

**WELL OF MIRACULOUS POWER**

**Waters in Cornish Town of Lisheard Are Reported to Confer Peculiar Benefits.**

In Cornwall, near the town of Lisheard, is an ancient well, formerly supposed to be possessed of miraculous powers. It is the well of Saint Keyne, a pious virgin of the fifth century. According to the story, firmly believed in by all good Cornish folk, the blessed damsel laid a spell upon the cooling waters of the spring and thereafter all who drank of it became the masters of their own households, were they men or women.

After the death of Saint Keyne the tiny spring became the most visited spot in Cornwall. Every young married couple included it in their wedding trip. The poet Southey tells of an unusually foresighted bride who carried a bottle of the magic water to the church, forestalling her unfortunate husband. The men of Cornwall themselves, however, boast that they have refused to avail themselves of the blessings of the spring; that they are willing to submit to the rule of their wives.

The precious waters, by the side of a dusty highway, are protected by a tiny springhouse of stone, built by the Cornish folk of other days who were not ashamed to believe in the power of their spring. Their descendants have permitted the tiny building to crumble in neglect, forgotten by the roadside. Five huge trees curl their roots protectively about the fallen masonry—two oaks, two ash and the elm of tradition. They are of the same species, but are not the identical trees of the songs and poems. These ancient-guardians of the holy well were blown down in a storm some 200 or 300 years ago. The trees of today were planted by a worthy Cornish squire early in the eighteenth century.—"Niksah," in Chicago Daily News.

**HAVE HIGH MILITARY TITLE**

**Three Men Hold Commissions From Uncle Sam as Full Generals in His Armies.**

This is the first time in the history of the United States that the nation has had three full generals at the same time. Of course, we have a number bearing the prefixes of lieutenant, major or brigadier-general, but they do not wear four-starred shoulder straps. The three fortunate leaders are Tasker H. Bliss, Peyton C. March, chief of staff, and John J. Pershing, commander of the American forces in France. Only these four have preceded them as holders of the highest rank: George Washington, Ulysses S. Grant, William Tecumseh Sherman and Philip H. Sheridan.

The capture of Vicksburg on the Fourth of July, 1863, won Grant the title of major-general. The victory at Chattanooga in the following November caused him to be made lieutenant-general and commander in chief. In July, 1866, congress rewarded the hero with the rank of general when he was only 44 years old. Just before his inauguration as president in March, 1869, he resigned from the army and was succeeded as general by William Tecumseh Sherman. In 1883 Sherman resigned as commander in chief of the army, and was succeeded by "Little Phil" Sheridan, who three years later was advanced to lieutenant-general, then made a full general just before his death in 1888.—Carl Schurz Lowden.

**In Need of Repair.**

Many years ago I attended a wedding in Cripple Creek, Colo., writes a correspondent of Chicago Tribune. All was progressing gayly until the bridegroom was called upon to produce the ring. In vain he felt in his trousers pocket; nothing could be found except a hole through which the ring had evidently fallen into his boot. He glared helplessly around the assembled guests.

"Take off your boot," ordered his prospective mother-in-law. The young miner hesitated, the suspense and silence were painful. "Take off your boot," again came in strident tones, as the old lady crowded forward in a threatening manner.

The young fellow reluctantly pulled off his boot, the ring was found—also a huge hole in the stocking through which five toes protruded. A painful silence ensued—but again the efficient old lady saved the day by remarking: "Sam, it's high time you were married."

**How Much Is Enough to Eat?**

Science is speaking up for the 12-year-old who is always hungry. "Age, size and activity," have all to do with the matter. A boy may need more to eat than a girl because he exercises more rather than because he is larger. A small, bookish father tied to a desk may need much less to eat than his romping, growing 12-year-old progeny. It is safe to say that a growing child needs all the bread and butter and milk and fruit that it will eat; when the appetite must be coaxed with sweets it is not to be trusted.

If you have stopped running and growing, don't gauge Bobbie's needs by your relative sizes. Growing is strenuous business. Be sure that the children have both building material for this important occupation and energy fuel for their ceaseless activity. Watching the child's weight will give you a key to the situation.

**FOURTEENTH DECENNIAL CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES.**

By the President of the United States of America.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

Whereas, by the Act of Congress approved March 3, 1919, the Fourteenth Decennial Census of the United States is to be taken beginning on the second day of January, 1920; and Whereas, a correct enumeration of the population every ten years is required by the Constitution of the United States for the purpose of determining the representation of the several States in the House of Representatives; and

Whereas, it is of the utmost importance to the interests of all the people of the United States that this Census should be a complete and accurate report of the population and resources of the Nation;

Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known that, under the law aforesaid, it is the duty of every person to answer all questions on the census schedules applying to him and the family to which he belongs, and to the farm occupied by him or his family, and that any person refusing to do so is subject to penalty.

The sole purpose of the Census is to secure general statistical information regarding the population and resources of the country and replies are required from individuals only to permit the compilation of such general statistics. No person can be harmed in any way by furnishing the information required. The Census has nothing to do with taxation, with military or jury service, with the compilation of school attendance, with the regulation of immigration or with the enforcement of any national, State or local law or ordinance. There need be no fear that any disclosure will be made regarding any individual person or his affairs. For the due protection of the rights and interests of the persons furnishing information every employee of the Census Bureau is prohibited, under heavy penalty, from disclosing any information which may thus come to his knowledge.

I therefore earnestly urge upon all persons to answer promptly, completely and accurately all inquiries addressed to them by the enumerators or other employees of the Census Bureau and thereby to contribute their share toward making this great and necessary public undertaking a success.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done in the District of Columbia this tenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and forty-fourth.

**WOODROW WILSON.**  
By the President:  
**William Phillips,**  
Acting Secretary of State.

**CENSUS FOR STATISTICAL PURPOSES ONLY.**

The census inquiries are defined by act of Congress.

The information gathered is strictly confidential, made so by law.

Census information can not under any circumstances be used as a basis for taxation, nor can it be used to harm any person or his property. It has nothing whatever to do with detection, arrest, prosecution, or punishment of any person for any violation of any law.

**IMPORTANT QUESTIONS ASKED OF ALL PERSONS.**

1. Age at last birthday.
2. Each person ten years of age and over will be asked whether he is able to read or write.
3. Each person will be asked his birthplace as well as the birthplace of father and mother.
4. If foreign born the date of coming to the United States will be asked, and, if naturalized, the date of becoming a citizen; also mother tongue or native language.
5. Each head of a family will be asked whether his home is owned by him or rented. If owned, whether the home is mortgaged or free of debt.
6. Each person will be asked his occupation and whether he is an employer or employee or is working on his own account.

The answers to the above questions give valuable and vital information to the government concerning the health, welfare, and progress of the persons under its protection.

**IMPORTANT QUESTIONS ASKED OF FARMERS.**

1. Each occupant of a farm will be asked how many years, if any, he worked on a farm for wages; how many years, if any, he was a tenant; and how many years, if any, he farmed as an owner.
2. Whether he (a) owns, or (b) rents, or (c) partly owns and partly rents his farm, or whether (d) he operates the farm for others as a manager or superintendent.
3. How many acres in his farm? Number of improved acres? Number

of unimproved acres and number of acres of woodland?

4. Total value of farm? Total value of buildings? Value of implements and machinery on farm?

5. Whether farm is mortgaged? If so, the amount of mortgage?

6. Expenses for feed, fertilizer, and labor in the year 1919?

7. Several questions concerning artificial drainage of his farm.

8. Number of cows, horses, sheep, chickens, and other domestic animals on the farm January 1, 1920?

9. Quantity and acreage of all crops grown on the farm in 1919, including fruits and vegetables?

10. Quantity of milk and butter sold off the farm during the year 1919?

11. Acreage of timber land on the farm and value of forest products.

Correct answers to the above questions are of the utmost importance. The United States Department of Agriculture assisted the Census Bureau in preparing the questions on the agriculture schedule and appeals to farmers everywhere to keep farm records for census purposes.

Copies of the Agriculture schedule can be had in advance by any farmer by writing to the Director of the Census, Washington, D. C.

**Must be Born a Singer.**

According to recent scientific discoveries, singing birds, like human singers, must have a certain type of throat and nostrils. A full throat, large thorax, open nostrils and slightly protruding lips with good length from the point of the nose to the point of the chin and full cheeks are, say the scientists, positive signs in a human being of the power to give forth tone.

If the ears are round and well set to the head it is a sign not only of the power to sing, but to appreciate, and the combination means the great artist.

With feathered songsters much the same rules hold good. The round, somewhat pointed beak of the canary opens wide and his thorax and throat are exceedingly big for so tiny a bird. He can hear and appreciate the smallest sound and his trills and the beauty of his tone are due to his throat, to the roundness of his head and the shape of his bill.

The duck, on the other hand, having a flat bill and a small throat can only quack. Even if he longed to sing he could not acquire any pleasant notes, and it is the same way with some people. The most careful training cannot give the sound box which nature provides for those to whom she gives the great gift of vocal powers.

**Chicken-Feed.**

Mrs. Witherby—Have you any change? I'm going down town to buy some groceries.  
Mr. Witherby—Here are some \$100 bills. They are all the change I happen to have.

**Chestnut Trees Killed by Blight.**

Hon. Robert S. Conklin, Commissioner of Forestry, stated that millions of thrifty and valuable chestnut trees have been killed in Pennsylvania during the past ten years by the chestnut blight, which was imported from China. It has done already an enormous amount of damage and unfortunately no satisfactory preventive measure of control is yet known. In many regions where this tree once prevailed only a few subnormal living specimens remain.

Commissioner Conklin recommends the immediate disposal of all dead and dying chestnut trees, and the restocking of such areas by planting valuable forest trees.

The Pennsylvania Department of Forestry has been co-operating with private planters since 1910 and is now in a position to supply absolutely healthy and stocky seedlings to owners of forest land who are willing to pay the cost of packing and shipping which should not exceed 50 cents per thousand trees. Two men should set out one thousand trees per day.

The trees available for free distribution are white pine, jack pine, pitch pine, western yellow pine and Norway spruce.

Tree planting is no longer a mere pastime for the rich and idle, but a real business proposition full of promise. The private tree planters of Pennsylvania planted over three million trees during the spring of 1919. During the past ten years over forty million forest trees have been planted in Pennsylvania. Help make the idle acres productive. Write for information and send application to the Department of Forestry, Harrisburg, Pa.

**Good News.**

Many of the nervous, pale and debilitated are being helped to recover health and strength. This is good news.

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**The Only Man.**

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"He was a shark."

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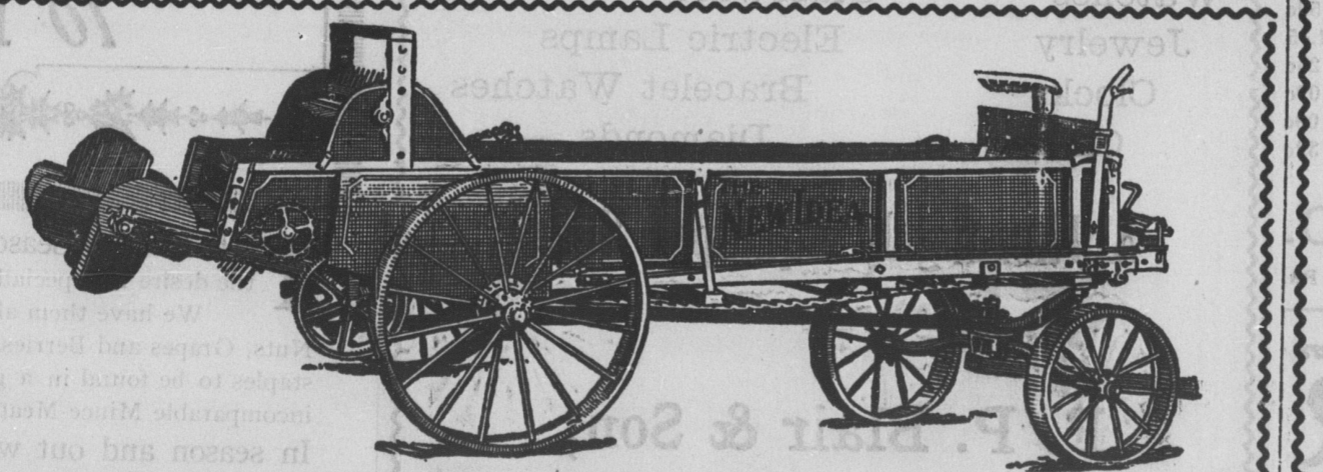
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