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DON'T TAKE A CHANCE.

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Kitchen Shower.

As the sun was sinking behind the western horizon last Saturday the home of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Sipes who had just recently been married was invaded by the Ladies Aid Society of Siloam Church, with the result that more than three score people had a most delightful evening socially. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schooley, Mrs. George Fix, son Russell and daughter Edith; Mrs. Stella Hollinshead, Miss Winnie Metzler, Miss Stella Schooley, Mr. and Mrs. Cadiz Schooley, and sons Elmer and Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Sipes and children—Charles, Margaret, Fred, Harold, and Estaline; Mrs. Clara Decker, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Strait and children Gladys, Stanley, Grover and Eloyd; Mrs. David Strait, Charlie Strait, Mrs. Wilbur Sipes and daughter Nora, Misses Etta and Rebecca Hook ensmith, Mrs. Florence Wink and daughter Jane, Miss Edith Mumma, Mrs. Sarah Beesecker and son James, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Deshong and children Floyd, Henrietta and Reamer; Mr. and Mrs. Mack Sipes and children Maurice, Cloyd, Lula, Helen, Emil, Lester, Beulah, and Henrietta, Mrs. Effie Sipes and children Ruth, Ralph, and Velma; Mrs. Katie Schooley, Vernon Strait, Olive Strait and Vernon Schooley.

Refreshments were served and the table just groaned under the weight of good things to eat. By the time they were all done eating the table had quit groaning and the guests were doing the groaning act.

As this was primarily a kitchen shower, the useful articles presented to the newly married couple will come in handy for many a day, and be a constant reminder of the thoughtfulness and good will of so many nice friends. Mr. and Mrs. Sipes had gone to housekeeping just the day before in a nice home the groom had in readiness for his bride before they were married.

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Backyard Pig Feeding.

Urgent requests upon citizens of towns, villages and rural sections to raise pigs in their back yards are being made in Canada and the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture has repeatedly urged greater interest in hog raising in this State. The appeal to the Canadian people which can well be followed in Pennsylvania points out the profits of backyard feeding.

The hog plays a most important part in rationing our armies and those of our Allies. No other animal can so quickly and economically produce the meat and fat in which our European Allies are so woefully short. Eventually success of our armies depends, in no insignificant degree, upon the ability of our people to raise hogs—and more hogs.

In this important work residents of villages, towns and cities can give most helpful assistance. Nor need the work be unpleasant. "As dirty as a pig," is an old saying which maligns the hog. If given a chance to be clean, the pig is among the most cleanly of domesticated animals. With reasonably good management, the hog is neither unsanitary nor offensive when fed in the backyard of an urban dwelling; while the table refuse, otherwise wasted, may be profitably utilized by him. The householder, in short, who in this year of trial feeds a pig, at once performs a most urgent patriotic service and utilizes spare moments and table refuse very profitably for himself.

Weaning pigs, at from six to eight weeks of age, weigh in the neighborhood of thirty pounds. If males, they should be castrated either before or shortly after weaning. Young sow pigs will make as economical gains as the barrows. Generally speaking, pigs that are fairly long, deep, with rather short, broad heads, fairly strong bone, and an abundant coat of silky hair, makes the best use of the feed supplied, and consequently will make the most economical gains.

FEED A PIG, BECAUSE

1. Hogs multiply rapidly and mature quickly, so that they offer the quickest means of increasing the armies' supply of meat.
2. Hogs produce more meat from a given amount of feed than any other domestic animal.
3. Hogs give a greater weight of dressed carcass in proportion to live weight than any other animal.
4. The carcass of the hog contains more edible meat in proportion to bone than that of any other animal.
5. Pork and bacon contain a large proportion of edible fat which is vitally needed in the rations of soldiers.
6. Bacon is the most compact form in which meat can be shipped abroad.
7. One or two pigs can be kept in the backyards of thousands of urban households with profit.

It is necessary to supply growing pigs with food which are concentrated in character, that is, containing not too much fibre and bulk. Young pigs are generally weaned with skim milk, so that when this food is not available, we must try to replace it as best we can. At the outset then, some shorts or middlings should be available. They are relished by the pigs, and may be fed to a certain extent right through the fattening time. Tankage, which can also be purchased at the feed store, can be fed with profit. It helps to take the place of the skim milk. It should be fed sparingly at first, forming two or three per cent. of the meal ration, and this may be increased to ten per cent. as the hog grows and becomes accustomed to it. Coming in a dry powder form it is conveniently mixed with the grain before feeding.

As the pig gains in weight and reaches about three months or so in age, it will be necessary to supply some heavier grain. Ground barley, gradually added, is excellent, while a little oat chop may be fed. Finely ground screenings can be fairly cheaply obtained and may form part of the ration, supplemented with ground barley or oats to keep from becoming too close in texture. In feeding meal to pigs, feed just what they will nicely

clean up and no more. The most economical gains are made when the pig is kept just slightly below his limit and at no time overstepping it. If water is supplied constantly, the meal should not be made too sloppy. If the meal is dampened there will be less waste than if fed dry.

The hog is the most economical consumer of by products. Much of the garbage will be relished by him, but care must be taken to keep broken dishes and glass out of the garbage can, and not to feed anything that will tend to cause poisoning, such as soapy dishwater, etc. Dishwater which contains no chemical or soap has some food value for pigs. Assuming that a small yard is supplied the pig for exercise, care must be taken not to sour the ground by feeding the garbage always in one place, and allowing it to become stagnant. Garden refuse should find a place in the ration of every pig kept in the back yard. The weeds that are pulled out, the plants that are hoed out when thinning, the tops that are cut off, etc., if thrown into the yard supply the green food which is necessary to keep the pig in a thrifty condition. The grass that is mowed from the lawn will be relished particularly if the pig's yard is small, and what he does not eat will, when dried, make a fairly satisfactory bed for him to lie on. Ordinarily it will not be found practicable to cook the garbage. Materials such as potato peelings are much more valuable for pigs when cooked, and if they can be cooked they should be fed along with the meal ration.

Lice tend to weaken the vitality of pigs, and render them more susceptible to disease. Two parts of creolin to one hundred parts of water makes a good dip for lice. Creolin petroleum is also effective. One application is seldom sufficient, and a little applied from time to time will do no harm.

During the warmer months of the year warm houses are not required for growing pigs. About all that is necessary is shelter from the hot sun and wind, and a dry bed. The wood shed forms shelter on two sides, and the roof, which can be made of rough lumber, supplemented with battens, and given a slight pitch, forms shelter from the sun and rain. If the location is high, and actual drainage is good, it will not hurt the pigs if no floor is supplied. In very damp weather, or if the location is not very high, a few boards or planks will keep the pigs' sleeping quarters elevated and dry, and will help to prevent rheumatism and crippling. If no litter is available, a bale of shavings will be sufficient to keep the quarters comfortable for some time.

If a more permanent type of house is deemed advisable, an "A" shaped pen, might be used. The size can be varied with the number of pigs kept.

PLEASANT RIDGE.

April 2—Nathan H. Mellott and wife spent the time from Friday until Monday in the home of their daughter near Mercersburg, and in visiting other friends in that community.

Misses Rhoda, Verna and Bertha Garland spent Saturday and Sunday in the home of their sister, Mrs. Emory Deshong, near Hancock.

Frank Mellott and family spent Sunday in the home of his brother Clarence, and spent the evening at Rev. W. R. Truax's.

Bretherd Waltz and wife and daughter Esta and son John, and Rev. John Mellott and wife—all motored to Breezewood Friday evening by Mr. Dawson Truax; they returned home Sunday evening.

Those who spent Sunday in the home of John H. Strait, were Trout Fagley and wife, James Fagley and wife and daughter, Reed Mellott and wife, Ross Bard, Ross Mellott, Nevada Melout, Jesse Truax, Hartman Truax and wife, Lizzie Layton, Roy Truax, and John and Charlie Hockenberry.

The District Meeting will be held at the Brethren church on the 17th and 18th of April, beginning at 1 o'clock, Wednesday. Simpson Mellott and wife spent Saturday evening at Roland Sharpe's.

Sipes--Dorthey.

Mr. James S. Sipes, formerly of this county, but now a resident of Packwood, Iowa, was married on the 29th of March to Miss Anna R. Dorthey of Bogus, Iowa. The groom is a son of M. P. Sipes of Licking Creek township, and he went to Iowa some six years ago. He is an industrious and well-to-do young man. The bride is an accomplished young lady and popular in her set. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Sipes left on a wedding trip that would include points in Illinois and Missouri. Jimmie's home friends extend congratulations and extend best wishes.

Had Paralytic Stroke.

Mrs. Richard Madden, who resides on the home farm near Dublin Mills, was stricken with a paralytic stroke early Friday morning of last week, rendering her entirely helpless. Dr. R. B. Campbell, of Mount Union was immediately summoned by phone, and he is now rendering her the necessary medical attention.

Mrs. Madden, who is the widow of the late Richard Madden is an estimable lady, and her numerous friends earnestly hope for her recovery.

The Whole Building.

The Royal Woolen Mills of Hagerstown and Chambersburg, with branches elsewhere, recently secured the large three-story building on the South-east corner of the Public Square in Hagerstown and have fitted up the whole building to be used exclusively for the manufacture of cloth and the making of men's clothing. This is said to be the largest establishment of its kind in that part of the United States.

No Chautauqua This Year.

On account of the stringency caused by the great war, it has been thought best not to have our annual Chautauqua Course in McConnellsburg this year. The clouds of war are daily becoming more ominous, and our people should not spend money for anything they can get along without, but lend that money—if it be only a quarter—to the Government to help strangle the Great German Brute.

A belated Easter storm is responsible for the NEWS not getting to its readers on time this week. Almost identical with this date two years ago, and eleven years ago, we had a snow storm quite the equal of the one this week.

Word has been received by his home folks that Charles E. Barmont one of the Fulton County boys at Camp Lee is in the Base Hospital at that place.

Mr. N. H. Peck, near Needmore, spent Wednesday night in the home of his cousin Bennett at McConnellsburg.

Sounds Deceptive.

Someone has estimated that there are 30,000,000 cats in this country. Inasmuch as a few cats may sound like millions at certain uncanny hours at night, we demand a count.—Pittsburgh Post.

Clock Struck One.

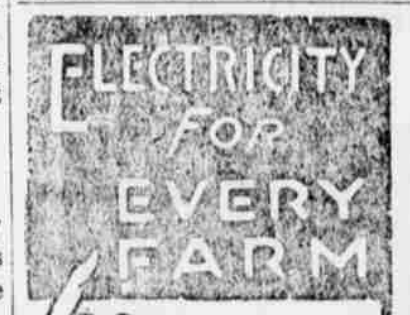
Horrid Bore—"I rise by an alarm clock." Pretty Girl—"I retire by one. There it goes now!"—Judge.

The Work for the Liberty Loan.

Colonel Roosevelt in his address to the Liberty Loan workers at Sagamore Hill told an old truth in a new way when he said that a loan did not float itself. Very few things in this world act automatically. Somebody must do the work, says the Paderphin Inquirer. Some persons have a sub-conscious notion that when the government announces its intention of doing a thing that the thing is done. Nothing could be farther from the truth. It is true that it has unrivaled facilities, and that its prestige means much but there must always be somebody to do the work, somebody to arouse the people to the importance of doing their duty, and this is especially the case with this third Liberty Loan.

Hence the campaign of publicity for the forthcoming government securities. We have speeches, ceremonies of all sorts and constant appeals to the patriotism of the people. All of this is necessary because what is everybody's business is nobody's business. It is certain as anything can be that the new issue of Liberty Bonds will be sold quickly. It is quite likely that they will be oversubscribed—that is the desire of the government. But they will not float themselves, as the former President says, and for that reason it becomes the patriotic duty of all who are able to assist in making the issue one overwhelming success.

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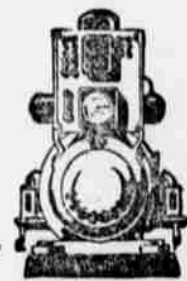
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SOAP.

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