

THE  
**"Simplex" Separator**  
 Is as Simple as  
**A. B. C.**

DON'T get away with the opinion that the "Simplex" is complicated, like other machines. It is as simple in construction and operation as A.B.C.

BECAUSE of the simplicity and minimum of working parts, it can scarcely get out of repair and will last a lifetime. Surely this one great factor in itself should be enough to convince you that your new Separator should be a "Simplex."

BUT several of the other important features of the "Simplex" are:

- Easy to Run
- Easy to Clean
- Low Down Supply Can
- Interchangeable Spindle Point
- Self-Balancing Bowl
- So Quick in Separating

WE can't begin to give you the full particulars covering each one of these "Simplex" features, but we'll be glad to send you descriptive matter giving all information you want about this peer amongst cream separators. Drop us a card.

ALSO tell us how many cows you milk, and we will give you estimates of what it will cost you to install the B-L-K Mechanical Milker in your stables. Ask for free booklet.

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## Xmas — Only — Ten Weeks

Do you realize that we are almost at the end of another year? We are right now preparing for our last big special. The excellence of this and our others is not an earnest of what we are planning for our

GREAT FIFTH ANNUAL

## Breeder's and Xmas Number

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Yes, it will be out just when "Our People" are prepared to start their Xmas trade. Their spending money power will be above all previous years. Why? Because this year "Our People" have incomes aggregating \$35,000,000, or more.

Our "live fellows" are now out to secure the full advantage of the service we render on December 4.

Are YOU reaching out for YOUR share of this big melon? "First come, first served." is our motto. Secure your space now while you think of it.



### NOBODY WORKS BUT MA—ON SUNDAY

This cartoon was intended by The Winnipeg Telegram for its city readers. Does it not also have some significance for country people as well? On Sunday the men folk on the farm have necessary chores to which they must attend, but otherwise work is cut down to the minimum. In too many cases, however, the housewife finds Sunday her busiest day. The Sunday dinner is made a weekly event of importance. Why not dine more simply on Sunday and give "mother" a needed rest?

### In Praise of the Farm

H. Georgia Toole, Ontario Co., Ont.  
 There is no place on this old earth so dear to me as the farm. Joy to others the hurrying crowd, the clanging car and the endless hustle and bustle of city life; but let me have the wide fields, the deep, calm silence of the wood lot and the whip-poor-will's plaintive evening song.

Connected with almost every phase of farm life is something beautiful, if we look for it. The day on the farm begins at five, but something is gained by this early rising. What is it? The colors of sunrise have not yet faded from the sky, a belated robin or two pipe a morning song, the grass upon the lawn sparkles with dewdrop diamonds and we drink in more beauties of sight and sound in two hours than the man living midst walls of brick and pavements of stone absorbs in two days—perhaps two weeks.

CHILDREN ON THE FARM.  
 What an environment in which to bring up a family! The city woman locks her children in a back yard that could easily be enveloped by a farmhouse kitchen, and to permit them out of that area means danger to life or morals. Little ones on the farm have the scope of large gardens which hold for them all sorts of delights, and the larger children roam unrestrained through field and wood, learning Nature's mysteries and growing stronger and healthier each day.

Many a farmer's son has strengthened mind and muscle investigating the secrets of the crow's nest in the lofty pine. Many a rural daughter has dreamed dreams of romance on the banks of a babbling brook. Could they fail to be pure, born prompted by her own maiden heart and interwoven with the music of sparkling waters?

Father may not wear his hair in the latest cut, but he is good and true and the beauty of summer sunsets, the sweetness of the warbler's song and the strength of the stalwart cut have passed into the soul. Mother's gown may not be designed from the most fashionable style, but she has the poise, the calm and the tenderness taught through Nature by Nature's God.

But my feeble pen fails to give utterance save in a faltering manner to my feelings in praise of the farm. Let us as sons and daughters of the farm give thanks that the lines have fallen to us in such surroundings.

### Orchard and Garden Notes

Final banking of late celery should begin now.

Save seed for the best annuals and perennials for sowing next year.

Tulips, narcissi and daffodils may be planted in pots or boxes now for spring flowers.

Nuts for winter use should be gathered now if the matter has not been attended to before.

Viburnum lantana, highbush cranberry and snowberry have been loaded with attractive berries this autumn.

Celery banked with earth late in the fall seems more palatable than where boards are used. Do not bank when the foliage is at all moist as this will aid decay.

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