

## HOME SWEET HOME

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Best  
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## HOME HOWLS

HAVE YOU SENT US A HOME HOWL? IF NOT, WHY NOT? HERE'S ONE FROM H.H. AUBURN. NEARLY HENRY DON'T FORGET TO MAIL THAT LETTER!

SPECIALLY WRITTEN  
FOR RURAL READERS

INFORMATION ABOUT AGRICULTURAL SUBJECTS FROM  
RELIABLE SOURCES

If I had started with a few purebred cows 30 years ago I would have something that I would be proud of now rather than a lot of nondescript animals. This remark was made to a representative of the United States Department of Agriculture by a livestock owner 75 years old. That even this age is not too late to make a beginning is shown by the fact that he is a believer in purebred sires, and his herd, though not purebred, contains some Holstein cows.

The University of Nebraska Agricultural College has been sending out a blue print of a community type hog house which has given extremely good satisfaction during the past two years. This hog house is constructed of clay tile and stands north and south with an alleyway through the center. Two sets are used, 24' and 20'. The 20' house has a 4' alley and 8' pens while the 24' house has an 8' alleyway and 8' pens on either side. The floor is constructed of clay tile covered with cement and 2 rows of roof windows are provided on each side for sunlight. The price of these plans is \$45, which cover the cost of blue print paper and postage.

For those who prefer the east and west type half monitor house, a plan has been prepared showing the proper placing of the windows to place the sunlight in the pens on the first of March.

In nearly every poultry yard there are a great number of small weak pullets during the month of September.

This undesirable condition with the pullets has been caused largely by weak breeding stock, late hatching, and improper food. Regardless of what steps are taken at this time it will be impossible to mature the poorest of these pullets in time to come into egg production before next spring, but with proper food and care a great number of these can be hastened into egg production.

Dry mash is necessary for best results. There are many good mash feeds on the market. The University of Nebraska Agricultural College is using and recommending the following dry mash.

100 pounds bran.  
100 pounds corn meal.  
100 pounds shorts.  
100 pounds finely ground oats.  
100 pounds meat scraps or a good grade of tankage.

Sour milk is an excellent addition to the ration. One hundred hens will consume about three gallons per day. This amount of sour milk will replace about one-half the meat scraps or tankage.

Conserves are combinations of fruits whose flavor blend, preserved with sugar and served as a "spread". Nuts and raisins are usually added to increase the food value and palatability. When nuts are used, they should be added 5 minutes before removing from the fire. Very satisfactory results may be obtained by substituting white corn syrup for one-half the amount of sugar in preserves. When the supply of preserves has run out in the spring, very good preserves may be made with dried fruits and with rhubarb.

**Grape Conserve:** 5 pounds grape, 4 pounds sugar, grated rind of 1/2 orange, juice of 2 medium sized oranges. 1 pound seeded raisins, one pound chopped English Walnuts. Wash and stem the grapes. Separate skins from pulp. The skins may be run thru a food chopper before cooking. Cook them until tender. Cook pulp and put thru a sieve to remove seeds. Cook fruit except raisins with them the last ten minutes. If this is done the mixture does not stick as readily. Add nuts five minutes before

removing from fire. Cook until mixture jellies.  
**Plum Conserve:** 1 square basket blue plums. 2 medium oranges, juice and grated rind. 1/2 pound raisins, 1/2 pound of nuts, sugar. Cut plums, remove seeds, and cook until tender in a very small amount of water. Measure pulp, and add an equal amount of sugar. Add raisins the last ten minutes, and nuts the last 5 minutes before removing from the fire. Cook until thick.

## IT WAS GOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Damsler and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rayhorn, and son Kenneth, motored to North Platte last Thursday to attend the annual Illinois reunion picnic. They report a wonderful time and hope that next year every man or woman of the community born in Illinois, or that has lived there for five years or more will attend and see and greet old friends.—Sutherland Courier.

"People are finally coming to think of the automobile dealer just as they do of the merchant selling other lines", says J. V. Romigh. "Folks want local responsibility for whatever they buy, whether it be a dress pattern, a kitchen range, or an automobile. They want to feel that somebody right here in town is willing and able to guarantee that they will like what they get."

"Folks like to shop for the new car, too. They come in and look and inquire and familiarize themselves with the proposition before attempting a decision. We have long made it a custom to welcome shoppers here, and to tell them all we know about automobiles and all the new Dodge models."

Mystic pearls are considered the highest quality on the market. Come in and see our beautiful line. Dixon the Jeweler.

## NOTICE!

In the District Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

Mearl E. Jacox, Plaintiff,

vs.  
Jones, wife of Joseph T. Jones, deceased, her first, real, and true name unknown, Cora True, True, her husband, his first, real and true name unknown, Ed Miller, Miller, his wife, her first, real and true name unknown, Will Jones, Jones, his wife, her first, real and true name unknown, Ward Jones, Jones, his wife, her first, real and true name unknown, Walter Jones, Jones, his wife, her first, real and true name unknown, Joseph Jones, Jones, his wife, her first, real and true name unknown, Frank Jones, Jones, his wife, her first, real and true name unknown, Flora Stewart, Stewart, her husband, his first, real and true name unknown, their respective heirs, devisees, legatees, and personal representatives, all other persons interested in the estate of Joseph T. Jones, deceased, and all other persons claiming any interest of any kind in the following described premises, to-wit: The Southwest Quarter (SW1/4) of Section Nine (9), Township Eleven (11), Range Twenty-Six (26), Lincoln County, Nebraska, against the above defendants, the object and prayer of which is to quiet title to the plaintiff to the following described premises to-wit: The Southwest Quarter (SW1/4) of Section Nine (9), Township Eleven (11), Range Twenty-Six (26), Lincoln County, Nebraska. The plaintiff prays that the defendant be required to set out their claims and that in the event they fail to do so that they be forever barred therefrom and that the plaintiff be declared owner of said premises. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 30th day of October 1922.

Dated this 14th day of September, 1922.  
Mearl E. Jacox, Plaintiff,  
By D. E. Harper, His Att'y.

## SON OF NORTH PLATTE BLACK-SMITH IS NOW A COLLEGE PRESIDENT

The following clipping from the Lafayette (Indiana) Courier tells of the success of one of Lincoln county's sons. He is Dr. Edward Elliott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliott, the father, was for many years employed in the local shops of the Union Pacific and is now a retired pensioner of that system. Here is the item: "Dr. Edward Charles Elliott, new president of Perdue University, formally assumed charge of the executive affairs of the University Saturday at a called meeting of the board of trustees. There were no formal ceremonies in connection with the event as the installation exercises will be arranged for a later date. Acting president Marshall simply turned over the presidency to his successor and wished him well in his new field of effort. President Elliott expressed himself as greatly pleased with his reception and with the prospects for a successful administration. Perdue's new president is a self-made man and comes to Perdue, recognized as one of the leading educators and college executives of the country. Born in Chicago, Dec. 21, 1874. Dr. Elliott's parents moved to the frontier town of North Platte, Nebr. when he was a year old. His father was a blacksmith and "a good one" as Dr. Elliott puts it. The son finished the school work offered in North Platte and in 1895 was graduated from the University of Nebraska, with the degree of bachelor of science. After teaching chemistry in the University for two years during which time he worked out his master's degree he went to Leadville, Colorado to teach in the high school where his ability as an executive was quickly recognized and he was made superintendent of schools, desiring more university work he went to Europe and attended the University of Jena, returning to enter Columbia university from which he obtained his doctor's degree in 1905. For the next two years he was associate professor of education there, resigning in 1907 to become professor of education and later director of the school of education of the university of Wisconsin. Feb. 1, 1916 he resigned to become chancellor of the University of Montana which position he left to come to Perdue. While in the western state he had charge of a \$3,000,000 building program for the four state educational institutions including the construction of fifteen buildings."

## DO YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR PROPERTY?

We are looking for a large demand for to buy and rent North Platte, property within the next sixty days, and as we have sold all of our most desirable houses listed with us in the last forty days. We are desirous of getting a larger listing of good homes to sell at prices that will move them. If you wish to sell or rent your property see us as we have customers for the purchase of good property and desirable renters.

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## TRULY MARVELS OF NATURE

Immense Trees in Calaveras Grove, California, Worth Trip Across Country to See.

One of the most interesting sight-seeing places in California for the nature lover is Calaveras grove, famous for the grandeur and age of its big trees. The grove is privately owned and is in a small valley near the head waters of the San Antonio, at an elevation of 4,702 feet. In the grove are ten trees, each 30 feet in diameter and more than seventy trees between 15 and 30 feet in diameter.

One of the trees, now down, "the father of the forest," must have been 450 feet high and 40 feet in diameter, according to a New York Times writer. In 1853 one of the largest trees, 92 feet in circumference and over 300 feet high, was cut down. Five men worked 25 days felling it, using large augers. The stump of this tree has been smoothed off and now accommodates 32 dancers. In 1858 a newspaper, the Big Tree Bulletin, was printed there.

Near the stump is a section of the tree 25 feet in diameter and 20 feet long; beyond lies the immense trunk as it fell, measuring 302 feet from the base to the extremity. Upon this was situated a barroom and tannin alley, stretching along its upper surface for a distance of 81 feet, affording ample space for two alley beds side by side.

## TEXAS ONCE SISTER NATION

Interesting to Recall Time When the Great State Was an Independent Republic.

When Washington, capital of the United States, was little more than a village of mud streets between 1836 and 1846, says a bulletin of the National Geographical society, Austin was a similar world capital, the seat of government of the independent republic of Texas, which for ten years, immediately after independence had been won from Mexico, existed as the fellow-nation of the United States. Ministers and special envoys were accredited to the republic by the United States, and half a dozen or more of the leading nations of Europe, and the forms and amenities of world diplomacy were carried out punctiliously in the little capital.

Austin preserves a memory of the only republic to enter the United States in the name of its principal street, Congress avenue. Along this thoroughfare were situated the congressional halls of the nation. At the head of this avenue, on the crest of a commanding hill, is the present state capitol. Its architecture, like that of many other state capitols, is largely borrowed from the capitol at Washington, and it is almost as extensive, being the largest of the forty-eight statehouses.

## What Poetry is Not.

Attitudes towards poetry are as various as its kinds. And the reader must have thought over these attitudes when he considered the problem of creating an audience or becoming part of one, says Jeannette Marks in the North American Review. Some excellent people, not ill-educated either, look upon poetry as one of the elegancies of life, with a little superfluous. Others think poetry is sugar-water. It is, sometimes, so are some people, and there are no federal laws for putting them out of the way. Some men and women regard poetry as sentimental nonsense. In that it might be said certain types of poetry are like any cross-section of human nature to be found anywhere. The most damaging of all attitudes is that which holds that poetry is inimical to the facts of life and of science. Some poetry is. The greatest poetry, speaking the common speech of common human experience and love for nature, never is.

## Timely Advice.

Brown had attended an auction sale of furniture and antiques and had bought a grandfather clock.

After the sale he looked round for someone to carry his purchases back to his house, but, alas! he could find nobody.

So at last, in despair, he decided to be his own beast of burden. After some difficulty he managed to strap his cloak onto his back, and trudged off toward home.

A burly navy happened to come round the corner rather abruptly, and a collision resulted.

"I'm sorry," gasped Brown. "So am I," said the navy, rising from the gutter. "If you can't blow yer 'orn why don't you buy a wrist-watch?"—London Tit-Bits.

## Periwinkle House

BY OPIE READ



TALE typical of the dean of America's most successful novelists. It goes back to a period when steamboating on the Mississippi was picturesque and full of romance.

The hero is from the North and the other prominent characters all southern. The atmosphere is entirely of the old South, excepting for a tinge here and there which reveals the carpetbaggers' regime and the influences of the early days of reconstruction.

Unctious with humor and character drawing, presenting both the foibles and the lovable qualities of its people, the story is also salty with a quaint philosophy. Plots and incidents are dramatic and thrilling in the extreme; truly representative of a time when chivalry and hot blood were still in the ascendancy and men and women loved and hated with all the fervor of intense natures.

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