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MY! BUT THOSE ANCIENTS MOVED COMFORTABLY

NO TROUBLE WITH THE TRUCK DRIVERS OR LONG WAIT FOR THE FURNITURE VAN IN ANCIENT BABYLONIA

Victims of the moving van gaze on this picture of simplicity in moving and wish you were a Bab of Babylonia!

This is the way they did it in the cradle of civilization, the ancient Babylonia, and the way they do it there today. The complete furnishings of the house—usually a rug—would be rolled up and placed on the back of the family donkey. Then the family would be loaded on one side, the man of the house on the other, and they'd move. That's all there is to it.

No calling up the truck drivers' union to make application to be placed on the eligible list for a truck; no waiting until midnight for the van that was to arrive at daybreak! no dog like following of the van to retrieve the various articles dropped on the way; no mental struggle trying to remember which barrel the hammer was in; no broken dishes, cracked mirrors, scarred furniture; nothing but peace and happiness and contentment. But Babylon is far, far away and moving day is here.

CO-OPERATIVE EGG CIRCLES

An Important Movement That Is Growing In Canada

An important part of the poultry work of the live stock branch of the department of agriculture, during the last year has been the organization of co-operative egg circles. Ten circles in all have been organized under the auspices of the branch, working in conjunction with the provincial and agricultural college authorities, and the Poultry Producers' Association of Canada. The preliminary work in connection with several others has been done, and from present indications it is apparent that this phase of co-operative work is likely to have a rapid growth in the near future.

Being primarily concerned with the improvement of the Canadian egg trade, the live stock branch has encouraged the formation of these circles because the movement affords a means whereby the quality of eggs can be improved as they leave the farm, and the pernicious practice of holding eggs both on the farm, and in the country store, largely eliminated. Co-operative effort of this kind also affords a medium whereby the eggs in any given community may be collected and marketed frequently and regularly, and insures to the consumer a new-laid egg of uniform quality at no great increase in cost.

At the time of joining the association the members agree to stamp each with a given number designated by the board of directors. This is done so that the eggs of each member may be identified when graded and payment made according to quality.

A manager is appointed by the board of directors whose business it is to collect, grade, sell the eggs and apportion the returns among the members according to the quantity and quality received. In most circles the eggs from each farm are collected at stated intervals, but in others the members deliver the eggs to some central point such as a creamery, cheese factory, store or house, from which the manager makes the shipment.

It is well known that at certain seasons of the year there is a wide difference between the price received for eggs by the farmer in the country store and the price paid by the consumer in the city. This difference is not nearly so marked in the spring of the year as it is in the late summer, fall and winter. In other words, as the quality of ordinary farm eggs becomes more uncertain the premium placed on new-laid circle eggs increases. While during the spring of the year prices received by circle members may not greatly exceed those paid in the local store, it is a fact that for the eggs produced in the month of December last year the majority of circles in the provinces of Ontario and Quebec received a price of from forty-five cents a dozen.

A limited number of circles will no doubt be able to take advantage of the rapidly growing select trade in the larger Canadian cities, but from the fact that the wholesale egg dealers in Ontario and Quebec have recently adopted a new system of buying on a basis of quality, it is likely that the product of the majority of circles will find its way to the consumer through the more recently established channels of trade.

The live stock branch stands ready and willing to help on the egg circle movement in every possible way. Officers of this branch are now in the field, and there is available a quantity of literature, including outlines of constitutions, by-laws, etc., dealing with the work, copies of which may be obtained upon request from the live stock commissioner, Ottawa.

TRIPLE TRAGEDY AVERTED IN TORONTO

Toronto, April 29—Wrapped in each other's arms, Mrs. Maude Wilson, her eight-year old daughter, and one month old baby were found in their rooms at 82 Duchess street today, unconscious and almost dead from the effects of gas poisoning. A letter, lying on the dresser, stated that owing to recent trouble with her husband, and that because she had no one left to take care of her, she had decided to "end it all."

Hon. Adam Beck Ill.

London, Ont., April 29—Hon. Adam Beck is still confined to his bed and will not be able to be about for some days. He is suffering from a severe cold and has suffered a partial breakdown, following an exceptionally hard winter's work. His future plans are rather vague as yet, depending on his recovery.

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CIVIC CLEANLINESS

Town Dumps a Discredit to Canadian Towns and Cities—Better Scavenging Regulations Essential

(Conservation.)

Civic cleanliness has not advanced very far in Canada. The town dump, with all its tin-cans, waste-paper, old rags and ash conglomerate is frequently as much a public institution as the town hall or the town council. For the sake of economy in cartage the dumps are frequently placed much too close to residential districts, and civic apathy permits them to remain there, and to grow in bulk and unsightliness.

Garbage must be disposed of, but why our civic authorities should not insist upon the burning up of much of the house waste upon the premises, either in the furnace or the kitchen stove, is something to be marvelled at. If there were more domestic tidiness in Canadian towns and cities in the way of house waste by home cremation, the gross saving to the municipality would be considerable and the town dump would be less in evidence.

Then, too, the "dump" should be supervised, and men should be employed in burning all such materials as paper, cardboard, and other boxes, discarded matting, etc. This would result in the saving of space and prevent the scattering of the lighter materials by wind. Further the destruction by fire of as much as possible of the material brought to the dump would prevent to some extent the fly nuisance from that quarter. On the completion of the burning operations, the health department should insist that all garbage should be covered first with a layer of lime, and then with clean earth, the latter for the depth of at least three feet. Of course in cities and large towns incinerators should be installed and the dump should only be used as a repository for ashes and clean earth. Scrap should be sold.

The spring time is a good season to declare war on the town dumps and on filthy back yards and lines. If the citizens can be aroused to demand action the civic officials will very soon supply it.

SNOWSTORM CHEERS SASKATCHEWAN FARMERS

Lethbridge, Sask., April 29—With seventy-five per cent. of the spring wheat above ground, the snow fall which has been general in the south and is still continuing, has come at an opportune time. Although no district was suffering from lack of moisture, the precipitation will insure quick germination and rapid growth. Farmers are very optimistic, although very little flax and oats have been sown as yet, the Cardston district having the record of the first oats above ground.

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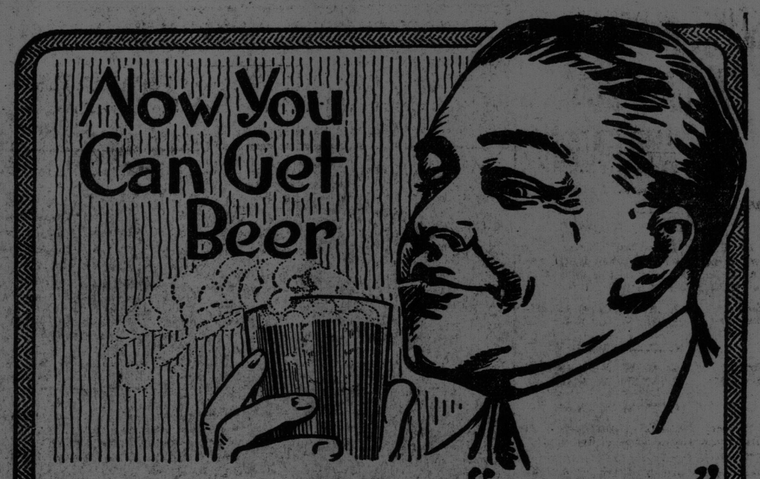

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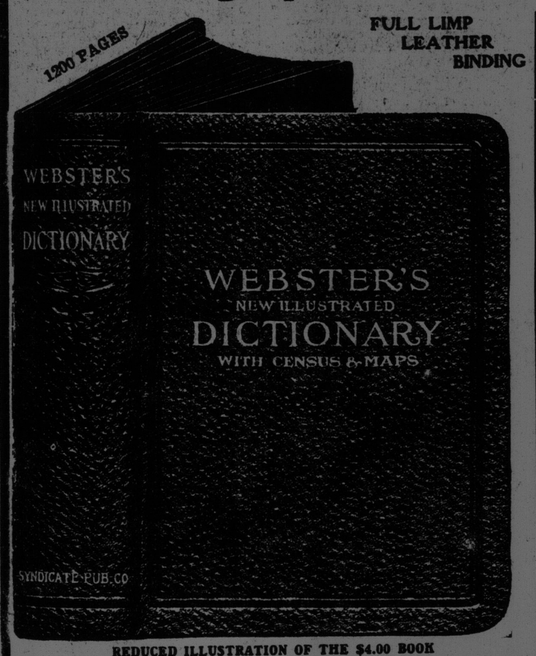

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