

### PRUNING NOW IN FULL SEASON

Weather Has Made It Impossible to Work in the Field

The pruning season is on. It has been on all winter, but the weather and other conditions have been such that it was practically impossible to work in the orchard.

Prof. J. G. Sanders, Zoologist of the State Department of Agriculture, says: "When working in the apple trees remember that old adage, 'Winter pruning makes wood and summer pruning makes fruit.'"

"In pruning an apple tree remember that an open headed tree is not a vase-shaped tree. It is a tree in which the branches are well spaced all over the tree and far enough apart so that when the foliage is on there will be a good circulation of air through the tree, and that all parts of the tree will be reached by the sun sometime during the day."

"Have no crooked limbs in the tree, because limbs with sharp bends or angles cannot carry nearly as heavy a load as those that are straight. Crooked limbs will split and break under heavy loads."

"When removing limbs, if they are large, make the first cut in the upper side, just a little farther out. Much injury to trees is saved by this method."

"Paint all wounds, as soon as they have dried sufficiently to take paint, with pure raw linseed oil and white lead paint. Driers, turpentine and boiled oil are injurious to the cambium layer, killing it and thus making the wound larger and longer in healing."

"Cherry trees need but little pruning as a rule, except to take out interlocking branches. Sometimes from lack of attention for a number of years, some cherry trees become very dense. In such cases, the thinning out of the wood is absolutely necessary."

"Plum trees should be carefully examined and if the heads are too thick, remove just enough wood to insure a good circulation of air through them, when the foliage is on. If there is not a free current of air through a plum tree, there is greater damage from brown rot, because of the more humid conditions."

"Branch trees are pruned differently than the other fruit trees. In training the young trees, endeavor to produce a top that is higher on the outside than in the center—a sort of umbrella—and in doing this last season's growth is cut back nearly a half. As the trees grow older, this heavy cutting is not indicated, but the leaders are shortened back and if there are too many branches, some are taken out. Induce some short branches to grow on the upright branches from small foliage, so when the branches open up and come down under the load of fruit, there will be a little foliage to protect the branches from sunscald. Also there inside branches will bear fruit."

"Get this pruning done at once and should bad weather come, spend as much time as necessary to put the spraying apparatus in good shape, so that it will be ready for use."

### PLAN PERMANENT ORGANIZATION

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or drive, will be organized first in the city, and later will be perfected throughout the county. The resources of such a committee, to consist, according to the original plan, of 1,000 men and half as many women in the city, can be seen at a glance. With the Red Cross drive coming in the early summer, and the other Liberty Loan drives that must inevitably follow, will make Harrisburg stride ahead of other cities in the north when it is called upon to raise a quota.

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### STUPENDOUS VICTORY FARM CHICAGO MEN'S "BIT" IN WAR



The victory farm of 50,000 acres in Snipe Lake district, Saskatchewan, which in a ten days' drive will be seeded this spring with the aid of sixteen huge tractors, is the answer of Chicago business men who never farmed a lick but have organized the most efficient army to do it the world has ever seen.

To break, disc, drag and seed two-thirds of the stupendous acreage in the Snipe Lake district, and do it out of hand, Frederick S. Oliver and his associates combed the bonanza farm regions for performers. First they picked J. E. Hausinger, who holds the world's record for breaking with one tractor, 2,600 acres in 60 days. Then they engaged for his associates, two Red River valley wheat kings, George H. Walsh and A. A. Parker. The triumvirate pooled their practical experience, pep and astuteness and bought iron horses—big ones—capable of the most economical performance in the shortest time.

The end of the war will not affect this war-farm seeding campaign, according to Mr. Oliver. "Even should peace be declared at an early date, the need of increased production will not be obviated," he said. "After the Civil War, when the price of farm products reached 200 per cent, while transportation rates increased but little and in some cases even decreased wheat went up to \$1.30 and stayed above a dollar for twenty years after the war. And yet after the war there was room for enormous expansion of the wheat growing areas in the development of the Mississippi valley, which expansion is not now possible as it was then, although the consuming population in all parts of the world is many times greater. The only place where a large production plan can be put through is in the Canadian West, with its millions of acres of new land. Saskatchewan is the greatest wheat producing region on the continent, with a wheat crop for ten years seventy-one and three-tenths per cent greater per acre than the whole United States. In 1915, Saskatchewan's wheat crop averaged 25.5 bushels per acre, against 17 bushels per acre for the United States."

### REGISTRATION OF FLOUR TO CLOSE AT WEEK'S END

Result of Tabulation Shows Little Indication of Hoarding Charges

The Dauphin County Food Administration will continue the registration of flour the remainder of the week. By that time it is hoped to have the registration of flour in city and county complete.

The cards will continue to appear in the Telegraph, and householders who have not yet sent in their reports, are requested by the administrator to do so without delay. Only about 18,000 reports out of an estimated 33,000 have returned from Dauphin county householders.

Between two and three thousand reports were sent to the food administration office this morning. Yesterday was the biggest day, 3,700 cards being returned and tabulated before the offices were closed.

The total registration showed an excess flour supply of more than 60 tons held in stock by Dauphin county householders. The average, though is only about 40 pounds of flour to the average holding household. There are to date 3,050 families holding excess flour amounting to 119,825 pounds.

Not Hoarding. While the amount of excess flour in the county is large, it is hardly likely that condition will be considered such as to warrant any diverting of the flour from its present owners to less fortunate householders. Of the 18,000 householders reporting their flour supply, there has not yet been a single instance where a householder has complained that he finds difficulty procuring enough flour to supply his normal needs.

For this reason, and because the excess flour is not a sign of hoarding, but the natural result in most cases of the householders stocking up for the year, it is not likely that stringent steps will follow the report of large amounts of excess. About 500 pounds over a 30 days supply was the largest excess reported, but this was milled from the farmer's grain last fall, according to his yearly custom. All the largest excess supplies are held in the same way.

### Marriage Not His Dish, So He Goes to War

Cleveland, Ohio.—Four months of married life ended for William T. Davis and Mary Davis, of No. 9103 Morris avenue, N. E., with Mr. Davis on his way to France, Mrs. Davis in charge of Mr. Davis' personal property.

Shortly after the wedding, Mrs. Davis says in her petition, her husband began to neglect his home. Recently, she says, he wrote he was on his way with the army to France and that she would never see him again.

When applying for her divorce Mrs. Davis had Judge Alvin J. Pearson appoint P. T. Harold of the Citizens' Savings and Trust Company receiver of the following property of her husband: Five acres of land in Alabama, an automobile, a few shares of stock in an oil well and a mine, and some stock in a Massachusetts silk mill.

### 100 Pittsburgh Men, Taken as Draft Evaders, Are Sent to Camp Lee, Va.

Pittsburgh, March 13.—One hundred men, arrested several days ago by Pittsburgh police in a roundup of alleged draft evaders, were today taken to Camp Lee, Va., where they will be inducted into military service. The greater number of the more than 600 men arrested in the roundup had been released to-day, having filled out draft questionnaires or having furnished satisfactory proof that they had returned their questionnaires.

The men sent to Camp Lee were those who in filling out their questionnaires yesterday waived all rights to exemption of deferred classification.

At a meeting of the committee in charge of the "Go to College" dinner

### HER DAUGHTER WAS SAVED FROM OPERATION

Mrs. Wells of Petersburg Tells How

Petersburg, Va.—"For two years my daughter suffered from a weak nervous system and pain in her right side; at times she was so bad that she could not do any work. For two years she was attended by the best physicians here, and both agreed that she would have to be operated on. I suggested Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and at first she refused to take it, but finally consented. From the very beginning it helped her, and now she is entirely well, and telling everybody how much good it has done her."—Mrs. W. D. Wells, 226 North Adams St., Petersburg, Virginia.

"For special advice women are asked to write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of forty years experience is at your service."

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at the University clubrooms. Front and Market streets, tentative plans were discussed and arrangements made for the dinner. The boys in the senior classes of the Technical and Central High schools and Harrisburg Academy will be the guests of honor at the dinner which, probably, will be held Friday, April 19. The program was discussed and further details will be announced later.

### Dandruff Surely Destroys The Hair

Girls—If you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.  
It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arsenic; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.  
By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.  
You will find, too, that all itching and clearing of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel as hundreds times better. You can get liquid arsenic at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you need. No matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

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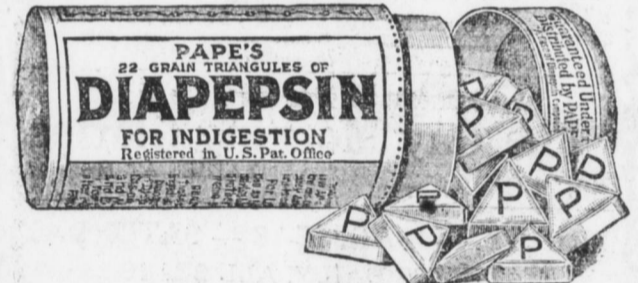
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### Methodist Conference Favors Dry Amendment; Gov. Brumbaugh to Speak

Philadelphia, March 13.—The Philadelphia conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, to-day placed on record its unanimous support of the national prohibition amendment.

The resolution, adopted amid great enthusiasm, followed a denunciation of liquor by Bishop Joseph F. Berry, resident bishop of Philadelphia, at the opening of the 434th session of the conference. The bishop declared it is more religious to vote than pray against rum on election day, adding that the time has come for the church to throttle this lawless, black handed enemy.

The sessions, embracing the conference membership in the territory from the Delaware to the Susquehanna rivers and from the Delaware county line to the coal regions, are being held in Simpson Memorial Church. About 400 ministers are in attendance.  
A feature of the conference, which will continue for about a week, will be the dedication of the conference service flag, containing 4,322 stars, at a big patriotic rally to-morrow night. This is believed to be the largest service flag in the country, each star representing a Methodist clergyman or a member of his congregation in the service of Uncle Sam. Governor Brumbaugh will be among the speakers.

### England's Brewing Equal to 512,000 Tons Shipping

London, Tuesday, March 12.—Criticism of the continued use of grain for brewing and malting was made in the House of Commons today by the Right Honorable Leitch-Jones and others. John K. Clynes, parliamentary secretary of the food control board, in reply said that having regard, among other considerations, for the food situation and opinion in America, the government, while maintaining a supply of beer for heavy manual workers, intended to reduce immediately the tonnage to be used for brewing material.

The brewing materials for 1918-19, Mr. Clynes added, would be equivalent to 512,000 tons of shipping, compared to 1,500,000 tons early in the war.

### For a Shiny Nose and Bad Complexion

Paris.—Famous actresses owe their beautiful complexions to the following French Beauty Recipe: Wash your face with bituminous and rub in a teaspoonful of Creme Tokalon Roseate, wipe the face dry and apply Poudre Pastication—a very fine complexion powder prepared especially for shiny noses and bad complexion. Roseated cream is different from all others. Complexion blemishes are vanished and surprising results produced after a single application in many instances. Success guaranteed on money back. Sold at any good toilet counter. Supplied by Gorgas, Kennedy's, Croll, Kenyon, Dives, Cumberley and Stewart, Bowman & Co.

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### 66 SUFFOCATE IN PANIC DURING RAID

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Paris, March 12.—As a result of Monday night's German air raid, sixty-six persons were suffocated through crowding in a panic into a Metropolitan railway entrance to take refuge from the raiders. These were for the most part women and children.

Of the bomb victims, twenty-nine were killed and fifty injured in Paris and five killed and twenty-nine injured in the suburbs. Nine squadrons comprising about thirty airplanes, took part in the raid. The Germans lost four planes, one of the raiders being brought down in flames three miles from Chateau-Thierry. A German captain who was on board and was taken prisoner with the crew belongs to the Third squadron of the German Seventh Army. Another pilot was hit by anti-aircraft guns and fell north of Soissons, three passengers, two of them officers, being captured.

The fog which had covered the city Monday morning settled down again in the early evening. It was thick enough to cause the general belief that there was little chance that the Germans would attempt an air raid. The official statement of the raid says that warning was given at 9:10 o'clock, and that "all clear" was sounded at midnight. Although airplanes crossed the French lines, thanks to the artillery barrage, a certain number of machines were unable to reach the target zone. Nevertheless, the statement adds, numerous bombs were thrown on Paris and the suburbs. Several buildings were demolished or set on fire.

### Baker Takes Refuge in Wine Cellar to Escape German Bombs

Paris, March 12.—Secretary Baker was in conference with General Tasker H. Bliss, the American chief of staff, in a hotel suite when the air alarm was sounded at 9:10. Baker was not perturbed by the noise of the firemen's sirens or the barrage of the anti-aircraft guns, but the hotel management, fearing for the safety of the Secretary and his party, persuaded them to descend to a place of shelter in the wine cellar.

Mr. Baker and General Bliss continued their conference in the cellar, where later they were joined by Major-General William M. Black. Mr. Baker seems to have left yesterday morning for another conference with General Bliss.

An Atlantic Post—A 29-year-old French "ace," who has been awarded all the war decorations possible to a flyer by his country, arrived here to-day in the person of Lieutenant Constant Soulier, who in the last two years has shot down fifteen German airplanes and killed or captured their pilots.

Lieutenant Soulier modestly admitted his achievements only when fellow-passengers on the French liner which brought him over told of it. He has come to America on a yacht's tour to help train United States army aviators. Several of his machines will be sent across later.

### Consolidation of City Ticket Offices Ordered

Washington, March 13.—The railroad administration is taking steps to consolidate city ticket offices in scores of cities and expects to save several millions of dollars a year by their unification. Consolidation has been ordered for Washington, Atlanta and several other cities, and is under way in New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Cleveland. Pittsburgh and elsewhere.  
Use McNeil's Pain Exterminator—Ad.

### Council to Act on New Water Rates Next Week

No action will likely be taken on the report of J. W. Ledoux, of Philadelphia, who submitted a new system of charging water rates in the city, until next Tuesday when Council meets in regular session it was said to-day.

The new schedules as prepared would increase the city's revenues from the department about \$25,000. The rates are based entirely on a return of 4 per cent on the investment in the water supply works, and a 1 per cent depreciation charge. A number of conferences will be held during the next few days by members of Council to make a thorough study of the report and the recommendation for improvements. One of these it is understood, includes the suggestion that another electrical pump should be purchased. Other suggestions include ed. Other suggestions include a better service and release a large main for fire service.

Under the first schedule Mr. Ledoux submits the manufacturers will be affected the most by the increased rates. This one is recommended as the most rational for the city to adopt. The other two are modifications in which the rates to household consumers are increased on a larger percentage than in the first one.

### Name Board to View Bridge Near Hummelstown

Viewers were appointed to-day to make a report on the advisability of rebuilding the bridge over Swatara creek just west of Hummelstown. The County Commissioners made an appropriation in the 1918 budget to provide for the construction of a concrete structure across the creek, replacing the wooden and iron bridge now in use. The board includes Paul G. Smith, E. Clark Couderc and Joseph W. Umberger, of Millersburg.

### Dyspepsia Spoils Beauty

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<p>Women's Light Gray Kid Boot; nine inch top; full Louis heel; new model; \$6 value. Special <b>\$4.95</b></p> <p>Women's Gray Kid, nine-inch Boot; military last; \$6 value. Special <b>\$4.95</b></p>	<p>Women's Havana Brown Kid; nine-inch top; full Louis heel; \$5 value. Special <b>\$3.95</b></p> <p>Misses' Lace Shoes in brown kid or tan calf. Regular English last. Special Prices, \$2.65, <b>\$3.45</b> \$2.95 and ...</p>
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