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New Use for Joy Bus

Curious uses to which the automobile is being put in these days of stress and economy are reported by salesman of The B. B. Goodrich Rubber Company. Particularly have the possibilities in the automobile or rather its motor and mechanism been grasped by the former.

In the farming communities just east of Colorado Springs, car owners are using their cars to rid the area of a plague of prairie dogs. Poison and water have been tried, old automobile does he work. Here's the process:

The farmers attach a hose to the exhaust pipe from the muffler and insert the opposite end in a prairie dog's hole. Then the machine is set going and the fumes asphyxiate the animals. Generally the destruction is great because prairie dog towns are connected.

One farmer said that with his automobile he had exterminated an entire colony in a few hours. Thus has the farmer and his automobile set a pace for the German and his poison gas.

New Ford Trucks

The Universal garage has received a shipment of Ford trucks and are rearing to demonstrate them to any or all prospective purchasers. This truck is the result of the individual efforts of Henry Ford, himself and constitute the best money buy in the truck market. They have a capacity of three thousand pounds and a reputation for reliability that is unexcelled. Like all first class trucks, they are worm driven and have pneumatic tires in front and solid rubber tires on the rear. This is the conveyance that is needed on every farm and ranch in Roosevelt county. They are cheap, sure and speedy. Haul it on a Ford truck and get there the same day.

A Raise in Rates

Director-General McAdoo has posted a radical increase in freight and passenger rates to be effective June 25th. Freight will advance one-fourth and passenger rates to a three cent fare in all localities where they are at present, less. The patriotism of the railroad employes in demanding radical increases in pay and the high cost of coal and other necessary commodities are given as the reason for these advances.

Entertained

The county council of defense aided by the citizens of the city entertained the departing soldiers last Friday night and again Wednesday night of this week. They were taken in a body to the Cosy theatre and from there to ice cream and cigars. The entertainment did not represent any large amount of money and was not very elaborate, but it conveyed to the boys who were leaving the fact that their sacrifice and devotion to their country was fully appreciated by those they left behind. These Roosevelt county boys didn't look like they regretted their call. On the contrary, they all seemed to be anxious to get a whack at the Hun, to have a part in ridding the

world of Prussianism and its consequent horrors. They'll do their part.

Doings of the Class 1918

Perhaps no one class that ever graduated from Portales High school was ever more entertained or more honored than the class which has just departed. On Tuesday evening of last week they enjoyed a spread and marshmallow roast at the home of Mrs. J. S. Stephenson.

On the following Sunday afternoon another spread was given on Mrs. Merrill's lawn. Mrs. Merrill surprised the class by sending out big saucers heaped high with most delicious cream.

The play which was given Tuesday night showed \$22.65 as receipts for the Red Cross drive, which is now on. Members of the class donated the amount of \$14.50 thus bringing the amount up to \$37.15.

After the play the class went in a body to the home of Mrs. C. V. Harris. Mrs. Wilcox met them with a pitcher of delicious punch. By the time they were through drinking punch the boys had the camp fire going and "weenies" were roasted and consumed with crackers and pickles in no small quantities. Then came the spread on Mrs. Harris' beautiful lawn, followed by ice cream. Then the class gathered around the camp fire again to roast marshmallows. The whole house was thrown open to them and they enjoyed the Edison very much. Every senior left vowing eternal gratitude to Mrs. Harris and voted her a number one hostess who knows how to make boys and girls have a good time.

The party given by the Juniors at Mrs. Long's home certainly showed pains taking work and much of it on the part of the Junior girls. The decorations could not have been more beautiful nor the refreshment more delicious.

Saturday morning the remnant of the class, some of the members had already gone to their homes met at the station to see Carl Owens, Burney Sturman and Joe Wolforth off, to enlist in the service for Uncle Sam.

The caps and gowns have been so much in evidence for the past few days that we feel that we shall miss them from our streets.

After the commencement exercises Thursday night, the class met again and made candy and had a general good time.

A Hoover Feed

Last Monday night a feed a la Hoover, was served in the Humphrey building by the "Merry Maids." The provender had been donated for the purpose and the proceeds went to the Red Cross. Something over \$100.00 was realized from the edibles and \$22.50 from a sack of corn that had been donated by M. F. Jabara.

Blumlein Given Three Years

F. C. Blumlein, formerly a captain in the New Mexico national guard and convicted of disloyal utterances and seeking to discourage Anastacio Romero of Clovis from responding to the draft, was today sentenced by Federal Judge Neblett to three years in the Leavenworth.



**Victory is a
Question of Stamina
Send - the Wheat
Meat - Fats - Sugar
the fuel for Fighters**
UNITED STATES FOOD ADMINISTRATION

I Am the Red Cross

HENRY PAYSON DOWST

(With acknowledgments to Robert H. Davis, author of "I Am the Printing Press.")

- I am the Symbol of the pity of God.
- I burgeon upon the flaunting banner of victory and the drooping guidon of defeat.
- I am the token of peace in the midst of battle, of gentleness shining through the sombre mists of hate.
- I am a chevron on the sleeve of mercy, an honor mark set high upon the brow of compassion.
- I am the color of blood spilled for democracy, the form of Christ's tree of agony, and my followers, at need, crucify themselves to make men live.
- I carry the hope of life into the red pits of death, and a dying soldier salutes me and smiles as he goes to touch the hand of God Almighty.
- I stand for the organized love of mankind, the co-ordinated impulses of young and old to do good, the sacred efficiency of human service.
- I mark the flag under which are mobilized the forces of industry and finance, of church and school, of capital, of labor, of genius and of sinew.
- I am Civilization's Godspeed to those who defend her; I am the message from home.
- I am the Symbol of the pity of God.
- I AM THE RED CROSS.

Richland News

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Terrill, a fine 10 pound boy.

The Red Cross ladies met at Richland Monday and accomplished a great deal in making garments for the soldiers.

Emmett Ballew left Sunday for San Diego, California, where he will enter the navy.

Mrs. Harve Carroll left Tuesday night for Hayden, Arizona, where she will join Mr. Carroll, who is working there.

Mrs. John Stigall has been quite sick from having her tonsils removed.

M. King, of Eddy county, who has been here with his cattle all winter, left Saturday for his home, where he will leave for training camp.

Miss Maggie Chancellor arrived home Saturday, from Las Vegas, where she has been in the normal university for the past two years. Miss Maggie has done excellent work up there

and we only wish more of our young people would take such an interest in their education.

The pie supper given at Richland for benefit of the National Red Cross drive, brought \$45.50 which was beyond our expectations on account of conditions here, in fact, the only enemies to the war work we try to accomplish are the persistent west winds and cloudless days.

Lost to Fort Sumner

Last Sunday afternoon a picked up nine played the Fort Sumner team a game of base ball on the Portales ground in which Fort Sumner took us to a cleaning. This is the first game played here this season and it was the first time that our boys had ever attempted to play together. The receipts were \$55.00 and was equally divided between the Red Cross chapters of the two contending towns.

Cleopatra at Cosy

The greatest living portrayer of siren roles, Miss Theda Bara, will be seen in a stupendous William Fox production of "Cleopatra," the Siren of the Nile, at the Cosy theatre, Monday June 3.

Miss Bara has reincarnated this great figure of history and has depicted with uncanny fidelity the wondrous beauty and the subtle cunning of Egypt's vampire queen whose charm and machinations wrecked empires and changed the map of the world.

Never before in the history of the cinema industry has a more lavish and artistic production been attempted. William Fox surrounded his world famed star with a company of unexcelled players and no expense was spared in furnishing the most elaborate settings.

The production of "Cleopatra" is historically and scenically correct in every detail and in the sumptuousness of wardrobe and ornament has never been surpassed. Miss Bara has more than 50 changes of costume, all distinctly different and which it is estimated cost even more than those of her famous vampire ancestor. She wears jewelry and ornaments valued at more than \$150,000.

There will be a wonderful orchestration of hauntingly weird music. Cosy theater, Monday, June 3.

Was Optimistic

The Journal man had a short conversation with one of the young men who was to leave for the training camp Thursday morning of this week. He asked him how it happened that he had not taken advantage of the opportunity to get into some other branch of the service where the danger was not so great. The young man replied: "Oh, I'll come back, all right. The other way might be easier and not so dangerous but you see, I want to get a shot at the kaiser, or some of his men; I want to be in at the wind-up when we go to Berlin; I want a chance to even up some for the things they have done; if I don't make them a hand in the trenches or in the charge, you know, I don't want to come back." This is about the same spirit that animates about ninety-nine per cent of the American troops. They all want to be in death scene of Prussian militarism. These boys are not asking about their pay nor complaining about the hours they will have to put in; they are going to lick the kaiser, and they'll do it, too.

Some Moisture

Wednesday night and Tuesday afternoon Portales received two good showers. Considerable water fell but as to the scope of the showers, there is not much to be told. It is reported that in the vicinity of Elida, there were heavy rains, but rumors are conflicting.

Holiness Church

Services will be held every Sunday in the Presbyterian church, in the morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 10 a. m. All are invited to come and participate. Rev. A. K. Scott, Pastor.

SLEEPING PORCH NO LONGER FAD

Can Be Provided Very Easily in Building New House.

MADE FEATURE OF BUNGALOW

This Design Is Especially Well Liked Because of the Extra Large Living Room That Is Provided.

Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose three-cent stamp for reply.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD.
"Of course you will have a sleeping porch."

That is a remark which one sometimes hears when mention of a new house is made.

The sleeping porch may be a fad, but it looks very much like a fixture. In some of the suburban communities there are houses specially designed to accommodate sleeping porches and those who live within are not by any means tubercular.

A sleeping porch is a provision for sleeping outdoors in summer at least, and not a few open-air devotees cling to their outdoor sleeping quarters throughout the twelve months; from January to December.

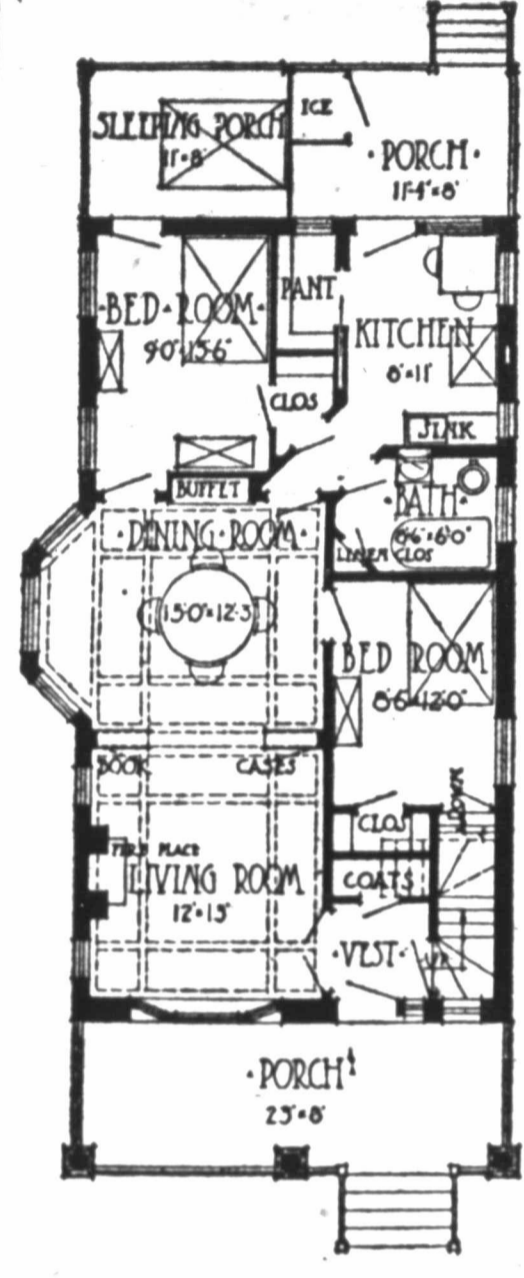
The simplest method of constructing a real sleeping porch in a new house of modest proportions is to construct a generous dormer in the roof on the sheltered side, leaving it entirely open at the front except to a point about 2 feet above the floor, to which height it should be boarded up. In this way a room of adequate size is formed, without drafts, and requiring only a curtain in front to secure privacy.

A good plan is to shingle the roof and sides and to lay a heavy grade of prepared canvas on the floor. This roofing and deck canvas is waterproof, so strong that it may be walked on freely, comes in widths of 30 and 36

by all builders that this style of roof is cheaper to build than separate roofs for the projections. In this design the roof looks well because it is in keeping with the general character of the house.

Brick veneer works well in the construction of this bungalow. Bricks are porous. A 4-inch veneer of brick will admit air enough to preserve the inner woodwork. This percolation of air also is sufficient to prevent dampness. For this reason brick should not be painted. One reason for using brick is economy in the saving of paint.

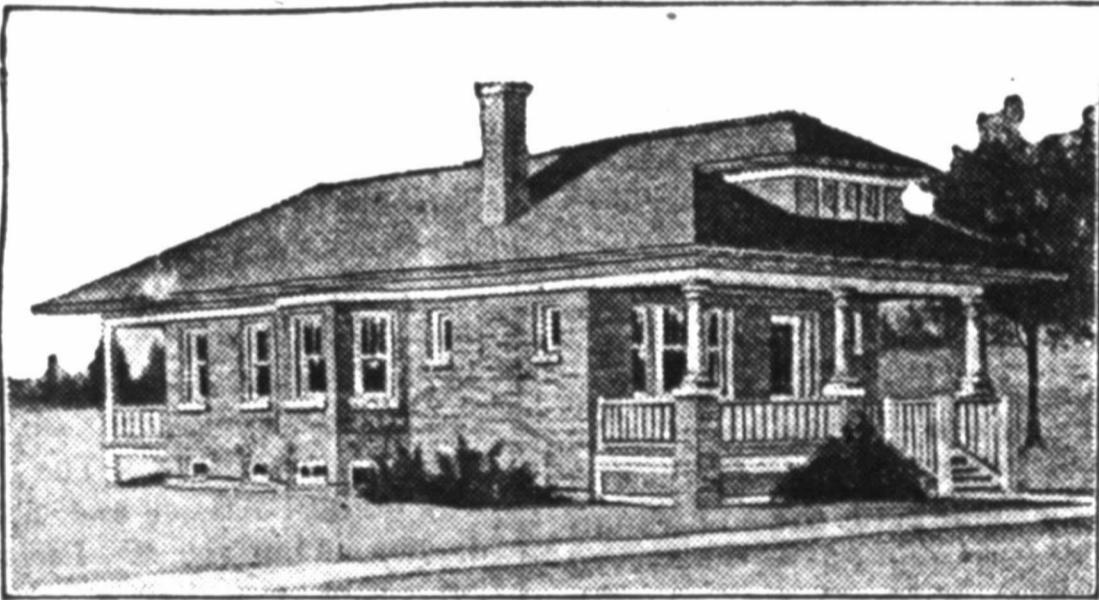
At the same time all outside wood-



Floor Plan.

work in connection with a brick house requires touching up oftener than a wooden house because of the necessary contrast between the rough, dull brick tending and the smooth, polished, bright paint surface of the woodwork.

Red Brick Gives Warm Tone. Red brick gives a warm tone to a house, which is another recommendation for the colder sections of the



inches, is lapped an inch and a half when it is put down, and it is fastened with tacks not more than an inch apart. It is best to give it a coat of paint at once and to keep it painted at intervals throughout the year. Make provision for draining off water which will surely be driven in when hard storms come.

Little Furniture Needed.

Couch hammocks seem to belong naturally to sleeping porches and are as convenient and comfortable for an after dinner siesta as for the nightly repose. It is important to have a thick and well-made mattress, both for comfort and to keep the cold from penetrating. Little else in the way of furnishings is needed except perhaps a rug on the floor.

In the accompanying plans is illustrated an inexpensive five-room bungalow featuring a very good sleeping porch arrangement. The width is 25 feet, 6 inches, and the length is 54 feet 9 inches, which includes two porches in the rear and a veranda reaching across the whole width of the front.

The bungalow is planned for the north side of the lot facing east, although it might be placed on the left side of any lot. The idea is to place the living room on the open side of the house, looking towards the sun, on the general plan of admitting all light and sunshine possible to rooms that are used the most.

The plan of this brick bungalow is especially well liked because of the extra large living room, which when open through to the dining room, makes one grand room, 25 feet in length. Many details, such as built-in buffet, book shelves at the side of the fireplace, beam ceilings, recessed windows and special folding doors, add very much to the comfort and attractiveness of this large, airy, sunny room.

One straightaway roof covers the house, front veranda and the two porches in the rear. It is well known

country. It also looks solid and substantial, which adds a certain sentimental value beyond the additional cost. The brick mason, of course, must thoroughly understand the laying and anchoring of brick when it is used for this purpose.

The width of foundation wall is enough greater to allow for the 4-inch veneer course, besides a water table wider than is usually figured for wooden houses.

The rear sleeping porch in this design is a great health preserver. Those who sleep every night outdoors seldom or never suffer from colds.

Sleeping porch furniture is simple. It usually consists of a wide swinging seat hung by four chains from the ceiling. It is wide enough and long enough for comfort and it has ends and a back high enough to hold pillows and bedclothes and to keep them from sliding down on the floor.

There are several minor details that will interest both owners and builders.

The sliding pantry door, the ice box in the far corner of the back porch, the arrangement of kitchen furniture, the small front hall with its liberal coat closet and built-in stairway, all carefully thought out and adopted because of their fitness in a house of this design.

Another unusual feature is the newel and balluster design of the front steps.

A Woman's Invention.

The machine that makes artificial comb foundation for bees is the invention of Frances A. Dunham, who patented it in 1881. The ready-made comb of beeswax permits the bees to devote themselves entirely to filling the cells, increasing the output of honey.

Worth While Quotation.

"From the vast solitudes of city streets the army of the 'Lonely Folk' is drawn."

FAVOR GOATS AS MILK PRODUCERS

Interest Growing in Possibilities of Milk-Producing Breeds in This Country.

CALLED THE POOR MAN'S COW

In Many Parts of Europe Animals Are Used for Milk Supply in Summer Months While People Are Enjoying Vacations.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

In this country the goat is usually regarded simply as a plaything for the children, but in some parts of Europe it is regarded as the poor man's cow. A well-known American importer of live stock states that "the goat of Switzerland is the Swiss peasant's cow, the Swiss baby's foster mother, a blessing to the sanitariums for invalids, and a godsend to the poor." In England and in many other parts of Europe people who leave the city during the summer months, either for their country homes or for travel, often take a milk goat with them in order to insure a supply of good milk of uniform quality. In this country the fact that the goat will supply sufficient milk for the average family at low cost and can be kept where it is



Group of Angora Goats.

impossible to keep a cow, is beginning to appeal to many people, especially those in the small towns and in suburbs of cities. In this way the milk goat can be made to relieve the milk shortage which is now felt in many localities.

Adapted to This Country.

The milk goat is adapted to this country and the industry is likely to become of greater importance every year. The goat is especially useful to those who desire a small quantity of milk and do not have room for and cannot afford to keep a cow. In fact, a goat can be kept where it is impossible to keep a cow, and will consume considerable feed that otherwise would be wasted.

A doe that produces three pints a day is considered only a fair milker, while the production of two quarts is good, and the production of three quarts is considered as excellent. Goat's milk is nearly always pure white. The small size of the fat globules is one of its chief characteristics. In consequence the cream rises very slowly and never so thoroughly as in the case of cow's milk. If it is prop-

CONTROL PEACH LEAF CURL

Same Treatment Used to Combat San Jose Scale Is Recommended by Ohio Station.

Peach leaf curl may be controlled by the same treatment used to combat San Jose scale, according to botanists at the Ohio experiment station. The use of bordeaux mixture or a weaker solution of lime-sulphur is recommended for this disease in case the scale insects are not present in threatening numbers.

Testing Wet Lands.

Pick up a handful of the newly turned soil and press it tightly in the hand. If it remains in a ball the land is too wet to plow, but if it crumbles readily it is in the right condition.

Silo Improves Feed.

A silo is more than a granary. It improves feed as well as stores it.

Profitable Fertilizers.

Available phosphates are the most profitable fertilizers.

erly produced and handled, it will keep sweet as long as cow's milk, and there should not be any goatly odor. The milk can be utilized for the same purposes as cow's milk, but is less satisfactory for making butter and perhaps better for making cheese. Practically all publications dealing with milk goats attribute considerable importance to the use of the milk for infants and invalids.

During the last few years a number of goat dairies have been in operation in different parts of this country. If only a few goats are kept, it is not necessary to have much equipment, if any. Any clean, dry quarters free from drafts may be used for housing goats. The building should have proper ventilation, plenty of light, and arrangements made so that each goat can be properly fed and handled.

Feed for Goats.

Goats should receive a liberal quantity of succulent feed such as silage, mangel-wurzels, carrots, rutabagas, parsnips, or turnips. The grain feeds best suited for their rations are corn, oats, bran, barley, and linseed-oil meal or oil cake. A ration that has been used in the government herd, and which has proved to be very satisfactory for milk goats during the winter season, consists of two pounds of alfalfa or clover hay, one and one-half pounds of silage or turnips, and from one to two pounds of grain. The grain ration consisted of a mixture of 100 pounds corn, 100 pounds oats, 50 pounds bran, and ten pounds linseed-oil meal. All feed offered for goats should be clean and of good quality. Plenty of rock salt should be kept before them, and occasionally a small quantity of fine salt mixed with the grain feed. A good supply of fresh water is necessary.

WATCH FOR PLANT DISEASES

Food-Products Inspectors Are Reporting Disorders Found in Shipments of Vegetables.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

To detect local outbreaks of diseases of vegetables and fruits which when uncontrolled cause heavy losses in the field or in transit, the food-products inspectors of the United States department of agriculture are reporting diseases found in shipments of produce at twenty-three of the leading market centers of the country. Some of these inspectors are expert plant pathologists and others are market inspectors who have been trained to detect signs of important diseases and rots.

Whenever a shipment shows a serious disease or rot, the department at once notifies its county agent and other representatives in the affected locality and distributes explicit instructions for overcoming or minimizing future losses. The notification to the point of shipment also prevents shippers from continuing to ship material certain to spoil in transit and thus waste car space.

This detection of disease, however, is largely a by-product of the market inspection made at these markets by the department to certify to shippers the condition as to soundness of fruits, vegetables and other food products, as authorized by the food production act, approved August 10, 1917.

REDUCE COST OF LIVING

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Do you want to make extra money during your spare time this summer at home?

If you consider money saved is money made, you can do it.

Put in a half-acre garden. If well planned and cared for properly, it will produce far more vegetables than the average family can consume.

That means a supply of a variety of fresh vegetables for the table—a reduction in the cost of living.

USE FRUIT TREES FOR SHADE

Compare Favorably With Ornamental Trees and Are Wonderfully Arrayed With Blossoms.

Why not fruit trees occasionally for shade—for the trees themselves? They compare with the best of the so-called ornamental trees, and are wonderfully arrayed with blossoms in the spring. Then there is the fruit—that's velvet.

Wheat Would Help.

An acre of wheat on every farm would help mightily to win the war, and bring back to our households some of the old-fashioned practices of thrift and economy.

Market for Dairy Products.

Dairymen may be assured of a market for all their dairy products because of the world-wide shortage of dairy cattle.

Caring for Pastures.

Pastures are a special crop and should be seeded and managed just as beans or potatoes.

POULTRY

BREEDING TURKEYS ON FARM

Surprisingly Small Number of Fowls on Farms—More Could and Ought to Be Raised.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Raise more turkeys on the farm. It can be done with little additional outlay, and many more turkeys could and should be raised.

The small number of turkeys per farm in the United States is surprising. According to the census of 1910, which is the latest census that has been taken, only 13.7 per cent of the total number of farms reported any turkeys at all and on these farms reporting turkeys, an average of but



Profitable Type for Any Farm.

slightly over four breeding turkeys was found per farm. There are some farms which by the nature of the crops grown on them or because of unfavorable surroundings are not adapted to turkey raising, but most farms are adapted to turkey raising and could easily handle a breeding flock of from 10 to 15 hen turkeys and a tom, raising from 75 to 150 turkeys each year at a good profit.

Good prices were paid to the turkey raiser during the past marketing season. On December 15, 1917, the average price per pound live weight paid to the farmer was 30.5 cents in New York state, 23.7 cents in Illinois, 25 cents in Georgia, 19.3 cents in Texas, and 27.1 cents in California. The average price throughout the United States was 23 cents.

BEST POULTRY HOUSE FLOOR

Each Has Its Advantages and Disadvantages and All Should Be Carefully Considered.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

In making the floor of the poultry house several things must be taken into consideration. Where the soil on which the house is constructed is light and well drained, earth floors are satisfactory and economical. Where the soil is heavy and drainage is not good, as is usually the case when it contains much clay, floors made of wood or cement are generally preferred. Each kind of floor has its advantages and disadvantages, and it is only after the consideration of all types should a poultry keeper make his selection.

A floor of earth needs to be renewed at least once a year. If the droppings that fall upon the floor are carefully removed at frequent, regular intervals, much of the earth is removed with them. If the regular cleaning of the floor is superficial, the earth of the floor to a depth of several inches becomes so mixed with droppings that its condition is very insanitary.

When the poultry keeper has a garden, the manure obtained by removing the earth floor of the poultry house will compensate for the labor of renewing the floor, and the new earth required can be taken from a convenient spot on his own land. When the poultry keeper must pay some one else to take away the old earth and bring in new, the cost will in a few years exceed the cost of a cement floor.

The principal fault of a cement floor is that it is likely to be cold and damp. These conditions may be corrected by covering the floor to a depth of an inch or two with dry earth or sand, using over this scratching litter of straw or shavings. Floors so treated require as much routine work to keep them in good order as earth floors, but the supply of clean earth required is much less and the work of annual renovation is eliminated.

Floors of wood are not now much used in poultry houses except when the space under the floor is high enough to be occupied by poultry. A wooden floor close to the ground soon rots, while any space under a floor not high enough to be used for poultry makes a harbor for rats and other vermin.

The wooden floor of a poultry house should have a light coating of dry earth, sand, chaff or similar material,

The Deep Sea Peril

By VICTOR ROUSSEAU

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ATTEMPTING TO RESCUE HIS SWEETHEART, PAGET ENCOUNTERS A NOISOME HORDE.

Naval Lieutenant Donald Paget, just given command of a submarine, meets at Washington an old friend and distinguished though somewhat eccentric scientist, Captain Masterman. Masterman has just returned from an exploring expedition, bringing with him a member of the strange race, the existence of whose species, he asserts, menaces the human family. At the club, the "March Hares," Masterman explains his theory to Paget. The recital is interrupted by the arrival of a lifelong enemy of Masterman, Ira MacBeard, and the former is seized with a fatal paralytic stroke. From Masterman's body Paget secures documents bearing upon the discovery and proceeds to the home of the scientist. Paget proceeds to sea on his submarine, the F55, and encounters a German cruiser. He sinks the enemy, which had destroyed the Beotia, on which Ida Kennedy, his fiancée, was a passenger. The girl escapes in a small boat.

CHAPTER V.

The Sea of Jelly.

He sank like a stone. No glimpse of him could be had. No rescue was possible.

Donald clung to the edge of the boat and scrambled in. He saw the amazed recognition flame out on Ida's face. He knew then that she loved him, and his impulse to seize her in his arms was almost ungovernable.

But at the same instant, looking past her into the sea, he experienced the same illusion that had beset him within the house in Baltimore, and again outside it—that of a woman's misty form outlined upon the water!

Donald made a cup of his hands. "Davies, fling out a rope!" he bawled.

But the submarine was some distance away, and in a moment a wall of fog came down, blotting her out.

Ida Kennedy watched Donald with approval. She had always liked him; shaken as she was now, his advent seemed the work of Providence. She had questioned her heart before she sailed, for she had known that her future was of her own choosing, whether it was to be spent with him or no.

Donald continued to call loudly, but the F55 was drifting in the mist and quite invisible. It was in fear of this sudden happening that Donald had told Davies to make for Fair Island if he could not get a rope to the boat.

Fair Island, less than six miles away, was the secret rendezvous where the oil-ship and biplane were to await the F55, the former to replenish her fuel supply, the latter to accompany her back to the mother ship.

Donald picked up a pair of oars from the bottom. He realized that he would have to pull toward Fair Island alone as soon as he got an inkling of its direction, with the chance of being picked up by the submarine when the fog cleared. But it was approaching sundown, and the probabilities of their spending the night in the boat seemed strong.

He sat with the oars in the rowlocks. As he allowed one to drift through the water he discovered, to his surprise, that it was apparently plunged into a mass of some jellylike substance. He dipped his hand into it and scooped some of it up.

The water was apparently curdled, like thickened milk, and on both sides of the boat, which rolled in it heavily and high in the viscous medium.

As he withdrew the oar Donald had the sensation of pulling it from between the clinging fingers of a child.

He looked down. It occurred to him that he might have got the blade entangled in some marine growth; but the water was clear, almost black, and of the same strange, jellylike consistency everywhere.

Then, to his amazement, he realized that the boat was moving!

It was not like the pull of a towline, which is a sequence of crescendo and diminuendo, of starts and jerks, as the rope grows tight and slack alternately. It was a constant impulse. It was an intelligent impulse.

It was beginning to grow dark, and to row seemed useless until the fog dispersed. It was impossible to gauge the direction. Besides, to pull against that force would have been arduous, and to pull with it might have led to unexpected difficulties.

Donald backed water in experiment, instantly he felt the force increase. It was an effortless, persistent push, stronger than his own powers, and Donald realized that he could not resist it.

Suddenly he felt a stinging sensation on the back of his hand. He

pulled in the oar. Five small, red spots had sprung out on his wrist, and the flesh seemed to have been cupped. Donald clapped his other hand down on it, and encountered something clammy and cool, which seemed to slip away. It was like the flipper of a little seal, or, again, like the hand of a child or monkey.

At the same instant Ida screamed. Donald saw that she seemed to be struggling with some invisible adversary. The boat was tipping dangerously. Donald flung his weight over, and he heard the thud of a soft body against the bottom.

The thing—whatever it was—was in the boat!

Donald leaped forward and clasped Ida about the waist. She writhed in the clutch of the monster, and there was a look of intense horror upon her face. She seemed to be lifted bodily toward the water. Donald felt the slippery fingers of the invisible being elude his grasp. His hands moved up and down over a smooth, blubbery body.

And then he knew what it was. It was such a creature as he had seen in the glass tank in Masterman's house, but larger and more powerful.

He saw the rays deflected from the creature's body, dancing in prismatic colors upon the edge of its leathery hide. He saw it dimly, as one sees the full moon in the arms of the new.

And, glaring into his eyes, were the two eyes, seemingly poised in the air, two pupils of the size of currants, and animated by a diabolical intelligence.

The sun dipped down, and in an instant the fog, only partly dispersed, closed in again. And as Donald watched, he saw the pupils slowly dilate in the dim light until they became as large as saucers. The stony glare between the unwinking lids, which fringed them like a shadow, the monstrous expansion of the pupils sent the blood through Donald's heart in icy jets.

Then, regaining courage, he dashed his fist into the monster's face, and the struggle began. He felt the impact of his knuckles on flesh, and it gave him new heart. At least he was fighting a thing of flesh and blood, and not a demon.

Ida lay swooning across the seat, where the monster had dropped her as it turned to face its new adversary. And in the rocking boat Donald fought for his own life and that of the girl he loved.

For the first time he understood that Masterman's story was not the dream of a disordered brain, but the experience of one who had striven to warn a skeptical world.

And afterward he understood why the boat had spun so dizzily long after the vortex created by the sinking of the Beotia had subsided. Even then the swarm of monsters must have discovered their prey.

Perhaps it was the plankton in the water, the jellylike infusion on which they fed, that had brought them there; perhaps the presence of drowning men. Perhaps they had brought the plankton with them, equipped for some dreadful journey.

Donald tried to lock his arms about the slimy thing, but he could get no firm grasp of it. And each touch of the flippers drew the blood to the surface of his skin by suction, bringing out rows of reddening spots that stung. He was fighting a devil fish with the intelligence of a man, armed with invisibility, creating overwhelming horror by its presence alone.

He felt his strength failing him. He was dragged toward the edge of the rocking boat.

He stumbled and fell. He felt himself held fast; he felt his ribs were compressed in a stinging vise.

But as he felt his hand grasped one of the oars. Donald snatched it up and, with a last effort of desperation, freed himself for an instant. He raised the oar and sent the sharp edge of the blade crashing forward.

He heard the sound as of a torn balloon. The squirming flippers uncoiled. The boat tipped to the edge and righted itself. A splash followed. Donald sank down upon the seat.

Then gradually a milky cloud began to diffuse itself upon the face of the waters, till it acquired the shape of a dwarflike body, supine upon the waves, with the short limbs, terminating in the webbed hands, budding at obtuse angles to the trunk.

Donald sprang toward Ida, to shield her from the sight of it. He knew that if she awoke and looked she would go mad. But she lay unconscious across the seat and did not stir.

The boat stopped. There was a confused splashing in the water. The dead sea-beast was rent asunder under Donald's horrified eyes; torn limb from limb by that abominable swarm. A mottled, pinkish ichor spread itself upon the face of the sea.

Donald plunged in his oars and began to pull with all his might, driving the heavy boat through the water. The plankton gave place to clean ocean again. The sun had set, and it was growing dark; with the fall of night a gentle wind came up that began to dissipate the fog.

Through the drifting mist wreaths appeared a jutting cape that reared itself toward the spangled clouds. Donald pulled for an hour. Then he fell forward over his oars. He was incapable of another stroke, but he believed that he had left the sea devils behind.

He cast his eyes along the horizon. There was no sign of the F55. He turned toward Ida.

As he bent over her her eyes opened. She looked at him intently and sighed. The horrors of that day seemed temporarily to have benumbed her mind and robbed her of memory. And Donald did what he had never dared to do before.

He raised her in his arms and kissed her.

"I love you, dear," he said. "If we come out of this—as we shall—I want you always. Will you have me, Ida?" She raised her lips to his for answer. And in the happiness of that moment, which atoned for all that they had endured, Donald perceived that

the boat had begun to move again. The respite had been of brief duration. Incredibly pertinacious, and cruel beyond belief, the monsters had once more taken up the chase. But in the unhuman forms were minds as shrewd as his, organizing them for one supreme purpose, the elemental one of food.

They were swimming beside the boat. Donald could see the agitated churning of the water. Were they pushing or pulling? Taking the oar in his hand, Donald went to the bow and drove it down into the sea. But he struck only the jellylike medium in which the boat was traveling.

He went to the stern, stepping over the body of the girl, who had relapsed into unconsciousness. This time, as he thrust, there was a scurry among the waves, and he felt the yielding, blubbery form, and the same sensation of a burst balloon. The boat stopped. Donald thrust out furiously, feeling always the contact with slippery flesh.

The monsters were pushing the boat, not pulling it. And gradually there followed the same stupendous incarnation into visible being, the shadowy shape that grew and crystallized into the milky, opalescent body. He heard the school precipitate themselves upon their prey, and saw it rent and dismembered before his eyes.

Through the increasing darkness their pupils glared as the monsters strove together.

Donald went back to where Ida lay and placed her in the bottom of the

boat, her head against a thwart. They were moving swiftly.

Suddenly the boat began to tilt upward at the bow. Donald heard the scraping of the flippers against the stern. Then, as if a heavy dog had scrambled in, the boat tipped high into the air and righted itself. Another of the monsters had gained entrance.

Donald seized the oar and brought it down upon the beast's head. The oar splintered; he heard the cracking of bone, and a splash followed.

The edge of the boat was dragged beneath the waves. It filled and overturned. Donald found himself struggling to save Ida in the sea of jelly that sucked him down. Somehow he caught her and dragged himself to the keel. He shouted, and the brutes scurried away, leaping and falling with resounding splashes, like sharks at play.

Donald felt Ida's arms seek his neck. She turned to him instinctively, not as her rescuer alone, but as her lover.

He filled his lungs and shouted. To his amazement he heard an answering shout. He strained his eyes through the darkness. Surely that was a human cry! He shouted again, and the answer came once more; and there was no longer any doubt.

The conning tower of the F55 came drifting out of the night. She ran awash, with hatches off, and Davies was standing on the deck among a group of sailors.

"Where are you?" he shouted.

"Here!" Donald cried. "Reverse engines, Davies! Coming aboard!"

The engines stopped and the submarine grazed the sides of the overturned boat. Donald grasped Ida in his arms and clambered to the deck. And Donald found himself shaking a man's hand as if he were his brother, instead of merely Sam Clouts, able seaman in the navy, trying to keep his hands from straying toward his mouth organ.

"We were trying to make Fair Island when we spotted you, sir," said Davies. "I thought we'd pick you up in the morning when the fog cleared. It's been hard work making anywhere. There's something the matter with the sea."

"How, Davies?"

"We're only able to make a knot and a half, sir. It isn't the engines. At least there doesn't seem to be anything the matter with them. It's as if the sea's—well, turned to jelly, or molasses, sir. Perhaps you noticed it. I've never seen anything like it in my experience," continued the little middy, whose experience of the high seas was limited to a couple of short cruises on a training ship, and one on a transport.

"Clap on the hatches and make full speed for Fair Island," ordered Donald.

The F55 is invaded by the weird monsters and Paget has a terrible struggle to save himself and Ida. It is described in the next installment.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

FOUND THE PRISONER GUILTY

But Jury's Verdict Had Nothing to Do With Charge on Which Defendant Was Tried.

A barrister with a long experience of queer juries in the mining regions of Pennsylvania tells the following amusing story as illustrating their eccentricities:

A man was charged with committing a murderous assault upon another as a result of some political differences.

The assault having been committed at night, there appeared to be some difficulty in identifying the assailant, and, as a matter of fact, the counsel for the defense made out an excellent case for the prisoner, calling witnesses to testify that he was nowhere near the spot where the assault took place on the night in question.

Everybody concerned fully expected that the jury would bring in a verdict of acquittal, yet, to the general astonishment, the foreman announced that the prisoner had been found guilty.

"But," he added, observing the general consternation created by his statement, "not guilty of this assault, yer honor. This is the spalpeen who stole Biddy McCarthy's pig last year, and we found him guilty of that!"

Queer Hiding Places.

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WORK OR FIGHT

Apparently, the government has lost patience with certain of the representatives of the "Never Sweat" organization of the greatest republic on earth. It has issued its edict that tinnhorn gamblers of the professional type, bar tenders, idlers, men who do not support their families, and all others within the draft age, who are not employed in some useful occupation, must immediately find employment or be put in the front rank of the selected draft members. It will not be sufficient to engage in some occupation as a "bluff," it will be necessary to "make a hand" at that occupation. Light fingered gentry who have depended upon the unwary and the foolish for their sustenance will no longer have smooth sledding; they must work or fight. For the first time in their heretofore worthless lives they must pay some part of their debt to society and to their country. Too long have they been allowed to prey upon the weaknesses of their fellow men. They will not make good soldiers, but they may be put into something that will make better citizens of them; may relieve some good man who will make a soldier, and it is not beyond the possibilities that this useful employment will, in time, bring to a truer realization of their responsibilities to their country and to their families. At all events, it will relieve some overworked woman, or man, of their upkeep. It is the duty of all good citizens to report all cases of idleness to the council of defense that the necessary steps may be taken to enforce the new regulations.

Tell it to the kaiser, Teddy, he is the only man in the world today who appreciates you at your proper rating. Should he win this war, your reward should be certain and fitting, however, you are too much of the same mind to dwell long in peace and harmony together. The world is not large enough for both of you, or either of you.

The national administration may have made mistakes, probably did, but who can contemplate with equanimity what would have happened had this war come upon us while "Teddy the Freak" was in the White House?

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LAST WORDS OF GREAT MEN

Notable Utterances That Have Been Accepted by the World as More or Less Authentic.

First words of human beings everywhere are as much alike in their significance as are in the essentials of dependence and trustfulness the infants who stammer them. Last words differ as greatly in purport as do their utterers in age, experience, environment, intellect and character. Of the many "dying sentences" that have passed into the category of familiar quotations it is, of course, impossible always to separate the apocryphal from the real. To attempt such a division would not be worth the pains; it is better to take on trust the plausible and the fairly authentic. Some of these are the deliberate speeches of those in full possession of bodily strength but about to suffer execution. Such are Sir Thomas More's adjuration as he faced the scaffold, "See me safe up—for my coming down I can shift for myself;" Sir Walter Raleigh's reflection on the axe, "'Tis a sharp remedy but a sure one for all ills;" Madame Roland's "O Liberty, what crimes are committed in thy name!" and Nathan Hale's "I only regret that I have but one life to give for my country." Other "last words" embody a dying effort at coherence or are merely the murmurs of delirium. Two famous farewells are attributed to Rabelais—"Draw the curtain, the farce is ended," and "I am going to seek a great perhaps." Goethe's plea, which the world has refused to take as spoken literally, for "Light! more light!" has a more modern counterpart in Tennyson's enigmatic "I have opened it," perhaps referring to the volume of Shakespeare at his side but susceptible also of esoteric interpretation.

HOME OF CEREALS UNKNOWN

History Has No Record of Where Most Important Human Food Had Its Origin.

The origin of wheat is lost in hoary antiquity. Even the original home of the cereal plants of which bread is being made is not known, all the researches and hypotheses notwithstanding. Where wheat, spelt, rye, barley, oats, buckwheat, etc., first offered man their grainy ears for good is an unsolved problem. But that originally bread was not roasted or baked, but eaten as dough or paste, may be inferred from its relation with the word "broth," both of these words being derived from the root "brewan."

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, United States land office at Fort Sumner, New Mexico, May 28, 1918. Notice is hereby given that E. Belle Beck, of Portales, N. M., who, on March 19, 1918, made homestead entry, 012272, for southeast quarter, section 21, and north one half northeast quarter, north one half northwest quarter, section 28, township 1 north, range 34 east, N. M. P. meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. commissioner, in his office, at Portales N. M., on the 6th day of July, 1918. Claimant names as witnesses: Martin L. Garrett, John W. Taylor, Earle Loveles, W. H. Beck, all of Portales, N. M. A. J. EVANS, Register.

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FOR SALE—Tomato plants, 50 cents per 100. W. S. Merrill.

Dr. Bailey shipped two cars of sheep Monday to the Kansas City market.

G. W. Carr returned this week from a trip to Tucumcari where he visited relatives.

Jeff White this week purchased a new Hudson Super-Six from the Roswell agency.

J. D. Vaughan, of the Midway community, was in Portales Wednesday of this week.

C. Slayton, of Miles, Texas, was here the first of the week looking after business matters.

Mrs. Hart and daughter, Miss Nelle, of Portales, are visiting Mrs. Coulter.—Clovis News.

For Sale—Good as new Buick four automobile, price is right for cash. F. G. Calloway.

B. W. Kinsolving, Democratic wheel horse of near Elida, was in the city the first of the week.

Mrs. C. J. Whitcomb left Monday morning for a business trip to various points in Texas.

FOR SALE—About 20 head of good young Duroc Jersey pigs. Edward Miller, Route 1, Bethel.

Frances Oter and Clark Morris, both of Clarksburg, Ohio, are visiting in the home of Clyde Knapp.

LOST—Pair of gold rimmed spectacles in black case. Finder return to W. H. Braley and get reward.

*Will Martin and wife, formerly of this place but now of Oilton, Oklahoma, are visiting relatives in the city.

Mumps, mumps, who's got the mumps, is the latest society game in Portales. It is popular only in its generality.

Mrs. M. J. Faegard will leave the first of next week for Wichita Falls, Texas, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Gaither.

Heck Harris is now manager of the Connally & Littlejohn insurance agency, and he is on the job all the time, too.

There will be an adjourned session of the district court here commencing June 5th, at which time non jury cases will be heard.

J. E. Henderson has started a goat ranch in Portales. He has one goat and he says there is not a German on earth that can get it.

The chautauqua staged here the last three days of this week has not been meeting with much success in point of attendance, owing to the weather.

Cass Smith and A. W. Miller, of Elida; R. R. Hedspeith, of Kenna; E. V. Dennington, of Portales; John Reeves, of Valleyview, all purchased one of Henry Ford's "Pride of Detroit"

There were two or three fights and some other law infractions in the city Wednesday night. The parties appeared in Judge Henderson's court Thursday morning and contributed to the school fund.

Carl Owens, Burney Sturman, Gordon Stirling and Joe Wolforth went to Roswell this week to make application for service in the United States navy. If successful, they will go on to El Paso and complete their enlistment.

Mrs. D. Gilmer, formerly of Hillie, this county but who, for the past five years, has been living at Albuquerque, arrived here this week and has rooms at Dr. Bailey's residence. Mr. Gilmer is a mail clerk running from Albuquerque to Ashfork.

One night this week some person, or persons made it their business to destroy the sprinkling apparatus used on the court house lawn, they also swiped a considerable amount of rubber hose. Better not let Joe Boren get your number.

Sam Hancock, chairman of the county exemption board, is in receipt of a telegram from R. C. Reid, Santa Fe, which states that there is a call for registrants not qualified for general service to volunteer for special production work. Railroad men, all departments; laborers, steam fitters, electricians, auto drivers, auto mechanics, clerks and cooks. Those who are willing to enlist for this character of service are requested to call on the nearest registration boards.

There will be no regular summer normal held in Portales this year, but instead there will be a one week's program. The exercises will be composed of lectures and other inspirational work. It is understood that attendance will not be compulsory, but it is desired that all prospective teachers will be present.

Land Loans—See W. O. or W. B. Oldham.

The Gulf Refining sent its check last week to P. E. Jordan, local agent, for \$50.00 as its donation to the local Red Cross chapter, and in pursuance of its policy to donate at all points where its agencies are established, a certain per cent of its gross earnings. All corporations are not as patriotic as the Gulf people.

J. A. Saylor shipped a car of hides Thursday of this week. There were about three hundred and fifty in this shipment and they had all been bought within the last fourteen days, indicating that the continued drouth had caused the loss of many cattle on the range.

The town of Elida is growing; it is growing regardless of the drouth and the war. Friday morning of this week County Clerk Seth A. Morrison received six birth certificates from Dr. A. J. Evans, of that place, all representing new arrivals within the past week.

M. W. Campbell, formerly manager of the Kemp lumber yard at this place, but later of Carlsbad, will arrive with his family here Monday and take the management of the grocery department of the Joyce-Fruit company, vice Mr. Mitchiner, resigned.

Rev. W. W. Turner has returned from the Methodist general conference held at Atlanta, Georgia. While away he visited his old home near that place. He also took advantage of his vacation to inspect several contingents of United States troops.

NOTICE OF SUIT

In the district court of Roosevelt county, State of New Mexico, No. 1249, I. D. McGee, plaintiff, vs. Lora Jane Russell, John Pinkman Whatley, Georgia Ann Gains, Charles Whatley, Enoch White Whatley, Lular Amanda Tabor, Lullida Kate Tabor, George Washington Whatley, William Webster Whatley, Minnie Tadlock, Della May Logan, all unknown heirs of Mary A. Whatley, deceased, and the unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff defendants. The state of New Mexico to Lora Jane Russell, John Pinkman Whatley, Georgia Ann Gains, Charles Whatley, Enoch White Whatley, Lular Amanda Tabor, Lullida Kate Tabor, George Washington Whatley, William Webster Whatley, Minnie Tadlock, Della May Logan, all unknown heirs of Mary A. Whatley, deceased, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, greeting. You will each take notice that there has been filed in the district court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, a suit entitled and numbered as above whetein I. D. McGee is the plaintiff and you are the defendants; that plaintiff alleges that he is the owner in fee simple of the southeast quarter of section nineteen in township four south of range thirty one east of the New Mexico meridian, New Mexico, containing one hundred sixty acres located in Roosevelt county, New Mexico, which said land was patented by the United States of America to Mary A. Whatley, now deceased, widow of the deceased Enoch N. Whatley, of whom it is alleged you are the heirs and claimants of interest adverse to plaintiff, that plaintiff seeks the establishment of his estate and title against such adverse claims, and that each of you be barred and forever estopped from having or claiming any right or title whatsoever to said premises adverse to the claims of plain if, and that his title thereto be forever set at rest. You are further notified that unless you appear, respond or plead in said cause on or before the 12th day of July, 1918, plaintiff will take judgment by default against you and will be accorded the relief he prays. That the name and address of the attorney for plaintiff is James A. Hall, Portales, New Mexico. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of our district court at Portales, New Mexico, this the 29th day of May, 1918. SETH A. MORRISON, County Clerk.

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Hourly Changes In Skirt Styles

New York.—A woman should give more than passing interest to the lines of the spring skirt. It does not change from day to day, but from morning to afternoon to evening, writes a prominent fashion correspondent.

One can sum up the whole situation by saying that a woman begins straight in the morning and is on the bias in the evening. When she appears on the street at 10 a. m. her skirt must be as straight as the path of life laid out for us by the Bible. There must not be a deviation in the way of a flare, a ripple or a ruffle. The skirt may go in a bit at the ankles, but that is not required by fashion. It must look like a straight bag dropped from the waist line.

In the afternoon the skirt begins to waver from the straight line. It takes unto itself a tunic, which is attached to it or begins at the waistline. This tunic has a ripple and a flare, but its slenderness is achieved through its flexibility. The material is soft, and therefore the skirt swings to and from the figure with a good measure of grace.

In the evening the skirt drops all pretensions to straight lines. It becomes more slender than ever through widths of material wrapped around the figure, after the manner of the ancient Egyptians. The cloth may go to a line

for supremacy will come between the two fashions. The wrapped skirt will not be content to be limited to evening usage; it wants to appear on the street in a modified measure, in cloth costumes.

Already one hears it said that the coffee-bag skirt will not last through the summer. It is not an admirable model for thin materials, such as pongee, extra fine serge, and the new worsted that is expensive but ultra-fashionable—a kind of worsted that was invented in France, and has the appearance of coarse-meshed thin Angora.

The plaited skirt is a substitute for this coffee-bag skirt, but unless it is done by machinery it is not acceptable, and women are not altogether enthusiastic over the continuance of straight plaiting. They are willing to accept it as an underskirt, fashioned after the Alexandrian manner, to serve as a mere foundation to a tunic of brilliant lines, but they do not want to use it for a whole skirt. Therefore, the chances are that the wrapped or draped skirt will have its own way and creep into the clothes that are worn at 10 o'clock in the morning, as well as dominating those that are worn at night.

There is more distinction about one wrapped skirt than the straight one, but it is quite possible to make a happy combination of the two.

Compromise with the Tunic. Judging from the multiplicity of tunics that have sprung up into the spring clothes, there is little doubt that the ungarlished, plain, tight skirt is deplored by the dressmakers.

This is true in America as well as in France, and one makes that statement with a boastful feeling today, for the American houses and designers have done far-reaching and serious work this year. They have taken a stand that is important. What they have devised in clothes is sufficiently brilliant to give them hopes for the future.

So when women realize that the American as well as the French dressmakers have insisted upon tunics as an offset to the straight narrow skirt they see that this kind of drapery is an accepted fashion, and they grasp at it eagerly, if their figures are not at their best in the limited amount of straight material that the tailored suits offer.

These tunics are diverse in shape, coloring and ornamentation. They, like sleeves, are produced in such variety that they clamor for attention, and offer to every woman a phase of dress that she alone can wear.

The Waistless Figure.

The garment which vies with the draped tunic in importance and artistic merit is the corset, but it can only be worn by a slim woman. However, there are many types of corsets. Fashion is kinder than nature this year.

There are wrinkled corsets of Chinese brocade which reach from the chin to the hips, with one side cut into a deep point and weighted by a jade ring, from which hangs a black and gold Chinese tassel.

That is one type of corset. Opposed to it is a straight, wrinkled, low-waisted blouse of dark-blue satin, which is carelessly drawn over the hips by means of a turned-up cuff run with soutache. The sleeves are of satin and branch well out over the hands, where they are edged with soutache. This is a sensible corset that may be worn over any kind of skirt. It is even adapted to deep golden-brown chiffon and the new woolen Jersey in oyster white.

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The tight skirt of the frock is of gray-blue taffeta, with two minaret flounces. The tight bodice is of king's blue satin, with short sleeves and a square neck. Patent leather pumps, tied on with wide ribbon.

above the knees in its wrapping, and leave a narrow plaited ruffle that rests over the ankles and heels, or the wrapping may begin below the bust and continue to the ankle with a loose end, or two or three of them, left floating on the floor to serve as trains.

There is no doubt that a struggle

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THE KITCHEN CABINET

Some neglect the gift that is in them because they are so busy in looking for the gift that is in somebody else.—C. H. Spurgeon.

POTATO DISHES.

We are asked to increase the use of potatoes because of a good supply at present in many sections. This will save grain and as potatoes are rich in starch they may help in the saving of bread.



Panned Potatoes—Cut cold boiled potatoes in quarter inch slices, dredge lightly with flour and fry in a little hot fat. When light brown, heap on the side of the pan, let stand a few minutes, then turn out as an omelet. Sprinkle with salt and serve at once.

Mashed potatoes with a little codfish may be made into cakes and browned on both sides.

Scalloped Potatoes—Wash and pare the potatoes, cut in slices and let them stand a half hour in cold water. Drain, then put a layer of the potatoes in a buttered baking dish, sprinkle with salt and pepper, dredge with flour and dot with bits of oleo or any butter substitute, adding a little grated cheese or a few sliced hard-cooked eggs to make a more nourishing dish. Repeat until the dish is full, then cover with hot milk and bake in a moderate oven one and a fourth hours.

Potato Salad—Mix cold boiled potato, a little chopped onion, a cucumber and a little celery or some chopped green pepper; one or all of these will make a good salad. Garnish with hard-cooked egg and make a boiled dressing, using the vinegar left from any sweet pickled cucumbers. The spice and flavor make a dressing especially good. For variety, cold beets, chopped parsley, cooked carrots or fresh carrot finely ground, or in fact any vegetable, may be added to the potato without hurting its palatability.

Leftover peas and beans with a slice of tomato for a garnish may be used in combination with potato. A hot potato salad is, especially well liked. Here one may use any fat, olive or corn oil and heat the spiced vinegar to pour over the potatoes.

As a nation we eat and waste 80 per cent more protein than we require to maintain health. We also eat and waste 240 per cent more fat than is necessary.

GOOD EATS TO SAVE MEATS.

The variety of beans which are now grown, each having a flavor of its own, making a variety, so that "to not know beans" these days is a well deserved opprobrium. The soy bean is rich in fat and much richer in protein than other beans. They have been milk and butter to the Oriental people and we are just beginning to know their value. There are also the lima, kidney and navy beans, as well as a dozen varieties of various colors and names that we may grow in our gardens this summer.

Black Soy Bean Soup—Take a cupful of cooked black soy beans, four cupfuls of water, one-half an onion, a stalk of celery, a teaspoonful of salt, a half-teaspoonful of pepper, one-eighth of a teaspoonful of mustard and a tablespoonful of fat. Cook the onion in the fat; add the beans, water and seasonings. Simmer one hour. Serve hot. Soy beans are often hard to cook tender. They should be well soaked and cooked in the same water, as much of the nutriment of any vegetable is wasted by throwing away the water in which it was cooked.

Lima Beans en Casserole—Soak one cupful of lima beans, cook until soft, then drain. Brown one onion, minced in a quarter of a pound of salt pork cut in cubes. Add the beans and two-thirds of a cupful of the bean liquor, place in a greased baking dish and bake until brown.

Bean Roast—Take a cupful of stewed beans and a cupful of peanuts, put them through a meat chopper, add a half-cupful of bread crumbs, a teaspoonful of salt, a dash of pepper and a half-cupful of milk; shape into a loaf and bake 30 minutes. Serve hot with tomato sauce.

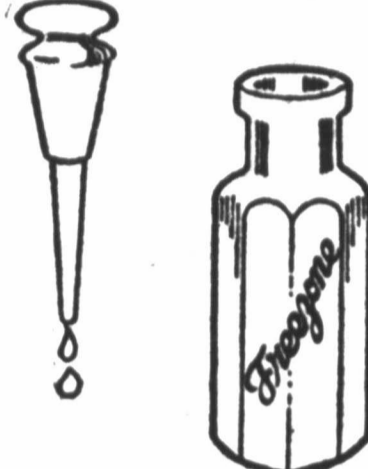
Peanut Butter Soup—Take a cupful of peanut butter, three cupfuls of milk, two teaspoonfuls of salt, a dash of pepper, a tablespoonful of flour mixed with the peanut butter; cook all to gether and whip well with an egg beater. Celery water or minced onion may be added for flavor.

Nellie Maxwell

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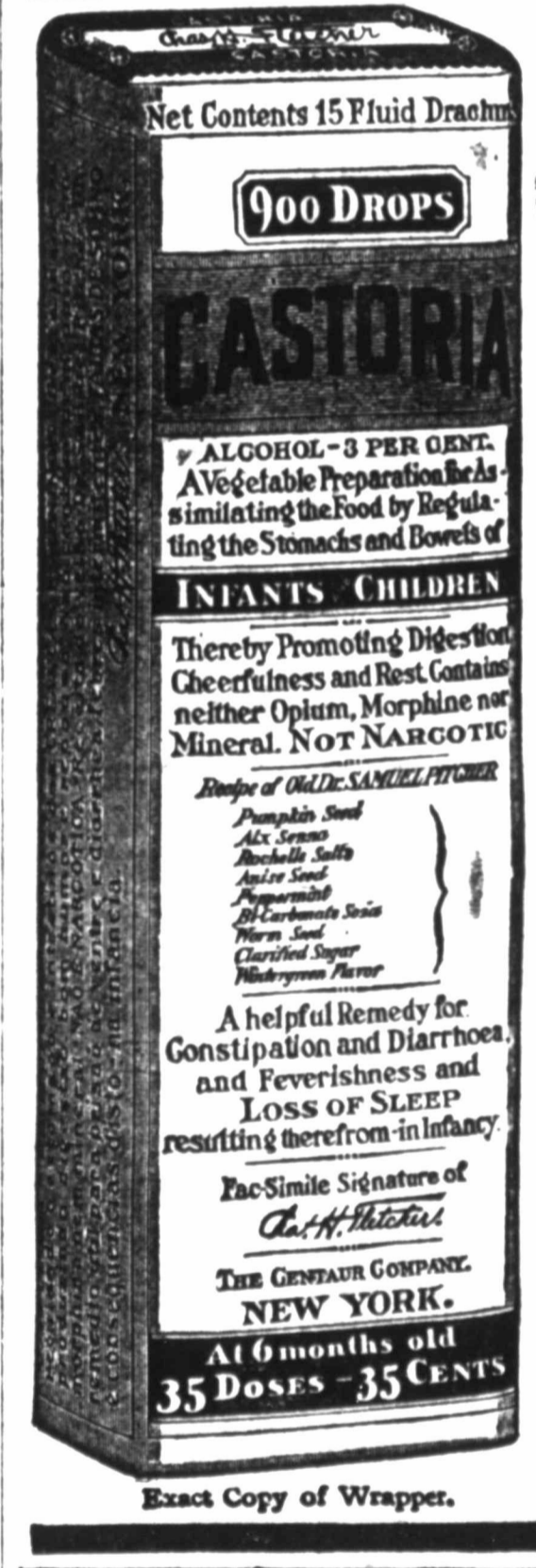
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HER "FRAME-UP" ON DOLLY

Small Girl Had Learned Early in Life That There Are Times to Dodge Responsibility.

The conversation in the lobby of a Washington hotel turned to the subject of dodging responsibility, when this anecdote was fittingly related by Representative Frank D. Scott of Michigan:

"Some time since a fond mother returned from an afternoon call and found her five-year-old daughter huddled up in a big armchair, crying bitterly.

"Why, Bessie," exclaimed the mother, taking the little one in her arms, "what in the world is the matter?"

"Somefn dweifnl has happened," sobbed the youngster, nestling closer to her mother, "I—I—"

"That's all right, darling," coaxingly responded the mother. "Tell me all about it."

"It was my dolly," was the tearful explanation of Bessie. "She dot away from me and brokeed a dish in the pantry."

Eloquence.

"What is your idea of an orator?" "A real, natural-born orator," answered Senator Sorghum, "is a man who can put up such a good monologue that you forget to notice whether his arguments are any good."

The Reason.

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DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

THE TIDE.

The ocean fairies were riding in their boats of foam on top of the breakers. They were having such fun and laughing as they rode over the waves and back again.

"Come into the shore," shouted the sand fairies. "We want you to play with us. We are lonely, very lonely."

"Sorry," said the ocean fairies, "but we can't come now. It's not time."

"Come soon," said the sand fairies, "and we'll make castles while we wait."

The ocean fairies called back again, but their voices could not be heard for the ocean was very rough that day. The waves were high and sometimes the ocean fairies fell out of their boats of foam.

But quickly they climbed back again so as not to miss any of the breakers. Children came down to the beach and played in the sand. They did not know that the sand fairies were all around them.

The sand fairies, you see, are just the color of the sand so no one can really see them—just as the daytime fairies are bright and dazzling like the sun.

"It's low tide," said the children, "we've some time to play."

And then the sand fairies were glad that the ocean fairies were not coming in for awhile. It gave the children such a fine chance to play in the sand.

It was the first warm day too, that is warm enough to play in the sand. But the tide was talking to old Mother Ocean. "What did you think of it?" asked the tide.

"I don't know what you are talking about," said old Mother Ocean. "Won't you tell me?"

"The sand fairies asked the ocean fairies to play with them!"

"And why shouldn't they, pray tell?" asked old Mother Ocean.

"Because I wouldn't let them!" said the tide. "I wouldn't disappoint or disobey my two good friends for anything in the world. I simply couldn't. That's all there is to it."

"Dear me, but you are very determined, Mr. Tide. Won't you please tell me what you mean? I don't like to appear stupid. But really I haven't the faintest idea what you are driving at."

"I'm not driving at anything," said the tide proudly. "I'm not a horse and I'm not a motor car and it's absolutely impossible for me to drive at anything or for anything. I wouldn't be a horse or a motor car if I could be one. It's far finer to be the tide.

"Where I am," said old Mother Ocean, "you come too. But I beg your pardon if I hurt your feelings or insulted you. I'm sure I didn't mean to. I simply wanted you to explain yourself, and I used an expression, or saying, which I have heard grown-ups and children use when they were bathing in my great and mighty bath-tub."

"Forgive me for being impatient," said the tide humbly. "I meant, you see, that the ocean fairies couldn't possibly play with the sand fairies before I let them. And I wouldn't let them ahead of time because I am the tide, and I have certain hours for going in and certain hours for going out.

"No one can change me, for my rulers are Mr. Sun and Mr. Moon, and not for anything would I disobey them."

"No," agreed old Mother Ocean. "It would not be wise to disobey two such high and noble rulers."

"And if I did disobey them," continued the tide, "I would so upset my great-grandmother Nature that she would never get over it."

And Mother Ocean understood. For she knew the tide's time-pieces were Mr. Sun and Mr. Moon!

"Yes," she said, "I cannot imagine what would happen to your great-grandmother Nature if you should disobey the Sun and Moon. I really would hate to think that would happen. It would be quite too dreadful."

"Don't worry, dear old Mother Ocean," said the tide. "I'll never disobey them and I'll always be loyal to my great-grandmother Nature, who has made me such a wonderful, wonderful thing—the tide!"



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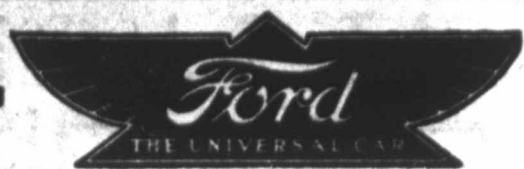
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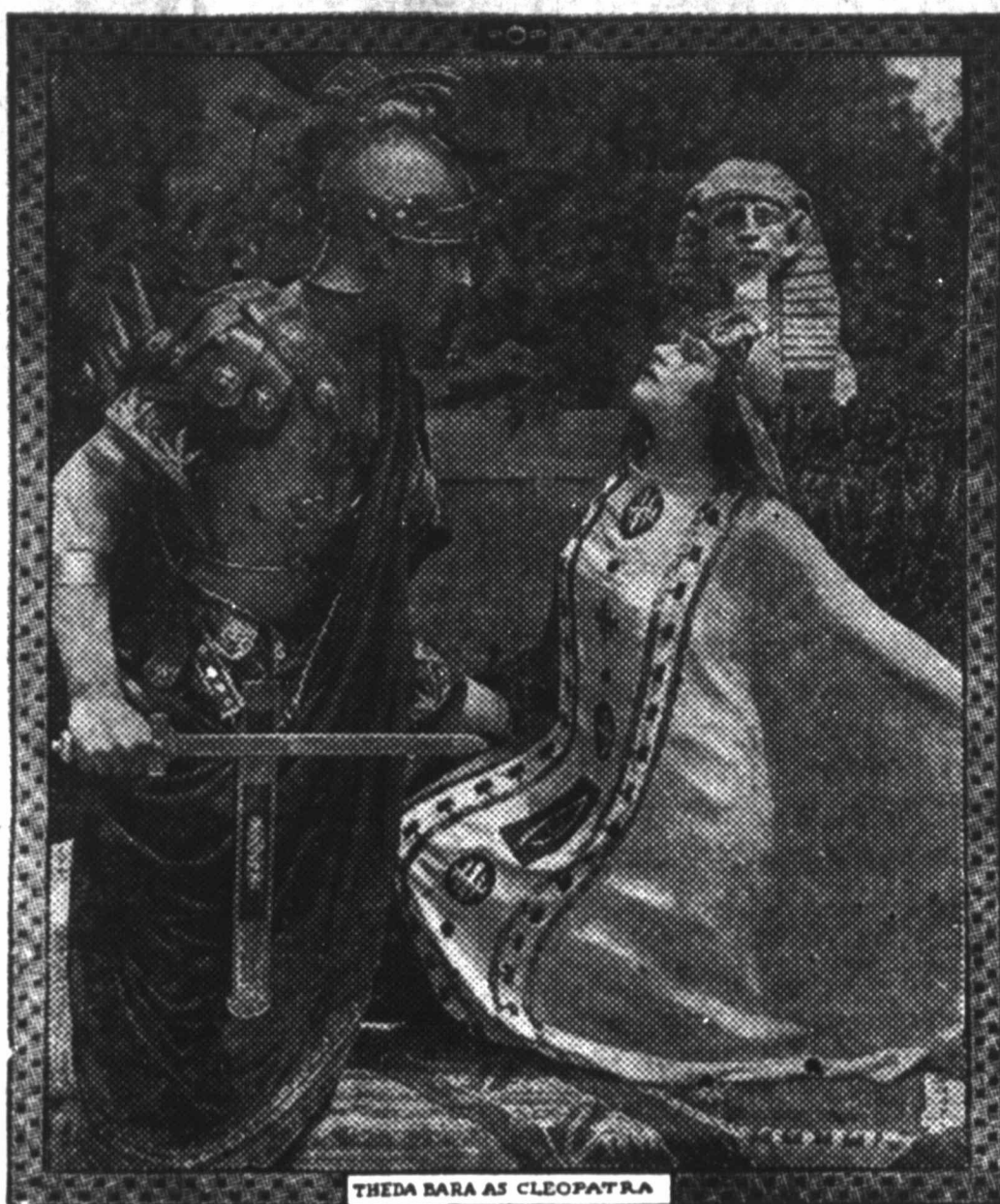
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