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**A Good Motive.**  
He—People will talk about you if you don't exercise a little more discretion.  
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**Conservative Statement.**  
She—I suppose you never met your affinity, Mr. Olbach?  
He—I don't know. One can't tell one's affinity except by marrying, and then it may turn out to be a case of mistaken identity.—Tit-Bits.

**The Quarrel.**  
Mrs. B. (sobbing)—When we were first married you used to take me on your knee and tickle me under the chin.  
Mr. B.—Yes, but gee whiz! Julia, then you had only one chin.—Judge.

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**BREAKING THE NEWS.**



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**INFLUENCE OF BLOOD.**

Four Qualities in Cattle, as Well as Good Ones, May Be Inherited and Perpetuated.

Heredity is the transmission of character from parent to offspring. This transmission may be either beneficial or detrimental to the breeder. A poor quality, as well as a good one, may be inherited. It is by being able to control this law of heredity so that only the good qualities are transmitted that success is attained, says H. C. Price, in National Stockman. Heredity is the corner stone of stock breeding. Experience teaches every breeder to



SHORTHORN BULL ST. VALENTINE.

judge the future by the past, or the coming offspring by its progenitors. The breeder knows what to expect and feels sure that the young will possess some of the characteristics of their parents.

A very good example of this establishment of a type in recent years is to be found in the pure-bred strain of Polled Durham cattle. The subject of originating a breed of polled shorthorns was agitated 15 or 20 years ago and culminated in the Polled Durham breed, which we have to-day. The process followed was to take the best muley cows to be found among the common stock and breed to pure-bred shorthorn bulls, saving the polled heifers produced from this union and breeding back to pure-bred shorthorn bulls. This process was followed constantly, eliminating the common stock blood and preserving the polled characteristic until for all practical purposes they were pure-bred shorthorns.

While this process was going on a pure-bred shorthorn cow in Lorain county, O., gave birth to twin heifer calves from a shorthorn bull that were hornless. About the same time a pure-bred shorthorn bull calf was dropped without horns. These polled pure breeds, which were in reality "sports," were mated, the offspring from them that were polled were saved, and from those three calves there are to-day several hundred polled cattle.

**MOLASSES AS FEED.**

Experiments Conducted by French Government Experts Have Proved Quite Satisfactory.

Many agriculturists in Europe have long been convinced that molasses is an admirable food for horses and cattle, and their conviction is now stronger than ever, owing to certain experiments which have been recently tried and which proved eminently successful.

The French government has publicly notified agriculturists that it will do all in its power to aid them in popularizing the new food.

The most notable experiments with molasses have been made by M. Derombeque, a chemist, and M. Manneche, a veterinary surgeon at Arras. They assert that chopped hay or grass mixed with molasses is an excellent cure for asthma, and, furthermore, that food of this kind neither loads the stomach nor impedes respiration. They also think it likely that during digestion the sugar in the food produces alcohol, and they say that, if so, the animal's health is bound to be benefited thereby.

Two other experts, MM. Dickson and Malpeaux, have also made experiments in regard to the effect of molasses on the general health, weight and milk of animals, and they have arrived at the following conclusions:

First, that ordinary food mixed with molasses quickly increases the weight of sheep, pigs and cows; second, that animals which are fed in this way give more and richer milk than they did before; third, that molasses is an excellent food for horses, since they quickly acquire a liking for it and apparently do not lose any of their strength, the only noticeable change being a slight tendency to stoutness, and, fourth, that molasses can effectively be used with food of an inferior quality, since the animals will readily eat it, whereas they would not care for it in its natural condition.

M. Albert Vilcoq, a French professor of agriculture, says that the French government is acting very wisely in encouraging farmers to use molasses, but he points out that care should be taken not to give the animals too much of it, as, owing to its heating qualities, it may produce a deleterious effect if given too often or too abundantly.—N. Y. Herald.

Frames of sealed honey should be used for late feeding, but if this cannot be done, the best substitute is

**SHE ADMIRES JIMMY.**

Mysterious Girl Pursues Well-Known Yankee Bicyclist.

Her Maid Calls Her "Princess," and It is rumored She May Be Daughter of Alexis, One of the Czar's Uncles.

"Jimmy" Michael, the bicyclist crack-a-jack, has had a mysterious romance since he began riding at Paris, and is the greatest favorite among the women.

"I don't object to their sending me notes and portraits," he says. "My manager spares me the trouble of reading their foolish messages. But receiving flowers kills me. Everybody sends me bouquets, which are carried to my dressing-room, and I cannot refuse them without rudeness, yet they make me feel like a chorus girl."

"Jimmy" was compelled to make an exception in his disregard of femininity two weeks ago, says the New York World. While he was training on the Parc des Princess track a beautiful girl suddenly dashed from the riders' quarters, to everybody's surprise, for in the morning only racers are admitted.

The girl took a few leisurely turns, then "tacked on to" Michael's wheel, keeping up a tremendous gait at his pace easily for two miles.

The boy was unconscious that he was followed until his trainer, growing impatient, cried:

"Spurt twice around and drop the lady, 'Jimmy.'"

"Jimmy" turned, saw the girl and increased his pace, smilingly confident that she would be unable to follow. But he was mistaken. Try as he might he could not leave the girl behind.

Finally the trainer, fearing that Michael would be unfit for his afternoon ride, ordered him to desist.

The girl immediately dismounted and extended her hand to "Jimmy," saying, in English:

"I admire your riding immensely."

"By Jove! I admire yours," exclaimed "Jimmy."

"Oh, I am good for short spurts," she responded, "but I couldn't have



JIMMY MICHAEL, (American Crack-a-Jack Who is the Sensation of Paris.)

followed much longer. Will you be friends?"

"With pleasure," cried "Jimmy."

"May I inquire who does me such honor?"

"Never mind my name. I will meet you here every morning."

Thereupon the strange girl handed her wheel to an attendant and entered a luxurious closed carriage, which had a coachman and footman in full livery, and drove off.

The manager of the Velodrome was questioned, but could give no information as to the identity of the young woman, as a servant had arranged for the lady's riding daily, paying handsomely for the privilege.

Since that day the girl has been attending faithfully, rain or shine, and is fast growing chummy with "Jimmy," though when he questions her or tries in any way to discover who she is she grows sullen and leaves abruptly.

Naturally this has caused considerable gossip among the habitués of the track, and some have offered to follow the carriage and find where the girl lives, but "Jimmy" has threatened to break the head of anybody who tries to spy on her.

She seems to be about 24 years old, is of medium stature, refined, athletic and of surpassing beauty. According to experts she rides the wheel as no other woman ever did.

From the fact that her maid inadvertently twice called her "princess" and occasionally addresses her in Russian, the Parisians incline to think that she may be the natural daughter of Grand Duke Alexis, one of the czar's uncles, the same young princess about whom so much was printed three years ago, who lives in Paris in great splendor and proud isolation.

**Women in Oil Business.**

In the paradise of the petroleum industry, Texas, the young ladies of Beaumont are organizing an oil company, in which every officer and director must be an unmarried woman. The desire of the promoters to confine their undertaking exclusively to women has one limit; they regret that they will have to let the drilling contract to a man, as there is not a single drilling outfit in the field owned by a woman.

**Official Ban on Chickens.**

In Los Angeles, Cal., there is an ordinance imposing a fine of five dollars for allowing chickens to run on the streets and other people's property. The success of the ordinance is such that the city of Oakland will adopt one similar to it.

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**FIELD FOR SCIENTISTS.**

Recent Discoveries in Plant and Animal Life on Porto Rico Island and Mona Isle.

Porto Rico is proving to be an interesting field for the scientists in the employ of the government. They have already discovered much that is new in plant and animal life on this island. The United States fish commission has been particularly forward in this work, and as a result has just issued a series of five bulletins on the subject of some Porto Rican fishes until recently unknown to science.

One of these bulletins describes two new fresh water leeches from Porto Rico, one of them, "Blanchard's leech," being of a bright crimson on the back and a light orange color on the under surface. This



A NATIVE OF PORTO RICO. (One of the Many Queer Creatures Found in Our New Colony.)

leech is short and thick, measuring about 53 millimeters in length.

The second, which has thus far received no English name, is very large, nearly four inches in length. The colors of this leech are arranged in stripes of yellow, red, ash, black, olive and brown.

Another bulletin deals with 150 or more sea crabs, shrimp, etc., many of which are new, and ranging in color from a screaming crimson to dull gray. One of the new crabs is of a bright turquoise blue, another a pale rose pink, while a third reminds one of a majolica pitcher. Others bear calico patterns, which are simply stunning.

Bulletin numbered 461 is perhaps the most interesting, as it describes a certain class of crustaceans, which seems to be intermediate between shrimps and lobsters. The eyes of these little crustaceans are not set in their heads, but grow on the end of long stalks sprouting forth from either side of the head. The limbs of these strange creatures resemble tooth brushes, being covered with a growth of something akin to hair.

The last two of the series to be mentioned describe a world of new and strange life, gathered from the sea bottoms around the island.

The Smithsonian institution received recently a number of specimens of bird and animal life from Mona Isle, a strange rock-bound island off the coast of Porto Rico, on which the government has just erected a light house.

Mona island is of limestone formation, and is literally honeycombed with caves, some of which are almost as large as the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, and full of the most wonderful stalagmites and stalactites.

The island has a peculiar fauna of its own. The accompanying picture is from a snap shot photograph of one of the enormous iguana lizards of that island. These lizards are very much larger than those of Cuba and Mexico.



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