



"My Sister, Captain Plum."

The COURAGE of CAPTAIN PLUM

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SYNOPSIS.

Thank you, Captain Plum! He speaks the companion's name with the assurance of one who had known it for a long time. "If they lose the dogs there will be no time for the ship," he added, with a suggestive hitch of his naked shoulders. "Follow me!"

CHAPTER V

The Mystery.

He had Nathaniel fought his through the thin crowd of spectators about the whipping were the enormity of his offense. Strapping the king's justice upon him. He was not sorry had responded to the mute of the girl who had entered so into his life. He rejoiced at that had moved him to an at had freed his blood and put north of a giant in his arms, nerves tinged with an un- joy that he had leaped all which in cooler moments saw restrained him, and which he exulted with only the of the beautiful face that had his own in those crystal mo- of his suffering. The girl had no him and to him alone among men. He had heard her he had felt the soft sweep of "as he severed the prisoner's he had caught the flash of her of the movement of her lips as ed himself into the crowd. And aged swiftly as the slope he ed himself rapidly toward the ed down. His blood was stirred the fire of sharp words; he ed in a tension of spitting ex- Yet no sooner had he fought clear of the mob than his bot- ment leaped into the second of danger had been lurking for he was doubly threatening it was suddenly possessed spirit of self preservation to the speed with which he was to leave pursuit behind. A glance over his shoulder as- that the man whom he had rem the prophet's wrath was his heels. "His first impulse direct his flight toward Obadiah; his second to follow the ed to his ship. At this hour of his men would surely be him in a small boat and once the Typhoon he could continue pain against the Norman king ter chances of success than his fugitive on the island. Be- he knew what Casey would do down.

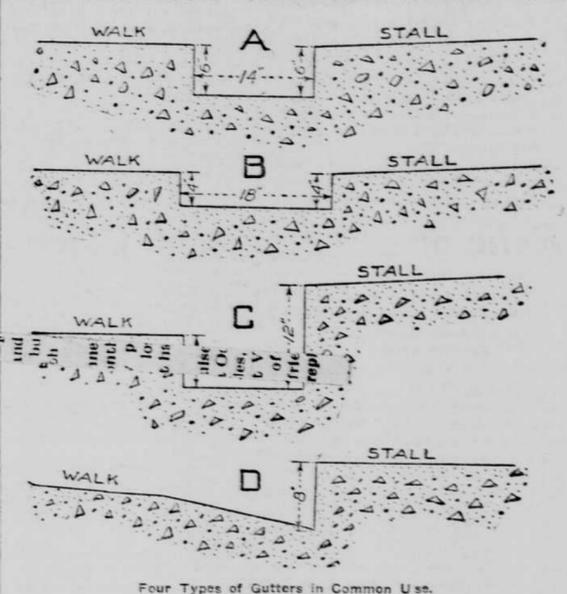
nor smiling lips revealed, a reckless, blazing fury hidden deep in them—so deep that Nathaniel started to assure himself what it was. The other saw the doubt in his face. "Tomorrow I shall kill Strang," he repeated. "I shall kill him with this gun from under the window of his house through which you saw Marion."

CONCRETE FLOORS MOST DURABLE AND SANITARY

Material Is Also Recognized as Economical for Dairy Stable Floors and Every Effort Should Be Made to Install Them.

(By C. A. O'COCK.) The average dairyman of 20 years ago gave the sanitary floor or stall little consideration in the construction of his cow stables, and used any method of building which best suited his individual ideas. He cared little about the condition of the cow at milking time so long as she gave the milk. The most of the old dairy barns are so arranged that it is impossible to keep cows clean in them.

Brick or concrete are the only floors one can safely say are sanitary. Brick should be laid upon a good sub-base and if this is not a good firm foundation it should be well tamped before laying the brick. The brick floor having been completed, the cracks should be filled with a mixture of cement and sand. The proportion which will best fill the requirements is 1 part cement to 1 1/2 part of good

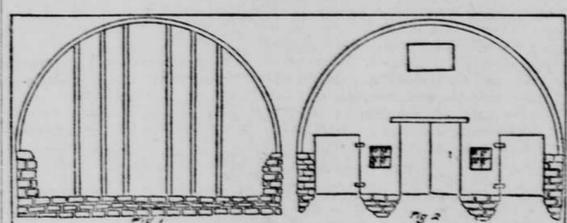


Four Types of Gutters in Common Use.

The form most generally used is shown at A which is similar to B, except that the latter is shallower and used because of the greater depth of the D which may be difficult to

clean sand. This should be mixed thin enough to spread easily and then swept into the cracks with a heavy barn broom or steel brush. Such a floor will be found very sanitary and not so slippery as concrete. For driveways where loads are to be drawn or where horses are to stand, a better grade of brick will be required.

BUILD BARN WITH ROUND ROOF



The barn illustrated is built on the plan of a prairie schooner, as it is mostly roof and has no beam or masonry in its make-up, and ordinary farm help can do all the work, says a correspondent of Rural New Yorker. The barn is 40 feet long and 60 feet wide; the arches, which represent the bows of a prairie schooner or mover's wagon, are made of 1-inch boards 6 inches wide and 6 boards deep. The boards can be of any length or various lengths. Each board is bent to shape as it is nailed to the others, using plenty of nails and giving a good lap over each joint.

MAKE MONEY WITH CAPONS

With Little Practice Bright Boy Will Operate on 50 to 75 Birds in One Day—Value Is Doubled.

(By O. J. TILLOTSON.) Instead of allowing the cockerels on the place to grow into old roosters before being sold they should be caponized and their value fairly doubled by this method. It is very little trouble to caponize a bird and with a little practice a bright boy will operate upon 50 to 75 birds in a single day.

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Life's Varied Interests.

"The weather's rather bad, isn't it?" said the young woman. "Yes," replied the nonchalant youth. "Lucky thing it is. Helps conversation. It would be a deadly bore to go on for ever saying 'it's a pleasant day.'"

The Cache.

Knicker—We are told to do our shopping early. Bocker—I know it; my wife has already concealed a forty-nine-cent tie in the top bureau drawer.

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