

NOT FIGHT AGAINST FROST

An Experience Bearing on Recent Weather Conditions.

SUDDEN COLD WARDED OFF

New Colorado Fruit Growers Fought Off a Killing Cold Wave During April, Last Year.

The success of our western fruit growers is a success founded on tireless patience, scrupulous care and a continuous use of brains.

"Twenty-five years ago the Grand valley in western Colorado was a desert. Today it contains some of the most valuable agricultural land in the country.

Last spring promised to be of the usual mildness, but on April 22 the weather-keeper at Grand Junction sent out a frost warning that filled the whole valley with dread.

At short intervals one of the workers would call out the reading. It was freezing at 8-6 o'clock. An hour later it was 25 degrees.

Torches flew from pot to pot. Now came the first sound of the frost striking the valley. The killing cold began earlier and continued longer.

The following Tuesday another cold wave, worse than the first, struck the valley. The killing cold began earlier and continued longer.

Ten minutes after the neighbors had departed with daylight streaming in, the thermometer began suddenly to drop.

Of the ranchers who used the pots last spring, the most successful had 90 to each acre. His table of readings showed an extreme difference of 13 degrees between the center of the heat zone and the outside.

It is proposed now to use coal as well as oil. This spring a dozen or more experiments in heaters are being tried and a frost, should it come, will find the valley creating a climate of its own.

Miss Katharine Taylor, daughter of Graham Taylor of Chicago Commons, is the first Chicago girl to win the William Borden fund scholarship offered to seniors at Vassar.

The fund, which devotes \$1,000 annually to sending some student abroad for a year's study, was founded four years ago by a Chicago woman, Miss Mary Borden, now Mrs. George Douglas Turner, in honor of her father.

The awarding of the prize indicates popularity with the class, as well as scholarly attainments, for the names of two or three applicants are selected by a committee of the faculty as most eligible, and then voted upon by the senior class.

When some seventeen years ago, Graham Taylor founded the social settlement at Grand avenue and Morgan street and took his family there to live, his procedure in sending all of his children to the public school in that neighborhood, the Montefiore, was looked upon by many with considerable mingling. Nevertheless all his children took their grammar school work here.

FOX SKIN SELLS AT FANCY PRICE

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Dreadnought, the Thunderer, at the Thames Iron works, will bring into existence the 1,275th man-of-war built for the royal navy on the river during four centuries of warship building.

Eleven out of Nelson's thirteen ships at the battle of the Nile had been sent afloat on the Thames. Thirteen of Pakenham's sixteen at Camperdown were Thames-built man-of-war. Seven of the seventeen man-of-war that took part at the bombardment of Sebastopol in the Crimean war were also Thames built.

Numerous Crimes Stir Up Spain

Bodies of Unearthed Which Point to Bad Work in Some Quarters.

MADRID, April 30.—(Special Dispatch to The Bee.)—The mystery of a series of murders is causing considerable sensation throughout Spain. Two years ago a ser-ant named Coa, in the employ of Count Aliva de Gaytan, a near relative of the Carlist leader, the Marquis of Cervantes, and belonging to one of the oldest families of the Spanish nobility, mysteriously disappeared.

Several of the servants were arrested on suspicion, but the count was so emphatic in declaring his belief in the innocence of the man that the judge was led to believe that he knew something of the crime and ordered his arrest. However, nothing could be proved, and the count was liberated.

Following up this confession, the judge ordered the child's body to be exhumed. In doing this the corpse of a young man was unearthed, pointing to another crime having been committed.

He Reared Two Large Families, One After the Other, with Two Wives.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., April 30.—(Special to The Bee.)—An amusing incident occurred at the Coombeage Agricultural show, near Brisbane, where a prize was offered for the largest family in the district. The Queensland minister of agriculture was present, and remarked that the district could hardly equal his own constituency, where there lived a man with twenty-four children.

A farmer promptly rose and interrupted the minister by remarking that he had thirty-two children, and that all were living. Inquiries showed this was the fact, the farmer having been married twice and having reared two quite considerable families, one after the other.

AMERICAN TOURISTS ROBBED Arab Boatmen Beat Up Irish Priest and Americans and Rifle Their Pockets.

CAIRO, April 30.—(Special to The Bee.)—The authorities are searching vigorously for the Arab boatmen who recently beat and robbed an Irish priest and a party of American tourists.

Try to Find Wealth Lost in the Little Affair with the Spanish Armada.

GLASGOW, April 30.—(Special Dispatch to The Bee.)—Divers from Cayton are being employed to search in Tobermory bay for the Potencia, the treasure galleon which came to disaster during the little affair of the Armada. A London syndicate is bringing over these men to begin operations at an early date.

CROP DAMAGE HEAVY IN SPAIN Continued Hail Causes Heavy Loss and Several Persons Meet Deaths.

North Carolina a Healthy Spot

Lecturer in Edinburgh Boosts State as an Ideal Place in Which to Live.

EDINBURGH, April 30.—(Special Dispatch to The Bee.)—A lecture on North Carolina, as a country affording great opportunities for young emigrants, was delivered in Edinburgh recently by Edward Bayley.

The state of North Carolina, the lecturer stated, was a very desirable field for young men adapted to work in fruit and vegetable farming under the favorable conditions of a fertile soil and genial climate.

ANCIENT BELL STILL SOUNDS ITS MERRY CHIMES Sounded the Tocsin When Joan of Arc Was a Mere Girl in France.

PARIS, April 30.—(Special Dispatch to The Bee.)—Few persons suspect that in the cathedral church of Notre Dame is a bell contemporaneous with Joan of Arc.

BEQUEST FOR CATS IS VALID Justice Barton Decides Dublin Home for Felines Gets Twenty Thousand Dollars.

DUBLIN, April 30.—(Special Dispatch to The Bee.)—Mr. Justice Barton delivered judgment recently at Dublin in a case in which the question was raised as to whether a bequest in the will of the late Miss Swift, of Dublin of \$20,000 new consols for the benefit of the Dublin Home for Cats, was a valid charitable bequest.

COTTON PLANTED IN RHODESIA Arrangements Made for Growing it in the Southern Part of Africa.

CAPETOWN, April 30.—(Special Dispatch to The Bee.)—The British Cotton Growing association have accepted the offer of the directors of the British South Africa company, which will make possible the growing of cotton on a large scale in Rhodesia.

GIRLS' DREAMS OF DRESS Cost and Quality of Clothing Regulated by Available Funds.

Schoolgirls of New York's wealthy families who are of the social-elect set spend an average of \$200 a year for dress and would like to spend \$2,500, girls of families perhaps equally wealthy, but without equal social distinction, spend an average of \$300 and would like to spend \$1,100.

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ROCKEFELLER HOLDS BACK

Believes Others Should Help the Fine New Church.

CONGREGATION TO GET A CHANCE If the Fifth Avenue Baptist Build a Half Million-Dollar Edifice It Will Be When All Come Through.

NEW YORK, April 30.—(Special Dispatch to The Bee.)—John D. Rockefeller can hardly be called a close man in matters which attract his interest and there is no denying his interest in the Baptist church generally and in the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, in which he is a communicant.

Church Going by Proxy. Apparently conditions in England are not so different from those we are familiar with in the matter of church-going.

BELFRY LEVEL, BUT WEARY Heroic Effort to Equalize the Strain of the Trip in the Stage-coach.

In the early days of traveling by stage coach across the Rocky mountains the trip was likely to be relieved of monotony by incidents of an ordinary occurrence.

Free Presbyterian Pew. There is a strong movement in the Presbyterian church in this city to do away with pew rents entirely.

The Slim Woman Is Winning The day of the slim woman's triumph has arrived. "The thinner one is the more stylish," say the dressmakers.

MANDO Madame Josephine Le Fevre, 1200 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. Sole Importers: The Bell Drug Co., Omaha, Clark Drug Co., Council Bluffs.

times they are seriously injured by being cut, "bleeding" as florists say. But if the cold growth is not pruned to rid the roots of weak or dead shoots, much of the plant's strength is wasted, and small and few flowers will be the yield.

Hydrangeas can be cut almost to the original branches, a tree would think. Cane four or five feet may fall under the knife, the cutting being always about two or three inches above the first big joint from the root or twig. Branches that were enormously high before pruning are not more than twelve inches from the ground when they have been cut, but such action means large flowers and a rapid growth of new canes.

The rule for pruning roses is to cut them an inch or two above a joint, making the break with a clean, sharp cut, that the buds shall not be a refuge for bugs. Each shoot is to be cut down until there is a uniform height. To leave one or two long canes is to permit much of the plant's strength to go to stems, rather than to flowers.

Orange vines are supposed to be cut before the sap begins to run, but a little delay will do no harm. According to rule they should be cut back to one stem for the first year or two, if they are to develop into healthy, strong vines.

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This man, after four days' treatment, told me that he had no desire whatever for drink and when liquor was offered him could not and would not try it. Since leaving the Institute, after a treatment of four days, he has gone to work and is filling quite a responsible position, he is looking fine and tells me he never felt better in his life.

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