

LANDS BASS WITH SAFETY PIN

Boy Brings in Three Three-Pounders With Which to Prove His Story.

Little Arne Olson, cowherd in Itasca park, who catches big black bass with such a seemingly impossible device as the much-maligned safety pin, may have revealed a mechanical principle that will revolutionize the gentle art of angling. Arne does catch bass with safety pins. This fact is vouched for by William T. Cox, state forester, who heard the tale direct from the forest service men in Itasca park, an exchange states.

One evening Arne brought home three fine bass weighing in the neighborhood of three pounds each. To the repeated demands to explain how he had made the capture he said that he had caught them with a safety pin. Everybody laughed.

He explained that when he clambered out over the lake on a fallen tree his sporting blood was fired by the sight of a number of big bass lolling in the shade. He had a piece of fishing line in his pocket, but no hooks or bait. Then there came an inspiration.

Picking a safety pin from his trousers, he fastened it to the line. The tail of a crawfish made a presentable bait.

Three times he heaved the improvised lure into the semidarkness of the pool and three times he brought out a bass. Not one got away.

Arne is quite sure that the tricky pin snapped itself shut when a bass struck, but each one was securely hooked, and all the fisherfolk can account for the lad's success in no other way.

More Rabies.

It is a real pleasure to be able to call attention to a case of so-called "rabies" which failed to scare one sensible man.

The kennel master of the Animal Rescue league found two policemen waiting for a "mad dog" to run out of a store on Dudley street and be shot. Mr. Rowlinson, going in fearlessly, discovered a dog to whom some fool had given some sticky candy.

The dog, frightened when he found his jaws stuck together, had a fit, and when found was too weak to walk. But for the arrival of Mr. Rowlinson there would have been more scareheads like "Epidemic of Rabies Spreads to Boston."

Cowardice among men is responsible for most of the "rabies" stories, and mistreatment of dogs for a good deal of the remainder.—Boston Globe.

The Parallel.

"Their mother treats those boys as if they were kittens."

"It would be better for them if she did for then she would give them a whipping every day."

Don't Dodge.

Do not dodge. Whatever the difficulties to be met, they are not made easier by trying to dodge them. In trying to dodge a missile from one direction you may come in line with one from a different direction. When we dodge trouble we are more than likely to get into other trouble no less easy to endure. Look with courage on what must be met. Faced with courage difficulties are half conquered. Better meet and conquer difficulties than to dodge them. Do not dodge duties that devolve on you. Duties performed add strength and dignity to character. It matters little what these duties are; though they be of the simplest and humblest, well and truly done, they acquire dignity. Stand up bravely and squarely to meet the difficulties of life. With courage you will conquer. You will come through life with fewer scars than by trying to dodge duty or difficulty. Trying to evade begets in a man a cringing spirit. He gets a habit of truckling, and upright, self-respecting manhood is gone. Don't dodge if you would hold yourself above meanness.—Milwaukee Journal.

Creek Names of Iowa.

That Iowa is a farming state is reflected in the names of many of the streams that flow through it. First there is Farm creek, so that Farmers creek is not out of place; then there is a Chicken creek, a Duck creek, a Goose creek, a number of Turkey creeks, as well as Pigeon creek. There are Fox, Hawk and Rat creeks to devour the domestic animals, and some Crow creeks, while there is also a Fly creek and Mosquito creek. Water creeks are present, likewise a Hog run and a Mud creek, so that Bacon creek is not strange. It is fitting that with a Bee creek and a Bee branch there should also be a Honey creek. There are a couple of Cherry creeks, a Crab-apple creek and plenty of Plum creeks, and for the wild animals we have Bear, Beaver, Buck, Crane, Deer, Doe, Elk, Otter, Panther, Raccoon, Skunk and Wolf creeks. With a Keg creek there is a Whisky creek and a Whisky run. Finally there is a Purgatory creek.—Argonaut.

It Was a Fine Cod.

The artist William M. Chase once hired a fish, painted a picture of it in two hours and afterward sold it to the Corcoran Art gallery at Washington for \$2,000. Mr. Chase afterward informed the fish dealer who had rented him the fish of the price he had received for the picture. "Well," commented the fishmonger, "it was a fine cod."—Philadelphia Record.

Every doctor is continually finding patients who have some serious ailment which has been neglected until the possibilities of cure are greatly reduced or entirely hopeless.

Want of courage and not lack of knowledge that there is something radically wrong with them has, in the majority of instances, kept these patients from seeking a physician's aid.

This is one of many instances that might be cited to show how essential courage is to health. It is want of moral courage, in many instances, which leads a man who is perfectly aware that alcoholic stimulants are breaking him down physically and often mentally, to continue to drink.

Then again every physician meets in his practice men and women who get in a blue funk over the most trivial ailment. Often enough these people worry themselves until they arrive at a state of mental and physical depression which makes them ready prey for disease.

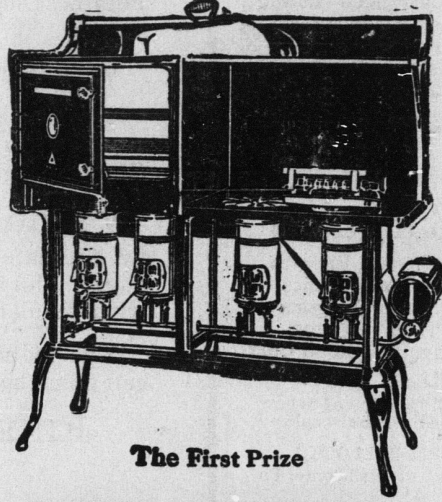
Unquestionably there are many dangers to health which we must meet every day of our lives. It is well to know of these things in order that we may form the habit of avoiding as many of them as possible but to be ever fearful, thinking of and cringing from danger will not aid us to avoid it.

The brave man is he who knows his enemy's strength, is watchful, vigilant, but not fearful.

"Cowards die many times before their deaths; The valiant never taste of death but once."

—They are all good enough, but the WATCHMAN is always the best.

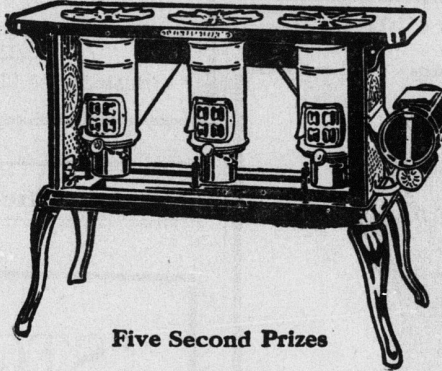
These are the Prizes



The First Prize

1st Prize
New Perfection Fireless Cooking Oil Stove No. 7 will be awarded the writer of that letter, listing the largest number and the most practical uses for kerosene, other than lighting and heating. The value of this stove is **\$33.00**

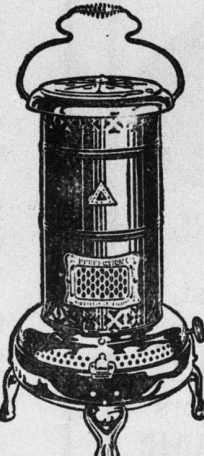
It has every feature that will in the slightest contribute to better cooking with lessened effort. It combines a four-burner stove, fireless cooker, oven cabinet and warming shelf in one compact, yet roomy, cooking device.



Five Second Prizes

2d Prize
New Perfection Oil Cook Stove No. 3

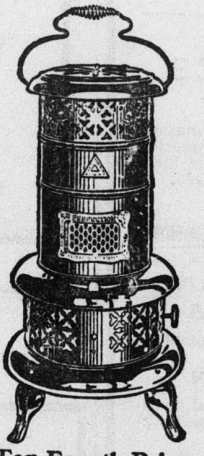
There are five of these handsome substantial three-burner stoves for the second prizes. They will be given to the writers of the five second longest and best lists of kerosene uses. These stoves sell for \$10.75 each, are strongly made, simple to use, economical of kerosene and help you cook better and lessen your work.



Ten Third Prizes

3d Prize
Perfection Smokeless Oil Heater No. 230

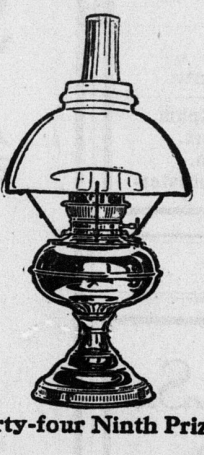
Think of it, ten heaters as third prizes—and they'll make the homes of the ten successful housewives brighter, cosier and warmer during the cold weather months. And all you have to do to get one, is to be one of the writers of the third ten most lengthy lists of practical kerosene uses. These third prizes, beautifully finished in blue, cost \$4.85 each at the stores.



Ten Fourth Prizes

4th Prize
Perfection Smokeless Oil Heater No. 430

Ten fourth prizes, each costing \$4.80, enameled in a tasty blue, and each as good a heater, from the standpoint of service as money can buy. It's not going to take a whole lot of thought to send in sufficient kerosene uses to win one of these prizes, and they do make the home happier, because they stop the complaints of cold and keep the family smiling.



Thirty-four Ninth Prizes

9th Prize
Rayo Lamps

Thirty-four beautiful RAYO LAMPS constitute the eighth group of prizes. They will be awarded just as are the other prizes. These lamps sell for \$1.50 each, and no more handsome lamp can be imagined nor can one be bought at any price, that gives a clearer, softer light or one that is as clean to use.

100 Free Prizes for You Women Who Tell Us the Most Uses for KEROSENE

It's past belief how many women, good housewives too, think that kerosene is good only for lighting and heating. But then, of course, there are other hundreds of you who know its uses are almost boundless.

Some tell us they've tried kerosene as a floor polish—and find it splendid—that it will preserve the finish and beauty of a fumed oak set better than the most costly dressing, and, mixed with whiting, with almost no rubbing, will make nickel trimmings glisten. Then, for cleaning the porcelain bath tub, nothing equals kerosene. It leaves it shining snowy white.

What Do You Do With Kerosene?

What are your pet methods for making kerosene work for you? You are probably acquainted with many helpful, practical uses, if you'll only just take a little time and dig them up, out of the store of your household experience.

Write down all you can think of. Send your list to the Contest Department of the Atlantic Refining Company, and you're just as likely as not to be one of the fortunate winners of any one of the 100 valuable prizes pictured in this advertisement.

It's ordinary common sense and not fancy composition that'll win these useful, handsome awards. All we want you to do is just tell us in your own way how you have found kerosene useful around the house.

The letter that lists the greatest number and the most practical uses for kerosene will win the first prize—a \$33 New Perfection Oil Cook Stove—a prize well worth getting, for it surely does lighten the drudgery of cooking.

The next best five letters will be judged on the same basis, and for the writers of these there are five New Perfection Oil Cook Stoves (each valued at \$10.75) to make work easier in the homes of five enterprising housewives.

In the same way the remainder of the 100 desirable prizes will be awarded. Read the list at the left.

Was there ever a chance to get so much for so little effort—no work, only a little thinking necessary—just write what your housework has taught you, but please use only one side of the paper and be certain your letter reaches us before December 1st, 1915, for on that date this contest positively closes.

Remember, the greater the number of uses you submit and the more practical each is, the more certain is the chance of your securing any one of these hundred splendid prizes.

Don't wait till the last day, but begin making up a list immediately—the longer the list the better your chance.

The Atlantic Refining Company Philadelphia

Besides the illustrated prizes, there are ten fifth and an equal number of sixth, seventh and eighth prizes, all splendid, serviceable Perfection Oil Heaters which your dealer sells for \$3.80, \$3.70, \$3.60 and \$3.30, respectively.

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