

A WOMAN'S GOOD LOOKS

Depend on her general health and freedom from pain. Many a woman looks old before her time because of those irregularities which are essentially feminine.



Dr. R. V. Pierce, the famous specialist in the diseases of women, found a prescription in his early practice that soothed the organism peculiar to womanhood—aided the machinery, as it were, of the human system—and helped the woman to pass those painful periods that scarred and aged her face.

Annual Report of The Water Account For Mount Joy Borough for the year ending December 31st, 1912.

Table with columns for RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURES, listing various items and amounts.

RECEIPTS: Balance in Treas. Jan. 8, 1912, \$1060.82; Mar. 1, R. Fellenbaum col., \$200.00; Mar. 5, R. Fellenbaum col., \$1800.00; Mar. 26, R. Fellenbaum col., \$3.60; May 6, R. Fellenbaum col., \$300.00; Aug. 30, R. Fellenbaum col., \$500.00; Dec. 30, R. Fellenbaum col., \$284.19.

EXPENDITURES: Adams Ex. Co. Exp., \$2.85; Baker, F. H. supplies, \$119.14; Bombaugh, Jno. labor, \$4.10; Bopp, Mrs. Margurite rebate, \$2.37; Brown, B. W. rebate, \$5.93; Brown, Elmer labor, \$2.40; Boyce, Sybilla rebate, \$2.77; Brunner, H. C. labor, \$5.50; Bouch, Jno. H. labor & supplies, \$9.79; Childs, Samuel labor, \$3.00; Cummings & Co., supplies, \$61.52; Fellenbaum, R. express and commission, \$71.64; Fellenbaum, Austin dist. notices, \$1.85; Garber, Jac. labor, \$3.00; Garber, H. S. auditing, \$2.00; Garlock Packing Co., supplies, \$23.09; Groff, B. P. labor, \$2.43; Hamaker, J. S. labor, \$8.10; Halsey, E. L. labor, \$18.50; Herald Printing, printing, \$4.50; Herr, R. H. labor, \$20.85; Hershey, P. E. auditing, \$2.00; Hinkle, Walter, labor, \$4.35; Hinkle, Harry, labor, \$4.35; Independent Oil Co., Gasoline, \$24.38; Kern, C. B., rebate, \$2.77; Kolp, A., labor, \$21.90; Lytle, S. P. Est. rebate, \$2.77; Miller, H. E., labor, \$29.70; Misemer, J. R., printing, \$16.75; Mt. Joy Twp. Mutual Fire Ins. Co. Insurance, \$3.00; H. Miller Mfg. Co. supplies, \$20.58; Nagle Jacob, labor, \$4.35; Newcomer, H. S. supplies, \$67.71; Northern Mutual Ins. Co. Insurance, \$1.20; P. R. R. Co. freight, \$4.35; Penn Twp. Mutual Fire Ins. Co. Insurance, \$4.00; Otto Gas Engine Works, repairs, \$22.40; Rabm, Jno., labor, \$3.00; Relst. Jno. H. dist. notices, \$4.00; Rye, Ed. labor, \$3.00; Stark, Tillman, labor, \$4.35; Shatto, Frank, labor, \$24.65; Shatz, Geo. salary, \$450.00; Shatz, Mary, labor, \$5.00; State Treas., State Tax on Bonds, \$112.10; Stauffer, J. N. & Bro. stone, \$5.11; Shiller, Lewis labor, \$4.35; Sink, Sam'l, labor, \$1.50; Schock, Clarence, Material and Gasoline, \$296.46; Schroll, Jno. E., printing, \$34.72; Shonk, D. S., rebate, \$1.98; Trexler, E. M., auditing, \$2.00; Watson Isaac, labor, \$1.00; Webb, J. E., repairing, \$1.45; Weber, Joseph, labor, \$4.35; Weldman H., labor, \$1.20; Welsh A. B., labor, \$56.92; Williams Eli, labor, \$23.55; Stoner, Katie, N., redemption of water bond No. 38 and Sept. coupon, \$510.00; Bowman, M. C., redemption of water bond No. 39-40-41 and one Sept. coupon on No. 39, \$1510.00; Herr, Mary A., redemption of water bond No. 37 and one Sept. coupon, \$510.00; 79 coupons each \$10.00, \$790.00; 158 coupons each \$2.00, \$316.00; Balance in Treas. Jan. 13, 1913, \$1030.62; \$6541.18.

We the undersigned auditors of Mt. Joy Boro hereby certify that we have carefully examined the account of the Union National Bank, Treas. of Mt. Joy Water Account, and find that said account shows a credit balance of \$1030.62 this 13th day of January, 1913. Have also destroyed 79 coupons of \$10.00 each and 158 coupons of \$2.00 each.

Electric Bitters. Made a New Man of Him. "I was suffering from pain in my stomach and back," writes H. E. Aldrich, Raleigh, N. C., "and my liver and kidneys did not work right, but four bottles of Electric Bitters made me feel like a new man."

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY. "After four in our family had died of consumption I was taken with a frightful cough and lung trouble, but my life was saved and I gained 57 pounds through using DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY."

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DEEDS, NOT WORDS. Every one of us has it in his power to lead the world forward and to enter himself on a higher life if he will readily refuse to be satisfied with the name of religion, if he will consecrate the days and the nights to the infinite reality—not to say, "Lord, Lord," merely, but to do the things which he says.—Edward Everett Hale.

DOES IT PAY TO SHRED STOVER? Shredded stover increases its feeding value. Prof. Henry of the University of Wisconsin has conducted experiments which show that shredded stover is about 24 per cent more valuable when fed to milk cows than it is in the uncut form. It is also estimated that about 25 per cent of the feeding value of corn stalks is lost by allowing the shocks to stand in the field two months. Allowing corn to stand in the field not only decreases its value, but it increases the difficulties of the cattle.

Just remember that every time you carry an armful of stalks into the barn 20 per cent of the digestible nutrients contained in the feed go for the production of physical energy necessary for doing external work, 43 per cent is used for keeping up the body, and 27 per cent is returned in the milk pail.

If you handle your corn crop properly you will find 37 per cent of the total nutrient in the stalks, and 63 per cent in the ear, but if you allow the shocks to stand in the field to be beaten by the winter's storms, you can expect to lose anywhere from 25 per cent to 50 per cent of the total feeding value of the stalks. On the average acre from two to three tons of stover are grown. In the stalks produced on an acre of average corn, there are approximately 85 pounds of protein, 1,500 pounds of carbohydrates, and 22 pounds of ether extract. A steer weighing 1,000 pounds requires one-half of a pound of protein, 6 pounds of carbohydrates, and about one-tenth of a pound of ether extract daily.

Probably the only argument against shredding is the cost of preparation. When figured in dollars and cents, the cost of husking and shredding with a machine is practically the same as for hand work. Figures compiled by men who feed whole stalks, by users of shredded stover, and by the owners of machines give the following facts: Cost of husking 25 acres of shocked corn, and getting the fodder in a stack. The quality of corn used for the basis of the following tables is slightly above the average, forty bushels to the acre being taken as a standard. The cost of labor is figured at current rates.

Board for man during husking, averaging 50 bushels per day, for 21 days at \$4.50 per week, \$22.50; 13 50; Cost of handling husked corn and fodder from the field, men and team, 5 days at \$2.00 per day each for the men and \$1.50 for the team, \$27.50; Board for 2 men for 5 days, at 75 cents per day, \$7.50; Board for team for 5 days at 50 cents per day, \$2.50.

Total cost of getting corn in crib and fodder in stack, \$91.00; Cost of husking and shredding 25 acres of corn, figuring the yield at 40 bushels per acre, and an average day's work at 800 bushels. A ten-roll husker and shredder working under ideal conditions has husked 1,000 bushels of corn in a day, but to be conservative we are reducing these figures considerably. We are also figuring the cost of doing the husking and shredding strictly on a bushel basis. In many localities owners of huskers and shredders prefer to work by the day rather than by the bushel.

For hire of husker and shredder, including the services of engine, 1,000 bushels at 4 cents, \$40.00; Three men pitching in the field, 1 1/2 days at \$2.00 each per day, \$7.50; Six men to haul stover from the field, 1 1/2 days at \$2.00 each per day, \$15.00; Six teams and wagons for drawing stover to the machine, 1 1/2 days at \$1.50 per day per team, \$11.25; Fuel, \$5.00; One man for shoveling corn into crib, 1 1/2 days at \$2.00 per day, \$2.50; Board for fourteen men, 1 1/2 days at 75 cents per day, \$13.15; Feed required for six teams, 1 1/2 days at 50 cents per team, \$3.75.

Total, \$98.75; \$98.75 minus \$91.00 equals \$7.75 or cost of shredded stover. Since two tons of stover are produced on an acre and twenty-five acres are shredded, fifty tons of shredded stover are secured. As \$7.75 was the cost of this shredded stover, the expense of doing the work with a machine when distributed amounts to approximately 16 cents per ton more than the cost of husking by hand and of stacking the corn stalks. Besides less space is required for storing the shredded stover.

There is practically no loss or waste of leaves or husks, and the stalks are in an excellent condition for bedding. They not only act as an absorbent, a pound of absorbent stover absorbing 25 pounds of liquid, but the vegetable matter when returned to the soil fortifies humus. The fertilizing value of the stalks harvested on an acre are worth about \$7.00, or about \$175.00 worth of fertilizer can be returned to the field.

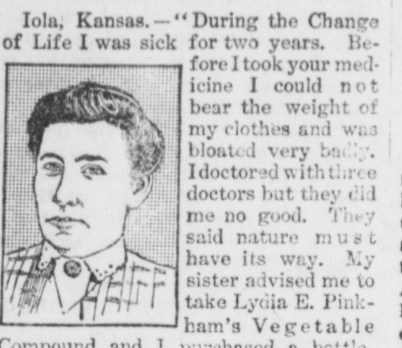
Woman's Way. "What's the latest among the suffragists?" "Mrs. Wallaby called Mrs. Wombat a deliberate and unqualified fibber."

How to Test Your Soil. Secure a small sample of soil free from roots and grass and put it in a glass. Insert two strips of blue litmus paper in the soil so that they are half covered. Then add pure water very carefully until the soil is thoroughly saturated. After the test has stood for several minutes the paper is removed and rinsed thoroughly. If that portion of it which was in contact with the soil has become red, then the soil is acid and would be benefited by liming. The litmus paper may be bought at almost any drug store.—Iowa Circular.

Dip Your Posts Before Setting. A circular of the Missouri experiment station says: "Thoroughly seasoned posts will last much longer than those that are set green. Good results have been obtained by charring the ends of the posts over an open fire. The posts must be thoroughly seasoned to prevent splitting or checking, and the charring must extend at least six inches above the surface of the ground when the post is set. Dipping the post in some preservative substance like tar, petroleum or creosote will help to keep out the moisture and will also tend to prevent the entrance of fungi."

HOW MRS. BROWN SUFFERED

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MEN OF LITTLE WIT. Eight men who deserve to be slapped on the face—he who despises a man of power, he who enters a house uninvited and unwelcomed, he who gives orders in a house not his own, he who takes a seat above his position, he who speaks to one who does not listen to him, he who intrudes on the conversation of others, he who seeks favors from the ungenerous and he who expects love from his enemies.—From the Persian.

The Circle. The ratio of the circumference of a circle to its diameter was first ascertained to some degree of exactness by Van Ceuten, a Dutchman. He found that if the diameter of a circle was 1 the circumference would be 3.141592653589793238462643383279502884.

Small's Best Book in the World. The smallest book in the world is in the library of congress, always under lock and key. It is a copy of the Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam. The tiny volume was made by Nathan Dole of Cleveland, O. It was photographed, each page separately. Four books of the same size would just cover a postage stamp. Three hundred of them would weigh a pound.—New York Mail.

Woman's Way. "What's the latest among the suffragists?" "Mrs. Wallaby called Mrs. Wombat a deliberate and unqualified fibber."

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THE GREATEST LIFE.

The greatest life is never the life that stretches itself upon cushioned couches, but the one that chooses the place of battle and reels under the blows and gathers itself amid pain and dizziness and gives back more blows than it takes till it stands weary and pausing, perhaps, but justified to itself and to the world by a clean and couraged victory.—Richard Wightman.

GOOD AND BAD MILKING.

Things to Observe and Others to Avoid in Handling Cows. Very early I began to milk. One season when only about twelve I and my brother, two years younger, earned \$20 one season milking cows for a neighbor at a penny a cow. But I do not claim to know all about milking even now. A few things I have learned, however. Perhaps they may be helpful to some one else, says the writer of a letter to the Iowa Homestead.

One is it is a good plan not to let one's finger nails grow too long. Most cows are very sensitive on this subject. Often when you see a cow step around uneasily the only reason is that the nails of the milker are cutting into her teats.

Right in the same line with this is the habit some men have of setting their finger ends against the side of the teat when pressing the milk out. This hurts some cows too. Let the



Photograph by Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute. "MILKING TIME."

Angers be as flat against the side of the teat as possible. It is just as easy to milk that way as any and far more agreeable to the cow.

Some men have a way of jerking down on the teats of the cow they are milking every time they bring out a stream. This is not at all necessary. In fact, the best milker will be the one who holds his hands the most nearly in the same position relative to the teat and presses steadily and rhythmically on the teat. Nothing is gained by jerking. Rather, the cow is made uncomfortable, and perhaps her bag may be permanently deformed.

One of the filthiest habits of a man ever contracted is that of wetting the teats of the cow he is milking with milk before he begins. This, he fancies, makes the process of milking easier. I have seen the hands of milkers which fairly reeked with the discolored milk as it oozed between their fingers. The man who does this is not a fit hand for work. More or less of the foul liquid will get into the pail and help to make the milk insanitary. Some cows do milk hard, but almost always there will be some man who is strong enough in the hands to milk them without resorting to any such filthy habit as this. Finally, three words which always will be in the mind of every milk-carefulness, cleanliness and kindness.

TO BECOME A WISE FARMER.

In farming do not theorize, do not philosophize too much. Live the life of a farmer, keep in sympathetic touch with the plant and animal life about you, and the philosophy will take care of itself. It is astonishing how often a farmer can become who is willing to be taught by what he sees and experiences. But this one thing he must remember—that the deductions of science have been obtained the same way, and so it is well to make friends of these deductions.—Howard's Dairyman.

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Taking Out the Posts. In pulling mortised fenceposts do you wish to do it with ease and dispatch? Loosen the earth a little around each post. Insert a lever through a mortise in the post, use first the wheel, then the dashbar of your wheelbarrow as a fulcrum, and the trick is done. Farm Journal.

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