Aristotle described a comet which appeared B. C. 371. In Spain shoeblacking is mixed with

wine instead of water. A part of the lower Engadine in Switzerland is being converted into a This One is Easily Made and Will

national park. Nearly 10,000 beds in London hospitals are daily occupied by the sick

and maimed poor. Every day the railroads of New York city move 85 per cent of the

population of the city. The United States imports about 125,000 tons of unmanufactured chalk a year, mainly from England and Ger-

many. From 1789 to 1909, inclusive, the government of the United States spent \$474,163,917 in caring for the Indians

of the country. Fire played less havor in the woodfands of the national forest states last year than it did in 1908, although the

number of fires was 410 greater. The number of accidents in street and steam railroads within the city of New York was 56,481 in 1908, while 52.618.

A lock of Napoleon's hair, cut by his servant on May 31, 1811, at the Hotel serted. de Lorz, Brussels, was sold recently for \$4 at Stevens' auction rooms, Covent Garden, London.

An airship is being made for the British navy which will have a lifting bariey and milk beat corn all to holspects this is the largest ever con-English government.

shown in southern Nigeria, where the site of a town destroyed sixty years ago has been covered with mahogany ten feet in diameter.

A German scientist has invented a so called duplex compass which by indicating the horizontal intensity of the earth's magnetism gives the apany place where it may be used.

The Canadian minister of the interior submitted figures showing that there are still available for homesteads in the province of Manitoba 17,825,000 acres, in Saskatchewan 104,-\$78,000 acres and in Alberta 117,369,000

According to the Pekin Daily News, the Chinese ministry of the interior intends to make investigations concerning the prohibition of early marriages, which it considers to be attended with evil results. The age may be fixed at twenty.

The Venezuelan government has established a national public school for teaching the manufacture of jipijapa (panamas) hats in the school of arts and sciences at Merida state of Meri-The jipijapa palm abounds in that

Cancer continues to increase in Britain. There are annually some 30,000 fresh cases. The death rate rises from year to year. Some observers have noted that this rise coincides with the equally steady rise in the standard of comfort.

for married couples with children to thy hay, 8.75 protein, 41.76 carbofind steady employment on farms and hydrates 2.16 fat stations in New South Wales and other parts of Australia is creating a public stir which is almost assuming the dimensions of a national scandal.

A will was contested not long ago in New York because the testatrix had paintings and five pieces of Japanese pottery to a police station. The protesting legatee won out, and there was The pig prefers a dry location, as it a reversion of those art treasures to the regular helrs.

Sacred cattle are slaughtered and shipped to Paris to help out the scarcity of beef. In faraway Madagascar are great herds, several millions of covered shed or sleeping quarters, cousins to India's breed of sacred hump cattle, and the farseeing French as protectors of Madagascar pronounce the meat of these animals equal to

Through her grand mistress the added.- Epitomist. czarina has issued orders that the ladies of the Russian court must not smoke. She will not tolerate as a lady in waiting a woman carrying the odor of smoke on her breath or in her clothing. This is a revolution in Russia, where smoking is common among women.

A meeting was held recently at Marout singers got together and formed · manigation for the protection of to is interests and to resist the enere chiments of pretenders. A regular . The ization was effected, with constiration and bylaws, and limitations were placed upon membership.

According to Consul General Jones at Winnipeg, Canada is in great need of rat traps. Farmers in the grain belt are becoming anxious over the invasion of rodents from the United States and are willing and able to pay a good price for a trap that will comblue durability and efficiency. The rats are nearing Winnipeg, and attempts to check them by inoculation with a communicable virus have so

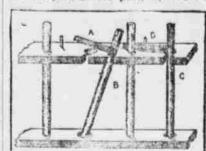
far falled to stop their onward march, Corn grows in 120 days from its planting time. In the great corn belt during 1909 the corn farmers made the ground give up to them \$15,000,000 better. every day of those 120. In other words, every day from the time the corn farmers put the seed in the ground \$15,000,000 was poured into their laps until a grand total of \$1,-720,000,000 was rolled up. All the gold and silver in the whole United States today are not equal to this corn crop of last year.



CATTLE STANCHION.

Stay in Place When Set.

A cattle stanchion that is easily operated and will stay in place when set is made as shown in the illustration, mays Popular Machanics, The B. is placed in position by turning the small lever, A, so the square or thin part of the post, B, will en-



EASILY OPERATED. in 1900 the number was reduced to ter the notab. The sm II lever, A, is then turned as shown in the second position. C, and the pin, D, in-

Feeding Barley to Hogs.

The results of a Wisconsin breeder with parley in feeding hogs show that capacity of twenty tons, In many re- low. The barley was ground and was fed with skim milk. There was structed and is the first built for the a greater proportion of lean meat than with corn fed hogs. The hogs The rapid growth of mahegany is made quicker and heavier gains than any lot fed on corn on this farm, and when sold they topped the market. Some breeders are slow to take up trees, some of which are more than barley. Corn has always been held as the ration par excellence for hogs, and not many are willing to try anytain; else. If you have a field of barley coming on, throw some in sheaf over to the hogs, give the pigs proximate longitude and latitude of a chance at it, and if you can supplement this with some skim milk and the run of a clover field you have a combination hard to beat .- L. C.

#### Weeds for Sheep.

The Minnesota station gives the analysis of weeds which sheep eat readily, and their protein contents compared with alfalfa, clover and timothy hay. It will be a surprise to many to see how high in protein these weeds are, and it suggests the reason sheep flourish on them, worthless as they are otherwise. Lambs quarters, 25.06 protein; 54.64 carbohydrates. 1.96 fat. Purslane, 26.13 protein, 53.70 carbohydrates, 2.9 fat. Pigweed. 26.54 protein, 62.86 arbohydrates, 1.36 fat. Dandelion, 24.64 protein, 58.95 carbohydrates, 2.70 fat. Catnip, 22.25 protein, 13.07 carbohydrates, 2.66 fat. Golden rod, 11.63 protein, 76.63 carbohydrates, 4.85 fat. Mustard, 15.75 protein, 75.50 carbohydrates, 1.55 fat. Quack grass, 11.27 protein, 79.12 carbohydrates, 1.90 fat. Alfalfa, 20 protein, 40.64 carbohydrate, 2.46 fat. Clover, 73.35 protein, The fact that it is almost impossible | 52.28 carbohydrates, 3.65 fat. Timo-

# The Pig Pen.

The pig stye is nearly always filled with materials for absorbing manure, but it is not cleaned as frequently as it should be. In the winbequeathed a grand piano, several off the jard contains absorbents they become soaked during rains, and are disagreeable locations for pigs. suffers severely on damp cold days. The materials in the pig stye will be of more service if added to a manure heap and a plentiful supply of straw thrown into the yard in its place. The should be littered a foot deep with cut straw which may be thrown into the yard after being used, but the yard should always be cleaned out after a rain and dry material then

## Carelessness Causes Colic.

Colic in horses is generally the result of careless or improper feeding. The stomach of a horse is small and the digestion is limited, and if the horse is hungry and overfed or is allowed to gulp down a big feed colle is the result. Also if musty hay or s. France, when the beggars and musty, sour feed is used, or if fresh cut grass wet with dew or rain is hastily eaten in large quantities colle is often the result.

Too Much Fancy Breeding.

Horses have been trained and bred intil the movement of the fore legs closely resemble the graceful pile driver, combined with the pleasing lines of a half opened foot rule.

Cows have been developed until they require more nursing than a strain-heated flat reared babe,

Give Horses Good Beds.

Don't make the horses sleep on the nard, cold floor, but give them plenty of bedding and it will pay you in many ways. Do not put any unnecessary crueity on any of the faithful animals. Bedding makes the manure more valuable and the horse looks

Cow That Slobbers. The following remedy is recommended for the cow that slobbers: Ammonia chloride, 1 ounce; gum camphor 1-2 ounce; gentian pulverized 2 ounces; add molasses to make a paste. Put some on tongue twice a day until relieved.

Pronomonomon MEDAL FOR HEALY'S MING

Victor Emmanue, Who Raceived Hudson-Fullan Present

innonnonnon



Rome, April 26.-King Victor Emreturning for the purp from his busting lodge at Castle Perziano, received General Stewart 1, Woodford, who on behulf of the Hudson-Fulton celebration commission of the state of New York presented to the government of Italy an official gold medal struck by the commission in commemoration of the three hundredth anniversary of the successful exploration of the Hudson river and the one hundredth anniversary of the successful inauguration of steam navigation upon that river.

#### JILTED ON WEDDING DAY.

Groom Leaves Bride and Elopes With Another Girl.

Philadelphia, April 26,-With the candles alighted on the altar of St. Agatha's Catholic church, a priest in waliing and 700 guests waiting for them, John Brennan left his fiancee, Miss Annie McWilliams of 618 North Union street, at her home on their wedding day and went downtown to meet another girl, an old sweetheart, with whom he eloped to Camden and was

Next day the new Mrs. Brennan telephoned Miss McWilliams and Brennan's mother news of the marriage. Brennan's family reside at 3821 Fair-

The girl Brennan married was Miss Jennie Irvine of 1235 Belmont avenue. with whom he had been acquainted for six or seven years. They were engaged to be married until three years ago, when Miss Irvine broke off the engagement.

The date set for Brennan's marriage to Miss McWilliams was April 14. trees." When neither of the contracting parties turned up, a priest of the church dismissed the guests and hurried to Miss McWilliams' home for an explanation. The correct story of the jilting of Miss McWilliams did not come out until today, through talk engen-dered by a statement made by one of "Pooh the priests of St. Agatha's in the church on Sunday.

## TALKS COOLLY OF FAILURE.

Knight's Statement of \$6,000,000 Failure.

Decatur, Ala., April 26.-Coolly and collectively John H. Knight, accused of the responsibilities of \$6,000,000 failure of the Knight-Yancey company, cotton dealers, said after an investigation of his books and records by W. J. Yancey of Memphis and W. D. Nesbitt of Birmingham, members of the firm, who had the books and records examined by expert account-

"With the request of W. D. Nesbitt of Birmingham, W. J. Yancey of Memphis and R. R. Nesbitt of Spartanburg. 8. C., the nonresident partners of zest. Knight, Yancey & Co., I make the following statement:

"'Prior to the failure of Knight. Yancey & Co. my nonresident copart- fodder. ners did not participate actively in the conduct of the firm's affairs and so far be nice. Success Magazine. as I know had no knowledge of the conditions of the business since the summer of 1909 and prior to the fail-

Yancey and Neshitt left Decatur without making a statement.

## GOVERNMENT VICTORY.

Election In France Favorable to Pres ent Administration.

Paris, April 26.—The results of the election in 531 election districts are now known. Second ballots will be necessary in 207 of these. In the districts where definite results were reached the Republicans gained eight members and lost one. The Radicals and Radical Socialists gained nine districts, but lost fifteen. The Independent Socialists gained six and lost two. The Conservatives and Liberals gained three sents and lost four. The Progressists gained three and lost four.

All the members of the cabinet except M. Millerand, minister of public works, have been elected. In his case a second ballot will be necessary.

Iron Molders May Strike

New York, April 26.—A general strike of the iron molders in New York, Newark, Jersey City and several other towns in this neighborhood is threatened to enforce demands for a minimum rate of wages of \$3.50 a day made by the iron molders' conference board.

#### FINANCING A POSSUM.

Left in the Grocery, it Joins the Meat Trust.

"I been figgerin' bout high prices," said Brother Williams, "an' ter save me I can't git de whys nor de wharfo's 'um. Every time I thinks I got 'um down ter a fine p'int I butts my head agin a brick wall an' I ain't no furder'n whar I started fum.

"Fer instance, meat bein' so high, I tuck ter de swamp an' ketched a possum.

"So fur, so good. "I wuz totin' dat possum home w'en de groc'ry sto' man stopped me an' say ter me; 'Dat possum ain't fat nuff ter eat right off, an' yo' is too po' ter keep him twel he git fat. Leave him wid me, an' I'll keep him whar dere's plenty er seraps, an' by de time he gits ter de eatin' are he'll be for ez gits ter de entin' age he'll be fat ez butter. Den yo' kin take him an' put him in de pot an' cook him brown an' juicy, an' all I ax is one plateful.'

"Onct mo', so fur, so good, an' I tuck him at his wo'd an' lef' de possum wid him.

"An' now comes de res' er de stery, When I 'lowed dut de possum had been dar long nuff ter git fat I drapped by ter make inquirements, an' dar wuz dat possum, fatter'n de fattes'

wuz dat possum, fatter'n de fattes'
shoat dat ever wuz put in de pen.
"But de groc'ry man say ter me, be
did: 'It hez come ter pass dat I can't
iet dat possum go on de 'riginal conditions. Yo' see how fat he is, don't
yo'? Well, right dar is whar de trouble come in. He got loose one night
an' kilt an' eat up two er de bligger'
turkeys in de yard, an' one poun' er
turkey meat at de market price is
wuth mo'n dat whole possum wuz
w'en he wuz kotched; den he eat up
three hams, an' you knews what de
price er meat is sence de trust done
raised it. So dat possum ez he now
stan's is wuth zackly \$18, not countin'
a extry 20 cents which I ci'ar fergot!"
"I couldn't see whar I come in on
dat propersition, an' ez I couldn't see

"I couldn't see whar I come in on dat propersition, an' ez I couldn't get him ter reason bout it I went off ter see a lawyer. De lawyer said he'd charge \$5 ter come in de case an' den half what he could git out er it. I drapped de possum an' de groc'ryman an' de lawyer right dar an' went home wid de riddle er high prices rattlin' in my brain, but I ain't no wiser today'n what I wuz yistiddy. All I knows is I never wants nuttin' mo' ter do wid a possum dat gits fat nuff ter fergit his raisin' an' jine de ment trust."-Atlantic Constitution.

Oscar Aesthetic, but Adolf-

"Behold, Adolf, how lofely iss spring! Look, for instance, ad dose lambkins. How do you like dose lambkins?" "Stewed, Osgar, stewed mit dump-

lings." "You hat no poetry in your fat soul. Don'd you hear how dot liddle birt iss piping hiss lay?"

'Yess, but in her meandime der plumber iss laying hiss pipe." \*Und dose pussy villows-how cunning dey look on der drees."

"Vere? I don'd see any catalpa "Fool! Come, led us pick some daf-

fodils." "All r-right. I always wass daffy ofer dill pickles."

"Und in yonder sylvan dell maybe yet we can find some dandelion "Pooh! I draw der line ad dandelion

greens. Dey giff me der blues." "Alas, how scarce iss dose pretty

cowslips!" "No vonder. All beef hass veat up."

(Biff!)-Pittsburg Press.

Distorted Proverbs-Never put on today what you can

not take off tomorrow. Those worth doing at all are worth doing well.

There's many a kick 'twixt the pup and the nin. Too many cooks roll the boss. All the world loathes a loafer.

A miss is as good as her smile. He laughs best whose laugh lasts. Alimony is the root of much evil. Many a rude word is spoken with

Uneasy lies the head that bears a frown:

It's a wise child that knows its own Where ignorance is bliss 'tis jolly to

High Prices Make Friends



Hostess (to week end boy)-Did your mamma say you could have a second cut of beef?

"Yes'm. She said if you asked me I

A Pointed Question. Wiggs-Why do they call it "pin

money?" Waggs-Because wives stick their husbands for it.-Lippincott's.

Keeps A-waggin'.

It makes but little difference In politics and love If things get muddy underfoot Or skies are dark above. We ofttimes get excited at The candle and the game; But, after all, the good old world Wags on about the same. -Spokane Spokesman-Review.

#### POINTS REGARDING THE

CENSUS. The census begins Apr. 15

and must be completed in thirty days. The enumerators will wear

a badge inscribed "United States Census, 1910."

The law requires every adult person to furnish the prescribed information, but also provides that it shall be treated confidentially, so that no injury can come to any person from answering the questions.

The Census Bureau, prior to April 15, will distribute to every farm owner and tenant in this state a blank or schedule containing the Census questions relative to farm operations and equipment. This should be filled up, if possible, not later than the morning of April 15, but if anyone has been unable to fill it up by that time, he should do it as soon af terwards as he can.

People who do not speak English or who do not understand the schedule completely should get help from others, if possible, in filling it up.

The President has issued a proclamation, calling on all citizens to co-operate with the Census and assuring them that it has nothing to do with taxation, army or jury service, compulsory school attendance, regulation of immigration, or enforcement of any law, and that no one can be injured by answering the in quiries.

It is of the utmost importance that the farm census of this state be complete and

correct. Therefore every farm owner and tenant should promptly, and accurately fill up the "Advance Farm Schedule" and carefully preserve it for the enumerator when he calls.

#### Why not order direct from us and save the retailer's profit.



# Only \$10.89

For this splendid, Round-Top Pedestal Center Dining Table, in finely selected Golden Oak, wide rim, massive style pedestal with non-dividing center and heavy claw feet, thoroughly well-made and beautifully finished. This Dining Table or its equal is always sold by others for \$14.00 and upwards

Securely packed and shipped freight charges paid \$10.89.

If you wish to save fully 25 % on your Furniture send TODAY for our factory price catalogue-FREE.

# STICKLEY-BRANDT TURNITURE

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

## HONESDALE NATIONAL BANK

HONESDALE, WAYNE COUNTY, PA. At the close of business, March 28, 1910,

RESOURCES. 55;000:0 40,000.00

Due from U. S. Treasurer...

Total..... \$1,898,648.80 LIABILITIES.

Demand certificates of deposit Certified checks Cashier's checks out-26,760 00 89 40 1,296 95-61,475,954 60

standing 1.286 95-Bonds borrowed Notes and bills rediscounted.
Bills payable, including certifi-cates of deposit for money bor-rowed.
Liabilities other than those above stated None None Total ....... \$1,898,648 89 State of Pennsylvania, County of Wayne, sa.

I. H. Z. Russell. President of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. Z. Russell. President. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April. 1910.

W. H. STONE, N. P.

Correct—attest:
Andrew Thompson,
Homer Greene,
P. R. Murkay, Directors.

#### PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

#### Attorneys-at-Law.

H. WILSON,
Office, Masonic building, second floor
Honesdage, Pa.

WM. H. LEE, W ATTORNEY & COUNSELOR-AT-LAW, Office over post office, All legal business promptly attended to. Honesdale, Pa.

E. C. MUMFORD,
ATTORNEY & COUNSELOR-AT-LAW
Office-Liberty Hall building, opposite the
Post Office, Honesdale, Pa.

HOMER GREENE. Office over Reif's store, Honesdale Pa.

O. ATTORNEY & COUNSELOR-AT-LAW Office ver Post Office, hopesdale, Pa.

THARLES A. McCARTY, ATTORNEY 4 (OUNSELOR-AT-LAW, Special and prompt interiforgiven to the collection of claims. Office over Reif's new store Monesdale, Pa.

F.P. KIMBLE, Office over the post office immediale. Pa.

M. E. SIMONS, ATTORNEY A COUNSELOR-AT-LAW

Office in the Court Hestse, Honesdale

DETER H. ILOFF. P ATTORNEY & COLSELOR-AT-LAW, Office-Second floor old Savings Brok building Honesdaie Pa

SEARLE & SALMON, ATTORNEYS & COUNSELORS-AT-LAW

#### Offices lately occupied by Judge Searle Dentists.

DR. E. T. BROWN,

DENTIST, Office—First floor, old Savings flank build-ing, Honesdale, Pa.

Dr. C. R. BRADY, DENTIST, Honesdale, Pa. OFFICE HOURS-8 m. to p. m. Any evening by appointment. Citizens' phone, 31 Residence, No. 86-X

## Physicians. DR. H. B. SEARLES,

HONESDALE, PA.
Office and residence 1019 Court'street elephones. Office Hours—2:00 to 4:00 and relephones. O 00 o 8:00, p. m Livery.

> LIVERY,--Fred. G. Rickard has re-moved his livery establishment from corner Church street to Whitney's Stone Barn ALL CALLS

PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

FIRST CLASS OUTFITS. 75v1

# JOSEPH N. WELCH Fire Insurance

The OLDEST Fire Insurance Agency in Wayne County.

Office: Second floor Masonic Building, over C. C. Jadwin's drug store, Honesdale.

## \$100 REWARD, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires constitutional treatment. 130717 86 Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, 3.814 49 thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient 1,383 57 strength by building up the consti-110,200 70 tution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers 35 18 that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it falls to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO.,

Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

# Tooth Savers

We have the sort of tooth brushes that are made to thoroughly cleanse and, save the teeth. They are the kindi that clean teeth, without eaving your mouth full of bristles. . . We recommend those costing 25 cents or more, as we can guarantee them and will re-place, free, my that show defects of manu-facture within three months.

O. T. CHAMBERS,

PHARMACIST.

HONESDALE, PA Opp. D. & H. Station