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To Cream Patrons and Receiving Station Operators:

Reports received at the office of the Dairy Commissioner from dairy inspectors as to quality of cream inspected at various receiving stations and at the dumps of the several creameries inspected lead us to the opinion that a great improvement might be obtained in the quality of cream in the fall and winter months if the following suggestions were followed:

First: Under no circumstances should cream be put in cellars on account of its susceptibility to odors. The ordinary cellars contain potatoes, onions and other vegetables and the cellar is more or less damp and mouldy. The cream will not only take on the odors of the vegetables but it will take on the mould from the earth of the cellar.

Second: Cream should not be kept in an occupied room in the house for the same reason, to wit: its susceptibility to odors, for in the house there are cooking odors and other odors which are sure to be absorbed by and mingled with the cream, thus injuring the quality seriously.

Third: Almost every cream producer in Nebraska has a well and a windmill and tank, for these are conveniences he has to have to conduct the operations of his farm. He should divide his water tank into two spaces, one large and one small, having the cold water from the well running into the small space at the bottom, overflowing at the top into the larger space, then the cream would always be about the same temperature as the water.

The cream producer should always skim his cream thick for the following reasons: It keeps better, it takes up less room in the tank, it gives him more feed in the form of skimmed milk.

Fourth: Under no condition should warm cream, that is, cream with the

animal heat in it, be mixed with cold cream and I believe every cream producer fully understands the importance of this fact.

An effort should be made to keep sweet and sour cream separated. When two batches of cream are put together they should be thoroughly stirred, which will do away with all lumpiness in the cream.

Fifth: The tank should be protected in the winter by a cheap protection that will keep the water from freezing and the cream will get no colder than the water.

Sixth: Care should be taken by the patron to keep his cream from becoming frozen before he delivers it to the station, for frozen cream is very hard to sample for testing and the patron has very little ground for complaint when his test is too low if he brings frozen cream to the station.

Cream should be delivered to the station at least twice a week in cold weather and in warm weather no less than three times a week.

A receiving station operator should always keep his person, his station and his utensils in a cleanly and sanitary condition.

He should remove all cream cans from depots promptly, take off the lids, invert them on racks in pure air and rinse out each can with cold water before putting cream in them.

He should thoroughly examine each delivery of cream in the presence of the patron when delivered. He should be able to intelligently advise the patron as to what is wrong with his cream if it is not good and tell him how to remedy it.

He should thoroughly clean the patron's can before it leaves the station.

He should keep poor cream that he may get, separate from the good cream.

He should not put the lids on the cream cans until ready for shipment. He should ship cream on the first train after it is received.

He should keep himself informed as to the number of times per week his patrons deliver cream.

He should be thoroughly familiar with the law concerning the handling of cream and especially that part of the law known as Section 18, of the Pure Food Law of Nebraska. If these suggestions are followed by the cream patron and operator I am sure they will improve the quality of the cream received by the creameries and the cream producer will receive an increased price for his product.

S. L. MAINS, Deputy Commissioner.

The Man Ahead.

"In newspapers we pick up we find a lot of gush about the man behind the counter and the man behind the gun; the man behind the buzz-saw and the man behind the son; the man behind the times and the man behind his rents; the man behind the plowshares and the man behind the fence; the man behind the whistle and the man behind the cars; the man behind the kodak and the man behind the bars; the man behind his whiskers and the man behind his fists; and everything behind has entered on the list. But they've skipped another fellow of whom nothing has been said—the fellow who is even or a little way ahead; who pays for what he gets, whose bills are always signed—he's a blamed sight more important than the man who is behind. All the editors and merchants, and the whole commercial clan are indebted for existence to this honest fellow-man. He keeps us all in business and his town is never dead; and so we take our hats off to the man who is a head."—Independent.

Take Care!

Remember that when your kidneys are affected, your life is in danger. M. Mayer, Rochester, N. Y., says: "My trouble started with a sharp shooting pain over my back which grew worse daily. I felt sluggish and tired, my kidney action was irregular and infrequent. I started using Foley's Kidney Pills. Each dose seemed to put new life and strength into me, and I am completely cured and feel better and stronger than for years."

"I had been troubled with constipation for two years and tried all of the best physicians in Bristol, Tenn., and they could do nothing for me," writes Thos. E. Williams, Middleboro, Ky. "Two packages of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me." For sale by all dealers.

The Intermission, in Temple theatre building, for the Judge Norris 10c cigar and Novum Templum 5c smoke.

Real Estate Filings.

The following real estate filings have been made in the county clerk's office since our last report:

James Lawthers et al. to Louise Berndt, wd to lot 1 in 10, Pleasant Prairie cemetery \$ 4 00

United States to John W. Goetschins, pat to e hf ne qr, e hf sw qr 11-2-27

United States to T. Eugene Miller, pat. to w hf ne qr, w hf se qr 11-2-27

United States to T. Eugene Miller, pat. to s hf ne qr, n hf se qr 10-2-27

Nora M. Kelley et cons. to Charles W. Kelley, wd 7 and 8 in 21, 2nd McCook & part sw qr ne qr 29-3-29 . . . \$2500 00

Samuel O'Connor, umd., to Nellie Haine, wd 11-12-13 in 5, 1st So. McCook 350 00

Mabel M. Clark to Charles F. Lehn, wd 2 in 14, 2nd McCook 1150 00

William H. Beneheider et ux. to Fred Shunk, wd to e hf ne qr 13-3-30 2400 00

Charles Baldwin et ux. to A. D. Annis, wd e hf e hf 3-3-30 1 00

Emily Morris et al. to Ida Turner, qcd 8 and 9 in 31, Indianola and ne qr nw qr, s hf ne qr, s hf nw qr 17-4-28 1 00

J. M. Somerville to Guy E. Garlick, wd to s hf se qr 21, ne qr 28-3-30 \$10000 00

United States to Joseph Behnke, pat. to s hf ne qr 1-2 in 1-4-28

Patrick Walsh, guardian, to Michael Walsh, guardian's deed to 21 in 16, McCook Affa C. Seeley et al. to L. S. Phillips, wd to 6 in 30, Indianola 500 00

James W. Lathrop to Minnie G. Lathrop, wd to 9 in 24, 1st McCook 1 00

Albert G. Bump et ux. to Minnie G. Lathrop, wd to 10 in 24, 1st McCook 500 00

Genevra Stansberry et cons. to Floyd Hegenberger, wd to 4 in 7, 7th McCook 1 00

Lincoln Land Co. to Charlie E. Cone, wd to 1 in 5, 2nd McCook 225 00

It Is From Kansas.

A new bustle, patented in Kansas, has just come into use, with blow-off and safety valve. When the wearer sits down the wind escapes up the spine, loosens the corset strings and blows her bangs into the fashionable position. When she stands up the action tightens and expands her bustle, whistles to her dog, and sticks a pin into her drowsy escort."

Queer Kaffir Custom.

Kaffir women will not pronounce their husband's names or even use words which contain the emphatic syllable of those names. One old woman, being taught to say the Lord's prayer, changed the word from "come" in "Thy kingdom come" to something that made nonsense, and it proved that the proper "come" word was the main syllable of her husband's name.

Proving His Contention.

"Jones is an optimist, even in the most discouraging circumstances, isn't he?"

"Why, no. His mother-in-law is slightly indisposed, and he thinks there's no hope for her recovery."

"Well, what did I tell you?"—Cleveland Leader.

Chess in Ancient Ceylon.

In ancient Ceylon the game of chess was played with local variations peculiar enough to note. The king may not castle, but he is permitted to jump like a knight till checked. The pawns are exchangeable on the last row for the pieces on whose row they stand.

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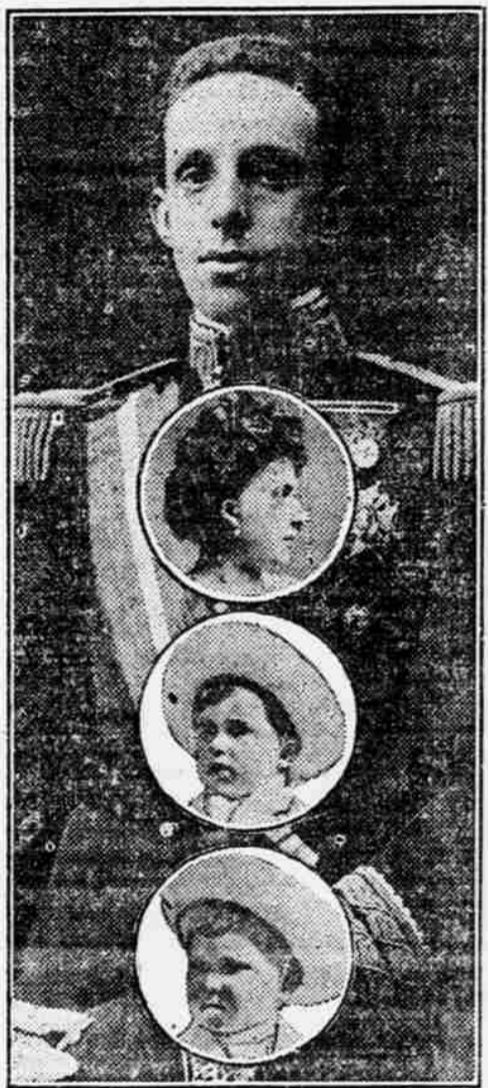
Spain and Her Young Monarch

There is another boy king on whom the eyes of the world are now focused—Alfonso of Spain—owing to the riots that have broken out in his domain following the upheaval in Portugal. The trouble in Spain comes as no surprise, as it has been well known for months past that a storm was brewing in that country and the police and military have had their hands full to prevent a general uprising.

Barcelona is the great center of discontent in Spain, and it is there that General Weyler has been placed in command. He has not only had the anniversary of "bloody week" to deal with, but has also been confronted with a miners' strike. It was from Barcelona that Alejandro Lerroux, chief of the republicans there, is reported to have sent his ominous message to Provisional President Braga of Portugal: "Start your revolution. We will take care of ours."

Alfonso is a fatalist. "What must will happen," said he recently. "I have had twenty-four years' fun, and if I go up in fireworks—well, there's a bouncing boy to take my place, which was not the case when my father died." The wonderful training which the queen mother has given him has always been a matter of comment all over Europe.

The young king has crammed many narrow escapes from death into his short life. When he was a baby he was found half choked in a dirty clothes basket. He had been kidnapped and hidden there until an opportunity occurred for taking him out of the palace. This was really the origin of Queen Christina's anxiety for his safety, which with the passage of years has developed into almost a mania with her. One of Alfonso's narrowest



KING ALFONSO, QUEEN VICTORIA AND THEIR TWO SONS.

escapes occurred when he was charged by a mad bull. Most boys would have run away, but Alfonso stood his ground and, coolly lifting his ride, brought the beast dead at his feet with a well directed bullet.

Almost his first auto experience nearly cost him his life. He had learned to drive a car and invited some of his ministers out for a drive. They had no alternative but to go. When they had started the king took control of the car from the chauffeur and sent it ahead at full speed and in the first five minutes succeeded in bringing about a collision with a tree. The car was smashed up and the party thrown violently out. When they got up it was to see the king sitting on the ground holding his sides in a paroxysm of laughter.

Alfonso was almost the first monarch in Europe to drive a motorcar. A member of his household bought one, and the young king, seeing it, insisted on being shown how it worked. The one day, when the car was standing idle, he jumped in and started off a fifty miles an hour round the grounds. When at last he brought the car to a standstill an official ran up and rated him soundly for jeopardizing his life. "You mind your own business," retorted Alfonso. "If you attended to your affairs as well as I did to that car just now Spain could do without its king." He is a splendid horseman and plays polo as if he cares precious little for his neck. When he was twenty-old enough to know better—he rode a horse up the palace stairs and into his mother's drawing room. Queen Christina was so startled she fainted.

Queen Victoria, the wife of Alfonso, was the Princess Ena of Battenburg before their marriage, which occurred on May 31, 1906. Their first son, the crown prince, was born on May 10, 1907, and he is a handsome, robust little chap. The couple have three children, two sons and a daughter, the latter being the youngest.

Two Dimensional Vision.

Most people do not know that they ought to be very thankful for having both eyes in one plane instead of having them one on each side of the head. If the latter obtained no one could tell that an object had more than two dimensions until experience and the sense of touch educated the brain to it. Any one can try it for himself. Shut one eye and look at different objects. They appear flat. With binocular vision two views of each object are obtained and neither is exactly like the other, so the idea of depth comes in.

The most easily shown example of the difference is as follows: Take a ring and hold it about two feet from the eye. With one eye closed it will take at least five trials to thrust a pencil through the ring, whereas with both eyes open it can be done on the first trial.

All animals with eyes on opposite sides of the head labor under this disadvantage, as do all insects. It is called two dimensional vision, as the idea of depth is not possible. All this is on account of the image thrown on the retina of the eye being in only two dimensions.—Philadelphia Press.

Woodcarvers of Burma.

The woodcarvers of Burma are the most skilled in the world. They select and cut the best logs along the Irrawaddy river in the dry season, and these are thrown into the shrunken stream. There they lie until the freshets of the rainy season lift them and bear them down to the populous cities below.

Then huge elephants are employed to drag the heavy logs from the stream and take them to the sawmills. They are then worked up into timbers suitable for the woodcarvers. The carvers use the figure of Buddha or some other emblem concerning the Buddhist worship in the greater part. The details are worked out in a careful way.

Stems of boats are carved in an elaborate manner, and some of them would be worth a fortune in this country. The prow of the boat is usually ornamented with a figurehead of very elaborate carving. The art of woodcarving is handed down in the families in Burma, the children being taught by their fathers.—Wichita Eagle.

Trial of a Dead Man.

Mr. Christopher Hare's book on "Charles de Bourbon, High Constable of France," mentions the strange trial which succeeded the close of that turbulent career. He had died in conquering Rome, which his leaderless soldiers straightway sacked. For this crime it was necessary to find a scapegoat, so "on July 26, 1527, in the presence of King Francois I., on his seat of justice, assisted by the peers of France and the assembled chambers, Jean de Surie, first usher of the court, called Charles de Bourbon three times—and then reported that the said De Bourbon had not appeared. The sentence was drawn up, then solemnly read out: 'The constable de France, dead, was condemned, his goods returned to the crown, and the door of his palace by the Louvre was painted yellow.'"

A Realistic Picture.

A still life by Jan van Huysen in the museum at The Hague was injured, but it is believed that the perpetrator was neither vandal nor thief. The picture represents a basket of fruit on which a number of insects have gathered. On a pale yellow apple, which is the centerpiece in the cluster of fruit, is a large fly, painted so true to nature, so say the officials of the gallery, that the canvas was injured by some one who endeavored to "shoo" it and brought his cane or hand too close to the canvas. "A tribute to the painter's genius," says the letter recording the fact, "for which the work had to suffer."

Arctic Rock Weed.

Drifting down from Alaska comes the greatest of all sea plants, the arctic rock weed, that grows in shape like a huge ship's hauser and sometimes with branches 500 feet long. There are no signs of leaves, but at intervals of a fathom or so a knob, for all the world like the buoy on a drift net, grows around the stem, aiding, as does the buoy, in keeping the plant afloat and creating the impression that some nets have gone astray.—New York World.

Method in Her Breakage.

"Augusta is an awfully bright girl, isn't she?"

"Yes, indeed. When she is reading a novel on the front porch her mother never thinks of asking her to wash the dishes."

"Why not?"

"She's sure to break so many of them."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Trouble Ahead.

Young Husband (to wife)—Didn't I telegraph to you not to bring your mother with you?

Young Wife—I know. That's what she wants to see you about. She read the telegram.

Lived in a Good Neighborhood.

"Do you find that it is costing you more to live than it used to?"

"No, not more to live, but more to keep from being eclipsed by my foolish neighbors."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Demonstrative.

Old Lady (speaking of her late husband)—I mind the last time we was out together, and he turns round and sez, so kindlike, "Come along, old draggle-tail!" he sez.—London Tit-Bits.

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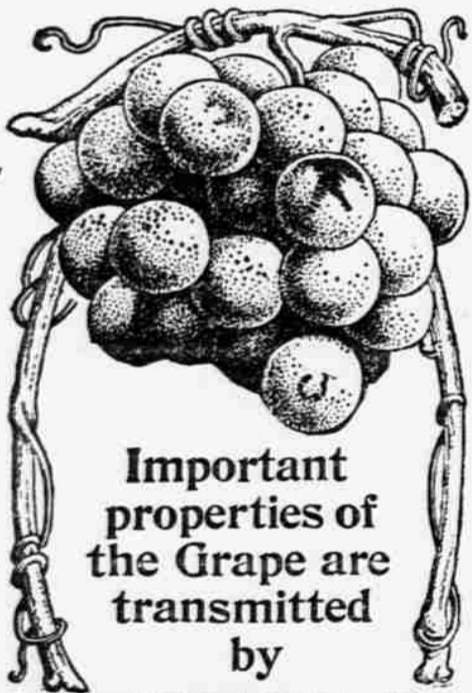
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