



THE SPRING DRIVE

Our boys are going "Over the top" and into "No man's land" this spring. No one has any doubt of their ability to get there.



Kill Dandruff and Itching with Cuticura

New Hampshire was the first state to establish a railroad commission.

How's This?

We offer \$100.00 for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

Their First Mention.

Bobby, for once, expressed great interest in the sermon. "Fancy flying machines being mentioned in the Bible?" he said.

Lost Opportunity.

"What's the matter, Henpeck, you look as if you had not slept last night?"

As Father Does.

Two small boys were arguing over some trivial matter when one of them said: "Till betcha I'm right."

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."



A Conserving Food

The recognized value of Grape-Nuts

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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"

The KITCHEN CABINET

They have been at a great feast of languages and stolen the scraps.

GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.

In the spring time green things appeal to the appetite, we need them as blood purifiers and various combinations may be used to lend variety.

ONION SALAD.

Scoop out the centers from three Spanish onions that have been peeled. Fill each with highly seasoned chicken, sausage or meat or nuts or bread crumbs and butter and salt and pepper.

Oatmeal Bread.—Take two cupsful of oatmeal, one-half cupful of molasses, two teaspoonfuls of salt over this pour a pint of boiling water.

Codfish, the dried variety may make a most palatable main dish. Soak the fish and cook carefully not to break it, then drain carefully and let it simmer in a drawn butter sauce.

Onions are delicious baked in their skins then peel them, season with butter, pepper and salt or cream, or if desired in a white sauce.

Onions are also delicious stuffed with sausage, and baked, basting during the baking with the fat and some water.

Every particle of vegetable water not used as sauce for the vegetable when serving it, should be saved. Add it to the soup kettle, if potato water, use it to stew meat or soup meat.

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What's one man's poison, signor, is another's meat or drink.—Beaumont and Fletcher.

A small cheer and great welcome makes a merry feast.—Shakespeare.

SEASONABLE DISHES.

Small bits of chicken which are too small to serve in other ways may be used in croquettes or in combination with other meats in various dishes.

Chicken Souffle.—Mince a cupful of chicken very fine add a cupful of white sauce, a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, salt, pepper and onion juice to taste; add the beaten yolks of three eggs.

Cornmeal Apple Pudding.—Take one-half cupful of sugar, a pint of fresh wash, two well-beaten eggs, a half cupful of milk, one pint of chopped tart apple.

Tomatoes With Chipped Beef.—Brown a little sweet fat and lay in sliced ripe tomatoes, rolled in seasoned flour; season with salt, pepper and cayenne; brown well on both sides; sprinkle a little chopped onion over each slice.

Asparagus Leaf.—Take two cupsful of cooked asparagus, add two-thirds of a cupful of cracker crumbs and one cupful of cream.

Codfish Rolls.—Mix together mashed potato and shredded codfish, season with butter, pepper, salt and form into rolls the size of the thumb and three inches long.

Tomato Sauce.—Take one pint of tomatoes, four tablespoonfuls of fat, a half an onion finely chopped, two tablespoonfuls of corn starch, one-half teaspoonful of salt, and one-eighth of a teaspoonful of pepper.

Fish Croquettes.—Take one and three-fourths cupful of fish, one cupful of cream sauce and one egg.

When making milk toast add a half cupful of good flavored grated cheese to it when serving.

O, hour of all hours, the most blessed' upon earth, Blessed hour of our dinners.—Meredith.

EARLY SPRING SALADS AND GREENS.

Before it is warm enough to do any outside gardening in the states where frost is found five months of the year, a small shallow box which may serve as a window box in the summer may be used.

Before the first leaf of the dandelion puts forth its head, cover a patch of the plants with boards, so that the crisp white leaves may be served fresh as a salad.

Mint is an early arrival and may be hurried in a sheltered sunny spot. A few of the first green buds finely minced and steeped in hot vinegar with a small amount of sugar is a most delicious sauce to serve with lamb.

Watercress is another green that is most wholesome. When one is fortunate enough to live near a brook where it may be gathered often it should be a frequent salad.

Milk weed when it first comes up in the spring rivals asparagus and the poke grown in the southern states is another welcome green vegetable.

Do as adversaries do in war: strive mightily, but eat and drink as friends.

A merry heart goes all the day.—Shakespeare.

TEMPTING DISHES.

The parsnip is a most tasty dish and may be varied in several ways.

If the sweet flavor is objectionable to any, the water may be removed during the boiling adding fresh water, then drain, mash and season well with butter, salt and pepper.

Carrot Loaf.—Take one cupful each of finely ground carrots, milk, boiled rice, ground peanuts, or six ounces of chopped round steak, one egg, one cupful of bread crumbs, a fourth of a cupful of rice water, two tablespoonfuls of minced pepper, three tablespoonfuls of minced suet or pork, a tablespoonful of onion juice and one-half teaspoonful each of salt and mustard.

Chicken Jelly.—Cover the bones of the fowl and bits of left-over meat with a quart of water; simmer for several hours, then strain, and pour into a mold.

Creole Sauce.—Take one-fourth cupful each of flour and mushrooms, two tablespoonfuls of chopped onion, a fourth of a cupful of condensed tomato, seven ripe olives, a fourth of a cupful of butter and one and a half cupfuls of water.

Closing Hot Water Bottles. The hot water bottle will not leak at the mouth if the stopper be screwed in cold immediately after the bag has been filled.

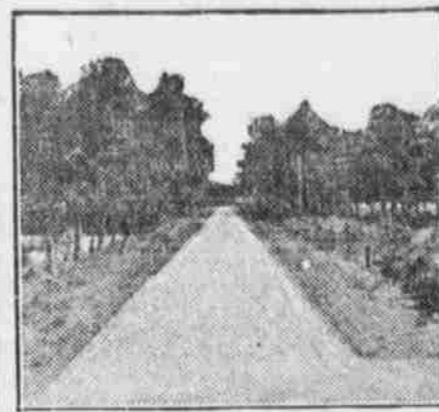
Determine Type of Culvert. The size of the culvert and the type of structure should be determined by careful investigation.

PUBLIC ROADS

GOOD ROADS IN CONNECTICUT

State Superintendent of Repairs Directs All Work Through Maintenance Organization.

(By E. B. HOUSE, Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins, Colo.) Connecticut places the maintenance of her roads under an officer known as the superintendent of repairs.



Permanent Road in Connecticut.

their entire time to the repair and maintenance of the roads in their section. If an emergency comes, ten or fifteen men are placed under a foreman for repair work.

COMPANY TAKES OVER ROAD

Virginia Legislature Grants Charter to Private Concern to Operate Old Highway.

The legislature of Virginia has granted a charter to an association known as the Warrenton and Fairfax Turnpike company, Inc., which will take over the old Alexandria-Warrenton pike, to grade and resurface the road and operate it as a tollroad until the state wishes to take it back.

IMPROVEMENT BY ROAD DRAG

Farmer Can Be Convinced of Effectiveness by Use of Implement After Each Rain.

If you are not one of the fortunate ones with a good macadam or even concrete road in front of your place, you can make a good road of it if drainage has been attended to by the use of the road drag.

OUTLINES GOOD ROADS PLAN

Opening of Forty-Mile Boulevard in Canada First Step in System of Improved Highways.

The new concrete highway between Toronto and Hamilton, Ontario, was opened recently. The premier of Ontario announced at the opening that the 40-mile boulevard between the two cities was only the first step in a great system of improved highways throughout the whole of Ontario.

GOOD ROADS ARE ESSENTIAL

Better Highways Must Be Secured to Make It Possible to Consolidate the Schools.

Back of the whole country school problem looms the road question. You can't have better schools without better roads. Better roads must be secured to make it possible to centralize and consolidate the schools.

Plan Size of Culvert. The size of the culvert to be placed depends upon the amount of water to be taken care of, but no less than a 12-inch pipe is recommended.

Feed Calf Skim Milk. If one has an abundance of skim milk it is well to feed the calf six or eight months.

Five Bottles Peruna Restored Me To Complete Health



I Have Been In The Best Of Spirits Since, And Feel That I Owe My Health To Peruna

Mr. C. N. Petersen, dealer in fine boots, shoes and cigars, 132 S. Main St., Council Bluffs, Ia., writes: "I cannot tell you how much good Peruna has done me. Constant confinement in my store began to tell on my health and I felt that I was gradually breaking down.

Our booklet, telling you how to keep well, free to all. The Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio.

As Age Advances the Liver Requires occasional slight stimulation.



CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS correct CONSTIPATION

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

Talks Too Much.

"Sir, you do me a great wrong to call me an addicapee. You have no scientific instrument for gauging my brain power."

BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

will quiet your cough, soothe the inflammation of a sore throat and lungs, stop irritation in the bronchial tubes, insuring a good night's rest, free from coughing and with easy expectoration in the morning.

From Way Back.

Country Uncle—Gosh! What is that there thing? City Niece—A folding bed, uncle. Country Uncle—Then I'll camp out on the floor. I could never sleep standin' up.

PREPAREDNESS.

Prepare for next washday by taking home Red Cross Ball Blue. Ask any good grocer. Red Cross Ball Blue imparts a clear white; makes you smile when you see the basket of beautiful, snowy white clothes.

More Data Wanted.

He (after the proposal)—I'm getting \$2,000 a year. Now, dearest, what is the least you think you can live on yearly? She—Well, how much credit can you get?—Boston Transcript.

These days it is not always necessary for a fellow to be an out-and-out German spy to deserve hanging.

It takes Congress to settle a strike, but an unruly stomach is subdued by Garfield Tea.

If a man would have a good mother-in-law it is up to him to make good.

Advertisement for Doan's Kidney Pills, featuring a parrot illustration and text: "Nervousness and nerve pains often come from weak kidneys. Many a person who worries over irlces and is troubled with neuralgia, rheumatic pains and backache would find relief through a good kidney remedy."

Advertisement for Fletcher's Castoria, featuring a signature illustration and text: "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."

Advertisement for Parker's Hair Balm, featuring a woman's face illustration and text: "PARKER'S HAIR BALM A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair."

Advertisement for Doan's Kidney Pills, featuring a parrot illustration and text: "A Nebraska Case Mrs. G. F. Sanford, Minden, Neb., says: 'I was laid up in bed from kidney trouble and was getting worse, although I was taking medicine all the time. Then I bought Doan's Kidney Pills and in one week my back and hips were terrible. My head ached and I had binding in my chest. Doan's Kidney Pills put me on my feet and continued use cured me so completely I have never suffered since.'"

Advertisement for 1916 Seed Corn, featuring a corn illustration and text: "Field, grass, garden seeds and pure bred poultry. Free book. AYE BROS., Box 20, BLAIR, NEBR. Seed Corn Center of the World."

Advertisement for Nebraska Directory, featuring text: "NEBRASKA DIRECTORY THE PAXTON HOTEL Omaha, Nebraska EUROPEAN PLAN Rooms from \$1.00 up single, 75 cents up double. CAFE PRICES REASONABLE"

Advertisement for Kodak Finishing, featuring text: "KODAK FINISHING and supplies. Largest house in the west. All Eastman goods. We pay return postage on finishing. THE ROBERT DEMPSTER CO., 1813 Farnam Street Omaha, Neb."

Advertisement for Guaranteed Tires, featuring text: "GUARANTEED TIRES ONE HALF PRICE 2000 Miles Guaranteed 30x3 87.75; 30x3 88.75; 32x3 91.25; 32x4 112.50; 34x4 131.25; 35x4 151.50 Write us today for particulars"

Advertisement for Dyers, featuring text: "DYERS BEST BUYERS-SELLERS OF CATTLE HOGS-SHEEP STOCK YARDS-OMAHA DROG & CO"

Advertisement for Hat Cleaned and Blocked, featuring a hat illustration and text: "Have Your Stetson or Panama Hat CLEANED and BLOCKED by Skilled Hatters Send in your old hat by mail."

Advertisement for PISO'S, featuring a person illustration and text: "STOP YOUR COUGHING No need to let that cough persist. Stop the irritation, and remove tickling and hoarseness, by relieving the inflamed throat with PISO'S"