

OPERATOR'S FAILURE TO REPORT CHANGE IN ADDRESS REASON OF NO FORWARDING LICENSE CARDS

Every year thousands of Pennsylvania motorists are disturbed because they fail to receive applications for removal of their operator's licenses. On the other hand some drivers overlook the matter entirely, only to be halted on the highway after March 1st and arrested for driving without the current year's license.

"There seems to be a general misunderstanding," says the Keystone Automobile Club, "of the reason for failure of the applications to reach them at the new post office addresses. They argue that the post office has been furnished with their forwarding address and that all other mail directed to their place of former residence reaches them at the new address. Why, then, can't the post office forward the license applications?"

"The reason can well be appreciated when once it is understood. The address of every licensed driver is a vital part of the state's records. It is essential that this record be kept up to date, for reasons that should be obvious to every car owner, if an application were forwarded to a new address the old address would remain on the records as the operator's place of residence, unless he took the trouble to write to the department to have correction made. It is conceded, in the light of experience, that very few would send in corrections.

"In a single year the number of incorrect addresses in the department's file probably would exceed 200,000. In a few years the records would be virtually worthless.

"The post office, therefore, is instructed by the department of highways not to forward any license appli-

cation if the address has been changed but to return all such applications to Harrisburg.

"Those who have not yet received their applications because of change in address should obtain address correction blanks and send immediately to the bureau of motor vehicles, department of highways, for their applications.

HISS AMERICAN STYLES

Over in Italy, the land of volcanoes and vendettas, quite a lot of grumbling has been noted lately over American things and ways and styles. "It is stupid," said one writer, "to accept the American dictum of collar and tie the coat sleeves, vests and the creased trousers." It is also noted that "college cut suits" while popular here are pronounced "fit only those bent upon treachery."

Anglo-Saxon words, too, but especially connected with sports.

All of which is complimentary for both Italy and American things and ways are widely appreciated, and that Italy is one of the countries wide awake enough to adopt and appreciate new and modern things.

CIRCULATION AFFECTS HAIR

Everybody prizes their hair while everybody laughs at baldness. But whether we take baldness laughably or sadly is no joke. Few people like to be bald. Neither do they like to be gray, especially so young. But in either case it is not a matter of likes. The causes that make for baldness in the young men and for early white and thinning locks in women says Dr. and Senator Royal S. Copeland, are the same. They appear to be peculiar in some families, and for this reason, are said to be inherited. But while the tendency to baldness may be transmitted

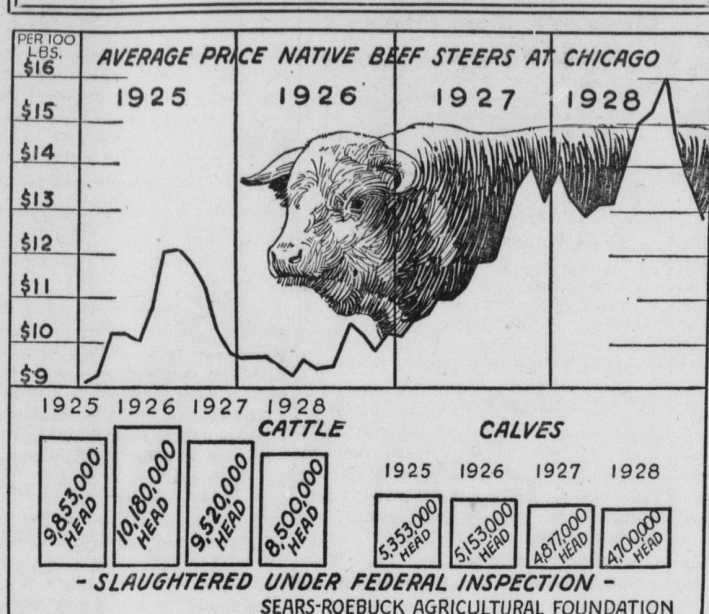
he points, the actual reasons for the baldness are likely to be found in the things that we do and not do. The hair actually depends for its life upon the scalp and the blood from the heart. Without an abundant blood supply to the scalp the hair is in danger. For this reason anything that stimulates circulation in the scalp treatment is good treatment for the falling of the hair. Massage and brushing are recommended, and hair tonics are recommended.

CAN HORSES SLEEP WHILE STANDING?

Horses have the power of sleeping while standing. Their legs are provided with muscular mechanisms which cause them to lock and permit the animals to rest somewhat as if they were standing on stilts. While a horse is unconscious there is no direct brain control over those muscles in the brain, back and chest which are essential for an erect posture maintenance. The control depends on the reflex actions of the spinal cords. This phenomenon is similar to that of a bird sleeping on a swaying limb. A reflex balance is maintained when consciousness is in abeyance. Horses sleeping while in a standing posture occasionally fall down. More often muscles in the fore legs relax suddenly and the animals knock over to the forelocks and immediately catch themselves. Horses go sometimes for months without lying down. It is remarkable how little sleep they require. This is also true of elephants.

Samuel Neff, aged 61 years, died at his home at Lilly on Sunday night. His death was caused by a complication of diseases. He is survived by his widow, one son and several brothers and sisters.

Another Prosperous Year for Beef Cattle Growers in 1929



- SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION - SEARS-ROEBUCK AGRICULTURAL FOUNDATION

A prosperous year is in store for beef cattle growers in 1929, states the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation in its annual survey of market prospects. The number of cattle marketed during the year is likely to be smaller than in the past year, the supply of competitive meats probably will be less, and consumer demand promises to be as large as in the past 12 months.

While the corn belt probably has more steers in feed lots to come to market in the early part of 1929 than in the same period in 1928, they will be largely offset during those months by smaller arrivals of cows and heifers. Later in the year, receipts probably will reflect the reduction in producing capacity of herds that has occurred in the last ten years, and the close selling of young stock from the range last fall.

High prices for cattle in the last 18 months have caused growers to sell more instead of stimulating expansion of herds. Ultimately, however, as they come to believe that these prices will persist for a considerable period, young stock will be held back to increase breeding herds and this will mean a subtraction from the market supply. Such a tendency is likely to be manifest in 1929, at least to a small degree.

The complete record for the number of cattle slaughtered in 1928 is not yet available, but it is probable that it will show around 8,500,000 head compared with 9,520,000 head slaughtered in 1927, and 10,180,000 head in 1926, when the number was the greatest for any recent year. Calf slaughter to-

WARM AIR LEADS AS MOST POPULAR HEATING SYSTEM

Which system of home-heating is most popular, is a question home-owners frequently ponder when trying to select equipment for their own houses. The answer is given by the Holland Institute of Thermology of Holland, Mich., which cites results of a national survey on the subject recently completed.

This investigation showed that 40.9 per cent of all American homes are heated by the warm air circulating system; 24 per cent by steam, hot water, vapor and vacuum systems; and the remaining 23.1 per cent by stoves and fireplaces.

This is taken as an index of public appreciation of the healthiness of warm air heat.

Deep Basement Adds to Home Heating Efficiency

If the prospective home-builder wants a well-heated house, he should insist that the basement be deep enough to allow for installation of his warm air furnace in such a manner that it can function to the best advantage.

This is the advice of the engineers of the Holland Institute of Thermology, Holland, Mich., which has recently completed a survey of the factors making for efficient home heating.

To meet the situation in old homes where basements cannot be altered to provide for a first-rate heating installation, or where conditions of the soil prohibit basements of the ideal depth—seven feet—the largest producer of warm air heating plants recently developed a new type of super-circulating heating plant. It includes a motor-driven fan which forces air through ducts and leaders through which the force of gravity will not move it.

Modern Devices Aid Home Heating

Two auxiliary features in the home-heating plant are pointed out by the Holland Institute of Thermology of Holland, Mich., as means by which the average home-owner may help to keep his heating costs low.

One of these is an automatic thermostat for opening and closing drafts at certain hours, and for maintaining a constant temperature in the principal rooms. Many kinds of thermostats are available, and they may be operated with all types of modern central heating plants, including the vapor-air circulating system. Not only are they great conveniences, but they save fuel by preventing wide fluctuations of temperature.

Proper humidifying equipment is a second means to economy of fuel. If the air in the rooms is dry, it will have to be higher in temperature to give the same comfort effect as vaporized air of moderate warmth. Air-conditioning experts agree that the relative humidity in a home should be about 40 per cent. Several gallons of water must be evaporated daily to maintain this, and the neatest thing in the way of humidifying equipment is a device in a warm-air circulating heating plant which is capable of evaporating 20 gallons or more a day.

While the fuel savings from these sources will not reduce the total fuel bill by a half or one-third, the Holland Institute of Thermology states, they will prove more than enough to justify the small investment they require.

Wrongly Placed Heaters Waste Millions in Coal

That American householders are wasting millions of tons of coal annually because of the faulty location of heating plants in homes is the opinion of heating experts of the Holland Institute of Thermology, of Holland, Mich.

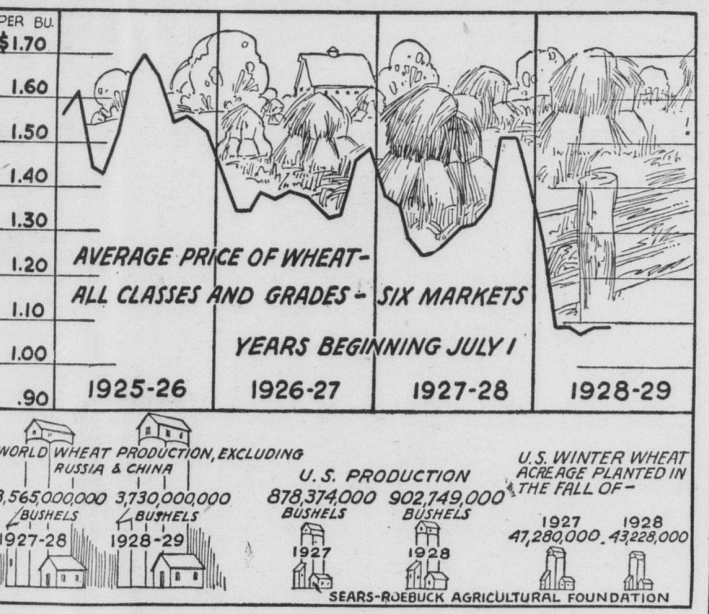
A warm air central heating plant, the Institute points out, must be located in the basement so that it can deliver its heat with equal efficiency to all rooms. If this is not done, extra fuel will be required to force warmth to the less favored rooms.

If the basement is partitioned off into separate rooms, the Institute advises, the warm air heating plant should be placed under the living rooms, rather than under bed chambers or unimportant rooms.

Circular Flues Safest; Cleaning Is Easy, Cheap

Circular flues keep chimneys reasonably clean, according to the Holland Institute of Thermology of Holland, Mich. In localities where soft coal or wood are used for fuel it has been found that soot accumulates in the corners of square or oblong chimneys, which if not removed by periodic cleaning is likely to cause fires that may have disastrous effects. Chimney-cleaning is a nuisance to the householder who tries to do it himself, but it is performed quickly, inexpensively and without mess by a modern type of vacuum cleaner built especially for chimneys and heating plants.

Better Prospects for Wheat Growers in 1929



Improvement in wheat prices in the early part of 1929 is quite possible and the 1929 crop is likely to sell at higher prices than have been paid for the 1928 crop if present indications of lighter world production are confirmed by future developments. These are the conclusions of the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation, based on a study of the market situation and tendencies in wheat production.

The wheat market has been weighted down by the record visible supply which totaled about 138 million bushels at the end of 1928. The seasonal decrease in receipts probably will result in reduction of these stocks and thus lead to a moderate rise in prices, although they are likely to continue on a lower level than in the first five or six months of 1928.

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THE CHETEK—DESIGN A651

COMBINING good architecture and an excellent interior arrangement, this little home of common brick is a jewel for the man of moderate means and well within his reach. It can be built at a cost of not more than six per cent in excess of its counterpart in frame construction. That difference in first cost will be saved for the owner in the first five years in his painting bills alone.

Architecturally it is more strictly American than most homes one will encounter in a day's journey. It is really a composite of several types with a near bungalow roof that is instantly appealing. The porch archway on the one side, the timbered and stuccoed portico on the other, and the bay between are in such striking contrast as to become distinct innovations.

The Common Brick Manufacturers' Association, Cleveland, Ohio, can furnish complete drawings for this design. Leaflet on brick construction sent upon request.

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the Canadian crop by frost damage; the poor crop in China; and the small corn crop in Europe which may result in increased wheat consumption in Balkan countries. In addition, low prices are encouraging consumption everywhere. Importing countries actually took about 50,000,000 bushels more wheat from exporting countries in the last half of 1928 than in the same period a year previous, when takings already were large, thus revealing the increased demand.

Positive indications as to the size of the 1929 world wheat crop will not be available for several months yet, but there are good reasons for anticipating a decrease compared with the present crop year. Prices obtained for the crop now being marketed have been somewhat unsatisfactory to producers not only in the United States but in other countries as well. Hence, the expansion of world wheat acreage probably will be checked and there may be some decrease instead. This is already evident in the United States where the area planted last fall was 18.6 per cent less than a year previous.

In addition, the Foundation points out that the chances favor lower average yields per acre next year. In the present crop year, the yield averaged about 15.6 bushels per acre the world over. This was higher than in any of the preceding eight years and nearly a bushel per acre above the average through this entire period.

Exporting countries have overexpanded production and a rise in prices can only come about through voluntary decreases in production or through less favorable growing seasons in some of the important wheat growing countries.

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