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Have used Dr. Seth Arnold's Cough Killer for Whooping Cough with good results. D. C. KERR, 1355 No. Carey St., Baltimore, Md., July 14, 1898.

Hooley's Friend, Lord de la Warr.
Lord de la Warr, whose name has become well known through the Hooley scandals, is not yet thirty years old, yet he has had a varied and in some respects remarkable career. At first he tried the inviting but difficult game of diplomacy, and failed. Then he went out as a commissioner on pearl fishing for a well-known jeweler. Then he tried telegraphy. But he has been signally successful in nothing. In person Lord de la Warr is tall, thin with a small, light mustache and slightly bent shoulders. When a boy he used to play with the dukes of Clarence and York. Hide-and-seek was their favorite amusement. The Wales boys also wanted to win, and being bigger and older they occasionally found it convenient to use a little healthy coercion. And once the duke of York soundly thrashed Lord de la Warr because he would not let him win. From present appearances it looks as though Hooley were also thrashing Lord de la Warr for not letting him win.

Just What He Said.
Jones—It's six months since I lent you that ten, and you said you only needed it for a short time.—Smith—Well, that's all right. It lasted only half an hour.—New York World.

STRONG STATEMENTS.

Three Women Believed of Female Troubles by Mrs. Pinkham.

From Mrs. A. W. SMITH, 50 Summer St., Biddeford, Me.:

"For several years I suffered with various diseases peculiar to my sex. Was troubled with a burning sensation across the small of my back, that all-gone feeling, was despondent, fretful and discouraged; the least exertion tired me. I tried several doctors but received little benefit. At last I decided to give your Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. The effect of the first bottle was magical. Those symptoms of weakness that I was afflicted with, vanished like vapor before the sun. I cannot speak too highly of your valuable remedy. It is truly a boon to woman."

From Mrs. MELISSA PHILLIPS, Lexington, Ind., to Mrs. Pinkham:

"Before I began taking your medicine I had suffered for two years with that tired feeling, headache, backache, no appetite, and a run-down condition of the system. I could not walk across the room. I have taken four bottles of the Vegetable Compound, one box of Liver Pills and used one package of Sanative Wash, and now feel like a new woman, and am able to do my work."

From Mrs. MOLLE E. HERREL, Powell Station, Tenn.:

"For three years I suffered with such a weakness of the back, I could not perform my household duties. I also had falling of the womb, terrible bearing-down pains and headache. I have taken two bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and feel like a new woman. I recommend your medicine to every woman I know."

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AGRICULTURAL TOPICS

Fast Husking.
Whether a man shall all his life be a fast or slow husker depends very much on how he begins. If he is always slow and easy, and does not try to husk fast, he will get this habit so fixed that try as he may he will not get rid of it. Yet the husker must avoid all nervousness. That may make him seem to work fast, but he will make many false motions, and the work will go on much slower than it looks. The fastest huskers say the secret of this work is to have strong hands, thumbs and fingers, and to make every motion tell.

Weaning the Colt.
A spring colt ought to be weaned before the pastures have been destroyed by frost. At the same time it should be used to taking a little grain twice a day while it is still running at pasture. The oat is, of course, the best grain for colts, as it is also for the horse. It does not take much oats or meal to keep a young colt thrifflily growing during its first winter. If oats and corn are ground together, without the colt, and some wheat bran is added, it will, in most cases, make a better ration fed with cut hay than could be got from feeding oats alone. No corn and col meal should be fed to young colts, or, in fact, to any young animal. The colt is extremely hard to digest, and at least for any young stock has not enough nutrition to compensate for the danger from using it.

Sow Grass Seed After Grain.
It is a common mistake of farmers in sowing grass or clover seeds with drilled grain to try to sow it as quickly after the grain is deposited as possible. Many grain drills have been made with grass seed sowers attached, so as to drop the grass seed immediately after the grain drills had deposited the grain and while the loosened soil was still falling on the seed. The plea of course is that the grass seed is thus "better covered." It is, in fact, usually covered much too deeply, sometimes not coming up until several weeks later. The truth is that grass seed on cultivated soil needs no covering save what rains, frost and melting snows will give it. Nor is it best with winter grain to sow the grass seed until two to four weeks after the grain is put on the ground. In that way it will grow large enough, and yet will not injure the grain crop the following season.

Wheat Bran for Feed.
Wheat bran is rich in bone and muscle forming elements of food, and in addition serves another purpose, in that it helps materially to keep the bowels open, doing away with the constipating effects of dry food so usually depended upon in winter. With all breeding and growing stock more or less wheat bran can be used during the winter to advantage. It is, however, not a complete food, and on this account better results in feeding can be secured if used in connection with other material. Oilmeal, cornmeal and wheat bran make one of the best rations to feed milk cows, especially when it is an item to maintain a good flow of milk.

Ground oats and wheat bran make one of the best rations for growing colts, as it can be fed to growing colts with corn to an advantage. One of the cheapest and best rations for colts, sheep or growing cattle is unthreshed oats run through a feed box and a small quantity of bran added. This makes up a complete ration furnishing the needed growth of bone and muscle, and is not only wholesome but economical. It should not, however, be fed to excess, as it may cause diarrhea. It is one of the materials that in many cases can be purchased and used to an advantage on the farm, and especially so when there is plenty of roughness and but little grain. In addition to being a good feed it adds to the value of the manure as a fertilizer.—Wisconsin Agriculturist.

The Capacity of Silos.
One of the first questions, after deciding to build a silo, is, "How large a one shall I build?"

Regarding this question Hoard's Dairyman says: "It would seem as though we might be excused from answering over and over again questions relating to the capacity of silos, but it is perhaps fair to assume that others are much like ourselves—not over careful to preserve the information not especially needed for present use.

Silage varies in weight per cubic foot principally for the amount of pressure to which it has been subjected. Hence the last foot, or five feet, in a silo, which has been filled up to twenty feet deep, is much heavier (because more compact) than the first foot, or five feet.

The following table gives the average weight per cubic foot of well-matured corn silage, at different depths, after settling two days, and the average for the entire depth:

Average for First 5 feet.	lbs.	Average for total depth, lbs.
First 5 feet.	22.0	22.0
Second 5 feet.	30.0	26.1
Third 5 feet.	39.3	29.8
Fourth 5 feet.	43.8	33.3
Fifth 5 feet.	49.5	36.5
Sixth 5 feet.	54.5	39.6

Find the number of square feet in the bottom of the silo, multiply this by depth of silage and the product will be the total cubic feet of silage. For instance, if a silo is 12x15 feet inside measurement, and twenty feet deep, it will have 3000 cubic feet, and when well filled with mature corn, the average weight, per cubic foot, will be 33.3 pounds, or 120,000 pounds (sixty tons) for the whole. The lower layer of five feet in depth will be nearly twenty tons, the one above is about seventeen and one-half tons, and in this proportion for other depths.

In three years the expense of running an Atlantic steamship exceed the cost of construction.

LITERARY NOTES.

George W. Cable, who has just ended a somewhat lengthy visit to England, where he was very cordially received, promises to write a book of his impressions of England. Turn about is fair play.

The demolition of Furnival's inn, Holborn, is now almost complete. The last portion of the birthplace of Pickwick to fall under the destroyer's hand will be the gateway, which still stands forlorn amid the ruin—leading nowhere.

Surprise has been expressed that the Ashburnham first folio Shakespeare brought only \$2,925 at a recent sale. It was supposed that not less than \$4,000 would be realized from it. The reason given is that after it was catalogued two or three small blemishes were discovered, which were thought to detract from its value.

Mr. Swinburne left Oxford without taking a degree and takes pride in avowing his illiteracy. Notwithstanding this fact, he is a master of Greek and French. He grows more eccentric in his waxing years, now approaching three score and ten, lives near London, but is almost never seen in society, and is particularly fond of children.

Audible.
Mr. Third Flat—Great Scott! Who is that thumping the piano? Mrs. Third Flat—Thumping, indeed! Perhaps you'd be surprised to hear that Gladys is practicing how to read music. Mr. Third Flat—Can't she learn without reading aloud?—New York World.

His Prophecy.
Gerald—If you don't marry me I shall go to the dogs. Geraldine—You won't have to go far. There's one waiting for you at the gate.—New York World.

Co-operation in England.
Distributive co-operation in England now embraces more than 1,800 societies, with a capital of \$100,000,000 and a trade of close up to \$350,000,000 annually.

Creeping Consumption

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CURE FOR COLD FEET.
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Before many more days shall have elapsed not a few Chicago women will be suffering from a complaint which makes the shortest journey out of doors a terror and thus aggravates the trouble when going abroad becomes unavoidable. Cold feet are not uncommon even in warm weather, but the suffering at such times is mild, while in the fall and winter it is little less than torture. A doctor who was consulted on the subject has this to say: "Physical disorders of the most unexpected nature are traceable to this complaint. It can be safely said that a large proportion of lung diseases are due to cold feet. The blood repelled from the extremities goes to the lungs and congests them. Asthma arises from the same cause, and brain and eye troubles can sometimes be traced to habitually cold feet. I don't say that women are wholly to blame for this affliction, because that is not true. The cause is often traced back to childhood, when thin stockings and shoes too small for growing feet prevented a proper circulation of the blood. And some perhaps wore garters which had to be tight to do their duty, and when they reached womanhood the mischief had been fully done. They were then obliged to suffer on, if they knew enough, to mitigate their suffering by such sensible remedies as rubbing and warm bathing, with a proper regard for the covering of the feet. Wear woolen, cotton or silk stockings, according to your comfort. If the feet are prone to be dry as well as cold they should be soaked in hot water for ten minutes every night, thoroughly dried and rubbed with a small quantity of sweet oil, bestowing special attention upon the soles. Nothing that can keep the feet comfortable should be considered a trouble, as, aside from the fact of their affecting the physical condition, their relation to the nerves must be considered. Trouble with the feet means a nerve-wearing strain. The following has sometimes proved a simple cure for cold feet: Stand erect and gradually lift yourself to the tips of the toes, coming to the natural position in the same easy manner. Repeat this exercise several times each day and the circulation of the blood must be improved. Diet has something to do with the degree of improvement, and afflicted women are advised to shun much salted meat, pies and puddings."

Proper Way.
"Abner," asked the wife of the editor of the Plunkville Bugle, looking up from her latest "take," "don't you think it is a sin for you to write those Washington dispatches right here in the office?" "No, I don't," stoutly responded the editor. "I have always been taught that the way to get a thing done right is to do it yourself."—Ex.

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Among the cities in the United States San Francisco has the least and Philadelphia has the greatest debt. The debt of San Francisco is \$133,917 01, and of Philadelphia \$56,872,795 22. In the bonded debt per capita, Boston is the highest, with \$97 38, while San Francisco is the lowest, being 38 cents.

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INBRED AMONG ANIMALS.
Monkeys, Apes, Rats, Birds and Insects Show a Likening for Intoxicants.

It is a curious fact that there are toppers innumerable in the animal kingdom. Biped and quadruped alike are fond of alcoholic drinks, and although some display aversion when first tasting liquor, they soon acquire a craving for it. Chickens and ducks, after having once tasted brandy, become absolute slaves to the drink. They refuse to eat, grow thin, and exhibit symptoms of dejection when unable to obtain their favorite tipple. Monkeys and apes are passionately fond of spirituous liquors. Of these, Buffon's wine-bibbing chimpanzee was a shining example, and Brehm, the German zoologist, owned several mandrills that drank wine regularly and did not disdain brandy. Herbivorous animals frequently become intoxicated, innocently enough, through eating decayed fruit. In orchards, oxen and cows, after eating overripe apples, have been seen to display all the symptoms of drunkenness. They stagger, their eyes lose expression and they grow sleepy. It seems that animals are susceptible to alcoholism in proportion to the development of their intelligence. Elephants are fond of wine and rum, and rats gnaw the staves of wine casks to get at the contents. Cats, however, rarely exhibit a fondness for intoxicants. Among birds the parrot takes first place as an habitual toper. Insects have many opportunities to become intoxicated, and it is the most active that most frequently avail themselves of the chance. There is an aromatic, intoxicating fluid in linden blossoms for which bees show an especial fondness. Instances have been observed where swarms of bees regaled themselves with the poisonous linden nectar until they exhibited all the signs of intoxication. Hundreds fell helplessly to the roadside, to be trampled under foot.—New York Herald.

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