

Shock

"At the restaurant the other night George asked Miss Wrink how she would like a little wild duck." "What did she answer?"

"She changed color, and said, 'Oh! this is so sudden!' and fainted.'

# LEMON JUICE IS

CHEAP HOME-MADE BEAUTY LO-TION TO REMOVE TAN, FRECK-LES, SALLOWNESS.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin whitener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a ane cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach a darkened skin and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of erchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to whiten rough, red hands.-Adv.

As Father Does.

Two small boys were arguing over some trivial matter when one of them said: "I'll betcha I'm right." The other boy said he would not bet, as it was wrong, and this statement led to another discussion, one youngster insisting that there was no harm in betting and the other that there was,

The boy who was advocating betting talked so loud that he attracted his mother, and she, like all good mothers, tried to tell him that it was wrong to gamble on anything.

"Well, daddy does," was the boy's reply, "cause when he came home with that Liberty bond he said it was a \$50 bet with the kaiser that he would lose the war."

Sterilize Drinking Glasses. Drinking restaurants, at soda fountains and other places must be washed five minutes in boiling water containing a 5 per cent solution of lye, according to regulations promulgated by the California state board of health for the enforcement of the law governing the sterilization of drinking utensils.-The New American Woman.

Important. "The turnover is vital to successful

merchandising."

"In that case," said the baker, "maybe I'd better put more turnovers in the oven."--Louisville Courier-Journal.

Quite a Record. The Gulf stream is more rapid than the Amazon, more impetuous than the Missisippi, and its volume more than



A Conserving Food

The recognized value

## **Grape-Nuts**

as a "saving" food for these serious times, rests upon real merit.

Unlike the ordinary cereal Grape-Nuts requires no sugar, little milk or cream, and requires no cooking or other preparation in serving.

A trial is well worth while for those who sincerely desire to save.

"There's a Reason"

YOUNG NEBRASKANS EXPECTED TO DOUBLE GARDEN CROPS.

Offers Chance to Help Uncle Sam and Remunerates Worker - Many Towns Take Up Work.

of the agricultural extension service corn out of the state at prices above they are asked to double that amount not done, to the detriment of their and make it \$60,000. And they are community. going to do it, too, for the agriculevery boy and girl in the state to too earnestly urged upon our people. farm from one-half to one acre of

working in co-operation with the jun- vigorously brought to the attention for section of the extension service of our people, the Nebraska State have already signified their intention Council of Defense accepted the recof hiring paid supervisors to advise ommendation of the seed stocks comand assist the young gardeners in ev- mittee and raised the embargo. ery way. Among the larger towns of the state which have already taken up the work are Lincoln, Fremont, Hastings, Grand Island, Columbus, Holdrege, Norfolk, Scottsbluff, Alliance, men have sent an appeal to Food Ad-Ashland, York, Aurora, Auburn and ministrator Hoover asking that the Fullerton. Scores of towns in Ne government do something to relieve listing every vacant lot that can be litation of packers' profits and the abfarmed. In practically every case the olition of meatless days, temporarily. any young person who will agree to ernment is conserving the meat sup-

Defense met last Thursday to consid-YOUTHS TO BO SHARE or the question of raising the embargo which had existed up until that time in Nebraska on shipments of seed corn from the several Nebraska countles to each other and also outside of the state.

After careful investigation it decided to recommend to the Council of Defense the lifting of the embargo. EXTENSION SERVICE AIDING Several County Defense Councils and Agricultural Agents report conditions Several County Defense Councils and which they believe warranted a continuance of the embargo on account of local peculiarities. In such cases it was suggested that vigorous action be taken so that the use of old and new stocks of corn suitable for seed in their locality be had.

It was reported that selfish holders Lincoln.-Last year Nebraska boys were waiting for the embargo to be and girls working under the direction lifted so that they could ship their contributed \$30,000 worth of fresh that made by the State Council of Devegetables as their part toward win- fense. In such cases the local comning Uncle Sam's war. This year mittees should see to it that this is

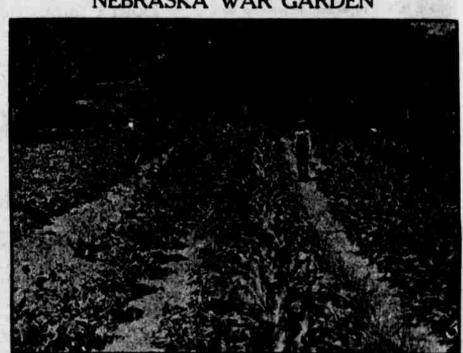
The extreme seriousness of the seed tural extension service of the state corn situation and the imperative neuniversity is whipping plans into cessity of every farmer securing an shape which will make it possible for abundance of good seed, cannot be

The seed corn campaign having been waged for several months in the One hundred towns in the state state and the urgency of the question

### Stockmen Seek Relief.

Lincoln.-Nebraska cattle and hog braska already have made a survey, the stock situation in this state. Limschool authorities will be only too at least, are asked for in the teleglad to assign one of these plots to gram. "The trouble is that the govply of the country and yet has not The best thing about this plan is ships enough to send it abroad," is the that every boy and girl besides help-way officers of the state live stock ing the country, will get all of the breeders' association size up the sit-

### NEBRASKA WAR GARDEN



Patch of beets, sweet corn and onions developed with a system of scientific intercropping by a Washington county youth. This garden was located at Blair, and is a good illustration of what can be accomplished by boys and girls of this state.

Unlike many patriotic activities, there won't let us cat it at home. The reis no expense connected with it, un- sult is that prices are sagging and less, perhaps, the cost of seed. The feeders are losing money." extension service will send complete instructions on making the garden and handling it successfully during the summer months. Practical business experience will be given the children. Every boy or girl starting a Orchard. He used one and a half garden under the plan will keep an bushels of buckwheat last June in ceived from vegetables which are \$175 worth of flour from it. Mr. sold. All working time put in on the Woodfill figures that it is a good crop garden will be figured by the children for that part of the state, since it can at ten cents an hour to be deducted be put in after the other crops are from the gross income before the profits are determined. Just to show what can be done along this line, one boy living near Scottsbluff, Neb., made nearly \$400 last season in clear profit. His war garden occupied less than an acre. His income was \$436.77, and his expenses were \$46.95. This garden was under the government irrigation ditch and perhaps affords an exceptional record, partment of Labor announced, are hin-In many Nebraska towns this sum place workers on the farms. Less mer children's markets will be held talk about the shortage and more of what they raise.

is desirous of enlisting 15,000 boys wants hands may obtain an applicaand girls in the project this summer. tion blank from his postmaster, rural Those desiring to receive the bulletins and instructions should address will put him in touch with the de-Junior Section. Agricultural Exten partment. sion Service, Lincoln, Neb.

Lift Embargo On Seed Corn.

money he or she can make out of it. uation. "They can't get it abroad and

Good War Crops.

Crab Orchard. - Buckwhert and beans have proved two good war crops for F. A. Woodfill of Crab account book showing just what is re- sowing a patch and to date has sold sown and brings a tidy income. Mr. Woodfill also raised navy beans last year, securing seed from the agricultural extension service, and found a market for all that he could produce.

### Urged to Make Known Wants.

Washington. - Exaggerated reports of shortages of farm labor, the Debut it illustrates what can be done. dering efforts of the government to where the boys and girls can sell the methods by which farmers can make known their needs, was sug-The agricultural extension service gested as a remedy. Any farmer who carrier or county farm agent, which

Keeps Trousers in Shape.

A New York tailor is the inventor Lincoln.—The seeds stock commit- of a device that prevents trousers tee of the National government and bagging at the knees by pulling them also of the Nebraska State Council of up slightly as a wearer sits down.

Favors Closing Some Enterprises. Lincoln.-Women and school boys will never solve the question of additional labor on the farm, according to Prof. H. C. Filley of the department of farm management of the Nebraska university. "We must get farm labor from some source or production will animals. There are fifty different be imeded," he says. "In every city shapes of heads, says Popular Science are thousands of men who were farm Monthly, and over forty different aniraised and thousands of others accus- mal and human faces have been tomed to heavy work. These men counted. The rock out of which the can be made available for the farm hoodoos have been carved by Dame by shutting down unnecessary enter- Nature is what is known as volcanic prises," declared the professor.

Nature's Great Hoodoo Temple.

In the Hoodo basin of western Wyoming are curious formations which resemble Punch and Judy heads, grim savages, simpering old malds, monkeys, rabbits, birds and breccia.

# Swift & Company Publicity

At a recent hearing of the Federal Trade Commission there was introduced correspondence taken from the private files of Swift & Company, which showed that the Company had been considering for some time an educational advertising campaign.

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For the fiscal year 1917 the total sales and net profit of Swift & Company were as follows:

Sales \$875,000,000. **Profits** 

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This is equivalent to a \$3,465. profit on a business of \$87,500.



If Swift & Company had made no profit at all, the cattle raiser would have received only one-eighth of a cent per pound more for his cattle, or the consumer would have saved only one-quarter of a cent per pound on dressed beef.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

### MAKE MOST OF LOCOMOTIVES

Part of Wisdom to Increase Serviceability of Old Ones-New Engines Unobtainable.

"Now that new locomotives cannot be obtained within any reasonable time," says Rallway Review, in discussing the country's need for additional transportation, "It is the part of wisdom to make the most of those whose servicability can be increased 10, 25 or 50 per cent. Money spent in this way begins to earn money and to smooth out the situation quickly."

### KIDNEY TROUBLE OFTEN **CAUSES SERIOUS BACKACHE**

When your back aches, and your bladder and kidneys seem to be disordered, go to your nearest drug store and get a bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. It

is a physician's prescription for ailments of the kidneys and bladder. It has stood the test of years and has a reputation for quickly and effectively giving results in thousands of cases.

This preparation so very effective, has been placed on sale everywhere. Get a bottle, medium or large size, at your nearest druggist.

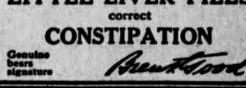
However, if you wish first to test this preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

Better Than His Press Agent. "George Washington was a most truthful man." "I have always thought so. An evi-

dence of his truthfulness is the fact that he never gave any personal indorsement whatever to that cherry tree

Slim Encouragement. He-I've a notion to propose to you. She-Please do. I'm trying for a record.—Buffalo News.

### As Age Advances the Liver Requires CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS



Colorless or Pale Faces usually indicate the absence of Iron in a condition which will be greatly belped by Carter's Iron Pills

Not So Foolish.

emption board shrugged their shoulders explically when a young man are Suddenly Jones mentioned Brownders cynically when a young man ap peared before them limping conspicuously and asked for exemption on the grounds of physical disability.

"Fell down on the ice and hurt yourself, I suppose," one of them sug-

"No," said the candidate, flushing, prise: "I lost one leg at the battle of the Somme.

Then there was a large silence .-New York Tribune.

Too Much.

conversation when the former, who has been none too successful of late. York Evening Post. exclaimed gloomily:

"People will praise my work after I

"Well," said the actor, in a consoling tone, perhaps you are right, but girls dress up, all right." don't you think it's a great deal of sacrifice to make for a little praise?" -Everybody's Magazine.

Doubtless.

Thief-Gimme that watch. Victim-I would, old fellow, but I really can't spare the time.

The members of a certain local ex- They had been discussing friends

"Oh, he's a fine chap!" broke out Clarke enthusiastically. "He's the most wonderful man I know!" Jones looked startled at the great

outburst of praise and asked in sur-"Indeed! How do you make that

"Well," explained Clarke, "before he got a motorcar he promised the usual number of people that he would take them out for runs. And," he continued, A playwright and an actor were in in tones of awe, "he actually kept his promise to every one of them."-New

> Never Falls. "The hostess said the affair was to

be strictly informal." "That makes the

"Riches have wings." "They need

em to keep up with the cost of living." -Detroit Free Press.

England now has more than 4,775,-000 women wage earners.

# How to Make Oatmeal Bread

Healthful to Eat-Saves the Wheat

Sift together flour, corn meal, salt, baking powder and sugar. Add catment, melted shortening and milk. Bake in greated shallow pan in moderate oven 40 to 45 minutes.

This wholesome bread is easily and quickly made with the aid of

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