in the pharmaceutical press of this country, but also abroad.

One example of the far-reaching influence of her work, which holds special gratification for Miss Henkel, came to her recently in a letter from a small mining town of Pennsylvania. She was told by the writer, a young man who had become a cripple in a mine explosion, that after reading her bulletins he decided to follow the business of collecting medicinal plants to sell to drug firms, and find out if he could become self-supporting. He said that he had been successful and was able to make a small amount of money—enough, at least, to keep his mind off of his condition and lift him out of the helpless class.

OLLIE JAMES' START

When Ollie James, the giant senator, had finished the high school at Marion at the age of sixteen, he sought a position as page in the Kentucky senate chamber. His immediate state senator promised him a place through the good offices of the lieutenant governor.



When the legislature assembled young James presented himself. The lieutenant governor declared he had forgotten the matter entirely and had appointed all the pages.

"But," said he, "I find, in looking them over, that they are a lot of spindle-legged weaklings, scarcely able to carry themselves. There ought to be one page strong enough to lift heavy records and newspaper files."

"Come and look my candidate over," said James representative.

When the lieutenant governor had a look at the giant youngster outside he gasped.

"Show the governor how strong you are, Ollie," said his senator. Whereupon Ollie James picked up the lieutenant governor in one arm and his senator in another and trotted upstairs with them.

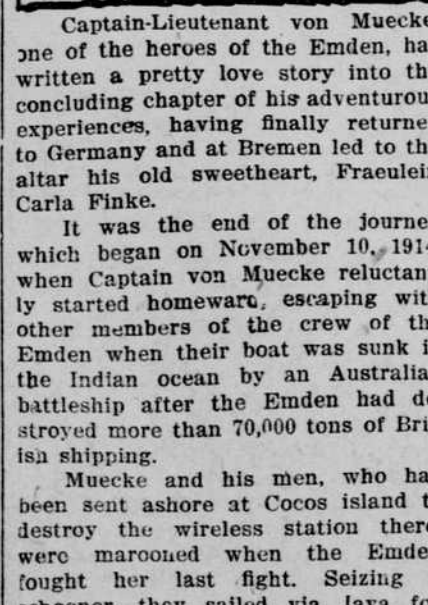
ADMIRAL OF THE AIR



The rapid expansion of the British naval service in the war has made necessary its reorganization and it now is under the direction of a flag officer. For the important post of "director of air service" Rear Admiral Charles Lionel Vaughan-Lee was selected, and the British public has had to learn about another notability of whom it knew little or nothing before the great conflict began.

In navy circles, however, Rear Admiral Vaughan-Lee has been well known as an officer of scientific attainments. Born in 1867, he served as a midshipman in the Egyptian war of 1882. Like Carlsen and many other sailors of his generation, he first learned the necessity of putting cotton wool into his ears at the bombardment of Alexandria. After becoming a lieutenant he devoted himself to torpedoes, and went to work with his head as soon as he got the chance. He has great ability and thoroughness, but despite his elaborate learning in the strict science of his profession, he has always kept himself pliant and tolerant towards the new idea.

EMDEN RAIDER'S ROMANCE



Captain-Lieutenant von Muecke, one of the heroes of the Emden, has written a pretty love story into the concluding chapter of his adventurous experiences, having finally returned to Germany and at Bremen led to the altar his old sweetheart, Fraulein Carla Finke.

It was the end of the journey which began on November 10, 1914, when Captain von Muecke reluctantly started homeward, escaping with other members of the crew of the Emden when their boat was sunk in the Indian ocean by an Australian battleship after the Emden had destroyed more than 70,000 tons of British shipping.

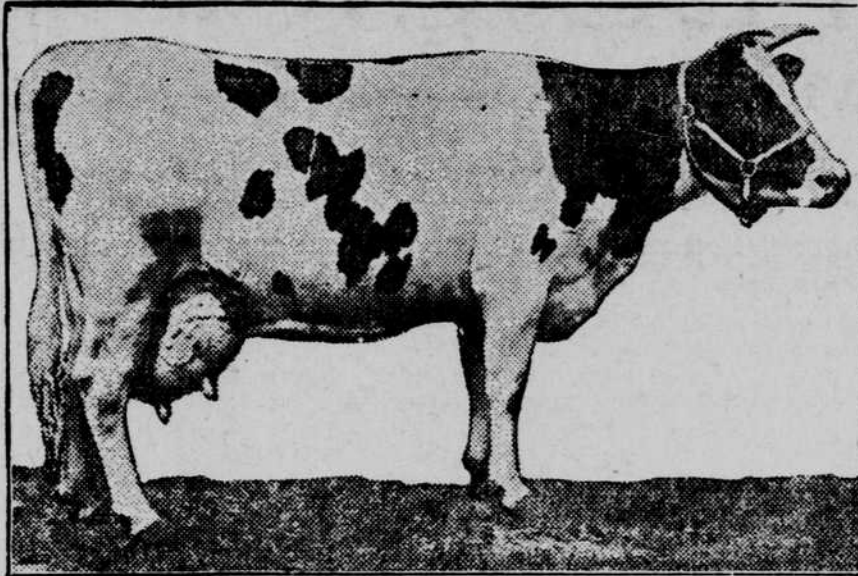
Muecke and his men, who had been sent ashore at Cocos island to destroy the wireless station there, were marooned when the Emden fought her last fight. Seizing a schooner, they sailed via Java for 2,000 miles before they reached Arabia. Thence they made their way overland to Constantinople. At the Turkish capital Captain von Muecke's services were needed at once by the commander of the German squadron, Admiral von Uesedom, and the wedding at Bremen had to be postponed until recently.

WORTH KNOWING

American business men in Shanghai have formed an association. The world's Sunday schools number 257,866, with 26,076,593 pupils. Australia's trade since July has fallen off \$175,000,000 because of war. Freemasonry of this country include 1,671,477 members at a count made last year. The Indian population of the United States at the end of June last year totaled 331,250.

"The Marseillaise," the national anthem of the French republic, was written and composed in 1792. Psalm cxviii, besides being the middle chapter in the Bible, is also the shortest chapter. The Philippine islands have had this year one of the best crops in their history, but great hardship has been worked by lack of ships in which to carry hemp and sugar to foreign markets. Quantities of agricultural products are lying useless in warehouses or on the ground.

LITTLE THINGS MAKE FOR DAIRY SUCCESS



Daisy Grace De Kol.

Cows should not stand facing a window unless the window is covered with muslin. By the way, the muslin window in a cow stable is better by far than glass. It gives a subdued light and furnishes an ideal system of ventilation.

No man can succeed in dairying unless he knows that each cow is paying him a profit. A dairy cow that does not more than pay for feed and care is a robber that should not be allowed to live.

There is no method of feeding which will increase the percentage of fat in a given cow's milk to any considerable extent, but there are methods of feeding which will make a non-paying cow profitable, very often, simply by increasing the quantity of milk she gives.

Take good care of the calves, for they are the nursery of the dairy; and a calf which has been raised in the "pot-bellied" style on slops and kept in a shadeless, grassless lot all the first summer, never makes a good cow.

The dairy farmer who keeps so many cows that he must neglect them to take proper care of his crops, has made a wrong division of his operations. The cows should be taken care of first and only as much land be cropped as can be well cared for between milkings.

The good dairy cow is wedge-shaped in two directions. She is wide in the rear and narrow in front. She is narrow on the top of the shoulders and wide between the forelegs. This shape gives room for a large amount of feed and for a big heart, denoting a strong arterial circulation.

The man who has so little self-respect that he will allow himself to work around cows that stand in a filthy stable lacks considerably of reaching up to the mark of a good dairyman.

EASY TO ERADICATE SMUT FROM WHEAT

Good Plan to Get Neighbors to Also Treat Their Seed—Spores Fly With Wind.

In many localities the loss from smut in smut or loose smut in wheat is as much as 25 per cent or 30 per cent. It is easy to eradicate smut, but unless you can get adjoining neighbors to treat their seed for smut, the spores will fly over the fence from the untreated grain, reinfesting the treated grain.

To one pint of full-strength formaldehyde (you can get it at any drug store) add 25 or 30 gallons of water. Spread out the seed on a floor or canvas, and sprinkle with formaldehyde solution until thoroughly moist, but not wet enough to pack in the hand. Shovel or rake over repeatedly to distribute the moisture evenly. Shovel into a pile and cover with sacks or canvas for at least two hours, the canvas having been soaked in the solution to kill any spores which might have remained. Take off the blankets and rake until the grain is dry, which will only take a few minutes.

Be sure that your formaldehyde is of full strength because there is much of it that is very weak.

RIGHT PROPORTIONS IN POULTRY RATIONS

Hens Get Fat and Lazy When Given Nothing but Fat-Forming Feed—Avoid Extremes.

Suppose you feed your hens on a fat-forming ration altogether, and this is the kind they eat most greedily. Feed a corn mash in the morning, cracked corn at noon, whole corn at night. The hens would get fat and lazy and lay few eggs; presently they would get liver-gone, break down and die. Feed the same flock, instead of the fat-making food, a full proportion of wheat, green bone, meat scraps or bran. At first the eggs laid would surprise you; soon you would notice the hens getting light; diarrhoea would set in, then indigestion and rheumatism; the egg crop would shorten up, and it would be a more difficult task to get that flock back to health than when fed the fat-forming ration. These are the extremes in feeding. Both rations are needed, but must be mixed to right proportion.

INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT FLAX PLANT

More of This Valuable Crop Can and Should Be Produced—Humus Is Necessary.

Flax is not "hard on the land" when compared with other crops. Flax should not be grown on the same field oftener than once in five or seven years.

Flax will germs are carried by the seed, and live from year to year in the soil. The formaldehyde treatment will disinfect the seed.

Flax can be successfully grown on old lands when properly handled. Do not sow flax on flax-sick soil.

Early planting is safest in the long run.

A firm seedbed is a necessary. Harvest the crop when it is ripe. Thrush or stack as soon as possible when flax gets dry.

Flax in rotation should follow the hay or pasture crops. A large amount of humus is necessary in the soil.

Push Chicks Along. Do not expect the young chicks to live on flies and grasshoppers. A few handfuls of grain will push them along and make early broilers and early layers.

Secure a Hand Sprayer. A hand sprayer can be purchased for a few dollars and should be on every farm. Fixing Lightning Rod. See that the ground end of the lightning rod runs down to damp soil.

Careful About Feeders. When this steers outsell fat ones in the yards, be careful about borrowing money to buy feeders.

A Bad Stomach Is a Foe to Be Feared

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WHERE HE WAS CARELESS

Miranda Was Surely Capable of Giving Expert Opinion Upon One Point, at Least.

"What do you know of the character of the defendant?" the judge asked a negro washerwoman subpoenaed in an accident case. A white man had been arrested for careless driving of a second-hand car.

"Hit's tollable," Miranda said.

"Have you ever seen him drive his car before?"

"Yes, sah."

"Would you consider him careless?"

"Well, ledge, ez fer de car—dat little thing ain't gwinter hurt nobody, but being us is all here, I might ez well tell yo 'dat he sho' is keerless 'bout payin' fo' his wash!"—Case and Comment.

Not So Savage.

"Father," said the young man to his sire from back in the county, "I wish you wouldn't eat with your knife."

"Well, you don't want me to eat with my fingers like a savage, do you?"

We often feel sorry for the rich. There is Rockefeller, for instance; he once had as much hair as anybody.

If all men were compelled to practice what they preach the majority would discontinue the preaching habit.

If a woman is willing to listen to a man it's usually because she has no more talk to unload.

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