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No Place for Him

Governor Byrd, at a luncheon in Richmond, was opposing the political debut of a millionaire with a dubious

"The limelight," Governor Byrd end--"the limelight is no place for man who needs a whitewash."

Lucky Man

Father-So you're finding that married life can be difficult?

Daughter-Yes, but it would't be except for Ted. He won't listen to

Father-Why, the fool! Not every married man has the chance.-Montreal Star.

For Poisoned Wounds as Rusty Nail Wounds, Ivy Poisoning, etc. HANFORD'S BALSAM OF MYRRH oney back for first bottle if not suited. All dealers.

True to Form Spratt-Did you ever go to that

telephone girl's house?

Limpet-Oh, yes, after I'd called at the three wrong addresses she gave me.

Triumph of Civilization

The Homebody-How were the Borneo headhunters induced to give up that awful practice?

The Missionary-We persuaded them that imitation ivory was just as good as what they were getting.



AFTER **OPERATIONS**

"I was three times under an operation and I was very weak and nervous and could not eat. I suffered for ten years. I learned about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and my husband bought me a bottle. I felt a little better and he bought me two more. had the Compound in my home for two years and took it all the time. Now I feel strong and can do anything."—Mrs. A. Michalk, 5443 Mitchell Ave., Detroit, Michigan.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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OF INTEREST TO FARMERS

We are learning that we can go a long way toward overcoming the heavy losses in brooding chicks, due to diseases and intestinal parasites that arise from contact with con-taminated droppings. If the chicks are not allowed on the ground during the first three or four weeks of their life in the brooder. They must get out in the sun, of course, but to permit this and still not allow them to run on contaminated soil, there should be built in front of each brooder section or colony brooder house, a small latform the full width of the house and about six feet wide, the floor of which is of 4-inch-square mesh window wire stretched over substantial frames. Set boards around the sides with another wire over the top one-inch mesh wire over the top.
This furnishes a good sun porch.
The droppings fall through the wire
to the ground, where they can be
cleaned up. When the chicks are
three to six weeks old the porch three to six weeks old the porch can be removed and they can be given the run of the range. They go out on uncontaminated ground with every chance of resisting parasites and disease infection. A small outdoor mash hopper and a water fountain should be kept on the platform, in addition to those in the house, to encourage the chicks to come outdoors as much as possible.

WATCH FOR STAINED SEED A new color has been added to the galaxy of seed stains required by the federal act affecting all imported clover and alfalfa seed. Until recently only three colors have been used to identify foreign seed—purple for Canadian; red for Italian clover, Turkestan and African alfalfa and clover, and alfalfa seed of unknown foreign origin; and green nknown foreign origin; and green for all other imported clover and alfalfa seed. During the present season sharp-eyed buvers of seed may note a new color—orange red—used for the first time to designate alfalfa seed grown in South America.

Ten per cent of all alfalfa seed imported from South America must now, by official proclamation of the Secretary of Agriculture, be stained a distinctive orange red because extensive tests have revealed that it is unadapted for agricultural use in the New England, Middle Atlantic, Middle Western and Western states. Beware of the red stain in alfalfa seed—it is a sign of danger!

AUTOMATIC WATER SUPPLY
The mest costly operation in handling chicks during brooding and rearing is that of providing them with water. The water must be kept clean, fresh and within easy reach everywhere on the range. Carrying the water in pails to open containers is an unprofitable job. Each range, no matter how big or small, should be supplied with running water carried in ½-inch or ¾-inch pipes, laid underground to keep the water cool. A furrow can be made, the pipes laid and the ground laid back over the pipes. Fifteen or twenty feet from each colony house provide a riser coming about 18 inches above the ground, and to this attach an automatic wa-AUTOMATIC WATER SUPPLY and to this attach an automatic watering device. There are a number on these available, most of them patented appliances. They provide an unfailing supply of water, are relatively inexpensive and, where any number of chicks are being brooded, will be of real help.

KEEPING SOIL "FIT" Last year farmers brought more fertilizers than in many years. This increased use of fertilizer was a large factor in increasing crop production. The American farmer is learning gradually the lesson offered by the European farmer who spends more on fertilizer per acre than any other farmer in the world. Holland is continually enriching its soil, which makes possible the intensive methods of the country and puts it at the head of the list of nations in the crop yield per acre. Where the American farmer was inclined formerly to plant over a wide area of land of questionable fertility, he is coming to realize that with more intensive methods, proper fertilization, and greater attention to the culture of his fields, he can make more money with less labor and acreage and undergo less anxiety from plant

PLANT SOME SHRUBS The planting of shrubs or trees every year greatly increases the value of property as well as making the more home like in appearance. Elaborate plans are not necessary in order to make a farm home look more attractive, but all planting should be made with a definite object in mind. Often county agents have access to plans which will help make home beautification more effective. Other people like to work out their own plans so that their

diseases and frosts.

personal likes will be emphasized. Winter evenings are a good tire to draw up plans and order the shrubs or trees that will be needed for the plantings this coming spring. Home orchards, berry patches, strawberry beds should not be overlooked in the plans to make the farm home as attractive as pos-

PLAY THE GAME What can agriculture do to help itself? It is primarily a food producing industry. The world cannot live without food. Those engaged in food production, in furnishing an absolute necessary, if they were organized and went at their business in an intelligent way could make it one of the most satisfying enterprises in the world. So long as farmers remain strict individualists, however, so long as they refuse to work together for a common puropse, so long as each individual farmer considers himself a competitor of every other farmer and continues to work with that idea in mind, agriculture is not likely to prosper to

CONTROLLING GOPHERS Poisoning one pair of goohers this spring will be equal to killing six or more next fall. It is suggested that alfalfa growers give every infested field a thorough "once over" treat-ing with poisoned wheat as soon as ing with poisoned wheat as soon as the ground is dry enough to work. One bushel of strychnine poisoned wheat should kill 600 or more pocket gophers. On a basis of six gophers per acre one bushel of poisoned wheat should clean up 100 or more acres of infestation. Early spring is breeding and littering time for pocket gophers. Poisoning during early April will be most effective in controlling the 1929 gopher crop. Gopher mounds may be dragged down to preven, the killing of alfalfa manta by smothering

the extent it could if farmers would learn to co-operate with each other.

WHAT GIVES LAND VALUE The value of land is determined largely by what it can be made to return in profits. With prevailing systems of general farming labor, taxes and interest on the farm investment make up most of the cost of producing each acre of crops. These cost items can be influenced but little by the farm operator and the prices for the things he has to sell are fixed by conditions over which he has no control. These cost items are increased but little when larger yields per acre are produced larger yields per acre are produced as harvesting the extra produce is the principal item of increase. Soil treatments that raise crop yields more than their cost are the most effective means of increasing returns and raising the production value of the land.

THE NEW WEED KILLER THE NEW WEED KILLER
Extensive experiments have been made in the use of the new weed killer, sodium chlorate, which is quite effective against Canada thistle and quack-grass. The way to use this material is: Put the chlorate in water (one pound to the gallon) and spray the solution on the weeds when the flowers begin to open. One good application will kill a large share of these two weeds. Bindweed will give way to several applications. This spray is not poisonous to stock. This spray is not poisonous to stock. The sodium chlorate is inflammable. If you get any of the solution on your clothes, wash them before it dries, as it may ignite from friction. And don't drop the chlorate, for it is explosive.

FILLING SMALL DITCHES
If you are back-furrowing in
small erosion ditches, you are making a mistake, says a hill farmer
who knows his ditches, more soil for
the next rain to carry away. Better
not plow the ditches at all.
Here is a way to fill small
ditches: In winter, place forkfuls of
straw in the ditches, about 50 feet
apart. Then the snow comes, and

straw in the ditches, about 50 feet apart. Then the snow comes, and alternate freezing and thawing; the mass freezes fast. When rain water brings down silt, the silt settles behind the dams of straw, ice and earth, and by spring there is quite a filling. Get the strip seeded, and it is safe until the following winter, when another course of filling may be in order.

This works if you take care that neither the ditch nor the straw dam is too large.

WATCH HOGS' HEALTH Why is it that one man is able to realize 30 cents a bushel from corn realize 30 cents a bushel from corn fed to hogs of good breeding, while his neighbor realizes only 40 cents for corn of a similar grade fed to hogs of just as good quality? The answer may be different buildings, different methods of feeding, etc. And in a great many cases the lower return is due to intestinal parasites. Nobody should expect a hog sites. Nobody should expect a hog to put on weight when roundworms are using maybe half, maybe more, of the food. It's asking too much

of the hog. POTATOES FOR POULTRY Potatoes can displace corn in the ration for fattening poultry, Canadian tests show. In these tests the ration in which potatoes were substituted for corn was made up of squal parts of bran, middlings, oat flour and cornmeal, and onehalf part of meat meal. The potatoes used were culls, cooked and mashed with the mash, which was fed moltened with milk. Price should govern feeding potatoes in the fattening ration.

CONSERVE MOISTURE

In many orchards and gardens, the yield of fruit or vegetable is closely related to the available soil moisture. Early cultivation, almost as soon as the soil is free from frost, is the principal step in conserving moisture for the plants. Cultivation of the garden must be continued through the whole summer but may cease in the orchard about the middle of July when a cover crop is sown.

REPAIRING HARNESS

Fallure to keep harness properly repaired may result in a runaway. and no telling what the sum total of damages will be. The thing to do is mend all rips and breaks as soon as they are noticed. Replace worn parts with good new leather.

A sewing awl and a box of rivets are essential in keeping harness in repair. Watch for worn or broken snaps, buckles and rings, too.

ARE YOU FOR IT? Speaking of new laws, let us have one that will tax one-half of the dogs of the tate out of existence, another that will clear our highways of tramps, and another that will expel that other pest, the gunner, who robs the farmer without fear and without punishment.

GROW SOME BARLEY Barley is a crop requiring the same cultural practices as oats, and it fits in perfectly with our crop-ping system. It furnishes a grain possessing both feeding and marketing value. As a nurse crop for seeding clovers and alfalfa, it is entirely satisfactory.

THE CHIEF VALUE The value of testing cattle for tu-erculosis is not expressed in dollars and cents savings alone. A considerable percentage of tuberculosis in human beings, especially among children, is due to using infected milk or other dairy products from tubercular cows.

We should like to know which cows give blue milk. We shall recommend their extinction. A good deal of their product is sold to housekeepers.

After chicks are four or five days old, let them run out in the grass. If no grass is available, provide green food of some kind.

HALVING TESTING COST One of the handicaps in making officials records on purebred cattle is the cost of having a representative come from the state college each month to see the cow milked and weigh and test the milk. The American Jersey Cattle club made a series of investigations to see if this supervision could be reduced to once each two months without afthis supervision could be reduced to once each two months without affecting the accuracy of the record. They found in a total of 500 records the accuracy in testing each alternate month is within 1.21 per cent of monthly testing. As this would practically cut in two the cost of testing, they decided to adopt this as the standard way of making these records in the future. Ford's Plant in England.

From Manchester, (Eng.) Guardian. Last week Mr. Edsel Ford, Mr. Henry Ford's only son, cut the first sod on the site of the new works at Dagenham, in Essex.
This great enterprise, which has been talked of for years, has now begun, and about three years hence there will be in operation here the largest motor factory in Europe. Mr. Ford's intention is to manufacture at Dagenham all the various types of Ford cars necessary to supply the European and eastern markets.

There will be three very large factories - the plant, the assembling plant, and the foundry,—as well as blast-furnaces, coke owens, firehouse, and boilerhouse. The site covers 300 acres along the river, about 10 miles from London. It is excellently placed for transport and distribution. The Ford company state that when the works are in full production they will employ about 15,000 workpeople. Mr. Ford has announced that his Euglish employes will be relatively as well paid as those in America the difference in the cost of living in the two countries being borne in mind. It is estimated that the factory will need to produce something over 150,000 cars annually to satisfy the export trade alone, the total production of cars and commercial vehicles being very much larger. This will be the only place outside Detroit where all the manufacturing processes are carried on the other Ford establishments at Manchester, Cork, and on the continent being assembling factories. being assembling factories.

Since the war there has been great industrial development in this part of Essex, many factories this part of Essex, many factories having risen on the wind-swept flat lands on the fringe of East London. A few years ago the Dagennam Reach, where in the past so many attempts have been made to stem the tidal waters of the Thames, was an extremely remote and decelete such Great commote and desolate spot. Great concrete factories have been opened of late within reach of the modern Dagenham docks, and before very long industrial London will have spread out solidly to this point, and perhaps still lower down the river.

The housing of the thousands of workpeople who will be employed on the construction of the Ford works and in the factory is a difficult problem, but arrangements that have been made are expected to solve it. The London pected to solve it. The London county council is carrying out a county council is carrying out a housing scheme at Dagenham and have just decided to build an additional 1.500 houses. A Cardiff firm is to put up 1.500 more, and the local authority another 400. There is a good deal of unemployment in the district which will be relieved by the Ford which will be relieved by the Ford

A large company of people in-terested in the motor industry was present when young Mr. Ford cut the sod on what is now a piece of waste ground close to the river. He made a short speech, in the course of which he said: "I hope that our establishment here will help to bring about the relationships between the United States and England which we are so and England which This developanxious to have. ment is very near to our hearts in America, and we hope that we shall see progress from now on in very rapid way."

> The Answer of Youth. From Los Angeles Times.

One of many answers of modern youth to the indictment of it which has been voiced in so many circles was given last night in Washington, when eight contestants from as many parts of the United States displayed an astonishing knowledge of the nature and ideals of our form of government. These eight were picked by a process of elimination from 2,200,000 original entrants in the national oratorical contest on the United States constitution. The fact that they were considered as standing at the top among Ameri-ca's young orators is not so significant as the fact that an all important subject, if democratic government is to endure, was given de-tailed study, serious study, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from the lakes to the gulf, from the metropolis to the crossroads, and that the effect of this study must everywhere have aroused an interest in the sci-

ence of government. To the national champion selected last night, Ben Swafford of Kansas City, the Times, in common with other newspaper sponsors of this great contest, offers its hearty congratulations and best wishes for success in the international contest take place next October. But the same congratulations should be ex-tended to every contestant, no matter how humble or how far from the top in national ranking, for each has 70n something of solid and lasting value, a better understanding of how organized society conducts its affairs, and why.

Q. Please give the five largest municipal parks in the order of their size, J. W. C.

A. The five largest municipal parks lying within the boundaries of the municipality are: Fairmount Philadelphia, 3,881 acres; Griffith park, Los Angeles, 3.751 acres; Bidwell park, Chico, Cal., 2.391 acres; Pelham Park Bay, New York, 1,756 acres; Rock Creek park, Washington, D. C., 1,632 acres. The five largest municipally owned parks lying outside of the boundaries of the municipality are: Mountain park, Phoenix, Ariz., 15,080 acres; Thompson park, Butte, Mont. 2,520 acres; Lake Worth park, Ft. Worth, Tex., 2,779 acres; White Rock park, Dallas, Tex., 2,500 acres; Mohawk park, Tulsa, Okla., 2,200

Q. Having no food, would a person keep alive longer on wine or water? C. T.

A. The public health service says that a person can live longer on water than on wine, because wine unless diluted with water would not satisfy his thirst.

"This is a hard world," said Pat, as he knocked off for the day.
"Yes," said Mike, "Oi be thinking the same ivery toime I put me pick into it."

Q. What caused the pottery and statuary of ancient cities to be buried? M. G.

A. The burial of pottery and statuary of ancient cities has resulted from various circumstances. In many cases the city has merely decayed from age and collapsed. Destruction by war has been a frequent cause. Natural events, such as earth-quakes and storms, etc., have also played an important part.



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Larks for Hawaii

The Hawaiian islands are not as rich in bird and animal life as the mainland of North America, according to a bulletin of the American Game Protective association. There are many species of interest and value, but Americans who have adopted Hawail as their homes have missed the American meadow lark; consequently, arrangements have been made for the shipment of 50 pairs of Oregon meadow larks to the Hawaiian Islands. The lark is desired in Hawaii not alone for its cheerful and beautiful song, but for its economic usefulness in destroying insect pests.

Bobby's Defense

"I've a notion to spank you for that," said Bobby's mother as she watched him crush a worm under his

"Well, mother, that's the only way I could keep that bird from gittin' it. I gave the worm a chance to get away, but it wouldn't go. I told it to hide, but it wouldn't listen to nothin' I said." was Bobby's defense.

Medical Service at Sea

The Public Health service says that the great majority of the 10,000 merchant vessels registered by the Department of Commerce do not carry medical officers. Ship's officers are required, however, to know medical first-aid principles. Ships now often radio to marine hospitals for medical advice.

Wasted Time

"Unheard of! I bargained with Meier on the telephone for 20 minutes and then he called me a cheat and a "Yes, he might just as well have

said it at once and been done with it." -Vienna Faun.

Women have the understanding of the heart which is better than that of the head .- Rogers.



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Horses Have Smile Coming

Horses might laugh if they could read the time tables of moders highspeed motor busses in Paris. Traffic congestion is blamed, but it is true that the slow-going horses made almost as good speed as the six-wheeled gasoline craft that replaced them. On two of the routes across town the time tables of the busses is just 15 per cent faster than that of borses a genera-

She'll Havta Learn

Husband-I say, Alice, d'you know where the deuce my shaving brush is? Wife-Oh, my dear, I'm so sorry. I used it yesterday to enamel over the bath. You'll find it in a jampot of turpentine down in the kitchen .-Passing Show.

That man has the fewest wants who is the least anxious for wealth .- Publius Syrus.



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