

Rheumatism Neuralgia Sprains

Miss C. MARONEY, of 2708 K. St., W. Washington, D. C., writes: "I suffered with rheumatism for five years and I have just got hold of your Liniment, and it has done me so much good. My knees do not pain and the swelling has gone."

Quiets the Nerves

Mrs. A. WEIDMAN, of 435 Thompson St., Maryville, Mo., writes:—"The nerve in my leg was destroyed five years ago and left me with a jerking at night so that I could not sleep. A friend told me to try your Liniment and now I could not do without it. I find after its use I can sleep."

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BOSTON CHILD KEPT DIGNITY

Matron Meant to Be Kindly, But Youngster Was Not Conversationally Inclined.

This story has been going the rounds of Boston about the ten-year-old son of Director Russell of the Boston opera house.

One evening during an entr'acte at the opera house Master Russell was promenading alone in the foyer, in faultlessly evening dress—a very glass of fashion. A Boston matron, seeing that he was lonely, began to make herself agreeable.

"You are Director Russell's little boy, aren't you?" she asked, with patronizing sweetness.

Master Russell resented this intrusion on his dignity, but his courtly manners were unruffled. "Yes, madam," he replied, with an elaborate bow.

"Where were you born?" "In France, madam"—slightly more frigid.

"What part?" continued the lady, feeling the conversation well started.

"All of me, madam."

And he bowed and walked away.—Judge

Too Great Expectations.

First Angler—Look, this fish was almost caught before; see the broken hook in its mouth.

Second Angler—It should have had sense enough to steer clear of hooks after that.

First Angler—Oh, come, you can't expect a fish to exhibit more sense than a human being.—Boston Transcript.

The Tender Spot.

"What have you done toward punishing lawbreakers?"

"Well," replied the shady police officer, "I have done a great deal toward hurting their feelings by taking their money away from them."

Providing.

"Is it really easy taking candy from a baby?"

"Not if the baby takes the place."

No, Cordelia, a dancing academy is not necessarily a hop joint.

A FRIEND'S ADVICE

Something Worth Listening To.

A young Nebr. man was advised by a friend to eat Grape-Nuts because he was all run down from a spell of fever. He tells the story:

"Last spring I had an attack of fever that left me in a very weak condition. I had to quit work; had no appetite, was nervous and discouraged."

"A friend advised me to eat Grape-Nuts, but I paid no attention to him and kept getting worse as time went by."

"I took many kinds of medicine but none of them seemed to help me. My system was completely run down, my blood got out of order from want of proper food, and several very large boils broke out on my neck. I was so weak I could hardly walk."

"One day mother ordered some Grape-Nuts and induced me to eat some. I felt better and that night rested fine. As I continued to use the food every day, I grew stronger steadily and now have regained my former good health. I would not be without Grape-Nuts, as I believe it is the most health-giving food in the world."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Read the book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason." Even read the above letter! A new use appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest. Adv.

ROAD and FARM IMPROVEMENT



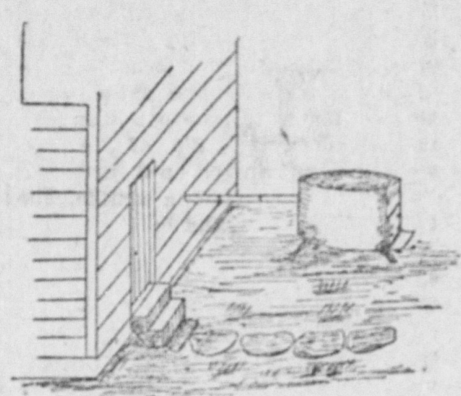
MAKING SMOKE HOUSE SAFE

Danger of Burning Building Eliminated by Use of Old Stove Connected by Pipe Outside.

(By J. G. WOODWORTH.)

It is often the case when building a fire in the smoke house that the fire will burn up too high and catch the meat, sometimes the flames catching the house, and as a consequence buildings may be destroyed.

Oftentimes the heat is such that the meat is partially cooked or heated to such an extent that it sweats and soon loses its flavor, becoming strong and



A Smoke House Stove.

unit for table use. This may be all overcome by the use of an old stove, one that is hardly fit for use in the house for heating purposes.

Make a hole that will accommodate the size of pipe you happen to have near the floor of the meat house; set the stove five or six feet from the house, that there may be used three joints of pipe. This will permit the smoke to cool sufficiently, which will give the meat a fine flavor.

It would be better to spend two or three dollars for a stove than to run a great risk in building a fire in the smoke house.

WHERE GOOD ROADS BENEFIT

Case Cited Where It Cost Farmer Much Time and Money to Deliver Small Load of Apples.

Recently my man went to the county seat to deliver 25 bushels of apples. The mud was so deep that the team was repeatedly stopped to wind on level stretches and on many hills a brake was not necessary, writes D. H. Watts in the New England Homestead.

The time required to make the round trip of 22 miles was 13 hours, not counting the time used feeding the team and in unloading. Much less time and scarcely any wear and tear of team, wagon and harness would have delivered 75 bushels on a macadam or a brick road bed.

If man and team are worth \$4 a day, and they are, then we lost \$3 earning capacity that day and worked very hard 13 hours (more than a day and a half, by eight-hour day system) to earn a day's wages. The gigantic question is not, do good roads cost too much, but how much more do bad roads cost us? Let every farmer be a committee of one to figure on road profits and losses. The postoffice department and many others might well participate. The consumer of farm products is a sufferer also, as because of these ill-kept roads his supply comes inadequately at times, and again so as to demoralize the market. It is true that difficult transportation invariably means higher prices at the consumer's door.

Filling the Granary.

Farmers nowadays are too busy and their time is too valuable to load corn into the granary by shovels. This work is now done by portable elevators with conveyors for delivering grain into the farthest corner

of barn, crib or granary, and distributing ear corn or small grain at various places in the length of the building. The discharge spout can be placed at different points, and will discharge on either side of the conveyor.

Handling Cabbage.

Cabbage which is to be stored should be handled with care. When thrown from the field into the wagon-box the heads are severely bruised, and this is likely to cause decay after storage. Some of the most careful growers use crates, baskets or tubs in which the heads are carefully placed in the field and these are hauled to the storage house, where they are emptied quickly and with ease. Too much care cannot be exercised in the harvesting of all crops which are intended for storage.

Corn Plants.

There will be a difference of results if the corn plants get all the plant food and moisture available or if they must share with a host of weeds.

NARROW ROADS ARE FAVORED

Agitation to Cut Width to Thirty Feet Has Been Taken Up in Kansas—Easier to Care For.

The agitation which was begun in Iowa two years ago to cut down the width of country roads, allowing the unused strips of land along each side of the highway to revert to the adjacent property owner, has now been taken up in Kansas, where the state highway engineer is advocating a plan similar to that advocated in Iowa by Governor Carroll, says the Iowa Homestead. The argument both in Iowa and in Kansas is that by narrowing the highways to thirty feet, and maintaining the entire width as a highway and drainage system, the wall of weeds upon each side of the roadway would be dispensed with and a great waste of land would be minimized. The Kansas highway engineer has figured that a sixty-foot roadway takes 14.55 acres from two sides of each section of land, or twenty-nine acres from each section if there is a road on all four sides. By abandoning thirty feet of each road that is now sixty feet wide, three and two-thirds acres would revert to the owner of each quarter section, thus materially adding to the farm income. The situation in Kansas is considerably akin to that in Iowa, only a portion (from one-third to one-half) of the land allotted to a highway being used as an actual roadway. Those who are back of the movement in both of the states believe that better results will be obtained by narrowing the road and keeping the narrower channel in better repair, while at the same time adding thousands of acres of rich farm land to the state's aggregate. Whether the agitation bears fruit or not it can hardly fail to be of value in furthering the cause of good roads by increasing public interest in the subject.

DEVICE FOR WEIGHING GRAIN

Arranged to Work Automatically, Registering Total Weight of Grain Passing Through.

The Scientific American in describing an automatic grain weigher, the invention of E. L. Adams of Edgar, Neb., says:

This device is operated automatically by the weight of grain it receives. It comprises a hollow vessel with an inlet at one end and an outlet at the other, and comprising means by which grain can enter the vessel until its limit of capacity is reached. Means also provide for the automatic discharge of the grain, and it passes continuously into the receiving vessel

at one end and is delivered at the other, being retained long enough to actuate the mechanism which controls the outlet, and to register the time the outlet mechanism is actuated in this way, so as to indicate the measure of the total quantity of grain passing through the weigher. A side view of the device is shown in the illustration.

Automatic Grain Weigher.

Good Roads & Farm Notes

Early plowing makes bigger crops. By the day, did you ever hear of a road drag?

A good time now to patch up around the farm buildings.

If possible, put the celery away in slightly moist, clean sand.

The toothbrush has become one of the important adjuncts to the modern farm.

Only in rare cases do cutworms bother crops that are planted on fall plowed land.

Alfalfa under congenial surroundings or conditions is a business crop and no loafer.

A coat of manure put on the garden this fall will give a good account of itself next June.

Hot bed sashes are usually three by six feet in dimensions, but smaller sizes may be used.

Seed corn is an expensive luxury if placed where the birds, poultry, mice and rats can get it.

It is quite common to sow buckwheat, especially on poor land, as a green manure crop.

A good time now to haul and spread manure on the vegetable garden so that winter rains can do their part.

Gardens infested with cut worms may be helped by keeping the land free from vegetation all fall and burning all trash.

Seed potatoes stored in the cellar should be kept in as light a place as possible. Light toughens the skins and retards sprouting.

There would be more broom corn raised if the farmers generally understood how to cut, handle and cure this money-making crop.

The original cost of the machinery found on the scrap heap of many of our farms would set a young couple up in business in very comfortable shape.

SNAPSHOTS AT STATE NEWS

All Pennsylvania Gleaned for Items of Interest.

REPORTS ABOUT CROPS GOOD

Farmers Busy in Every Locality—Churches Raising Funds for Many Worthy Objects—Items of Business and Pleasure that Interest.

Horace John, of Uwehland, on a gunning trip to Butler County, bagged 50 rabbits and a number of pheasants.

The recent election in Chester County cost the taxpayers more than \$2,400.

F. H. Williams, a bond salesman, was sent to jail for 18 months at Lancaster for forging a check for \$370.

For the bidding of a central high school the bonded indebtedness of Mahanoy City has been increased \$100,000 by vote of the electors.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the West End Free Library, Chester, conducted a bake to raise funds for new books for the library.

Mrs. Frank Stofflet, of Hoffmansville, has raised a watermelon 42 inches in circumference, weighing 23 pounds 9 ounces.

Miss Millie Fisher, of Robesonia, rides in a side-saddle more than 100 years old that belonged to her great-grandmother.

Three ears of corn grown into one that he took from his field twenty-four years ago still is preserved by David Heydt, of Shanesville.

Citizens of Souderton have voted to increase the borough indebtedness, \$25,000 for permanent paving and water system improvement.

Jonathan M. Reinert, foreman of a railroad repair gang, sustained a fractured leg at Shamrock, Berks County, when a heavy steel rail fell on him.

An annex to be used for a boys' gymnasium is being built at Bethany Chapel, Pottstown, which is supported by the Hill School Y. M. C. A.

Attorney Joseph B. Jenkins has been elected City Solicitor of Carbonade to succeed the late Louis B. Garner. Mr. Jenkins has been practicing law only a few years.

Mrs. Irwin Kessler, of Reading, was found unconscious in her home by her son from a dose of poison, and died before medical aid could be summoned.

The Pottstown School Board is converting the school houses into social centers during the evening hours, when entertainments are given for the parents of pupils.

William Irvin Swoope, of Clearfield, formerly District Attorney of Clearfield County, has been selected to deliver the memorial address for Altoona Lodge of Elks at the annual memorial services, December 1.

Stooping near the trolley track at West Chester to remove a loose brick, Patrick Riley, a contractor, was hit on the head by the step of a passing car and badly hurt.

Judge Harvey W. Whitehead, Lycoming County's new President Judge, made his first visit to Coudersport last week. He assisted Judge Ormead in the trial of civil cases. The Coudersport Enterprise speaks thus of the dispenser of justice: "He has the appearance of a royal gentleman and a just and dignified judge, and made an excellent impression with the bar and with litigants of Potter County."

The Lary's Creek Club has 50 members and owns several thousand acres of land in Lycoming County. In a preserve on the land may be found almost every species of deer. The members of the club do no hunting in the preserve. There is an old buck deer that was fenced in several years ago, and it is just about an even chance that the old fellow will form the main dish at a big dinner at the clubhouse this year. Two years ago the old buck was court-martialed and found guilty. Sentence was suspended. Last year the club members held another trial, and again the buck was found guilty. This time he was sentenced to be shot. This season the sentence is likely to be executed, in which event a venison dinner will be at the clubhouse.

Dr. G. S. Wagner, of Lancaster, caught a 24-inch pike, and in it was a 12-inch bass.

George Shockalanus was captured near Shamokin, following a murderous attack on Joseph Schultz.

John D. Gage of Cambridge Springs, who is 80 years old, is not actively in service as a justice of the peace, but he is a busy writer of poetry. There is scarcely a week that one of his new "creations" does not reach his friends in Crawford County.

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"I like to see anyone get back at an impudent lawyer. I got back at such a lawyer myself the other day."

"The man was my counsel in a customs dispute over some Gobelin tapestries that I'd imported. His name had, like my own, a 'Mc' in it, and I said to him, as I settled his very large bill:

"Are you an Irishman, sir?" "No," he answered, with a pompous laugh, "but I've made a lot of money out of Irishmen in my time."

"Oh, I see," said I. "I suppose we might call you an Irishman by extraction, then."

ECZEMA ON CHILD'S FACE

R. F. D. No. 5, Lexington, Tenn.—"My little boy broke out on the face with that terrible disease, eczema, when he was just one month old, and I just thought sure it would kill him, as it killed our other baby at five months old. It would break out in pimples and scab over, and he cried day and night. I thought that there was no cure for him at all. His face would itch and burn so bad that I had to tie his little hands down so he could not scratch his face.

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GOOD DESCRIPTION.



Teacher—Willie, what is a volcano? Willie—Why-er, it's like a furnace full of Roman candles wid de door open.

Limit. "Here's your portrait, sir." "That my portrait? Well, I may have sat for it, but I won't stand for it."

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