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Succulent Food for Dairy Cows

We know that cows usually give the largest amount of milk when they are on good pasture. Their chief feed is, then, new-grown grass. This would indicate that such feed is better for milk-production than are the dry foods fed in winter. Green food is more easily digested than is dry, coarse fodder such as hay, fodder corn, and corn stover. Moreover, less energy is required to digest it, it tends to keep the body and digestive system in better condition, and it stimulates the appetite. We know this from human experience. In the winter, when vegetables are scarce and we eat potatoes, bread, and meat for a long time, we become tired of them, and crave something succulent, like fruit or green vegetables. In well-regulated homes, such food is supplied by canned or fresh vegetables and fruits.

The barrel of apples in the cellar is not especially valuable from the standpoint of the amount of nourishment contained. The great value of the apples is due to the fact that they aid in toning up the whole system and satisfy the craving for something succulent. In like manner it pays to supply the live stock on the farm with something to take the place of the green grass they get in summer. The whole ration need not be of a succulent material but that a portion of it should be such is quite essential to best results. Just as an apple or two each day is good for a boy or girl, so are a few pounds each day of succulent food, such as roots or silage, good for farm animals.

Heart River Ripples

Mrs. J. J. DeLange visited Mrs. Ed. Tibesar, Saturday.

Charles R. Johnson visited at the home of M. P. Twite near Carson, Sunday.

Chris Lein returned home from Madison, S. D., Friday.

Misses Edna Larson and Mina Aasved were Almont Shoppers last Monday.

Theo Stiler transacted business at Almont and Bismarck, a few days of this week. Mrs. Stiler accompanied him.

Miss Ida Johnson is assisting Mrs. Alfred Anderson at the Hotel Carlson during the rush of business caused by the employment of so many men on the new schoolhouse and mill.

Ads in the Arena Sell Goods

Had A Dance.

Last Saturday night about two score of the neighbors and friends of Mrs. Anna Compton met at her home and enjoyed the evening in dancing and other social diversions. The time passed too rapidly and some reported the light was in the east when the last guest left for home. During the evening refreshments were served.

FROM BISMARCK.

State Agent Spain of the Dakota Mutual Insurance company, spent a few days in Almont, this week, looking after business matters for the company. He returned to his home at Bismarck, Thursday.

Automatic Cashier A Wonder.

Wednesday afternoon at the Farmers State bank, the recently invented Automatic Cashier, was demonstrated. This wonderful piece of machinery combines all the best features of the best and most approved adding machines, cancelling checks and recording on check and on permanent record the face of the check and counts out and pays the money—all at one time. As stated, the operation of the Cashier leaves a record of its lightning like operation and does its work with accuracy, speed and precision that the most speedy teller or clerk could never attain.

The Automatic Cashier was the answer to a prayer sent up by the great department store heads and the paymasters of the largest factories who wanted a machine that would with a few simple operations count out money and make change rapidly and accurately. Surely the Automatic Cashier has amply demonstrated that it can do the those things. And further more so fast as the machines are turned out of the factory at Portland, Oregon, they are purchased by the banks department stores and paymasters manufacturing concerns. So soon as the output of the factory can be kept up to the demand, the United States and foreign countries will be organized and selling agents placed therein.

In appearance the Cashier is similar to a Burroughs adder with an attachment for coin and currency counting device.

Talking in all its features, its almost yet more accurate than human performance, and simplicity of operation, makes one stand before the machine and wonder at the cunning and inventive powers of the brain of man.

The Cause of Streaked Butter

Streaked and mottled butter is very common during the summer. As soon as warm weather begins then mottled butter becomes more common. Why is this? Why should there be a relation between warm weather and streaked butter?

The chief reason for this is that on many farms there are no facilities for cooling cream to a sufficiently low churning temperature. During the winter months the cream has been kept at a certain place, and the temperature has been just right to produce good results. When the warm spring days come on the cream is still kept in the same place. When time comes for churning the temperature of the cream in many instances is too high. The cream churns in five or ten minutes. The butter "breaks" soft, and in such condition, a great deal of butter milk is incorporated in the butter which can not be washed out in the wash water.

When the salt is added the curdy substance tends to separate. This is especially true if the salt is not evenly distributed in the butter. Mottled and streaked butter is then caused; first, by incorporating too much buttermilk in the butter; second, by an uneven distribution of salt and brine.

The remedy is to churn at as low a temperature as the cream will churn in between one-half to one hour's time, and wash well in two sets of wash water. Then add the salt while the butter is still in the form of flakes or granule. Mix thoroughly by rotating the churn. Then let the butter stand for about 15 minutes to let the salt dissolve. Then work thoroly to evenly distribute the brine. Pack in earthen jars and store in a cool place. The result will be fine appearing butter.

Church Benefit

Last Sunday afternoon a number of the people west of Almont met at A. Rasmussen's home in a benefit sociable for the Lutheran church at Sims. Ice cream, cake and coffee were sold and the sum of \$30.70 realized from the sale. And from a social standpoint the afternoon was a success due in a large measure to the efforts of Mrs. Anna Larson and Mrs. John Olin.

ADJUSTED INSURANCE.

A. A. Cowrie of Fargo, adjuster of insurance for the Hartford Fire Insurance Co., adjusted the losses caused by the fire of July 28. The adjustments of this company are always promptly and satisfactorily made and is a good company to insure your property.

OCCIDENT ADITOR HERE

Wednesday afternoon the auditor of the Occident Elevator company made his annual inspection of the company's property in this place and found everything in good condition.

Sims Sidelights.

Operator Shaffner is nursing a sprained wrist as a result of falling from a horse.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sniestad, G. G. Chamberlin and Col. E. E. Erb of Almont, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Holritz, a few hours last Saturday evening.

Mrs. K. B. Jullau is spending a few days at Gladstone, N. D., visiting her parents.

Willie Breen spent a few days at Mandan, visiting relatives.

Mrs. Thousa Gray was at New Salem, doing some shopping last Saturday.

Miss Agnes Ina was a Mandan visitor a few days last week. She returned home Sunday.

E. M. Holmbue of New Salem, was present at the Young People's meeting last Sunday evening.

Walter Bakken has hired to Jnr. Pederson to work on the latter's farm for the rest of the summer.

We understand I. T. Jonsson has bought an automobile, but it is laid up for repairs owing to a mishap he experienced the first time he used it.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Holritz and Mrs. J. Ius motored to Mrs. Fred Hoeger's farm on the "Muddy" last Thursday, returning in the evening by way of Almont, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Ellingson for several hours before returning to their homes in this place.

Mrs. A. B. Anderson of Mandan spent a few days in Sims, last week visiting relatives and friends. She left for Almont, Saturday, to visit in that place and vicinity for a few days before returning to her home at Mandan.

Sivert Olson shipped a carload of choice cattle from this place last Sunday. He expects to market them in South St. Paul.

Judge J. C. Johnson and Martin Larson of Mandan, spent last Sunday in their oldhomes in this place.

Wanted—A Fire Department

Among the numerous things our little city wants is some fire-fighting apparatus like some other village vaults. Almont needs a hook and ladder ere another fire is sent, and if businesses won't pay call on the ones who really for all of us are wondering if town is here to stay why people are so negligent about the fire-fight's play. Of course we know the trouble lies in carelessness a share, but let us get together and protect our town so fair.—Contributed.

His A Boy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sniestad, Thursday August 7, a six pound boy. Mother and babe are doing well and Carl has 40 pounds on his back. He is a fine fellow and will be a credit to his parents.—Contributed.

A Fine Sample of New Wheat

Some of the finest wheat that it been our opportunity to see this or any other year, is to be found on the fields of C. A. Knutson and John Olin. That growing on Mr. Knutson's will equal the best in this section. The heads are long and well-filled—square heads containing over sixty grains of nicely colored plump wheat. Mr. Olin's wheat while not so long stemmed, has well-filled heads which average a greater length than that on the fields of the former's farm. What these fields will yield can only be estimated, but at the least it will be something quite good.

Reported Good Time

G. H. Anderson who attended the dedication exercises when the Elks of Dickinson dedicated their new \$100,000 building, reports the event as a tremendous success, an event long to be remembered, and one of the best, biggest and jolliest affairs in the history of North Dakota Eldom. From the time when the curtain rose on this event or series of closely connected events, the many pleasing acts were produced in such an original way that not a slow tiresome minute, night or day, was allowed to come—in fact it was a rapidly moving picture show with one continuous film.

Chiropractor Opens Office Here

Dr. A. O. Henderson of Mandan doctor of chiropractic, arrived in Almont, Tuesday, and made arrangements for office room at the Merchants Hotel, and will be here Tuesday of each week from this time until further notice.

Home Happenings.

Misses Grace and Karen Jacobson were Bismarck visitors this week.

Miss Christine Nelson spent two days in Bismarck, this week.

A. A. VonHaven auditor for the Occident Elevator Co., was an Almont business visitor one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Stiler and F. Spahr were business visitors at the capital city, three days this week.

Mandan's Chiropractor will be in Almont every Tuesday at the Hotel. Consultation and examination free at office. advt.

There is a fumb of a dance to be given in the Almont hall next Saturday night, August 16.

Mrs. Oscar Feland was summoned to appear as a witness in a contest case which was heard before the Register of the U. S. Land office at Bismarck. She went to Bismarck on train No. 6, Tuesday morning.

Joe Olson spent three days at Bismarck and Mandan, this week.

That arrived in town and by his own admission he was a bit of a "drunk" but the cigars he set off were good smokes anyway.

Contestant Ballot

Good for 10 VOTES

Name

Address

NEWS OF THE WEEK

CONDENSATIONS OF GREATER OR LESSER IMPORTANCE.

A BOILING DOWN OF EVENTS

National, Political, Personal and Other Matters in Brief Form for All Classes of Readers.

Washington Notes. Senator Johnston of Alabama has introduced a resolution offering \$100,000 reward for the discovery of an agent to destroy the boll weevil.

Eleven progressive republicans have agreed to support Senator La Follette's substitute schedule on wool and several parts of the tariff bill. Senator Brandegee has asked for the passage of a joint resolution fixing a date when the new duties on wool and woolen products shall go into effect.

The senate relations committee have discussed the Nicaragua protectorate treaty. Senator Borah and Clarke taking pronounced stand against policy involved.

Representative Hoary in statement demanded investigation of charges that New York bankers had organized to depreciate price of government 3 per cent bonds.

Senator Clapp has proposed an amendment to the Aldrich-Vreeland law to prevent emergency currency under it to circulate for three months instead of one.

Senator Lewis has introduced a resolution to authorize secretary of treasury to withdraw treasury privileges from national banks which combined to depress federal securities.

On motion of Senator Gallinger the senate struck from the Congressional Record an article put in by Senator Tillman and which Senator Gallinger characterized as an insult to northern women.

The postoffice committee has indefinitely postponed action on the Egyptian tariff on assurance of postmaster general that he would not change parcel post regulations until tested.

Martin M. Mulhall has practically finished his identification of letters he wrote and received in the ten years he claims to have been the lobbyist for the National Association of Manufacturers.

Delegate Wickerman, before the territories committee urged government railroad for Alaska, and declared the Guggenheim and Morgan syndicates control every mile of Alaskan railroads.

The public lands committee have reported favorably a bill by Senator Borah permitting miners over 18 years of age to file on a homestead, the provision of the bill extending to female as well as male miners.

Republican senators have made it clear that they will not hasten consideration of the tariff bill if the president and democratic leaders of congress insist upon the enactment of currency legislation at this session.

Democrats and republicans of the senate clashed again in debate on the Underwood-Simmons tariff bill, when Senator Stone charged that the republicans deliberately were attempting to bring a panic to the speeches attacking the pending measure.

Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson's conferees with members of the senate committee on foreign relations resulted in a stronger support for his plan to recognize the Huerta government in Mexico than he received at any time since reaching Washington.

A reception tendered Richard L. Metcalfe, governor of Panama, by Nebraska association at the home of W. E. Andrews, auditor of the treasury, was emceed by Secretary of State Bryan to give the fullest expression to his desire for friendly relations between the United States and Panama.

Domestic. The average age of death in this country is 38.1 years. Cincinnati is asked to raise \$4,779,235.62 for expenses of city government in 1914.

One hundred and fifty employees of a coffee firm with offices at Boston, Montreal and Chicago will receive \$260,000 under the will of Charles D. Sloger, senior member of the firm.

The bustle section of the town of Honeyey, N. Y., was thrown into a panic when dynamite which John Everett was carrying through the district in a basket exploded. Everett was killed, but no others were injured.

New electric engine for the New York Central will haul 1,000-ton trains at a rate of 30 miles an hour. The girls East Van Pelt, aged 19, and Thelma Slouch, aged 15, were drowned in the reservoir of the Watt Mining Car company at Barreville, O.

About 3,400 men will be required for the operation and maintenance of the Panama canal.

It costs \$100,000 to survey the boundary between Alaska and British America. This line is 1,507 miles long.

Fly posts are said to cost the United States \$127,300,000 a year. In an average year the Mississippi carries out to sea 130,000,000 tons of mineral or earth salts in solution and 340,000,000 tons of mud.

Orange shipments from Florida for the last season (September 1, 1913, to June 14, 1913) totaled 5,189,000 boxes, or over 1,000,000 boxes more than the best previous season.

Most packing establishments under federal supervision at Chicago, St. Paul, Milwaukee and Indianapolis are to be inspected by Dr. M. P. Ravenel of the University of California.

Oil engine propulsion for ocean going vessels, has reached so successful a stage that a \$3,000,000 company has been organized in London to operate lines of freight ships of that type.

The attempt of Governor Ferris to end the copper miners' strike through a conference at Lansing, failed. The governor's plan was presented to both sides and accepted by the union but declined by the operators.

Arrangements for the sixth annual governors' conference, which is to be held at Colorado Springs, Colo., for five days commencing on August 26, were announced recently by Secretary Miles C. Hooley at Madison, Wis.

True bills charging complicity in incendiary fire were voted by a Chicago grand jury against Joseph Fish, head of Joseph Fish & Co., public fire insurance adjusters, and nine others, two of whom are reported to be women.

Litigation at 90 cents a case is the usually cheap price Kansas City, Mo., paid in settling 5,534 legal cases in the last twelve months. That record was achieved by the city's free legal aid bureau.

Three cases included in the estate struck down in 2,358, was claimed, the handing of 394 nonsupport cases and 178 child and wife abandonment cases.

Shouting "Muerto a Diaz (death to Diaz), a strong contingent of Mexico rebel sympathizers gave a riotous reception to the Angelenos, Cal., in General Felix Diaz, instigator of the revolution in Mexico City which culminated in the death of President Madero. He was saved finally by a platoon of police, who, with drawn clubs, drove back the excited crowd.

War Echoes. A five days' armistice was agreed to at a peace conference between the delegates of Serbia, Greece, Montenegro and Bulgaria.

The return of Nanking to the side of the Peking government is considered as having taken away the cornerstone from the southern rebellion.

"Cucheco" Campos, a general of federal irregular troops, was executed after the taking of Torreón, said a detailed report of the battle received by the constitutionalist committee, which the northern forces say that four.

The northern Chinese army is preparing for a big battle in the vicinity of Sa-Ho, and all the troops available are hurrying to the front. Officers of the northern forces said that four Japanese who were captured at the fall of Huku fortis have been ordered transported to Hankow.

It is anticipated that all of the rebel soldiers pledging their allegiance to the government will be pardoned under the proclamation "to the misguided people," issued by President Yuan Shih Kai at the beginning of the rebellion. The leaders of the revolt, however, must see for their lives.

Active revolutionary movement in Yucatan and the invasion of that country, simultaneously at various points on the Colombian frontier by adherents of former President Cipriano Castro are reported. Rumors have it that the town of Coro, in the state of Falcon, has been occupied by the forces of General Castro and the General Leon Jurado, governor of Edozon, has been taken prisoner by them.

Foreign. Seat canal tolls last year amounted to \$23,000,000. One Oldham (England) machine shop employs 10,600 men.

The record price of \$250,000 was paid for the horse, Prince Palatine, colic of the Arab colt, owned by J. B. Joel, the South African millionaire. Germany has signified its intention of being represented by a rifle team at the international "matches" to be held at Camp Perry, O., from September 1 to 15.

The government of Argentina has introduced a bill into congress on the lines of the Sherman law, declaring unlawful all trusts and combinations, in restraint of trade and production.

C. F. Simpson of Kansas City was elected president of the National Association of Real Estate Exchanges, and Pittsburgh, Pa., was selected as the next meeting place, at the closing business session of the annual convention of the organization.

EXPRESS RATES TO BE REDUCED SOON

COMPANIES ARE ORDERED TO MAKE RATE CHANGES OCT. 15

TO COST CONCERNS MILLIONS

Sweeping Cuts Mean About 18 Per Cent of Revenue—Quadrated Parcel Rates Will Be Modified.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Reductions in express rates which will cost companies fully \$20,000,000 a year—approximately 18 per cent of their gross revenue—have been ordered by the interstate commerce commission to become effective on or before Oct. 15, 1914. Ratebids reforms in practices also were ordered.

Most important change. The most important change prescribed by the order is the modification of the present graduated scale of parcel rates. One hundred pound rates for short distances either have been left unchanged or slightly reduced; for longer distances they have been lowered; for fifty pounds or less all rates practically have been reduced. For packages more than four pounds going more than 200 miles and less than 2,000 the new express rates are generally lower than the parcel post rates; for more than 3,000 miles the rates are practically the same.

The report and order of the commission prepared by Commissioner John H. Marble are a virtual affirmation of the findings of former Commissioner Franklin K. Lane, now secretary of the interior.

Block System is Used. By prescribing a so-called block system, dividing the United States into 950 blocks, averaging 2,500 square miles as originally proposed by Mr. Lane, 800,000 different rates now published by the express companies, will be reduced to less than 600,000 and the interstate commerce commission believes that the system points the way to a solution of the existing maze of freight rates.

The general impression in official quarters is that the express companies will attempt to test by legal means the constitutionality of the commission's order.

The requirement of the order of June 8, 1912, that a label shall be attached to each parcel is modified to the extent that in case of shipments of perishable property consisting of two or more packages the label need be attached to only one package.

The express companies had filed statements indicating that the losses of revenue under the proposed rates would be intolerable and argued strenuously that the establishment of the parcel post had deprived them of quite 30 per cent of the revenue they formerly received from parcels of eleven pounds or less. They contended that the express business could not survive the losses from both sources.

AMBASSADOR WILSON QUILTS

Connection With Government Will Cease Oct. 14, According to State Department.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson's official connection with this government will cease on Oct. 14, a statement issued by the state department announcing the diplomat's resignation made known that Wilson was out of touch with the administration and not considered as the proper personage to handle the Mexican situation.

The ambassador, in the ordinary practice, is entitled to sixty days' leave, exclusive of the 100 days' vacation for the going by the date of Oct. 14 in the announcement.

COOL WEEK-AHEAD; NO STORM

Washington Forecast Says Northwest Temperature Will Be Below Normal Average.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Cooler weather throughout the Northwest is predicted by the weather bureau here. The weekly forecast declares that the temperature will be below the seasonal average for the remainder of the week.

No warm wave is declared probable east of the Rocky mountains, and the precipitation will be light. It is said that no storm will cross the country.

Telegram. Cable. Ambassador Wilson.

New York, Aug. 5.—Henry Lane Wilson, ambassador to Mexico, has been visiting here, and is expected to leave for Washington to attend a conference at the State Department.

OLIVER P. NEWMAN



Mr. Newman, the newspaperman whom President Wilson appointed one of the three commissioners of the District of Columbia, is still being fought by the local Democratic politicians. They assert Mr. Newman has not lived long enough in the District to be eligible, though the attorney general has ruled otherwise.

PRES. HUERTA WILL NOT RESIGN

WILL TOLERATE NO INTERFERENCE BY FOREIGNERS EITHER.

Constitutionalists Renew Efforts to Have Embargo on Arms Lifted.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Official Washington read with keen interest the declaration of Aureliano Urrutia, the Mexican minister of interior, that Provisional President Huerta would not resign and moreover would brook no interference on the part of the foreigners in his administration.

While no plan that the American government has had under serious consideration involved any direct interference in Mexican affairs, the admitted attitude of the administration here is one of unalterable opposition to the recognition of the Huerta regime.

The announcement that he has determined not to do so, has been couched the situation somewhat and spurred the constitutionalists on to further activity to obtain the repeal of the embargo on arms. With munitions of war, they say, they can quickly bring matters to a crisis.

General Eduardo Itay, who has been selected by the constitutionalists as their spokesman, now is in Washington, and will present this view to the senate foreign relations committee during the present week.

SUFFRAGETTES ARE EJECTED

Halt Services at Cathedral by Chanting Prayer for Mrs. Pankhurst.

London, Aug. 5.—A party of forty well dressed suffragettes interrupted the morning service at St. Paul's cathedral by chanting a prayer in behalf of Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst. Suffragettes ejected the women from the cathedral after a scuffle in which several chairs were upset.

The disturbance took place during the singing of the litany. The women, who had front seats in the congregation, chanted loudly: "Give Emmeline Pankhurst." "Spare her; spare her." "Give her light and set her free." "Save her; save her." "Hear us while we pray to Thee."

Apartment House Burns. Killed. Cleveland, Aug. 5.—One man was killed and 16 persons injured by jumping from windows when fire broke out in the Granger apartment house at 3005 Prospect avenue. The man killed was J. J. Anderson, a cooper. Two women were injured by flying glass. The loss to the building is estimated at \$30,000. The Granger is the apartment house where "Billy" Whitlaw, the boy kidnapped from Sumner, several years ago, was found after a wide search.

Save Mrs. Pankhurst. New Orleans, La., Aug. 5.—Andrew Knight of St. Louis, first class quadrimester in the United States navy, has returned to New Orleans after the light house at South Pass; after the vessel was abandoned a cooper. The vessel was fired from Lake Itasca in a 10 foot steel row boat. The voyage consumed 45 days and 20 days.

BANKERS ASKED TO HOLD CONFERENCE

McADOO SEEKS ADVICE REGARDING DEPOSIT OF CROP FUNDS.

CONCERNS 59 LEADING CITIES

Entire \$50,000,000 to Be Deposited if Situation Demands—Must Be Returned When Harvests Are Marketed.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Representative bankers of 59 large cities in the agricultural regions of the South, Middle West and Pacific Coast have been invited by Secretary McAdoo to come to Washington to confer with the treasury department regarding the distribution of the \$50,000,000 of government funds about to be deposited in the national banks of these sections to facilitate the marketing and movement of the crops.

An Unprecedented Step. This unprecedented step, which will call to Washington bankers from the eastern city will finance the handling of the great crops soon to be harvested, is designed to give the secretary first hand information and advice as to the specific and relative needs of each of the districts. It has been tentatively decided to place the deposits in the 59 cities to be represented at the conference.

Invitations were sent by telegram to the presidents of the clearing house associations in each of the cities asking them to send representatives or committees to Washington at various arrangements for depositing the big sum. The conference with the representatives from the southern cities will be held at the treasury department Thursday, August 7, with those from the west Friday, Aug. 8, and with those from the Pacific coast on Thursday, Aug. 14.

Cities to Be Represented. These cities have been invited to be represented: Birmingham, Mobile, Montgomery, Ala.; Little Rock, Ark.; Los Angeles, San Francisco, St. Louis, Denver, Colo.; Tampa, Jacksonville, Fla.; Atlanta, Savannah, Ga.; Chicago, Evansville, Fort Wayne, Indianapolis, Des Moines, Sioux City, Iowa; Kansas City, Wichita, Kansas; Louisville, Ky.; New Orleans, La.; Baltimore, Md.; Washington, Meridian, Miss.; St. Louis, Kansas City, Mo.; Minneapolis, St. Paul, Minn.; Detroit, Mich.; Charlotte, Wilmington, Raleigh, N. C.; Omaha, Neb.; Oklahoma City, Muskogee, Oklahoma; Portland, Ore.; Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Ohio; Charleston, Columbia, Spartanburg, Greenville, S. C.; Chattanooga, Knoxville, Memphis, Nashville, Tenn.; Dallas, Galveston, Houston, San Antonio, Texas; Richmond, Norfolk, Roanoke, Va.; Wheeling, W. Va.; Seattle, Spokane, Wash.; and Milwaukee, Wis.

Secretary McAdoo announced that it was not practicable to increase the number of cities and that he believed those selected were thoroughly representative of the agricultural sections.

Deposits Depend on Demands. Treasury officials declared that the entire \$50,000,000 which has been offered will be deposited if the situation demands it. It was explained that crop would be deposited as soon as the marketing of the circulating volume of money and that the government would deposit only what was needed to assist in moving the crops, with the stipulation that it must be returned as the harvest is about to be marketed.

Secretary McAdoo will discuss the amount needed and the dates to be named for the gradual return of the money to the government.

The treasury department expects to begin making the deposits before the close of August and gradually to feed the money into the selected centers as the demand grows through the crop moving period.

Peat Fires at Dowd, Iowa. Dowd, Iowa, Aug. 6.—Farms covering 100 acres in Dowd, Iowa, were covered in peat. Literally will be burned up unless the efforts of men who have been working day and night, since Friday are successful. By means of a peat harrow the ground is being broken up and the peat is being covered with a layer of soil. The burning has been confined to 40 acres, but leaders among the fighting farmers say they have no hope of keeping it under control.

Little Girl and Grandfather Brown. Washington, La., Aug. 6.—Henry Elmore and Grandfather Brown, Little Rock, Ark., were killed by a peat fire. The fire was caused by a peat fire in the peat fields near Dowd, Iowa. The fire was caused by a peat fire in the peat fields near Dowd, Iowa.

Lame exercises cover a multitude of indiscretions.

Mrs. Webster's Gooding... Unusually Opposed.

Mike—Do you believe in the recall of Judges, Pat? Pat—That I do not.

ECZEMA ON ENTIRE SCALP

R. F. D. No. 2, Sunfield, Mich.—I was troubled with eczema. It began with a sore on the top of the scalp...

"I treated about six months and got no relief and after using Cuticura Soap and Ointment with two applications...

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free with 25¢ in Blue Book.

Mrs. Newlywed's Mistake. Grocer—Wouldn't you like some borschtch?

Mrs. Newlywed—Hercy, not I. You don't keep a horse—Judge.

No Chances. "What is your objection to working in the country?" inquired Mr. Sobush...

"I'm afraid it'll be lonely," replied she. "Impossible. Why, there are 16 of us in my family."

Another Form of It. "Where are you going with that big box of candy?"

"I'm lobbying for a friend of mine whose girl has kept him guessing for three years. If I can succeed in making her come to his defense by saying he's not worth killing, why he's going to show his appreciation of my efforts in his behalf by inviting me to an elaborate dinner."

Anniversary. A man may be rough-looking and yet have a touch of sentiment about him.

A raged, blue-eyed-looking man appeared at the door of a Providence woman's home and in a pleading tone asked:

"Have you a piece of cake, lady, to give a poor man who hasn't had a bite for two days?"

"Cake?" echoed the woman in surprise. "Isn't bread good enough for you?"

"Ordinarily, yes, m'am. But this is my birthday," explained the tramp. —Harper's Magazine.

PANTRY CLEANED A Way Some People Have. A doctor said:

"Before marriage my wife observed in summer and country homes, coming in touch with families of varied means, customs, tastes and discriminating tendencies, that the families using Postum seemed to average better than those using coffee."

"When we were married two years ago, Postum was among our first order of groceries. We also put in some tea and coffee for guests, but after both had stood around the pantry about a year untouched, they were thrown away, and Postum used only."

"Up to the age of 23 I had been accustomed to drink coffee as a routine habit and suffered constantly from indigestion and all its relative disorders. Since using Postum all the old complaints have completely left me and I sometimes wonder if I ever had them."

Notice given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Write for booklet, "The Road to Wellville."

Postum comes in two forms. Regular (must be boiled). Instant—Postum doesn't require boiling. It is prepared instantly by stirring a level teaspoonful in an ordinary cup of hot water, which makes it right for most persons."

A big cup requires more coffee than people like the strong things out in a heating spoonful and temper it with a large supply of cream.

Experiment until you know the amount that pleases your palate and have it served that way in the future. "There's a Reason" for Postum.

News of North Dakota

North Dakota

Telegraph Items of General Interest Gathered From All Sections of the Flickertail State.

CALLS N. D. LAWS STRICT

State Fire Marshal, Tells Minneapolis Reporter of Flickertail Game Restrictions.

Minneapolis.—Game laws in North Dakota are strict, according to A. H. Runge of Bismarck, formerly first chief in Minneapolis, now fire marshal of North Dakota. When he was in St. Paul, he stopped near Driscoll recently he went ahead and found the engineer waiting for a prairie chicken and her brood to get off the track. The engineer was afraid to violate the law by running over the birds.

The season for shooting will open Sept. 7, and Mr. Runge said that chickens and ducks are plentiful. People are being educated so well in North Dakota that fires in the woods are becoming less numerous.

Mr. Runge said that the condition to the inspections made and instructions sent out by his department. "Whoever they have farmed they have a good crop in North Dakota," said Mr. Runge.

At the state hospital for the insane farm at Jamestown is located one of the best farms in the state. They raise truck and a regular grain crop. The Red River valley is holding its record all right. The farmers are learning scientific farming.

This is shown in one instance by the Gillespie farm at Grandville, which is turning out better than the Great Northern experimental five-acre tract adjoining. Gillespie follows his own ideas and he manages the tract for the railroad under long distance orders.

23 TOWNS ON NEW LINE

Stations Six Miles Apart on Cut-Off of Soo Branch Which is 123 Miles Long.

Esmond.—According to the official printed timetable for passenger trains, recently established on the new Great Northern branch line of the Soo, there are in all twenty-three stations on that line, as follows, commencing at the eastern end: Fordville, Dahlen, Norval, Whitman, Gardis, Elmo, Southam, Rohrville, Essex, Devils Lake, Darby, Runney, Friden, Conant, Harlow, Baker, Willmore, Silva, Balta, Orrin, Foneston, Kaluga and Drake. All of these are new towns, except Fordville, Devils Lake and Drake.

The total length of the new line is given as 123 miles, and the stations are about six miles apart.

Silva has been made a United States postoffice, with Hans Morley, general merchant, as its first postmaster. The First State Bank of Silva has opened for business, and a doctor has just located there, coming from Derwick.

The postoffice will open for business as soon as the supplies arrive. Balta has also been made a postoffice.

Residents of Hannah Injured. Hannah.—Choosing a tree to crash into as an alternative they found their automobile on the brink of the Pembina river, the members of a Hannah motor party were badly injured. They had reached the river bank on a blind trail leading from the main traveled road, coming onto it in the dark.

Robert McLean, son of State Senator McLean, was buried about a rod but escaped unhurt. Miss Jessie McLean, daughter of the senator, was killed and badly bruised, the latter having her arm lacerated.

Urgo Co-operation With Mandan. Mandan.—Co-operation with Mandan in securing the Milwaukee road for Dunn county is sought by the citizens of this place. A committee recently visited Mandan and discussed the matter. It was decided to engage a competent engineer and await his report before further action.

Tramp Accidentally Fired Barn. Wolford.—Accidentally setting fire to a barn on the Cartwright farm near here, a tramp attempted to flee by ropes. Only three of the animals, however, escaped, twelve being roasted. The tramp who escaped, the total loss is about \$1,000.

Driver Killed by Lightning. Toga.—George Donnelly, aged 45, of Temple, was instantly killed by lightning while driving near his home.

SCHEME TO LURE LABORERS

Offer Farms, Handed Band Concerts and Amusement Rides.

Devils Lake—Impressively warned by the scarcity of men to harvest the bumper crop of last year, the farmers of several fertile counties comprising the lake region of North Dakota, are applying to the Agricultural Bank and the commission of this city to help them secure plenty of workers to harvest this season's great gift of grain.

The harvest is great, but the laborers are few, writes one farmer. Advertisements have been placed in Twin City newspapers, and special inducements are being planned by the community societies and the city fathers to attract a desirable class of laborers.

Concerts three evenings each week by the city band, and street car transportation to Chauquaqua Park on the shores of the lake will probably be provided for incoming harvest hands.

Farmers have agreed to stop work at 5 p. m. daily, and in many instances will furnish autos to enable their men to spend the evening in the city. A big amusement day is set for Aug. 5, when "The Stampede," a series of feature attractions and a water carnival held by the Devils Lake yacht and boat club, will take place. Special Sunday sports and amusements are also being arranged at the lake for the men.

HARVEST IS GENERAL IN N. D.

Heat Forces Grain Along Rapidly—Wheat About All Ripe Over State.

Grand Forks.—This week saw harvest operations general in North Dakota. With all heat records of the season broken, grain was forced along rapidly and the farmers had most of their grain ripening in a bunch. Most of the rye has been harvested, very little of that grain remaining. Much of the barley in the southern counties has been cut while a great deal of wheat has been harvested.

All But One Body Found. Drayton.—The bodies of Robert E. Stewart, Mrs. John Stewart Johnson and William Johnson, who were drowned when their automobile plunged over the ferryboat at Joliet into the Red river of the North last Sunday, have been recovered. The river is being dragged for the body of Mrs. Stewart. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart have a son 18 years and a daughter 20 years of age surviving them.

The coroner of Kittson county, Miss R. D. Johnson of Hatlock, was on the scene of the accident shortly after it occurred and, after a thorough investigation, concluded that an inquest was unnecessary.

Courthouse Will be Convent. Pembina.—The contractors have commenced work in repairing and putting in shape the former courthouse of the city of Pembina, which will be opened as a convent school the first Thursday of September by the missionary oblate nuns. The place will be incorporated under the name of "The Academy of Mary Immaculate, Pembina." The property has been purchased by the citizens and Commercial club of Pembina and donated to the oblate sisters.

Shoos Brother to Death. Steele.—The 13-year-old son of Thomas Edwards, residing ten miles north of here, was shot Sunday by his 10-year-old sister. She died instantly. The parents were away at the time of the shooting. The girl thought the weapon was not loaded, pointed it at her brother playfully and pulled the trigger.

Says Father Made Threats. Tower.—Little Anna Starr, testifying in the trial of her father, charged with the murder of her mother, said her father, a few days previous to the shooting, had exhibited confidence in one hand and the bottle in the other to his wife, declaring the bullets were for her and the bottle for himself.

Shotgun Ends Woman's Life. Carrington.—A girl was usually early after having had the best shot in months, as she told her husband, Mrs. Anna Blading went to an adjoining room and killed herself, using a shotgun which she discharged into her mouth.

Two Killed by Lightning. Guelph.—James Kegan, 17 years old, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. He was standing on the porch of his father's home when the bolt hit him. His clothing was torn to shreds, and his body was badly mutilated.

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SENOR G. S. CORDOVA



Senor Cordova, the new minister to the United States from Ecuador, is the latest addition to the diplomatic corps in Washington.

He speaks English fluently and is one of the big men of his country. He succeeds Senor Arizaga, who resigned some months ago.

SENTENCE FIVE W. VA. SOLONS

CONVICTED OF BRIBERY AND GIVEN PRISON TERMS. In Addition, Are Disqualified for Life From Holding Office of Trust.

Webster Springs, W. Va., Aug. 6.—Sentences have just been imposed on five members of the West Virginia legislature by Judge W. S. O'Brien, in the superior court. The legislators were convicted of bribery in connection with the election of a United States senator early in the year.

The sentences follow: Delegates S. U. O. Rhodes, Nath Duff and H. F. Asbury, six years each in the penitentiary; State Senator B. A. Smith, five years six months, and Delegate David Hill, five years.

In addition the five are disqualified for life from holding any public office or office of trust.

The sentences of the legislators came shortly after Delegate David Hill, the fifth to stand trial on bribery charges, was convicted. After the sentences were imposed an arrest of judgment and stay of execution for 90 days was allowed by the court to permit attorneys for the defendants to make applications for appeals to the state supreme court.

More than two months have been consumed in the trial of the case, the first of their kind in West Virginia. There were seven legislators indicted, the five already tried having been held on felony charges and the other two, George B. Van Meter, secretary of the state, on misdemeanor charges. The trial of the last two probably will be deferred until another term of court.

TRY TO BREAK ARSON GANG. Virginia, Minn., Authorities Are Trying to Place Blame for the Recent Fires.

Virginia, Minn., Aug. 6.—Up to date many suspects have been arrested in connection with the four fires Sunday that were started by arson gangs and robbers. It is, however, stated that there is no evidence that connects any with the crimes. Some people contend the work was that of a pyromaniac, others that a gang of criminals jeered the city.

Every policeman who was not able to give a satisfactory account of his employment was arrested as a suspect and the Virginia jail holds several who are suspected of knowing more than they have told. There is a well accepted theory that the fire-bug had scheduled to execute some kind of greater gesture than that which was done and the crime being perpetrated by a large number of special officers.

London, Aug. 6.—Word was received yesterday of the death of a young man, Martin, who was shot in North St. Amant, St. George Hitchcock, the painter, death resulted from heart failure.

After all, we was more trouble than we get into.

The wheel-of-fortune turns so fast for some men that it makes the road of us dizzy.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB (Specialist)—"Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat" Fargo, N. D.

Compensation. "Any chickens in that new show?" "No, but it has plenty of lame ducks."

Purposed. Visitor—Good heavens! The dog! Host—Don't be alarmed, he's only going for Pyrite's bread and butter that you've been sitting on.—Meggan, doctor, Blatter.

Irritating Skin Troubles, so prevalent in summer, such as sunburn, poison oak, chafing, sunburn, eczema, etc., are quickly relieved when Tyro's Antiseptic Powder is used. It is at druggists or sample sent free by J. S. Tyro, Washington, D. C.—Adv.

Marriage. George Adams, one of his famous clients at Hamilton Park, his Indiana estate, agreed the conversation, according to his work, to matrimony.

In the midst of Mr. Adams' festive business man declared stoutly: "Well, say what you please George, marriage broadens a man."

"I suppose it might be put in that way," said Mr. Adams. "Flatten, though, is the word I've always used."

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Watson. In the Top Cover Seal. Children Cry for Mother's Castoria.

Why He Quit. Two members of a country club were discussing a fellow member. The latter, it appears, did not have a reputation for outbursts of wild extravagance.

"I understand that 'Bucky' Brown has quit the game of golf."

"What! 'Bucky' Brown? He used to be so fond of the game! Why on earth did he stop playing?"

"He lost his golf ball."

Another Form of It. "Where are you going with that big box of candy?"

"I'm lobbying for a friend of mine whose girl has kept him guessing for three years. If I can succeed in making her come to his defense by saying he's not worth killing, why he's going to show his appreciation of my efforts in his behalf by inviting me to an elaborate dinner."

Anniversary. A man may be rough-looking and yet have a touch of sentiment about him.

A raged, blue-eyed-looking man appeared at the door of a Providence woman's home and in a pleading tone asked:

"Have you a piece of cake, lady, to give a poor man who hasn't had a bite for two days?"

"Cake?" echoed the woman in surprise. "Isn't bread good enough for you?"

"Ordinarily, yes, m'am. But this is my birthday," explained the tramp. —Harper's Magazine.

PANTRY CLEANED A Way Some People Have. A doctor said:

"Before marriage my wife observed in summer and country homes, coming in touch with families of varied means, customs, tastes and discriminating tendencies, that the families using Postum seemed to average better than those using coffee."

"When we were married two years ago, Postum was among our first order of groceries. We also put in some tea and coffee for guests, but after both had stood around the pantry about a year untouched, they were thrown away, and Postum used only."

"Up to the age of 23 I had been accustomed to drink coffee as a routine habit and suffered constantly from indigestion and all its relative disorders. Since using Postum all the old complaints have completely left me and I sometimes wonder if I ever had them."

Notice given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Write for booklet, "The Road to Wellville."

Postum comes in two forms. Regular (must be boiled). Instant—Postum doesn't require boiling. It is prepared instantly by stirring a level teaspoonful in an ordinary cup of hot water, which makes it right for most persons."

A big cup requires more coffee than people like the strong things out in a heating spoonful and temper it with a large supply of cream.

Experiment until you know the amount that pleases your palate and have it served that way in the future. "There's a Reason" for Postum.

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SATURDAY, AUG. 2 1913.

Subscription Price
In advance - - - \$1.25
Time and arrearages - - 1.50
Subscriptions will not be carried more than 12 months—See Postal Laws

Small Wreck Near Almont.

At one o'clock this morning, six empty stock cars in a west bound extra freight, left the track about a mile west of town and were entirely demolished. The wrecker was soon on its way and by 8:30 this morning had the line open so that delayed trains, No's 6 and 4 could proceed. No one injured.

A Big Girl

Sunday Aug. 3, there was born unto Mr. and Mrs. Morton James an eleven pound girl. Latest reports state mother and child are doing well.

Made Final Proof.

Among those who made final proof on their homesteads before United States Commissioner, G. H. Anderson, were Theo Stiler, Carl Schendel, Jens Nelson, John Kennedy and John R. Thomas.

Home Locals

"FRAN" is home again.

Read O. C. Ellingson's new ad this week.

Those new crossings for Almont are dainty things—too nice to put down for people to walk on.

Mr. and Mrs. Tollef Christiansen were Bismarck visitors, last week.

There is no better time than at present to begin the fall advertising campaign. Advertise systematically and then deliver the goods that you have advertised.

**A NEW CREATION
WEBSTER'S
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THE MERRIAM-WEBSTER
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Contains the fifth and essence of an authoritative library.
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Write for sample pages, full page, etc.
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The Prosperous Farmer

When purchasing a binder always look far enough ahead, so that after you have had a misfortune so break—a little casting you do not have to lie idle a week to ten days waiting for same to reach your dealer—you do not have to wait if you use an

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Large list of Repairs ALWAYS on hand.
DON'T let the TRUST MAGNATE tell you of our goods. WE stand back of them, he does not. GREAT REDUCTION on binders; call and see them.
Plymouth binding thine is always the best.

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H. M. SILVERNAIL, LOCAL MANAGER.
Almont, North Dakota

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REASON
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WHAT IS IT?**

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MAKE YOUR FARM LOAN from a Bank that will appreciate your business.

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FARMERS & MERCHANTS
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Wm. Simpson, President. Ed. Schulenberg, V.-President
E. H. McHugh, Cashier.

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Fresh and Salt Meats. --- Highest market price paid for Cattle, Hogs, Hides and Sheep.

We ship Tuesday and Saturday to A. Timmerman, Almont.



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We could charge more but the Quality of the Soup can't be improved.



O. C. Ellingson,
P. O. Bld'g. Almont, North Dakota.

CREAM

Your cream check helps pay your grocery bill so you want every cent that it earns. If you can see your cream tested, and be able to read the result of the test and get your money right there, you would be satisfied that you would get a square deal. Bring your cream to me and get honest weight and test.
J. R. Sherwood, Almont.

RUSSELL & RUSSELL
GENEVA, OHIO BURTON, OHIO

Can Fill Your Wants In
HOLSTEINS
Write Them Your Needs

ARE YOU SHIPPING Cream Profitably?

If not ship to **RIDSVOLD CREAMERY COMPANY.** Correct Weights. Highest Prices and Quick Returns.
A Big Opportunity to get the Best in the World.
We manufacture the famous **STERLING CREAM Separator.** Nothing like it on earth. Write for catalogue before you buy.
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WE WILL APPRECIATE YOUR PATRONAGE
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Ship **CREAM** to a New Butter Concern.
also Poultry and other Produce. 10 Years in the produce business.

We pay CASH DAILY at HIGHEST MARKET PRICES.
Write for tags and give us a trial.
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We give full weights, honest test. **WRITE US**
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WHY should the Farmer impose this handicap upon himself and family when it is not necessary?

Write us what Real Estate security you have and we can make you a Farm Loan as large as is consistent with good business.

We want your business and will assure you of fair treatment. We stand between you and the Investor. You do not have to worry about your paper falling into the hands of unscrupulous brokers who do not know you.

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Weekly Arena 6 Mo's .75 BOTH \$1.00
Dakota Farmer 3 Yrs 2.00 BOTH 2.00
Weekly Arena 1 Yr 1.25 BOTH 2.00
THE ARENA, Almont, N. D.

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Has a very business like sound to you own ears when putting it up as an argument to get rid of the agent who has asked you to insure your buildings against fire and lightning. You did not believe yourself when said. You knew the agent did not believe it and felt sorry you could imagine you could successfully carry your own insurance. 'I'll carry my own insurance' has a much different sound when you stand at

the place where your house stood and look at the gray ashes and possibly a few pieces iron from a chimney a stove. All has been swept away in a breath by FIRE. The reward of year of toil and saving are gone. You must begin at the bottom once more. A policy in the COMMERCIAL UNION OR HANOVER INSURANCE Companies would give you the money to build again. Ask about them at
THE ARENA OFFICE, ALMONT, N. D.

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are received by the people who use
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Cream Separators. The reason is 'Empire Separators' save all the cream. Light running. Easily washed. Scientifically constructed. Simple not complicated.



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TREASURER'S REPORT

For Olin School District No. 31 County of Morton and State of North Dakota, for the year 1912-1913.

RECEIPTS.
Cash on hand at beginning of school year, July 1, 1912 \$1,204.48
Total amount received during the year from the apportionment of the State Tuition Fund 100.94
Total amount received during the year from the apportionment of the County Tuition Fund 65.83
Amount received during the year from Taxes levied by the District School Board, including outstanding warrants redeemed or endorsed in the collection of Taxes 470.00
Amount received during the year into the Sinking Fund 8.43
Amount received during the year from Other Sources 61.00
Total receipts for the year, including Cash on hand July 1, 1912 \$2,950.68

EXPENDITURES.
Amount paid during the year for School Houses, Sites and Furniture 77.50
Amount paid during the year for Teachers Wages 607.08
Amount paid during the year for Services and Expenses of School Officers 115.00
Amount paid during the year for Interest on Bonds and Warrants 48.50
Amount paid during the year for Incidental Expenses 140.00
Amount transferred to the Sinking Fund 300.00
Total expenditures for the year \$1,568.08
Cash on hand June 30, 1913 \$1,382.60
Grand Total, Expenditures and Cash on Hand, to balance above Total Receipts \$2,950.68

RELATING TO SINKING FUND
Amount received into and transferred to the Sinking Fund during the year 300.00
Balance in Sinking Fund June 30, 1912 828.00
Approved this 8 day of July, A. D. 1913.
Henry T. Steves,
Treasurer of Olin School District, No. 31,
By order of the District School Board,
M. H. Ostad,
M. H. Ostad, President.

Attest: C. E. Schauer, Clerk.

CLERK'S STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS OF DISTRICT

Whole amount of Bonds Outstanding June 30, 1913 \$800.00
Total Indebtedness of District June 30, 1913 \$800.00
Approved this 8 day of July, A. D. 1913.
By order of the District School Board,
C. E. Schauer,
Clerk.

(Published Aug. 1, 1913.) (Legal Advice)

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ICE CREAM
We will have Ice Cream for Sale Saturday and Sunday. J. E. Woodward, adv.

ESTRAYED
From my place about March 1st, one bay mare with foal, wt. 1000 pounds, star in face, one white sock, roughed mane, branded J11 on the right hip. Reward for return. John (Mrs. St. Joseph, N. D. Adv.)

MOTOR CYCLE, MOTOR BOATS
FOR SALE: 1912 Model, Motor Cycle and Motor Boat as herein set forth. All make brand new machines on easy monthly payment plan. Get our proposition before buying or you will regret it. Also bargain in used Motor Cycles. Write to us today. Explain Receipt for reply. Address: Look Box 11 Treston, Mich. Adv. 2-3.

CAUTIOUS, CAREFUL
and good business men do not take long chances—they insure their crops against destruction. So their families do not have to suffer in case of a fire. Ask at the Arena office about that "Company whose insurance INSURE" advertisement.

DOES YOUR
wife have to do the cream separator when you are away from home? Let too busy work for her, unless it is an Empire Separator. They run so easy a ten-year-old child could do the work—and you get all the cream, too. Try one in your home for thirty days and you realize what a cream-time and labor-saver the Empire is. Agency at Arena Office, adv.

GALLOWAY BULL for service at my farm. Fee \$1.00 for standing call. Chase P. Hall, Almont, N. D. Adv.

FOR SALE
One house 20x20 feet, 8 feet high; in good shape to move. Also 4 miles of 2-wire fence and cedar posts at a bargain if taken at once. E. H. Erb, Almont, North Dakota. adv.

What is Chiropactic?

Chiropactic is the knowledge (not theory or belief) of philosophy of cause of disease; the science of knowing how the art or ability to adjust it. The brain is the dynamic where life currents are concentrated. The spinal cord and the nerves are the purveyors of this mental force. If brain absorbs, spinal cord conveys, nerves transmit and tissues, organs and viscera receive this life current, health is the product. Obstruct translocation of the current and disease is the product. Body plus life equals health. Body minus life equals death. Disease is the abnormal fluctuation between these two quantities caused by varying degrees of pressure upon nerves, interfering with translocation. A CHIROPACTIC knows why, where and how to remove the "pressure" and permit the currents to continue translocation for the purpose of reconstructing disease to health. Health is the restoration of currents. If sick no matter what or where your ailment (mild or severe) investigate. We can prove the Chiropactic is right and applicable to your case.

A. O. HENDERSON, D. C. CHIROPACTOR
Mandan, N. D. Branch office Almont, time and place when in Almont, will be published next week.

E-M-P-I-R-E

Spells Success for the person who sells cream.

It spells more years of service at the least expense for maintenance.

It spells a big saving in lubricants.

It spells prosperity to the one who milks two or more cows.

It spells as near perfection in separator building as it is possible to attain.

Empire agency, Arena Office

Theodore Larson has 'name' his ing ranch and appropriately calls it Golden Glen Stock Farm. And has ordered some stationery for his personal use.

Note the change in the Chase Lumber Company's ad this week.

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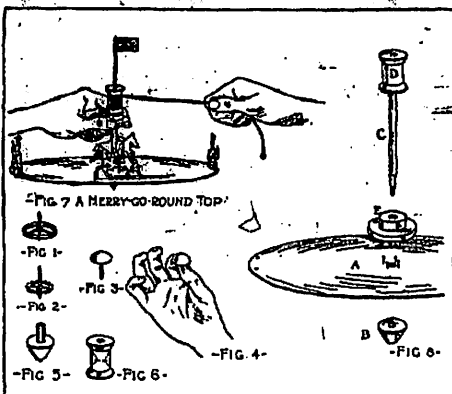
Home Pickings

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Silvernail went to Taylor Friday afternoon to attend the annual lake ball dance. When are we to crossings-for-Almont streets?

New Ideas for Handy Boys

By A. NEELY HALL

Author of "The Handy Boy's Book," "The Boy Craftsman," etc.



HOMEMADE TOPS.

There are many styles of tops, probably more than you ever dreamed of, and it will surprise you to hear that the owners of some of the most curious forms are boisterous men who take as much delight in spinning as any boy does. Down among the South Sea Islands, on Murray Island, the natives became so enthusiastic over the sport a few years ago, and neglected their work to such an extent, that their families often went without food, and boys and girls went off to school without having had any breakfast. Matters became so serious that finally the Mamooos or chief was forced to issue an edict restricting the holding of top contests to certain days. Among these natives there are many very expert top spinners. An eye witness to a recent contest writes that there were thirty tops spinning at one time. Of these the winning top spun 37 minutes, the second best 24 minutes, the third 18 minutes and the fourth 14 minutes. The man spinning chose the tops are spinning, either on their tops, and take the greatest care to shelter them as much as possible from the wind. Great excitement, accompanied with shouting and grunting, prevails when a top unexpectedly topples over.

Whirltops and peg-tops of several varieties can be purchased at the corner candy store, but the kind I am going to show you how to make cannot be bought.

A splendid spinner can be made of the little balance wheel of an old set of clockwork (FIG. 1). This little wheel is so accurately made that it will spin very steadily, and as the ends of its pivot are pointed, it remains in one spot while spinning. One of these wheels will spin for a minute and a half to 2 minutes. The toothed wheel shown in FIG. 2, or any of the other forms of clock wheels, will



make good spinners, but unless you tie their pivot ends to points they will not spin in one spot but will glide over the table top in spirals. This decreases the length of time which they will spin, but makes the tops some of the most interesting. Great fun can be had spinning these around the balance-wheel top, while the latter is spinning.

A large upholstering tack or a rug tack (FIG. 3) is a good spinner. While the clockwork wheels are spun by twirling them by means of the upper end of the pivots, the tack is spun by holding the spinning point between the thumb and first finger, as shown in FIG. 4, then giving it a quick turn and dropping it upon a table. The tack top is an eccentric spinner. First it hops about in a very lively fashion; then when you think it is about through spinning it gains its balance and for some seconds spins quite as steadily as the clockwork balance-wheel top. The tack top can be spun upon its head as well as upon its

The top in FIG. 5 is made of a half of a spool and a short piece of lead-pencil. Saw a spool into halves, and then taper one half from its beveled

end to the center. Sharpen the pencil to a point, and push it through the spool until its point projects just a trifle.

The merry-go-round shown in FIG. 7 is a new top idea, and it is not hard to make. You will require a cardboard disk 12 inches in diameter, which can be cut from the cover of a large cardboard box, three spools, a pencil, and some light-weight cardboard for the making of the horses and riders. FIG. 8 shows the details. Tack the center of the disk to a spool (A, FIG. 8) to a spool top (B). Then glue the square end of the pencil (C) in the hole of a spool (D), and slip the pointed end through the flange and of a large spool (E) and down through the disk into B. Coat the pointed end with glue so it will stick fast in B. The hole in E must be enough larger than the pencil so it will turn freely. The spool and spools is cut from a large ribbon spool.

When you have made this much of the top, you can spin it to see how it works. Wrap the spinning cord—use a strong light-weight wrapping twine—about spool D, in the same manner that you wind the cord of any top; then holding spool E with the left hand (FIG. 7), pull steadily upon the cord with the right hand until all is unwound, and gently drop the top upon its spinning point. To get the best results from the top, the cardboard used for the disk platform must be very straight. If it warps out of shape, flatten it by pressing it under a pile of books.

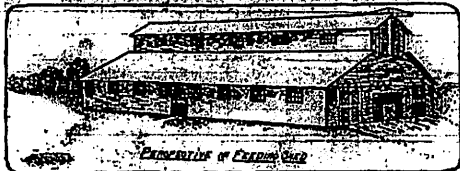
Pictures of horses can be cut out of magazines and mounted upon cardboard for the merry-go-round, but if you wish to try your hand at making them yourself, you will find it an easy matter to enlarge the picture shown in FIG. 9. In this diagram, each square represents 1/4 inch. Mark out a similar set of squares, ruling the lines exactly 1/4 inch apart, then with the small and large sets of squares to guide, you reproduce the outline exactly as shown. With one horse made, the others can be traced from it. FIG. 10 shows how two burnt matches or toothpicks are lashed to the legs of the horses for supports, and FIG. 11 shows how holes are placed through the disk platform to stick them into. Mount a small flag upon the top of spool D and your merry-go-round top will be completed.

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Are the True Misanthropes. Love and sympathy are common enough, perhaps, but oh how pitifully slow they sometimes are to gladden our homes! Families will go through life loving each other, ready to make almost any sacrifice for each other, and yet holding back the suggestions of this love and readiness to serve, as though they were something to be ashamed of and concealed. Now and then, in times of great strain or anguish, the crust will be broken for a brief instant, and the heart will reveal itself. But a return to the normal conditions, and the love—the sunshine—will be overshadowed by a cloud of reserve, abiding just as strong and true, perhaps, but not familiar enough for everyday life. Not all are like this, thank God! There are some whose liver are as open and sunny as days in June, and between whom and those around them there is no limit of love and kindness. Such as these are true Misanthropes—in the world, rising above reserve and integrating and repaying, and making all around them pure beautiful and glad by the sunny inspiration of their presence.

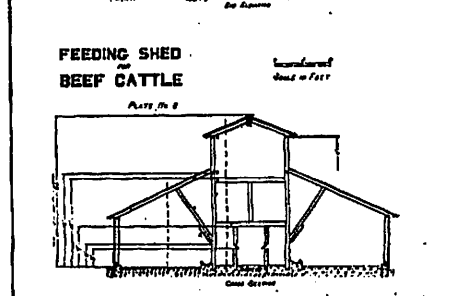
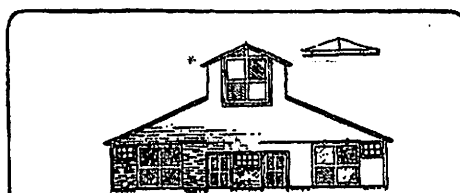
Why may not housewifery be reduced to a system as well as other arts?—Emma Willard.

FEEDING SHED PLANS FOR BEEF CATTLE



By R. M. DOLYER, Professor of Agricultural Engineering, North Dakota Agricultural College.

The ranching industry of the west is rapidly passing and it is only a matter of time until the districts still regarded as only for grazing will, through modern methods of dry farming or irrigation, be brought under cultivation. This means that a constantly increasing portion of the beef consumed must be farm fed and, as feeders have learned that the most economical and satisfactory way of feeding cattle for the market is in large sheds where they are permitted to run loose, there will be a constantly increasing demand for shed plans. These sheds should be as convenient as possible so as to reduce the cost of labor to a minimum and yet be economical in first cost, durable and



sanitary. Although in the design in the illustration special emphasis has been placed on convenience, it is believed that the other requirements have not been overlooked. This shed is 50x80 feet and will accommodate 70 head of cattle. The space for cattle is divided by the central feed alley into two parts, each 15x80 feet. The middle of the shed is devoted to a feed bin six feet in width and extending the entire length of the shed. The feed bin is filled through the windows at either end. The feeding of grain is exceptionally convenient and is accomplished by dipping a shovel or feed measure into the side of the bin and depositing it into the feed trough on the other side of the alley. The openings in the side of the bin run the entire length of the barn and should be ample in size to allow a man to dip grain from the bottom of the bin. The openings are protected by a slanting board so arranged that the bin may be filled without grain spilling through the openings. The top and alleys, are seven feet high, and have a concrete floor, while the rest of the floor is earth.

The plan for feeding the hay is also convenient. When the hay mow is filled the hay will rest on the inclined rack supports A. (see cross section illustrated in plan), and as the cattle feed from the racks B the hay will slide down, automatically refilling them. When enough hay has been

Make Improvements. There will surely be some improvements to make around the farm this summer. Use concrete for those wherever you can and they will not have to be replaced.

Improving Homes. Every time you plan for an improvement on the farm, plan for one at home. You will be surprised how much more interest your wife and daughters take in farm life.

Excellent Crop. Field peas is a splendid crop to grow. They make a great hog feed, and they put a lot of nitrogen in the soil. The pea is one of the greatest fertilizing annuals in the calendar.

Exercises Needed. Exercise is necessary for all classes of farm stock, but this exercise does not always mean trying to exceed the speed limit.

European Turn Crop. Italian salad, one-sixth of the entire European turn crop.



Floor Plan of Feeding Shed.

WAYS OF SERVING RADISHES

Always Popular Dinner Accompaniment May Be Utilized in Combinations or by Themselves.

There are two kinds of radishes: one is round and small and red, the other is long and tapering and streaked with white. Both when eaten raw should be chosen young, about three weeks in age, and should be selected to be the mildest. They should always be served crisp and cold. If they are prepared about an hour before they are to be eaten they can be kept in water until they are served, or they served in a bed of crushed ice. The little red round ones can be cut in rose fashion. To do this first make two deep cuts at right angles to each other across the radish, not cutting quite through to the stem-end. Then with a sharp steel knife loosen the skin on the four quarters. The loss water will curl the little points of skin back like rose leaves.

Individual radish dishes are a novelty seen on the tables of the up-to-date hostess. These dishes consist of a small sauce on one side of which a little salt cellar is fastened. They are made of engraved glass with silver mountings, and are sold for \$3 each. Young radishes sliced with the skins on are a good addition to vegetable soup. If they are used simply for seasoning, they can be put in the soup pot whole, but if they are to be left in the soup they should be carefully sliced or diced.

Radishes can be used in many ways for salads. One way calls for three bunches of round, red radishes. Put them in cold water on the ice for an hour. Ten minutes before serving time wipe them dry and cut them in fine slices. Slice also two small onions. Put them in layers in a salad bowl with minced parsley and dress them with oil and vinegar.

Another radish salad calls for a bed of crisp, white lettuce leaves. On this small, quartered radishes are arranged and the whole is dressed with French dressing and a little onion juice.

SAVING TIME ON IRONING DAY

Housewife of Today Has Many Conveniences That Were Quite Unknown to Her Mother.

The ease of ironing depends greatly on the height of the ironing board, so that it is a great advantage to have a board that can be raised or lowered at will. A sleeve board is of course a necessity. Many, if not all, of the "soft pieces" can be as well done by the mangle as by the iron, and with a great saving of time and strength.

There are several good designs of flat irons. The adjustable handle, asbestos filled, does away with the holder and heat under the hand, and a gas or electric attachment does away with the fire altogether. When electricity and gas are both lacking these still remains the iron with a tray tank of denatured alcohol. This iron is especially handy for doing pressing in one's own room, or in a home or in a boarding house or hotel.

Curtains for Summer

Chances hold great possibilities for country house curtains, for it lends itself splendidly to stenciling, and thus a color scheme can be carried out to harmonize with the other decorations in the room. The curtains may be hemstitched and edged with a small cotton ball fringe.

Colored curtains of cretonnes or chintz, used in conjunction with light ones, should show brightly flowered patterns when the sun is shining and give a cool, cooler shade when it faces south. This may also depend on the color scheme of the room, for when the walls are covered with a flowing wallpaper the outside curtains should be of a soft shaded tone. The material should be of a "solid" color, a contrast can be made with gaily patterned materials for the curtains.

Appetitive Garnishes

Little plain cuts of turkey garnish beautifully when filled in creases of half circles with small bunches of parsley between each. Tomato or green pepper caps made by scooping out these vegetables in the form of a bowl without a handle across the top and garnish with lettuce salad that is secured within them. Game may be decorated with red currant jelly cut in wedges, or stars of tart orange with little bunches of parsley between. Green foliage makes the best decoration for fresh fruit.

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How to Preserve Strawberries

Take the strawberries and wash them thoroughly with cold water. Drain them thoroughly with a clean cloth. Put them in a bowl with a little sugar and salt. This makes the fruit light and soft again, and gives a new appearance.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
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 Department of Interior,
 U. S. Land Office at Bismarck, N. D.
 July 21, 1913.
 Notice is hereby given that
John Bohm,
 of Almont, N. D., who, on June 27th, 1907, made homestead entry, No. 28356, for Southeast quarter, section 28, township 137 N., range 87, West of the 5th principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before G. H. Anderson, U. S. Commissioner, at Almont, North Dakota, on the 5th day of Sept., 1913.
 Claimant names as witnesses:
 Mathias Woklan, of Almont, N. D.
 Mathias Ostlin, " " "
 Joseph Fuster, " " "
 Michael Wettstein, " " "
 R. N. Stevens, Registrar.
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 Department of Interior
 U. S. LAND OFFICE AT BISMARCK, N. D.
 July 23, 1913.
 Notice is hereby given that
HILGA SCHENDEL
 the sole heir of Gustav E. Juchatz, deceased, of Almont, North Dakota, who, on April 27th, 1910, made homestead entry Serial No. 014250, for S1/2 SW 1/4, S1/2 NE 1/4 and NE 1/4, section 8, township 137 N., range 85, W 5th principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before G. H. Anderson, U. S. Commissioner, at Almont, North Dakota, on the 11th day of September, 1913.
 Claimant names as witnesses:
 Abraham Peterson, of Almont, N. D.
 Elsworth Compton, " " "
 Charles Perkins, " " "
 Charles Knutson, " " "
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 Department of Interior,
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 Notice is hereby given that
JOSEPH ROETHER
 of Glen Ullin, N. D., who, on November 3rd, 1909, made homestead entry, No. 013436, for S1/2, section 2, township 136 N., range 88 W, 5th P. meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Ed Morck, Clerk of District Court, at Mandan, N. Dak., on the 12th day of September, 1913.
 Claimant names as witnesses:
 Jacob Fensler, of Glen Ullin, N. Dak.
 Gregor Messer, " St. Joseph,
 Joseph Geiss, " Glen Ullin,
 Joseph Barth, " " "
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 SUMMARY
 State of North Dakota, in District Court County of Morton, Twelfth Judicial District.
 Ida A. Crox, Plaintiff,
 vs.
 Jerome E. Crox, Defendant.
 The state of North Dakota to the above named defendant: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the Twelfth Judicial District, in and for the County of Morton and State of North Dakota, and to serve a copy of your answer upon the subscriber within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to answer or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.
 J. V. McCormick,
 Attorney for Plaintiff.
 Post Office and residence, New Nelson, North Dakota.
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Additional Home News
 Ole Mortenson of Heart, was an Almont business visitor Friday.
 Mrs. W. P. Strain who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Rolph, returned to her home at Muscatine Iowa, Thursday.
 Dr. A. O. Henderson, the Chiropractor, will be in Almont every Tuesday until further notice, at the hotel. He will arrive in Almont sometime during the morning and stay all day and evening. Consultation and examination free at his room in hotel. No matter what your sickness or ailment, consult the Chiropractor. Main office Mandan. Advt.
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