

WIRELESS PIANO.

Success After Inventor Told for Thirteen Years.

Ira F. Gilmore, of Bloomington, Ill., has invented a wireless piano upon which he has experimented under many disadvantages for the last 13 years.

AGRICULTURAL.

When Grapevines Overbear.

With grapevines overbearing is the usual cause of imperfect ripening. When the fruit does not mature well it is certain that the wood is unripe.

The Temperature of the Cellar.

The cellar, or other place in which fruit or roots are stored, should be kept at a temperature of about forty degrees above zero.

Keep Tools in Condition.

How many of the tools are dull or implements rusty cannot be known without an examination. Repairs should be attended to now before spring opens.

Cultivation of Small Fruits.

A general discussion of this subject at the summer meeting of the Missouri State Horticultural Society brought out the fact that thorough cultivation is necessary for all varieties.

Selection of Winter Layers.

Pullets should be selected for the fall and winter layers. As a rule, hens that have passed through the molt do not lay profitably before January.

Securing a Pure Milk Supply.

The place where the greatest care is needed in order to produce a first-class product is on the farm. The bacteria which develop bad flavors or which cause souring must be kept out of the milk from the start.

A Various Purpose Building.

The cut shows a building constructed upon a bank, that will prove convenient for several uses. In winter the room in the bank is used for the storage of roots and other stock foods.

Winter Spraying of Fruit Trees.

The spraying of fruit trees during the winter should not be neglected. Before the leaves start the trunk and every branch of the tree should be well sprayed with a solution of one pound of copper sulphate in twenty-five gallons of water.

ing of a winter spray before the leaves come out. The mixture of fifty pounds each of lime, salt and flowers of sulphur is used on the Pacific coast for the San Jose scale, but in our Eastern climate it does not seem to be as effective.

Farm Dairying.

It has been very noticeable of late that the papers are giving a great deal of space to the subject of farm dairying, whereas a few years ago dairying filled their columns with articles in favor of the public creamery.

Now the private dairy is coming again to the front. It is more and more recognized as a very important item in agriculture.

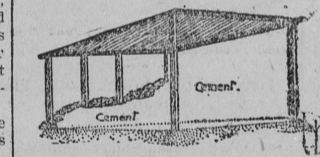
A startling feature in the dairy world just now is the failure of large numbers of public creameries. Coming at a time of great prosperity it has been a matter of comment and speculation as to its cause.

We fall to see just the point here. Conditions will be much the same, whether a creamery is co-operative or otherwise, so far as supply of milk and economy of operation is concerned.

And it is short-sighted policy to abandon dairying because other lines are paying so well just now. The inevitable reaction must come.

Concrete Poultry Houses.

A Western poultry keeper, E. W. Geer, of St. Francois County, Mo., has solved the problem of eggs in winter, and sound, unfrosted combs in the spring.



In constructing the house an elevation is thrown up a foot or more above the surface. In this elevation the stone base for the walls is laid, then a frame of any good stout material is made.

At first the originator used cement in the latter mixture, but finding the lime answered as well and cost less than one-third as much as the cement he abandoned the cement.

In houses of this character Mr. Geer's fowls mate and lay all winter. February 6 he took off an incubator batch of 162 chickens from a total installment of 225 eggs tested down to 199 fertile ones.

FRANK GOULD HAS CONTROL. Secures Possession of 122 Miles of Virginia Street Railway.

Announcement was made in New York that Frank Gould had obtained control of the Virginia Passenger and Power Company, which operates a traction system in Richmond.

St. Louis has 504 miles of sewers, and they cost \$11,500,000.

THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH.

Table of market prices for Grain, Flour and Feed in Pittsburgh.

Dairy Products.

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Poultry, Etc.

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Fruits and Vegetables.

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BALTIMORE.

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PHILADELPHIA.

Table of market prices in Philadelphia.

NEW YORK.

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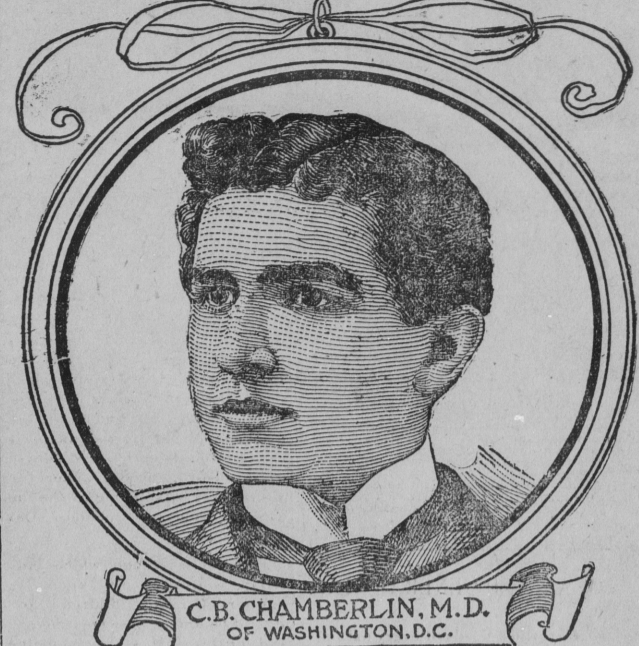
LIVE STOCK.

Table of market prices for Live Stock.

REVIEW OF TRADE.

Business Year Opens With Fine Prospects—Increase in Wages Helps Purchasing Power.

PROMINENT PHYSICIANS USE AND ENDORSE PE-RU-NA.



C. B. Chamberlin, M. D., writes from 14th and P Sts., Washington, D. C.

"Many cases have come under my observation, where Peruna has benefited and cured. Therefore I cheerfully recommend it for catarrh and a general tonic."

Dr. Llewellyn Jordan, Medical Examiner of U. S. Treasury Department, graduate of Columbia College, and who served three years at West Point, has the following to say of Peruna.

"I do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis."

Address: Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

Steel Road an Agreeable Surprise.

That steel road in Murray street, New York, laid as an experiment by the Automobile Club of America, is serving so much better than the prophets said it would that the chances are it will be generally adopted in the cities where machine riding is popular.

Novelty in Tops.

The latest novelty in tops is one that whistles and sings as it goes round. In the hollow upper portion are a pair of metal discs and a hammer, while round the side are several holes leading into the hollow.

Advertisement for HAMLIN'S WIZARD OIL, RHEUMATIC PAIN, SORENESS, SWELLING AND INFLAMMATION.

Advertisement for W.L. DOUGLAS SHOES \$3.50 UNION MADE.

THE PINKHAM CURES ATTRACTING GREAT ATTENTION AMONG THINKING WOMEN.

Advertisement for THE PINKHAM CURES, featuring a portrait of Mrs. Frances Stafford and testimonial text.

Capsicum-Vaseline PUT UP IN COLLAPSIBLE TUBES.

A substitute for and superior to Mustard or any other plaster, and will not blister the most delicate skin.

Chesebrough Manufacturing Co.

17 State Street, New York City.

SLANG The Slang Dictionary of Slang.

United States Government Sold 5,000 copies.

PATENTS

W. T. Deane, Wash. D.C. Sec'd for Inventors, 57 Broadway, N.Y. Catalog, 10c.

Indigestion, congested liver, impure blood, constipation, these are what afflict thousands of people who do not know what is the matter with them.

Catarh Cannot Be Cured

With local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies.

The eyes may be the mirrors of the soul,

and, furthermore, they can satisfy a woman that her hat is on straight.

Many School Children Are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, break up Colds in 24 hours.

FITs permanently cured. No fits or nervousness

after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer.

The Czars of Russia has established a ten-hour working day.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children

coughs, croup, whooping-cough, croup, whooping-cough, croup, whooping-cough.

Fossil coral, found in Fiji, is the best building stone in the world.

Piso's Cure is the best medicine we ever used

for all affections of throat and lungs.—Wm. O. Exsley, Vanburn, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900.

Of the 1000 parts of the moon, 576 are visible to us on the earth.

Advertisement for Coughing, featuring a testimonial and product information.

Advertisement for Cascabel Candy Cathartic, Best for the Bowels.

PISO'S CURE FOR

GIVES WHERE ALL ELSE FAILS. Best Cough Syrup, Tastes Good. Use in Time. Sold by Druggists.

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