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A Catholic should be an Apostle to others, especially as regards the spreading of good books and papers. Pass on your Catholic paper or magazine to your Catholic neighbor who is too indifferent and too miserly to subscribe for one himself.

Seek always to do the generous thing, not merely the strictly and severely bounden thing. Try not how little you can do for God and the common weal, but how much you can do.

Good manners are more important than some folks seem to think. To be really well-mannered a man or woman must have more than a veneer of polish. "At the bottom of good manners," says a wise writer, "there are always three things—self-sacrifice, self-control, self-respect."

Behold in what abomination God holds the sin of Pride and how severely he punishes it. King David out of vanity and pride sent out Job, the general of his army, to number the people, "and there were found of Israel eight hundred thousand valiant men that drew the sword; and of Juda five hundred thousand fighting men." . . . "And the Lord sent a pestilence upon Israel, from the morning unto the time appointed, and there died of the people from Dan to Bersabee seventy thousand men."

Household Hints

Eggs Preserved for Winter Use

Spring is the season when there is a surplus of eggs on most farms. For this reason it is desirable that a supply be preserved at home to be used next fall and winter when eggs are hard to get and are high in price. There are several methods of preserving eggs which have proven very successful and which, because they are cheap, simple, and effective, should be put into practice more extensively.

Eggs to be preserved must be fresh, and should be placed in the preserving container as soon as possible after they are laid. One of the best methods of preserving is by the use of waterglass, a pale yellow odorless, sirupy liquid that can be bought by the quart or gallon from the druggist. It should be diluted in the proportion of one part of waterglass to nine parts of water, which has been boiled and allowed to cool. Earthenware crocks or jars are the best containers, since their glazed surface prevents chemical action from the solution. The crocks or cans should be scalded and allowed to cool before they are used. A container holding 5 gallons will accommodate 15 dozen eggs and will require one quart of waterglass.

Half fill the container with the waterglass solution and place the eggs in it. Eggs can be added from day to day as they are obtained, making sure that the eggs are covered by about 2 inches of waterglass solution. Cover the container and place it in a cool place where it will not have to be moved. Look at it from time to time, and if there seems to be danger of too much evaporation, add sufficient cool boiled water to keep the eggs covered. Eggs removed from the solution should be rinsed in clean, cold water. Before they are boiled, holes should be pricked in the large ends with a needle to prevent them from cracking.

Limewater also is satisfactory for preserving eggs and is slightly less expensive than waterglass. A solution is made by placing 2 or 3 pounds of unslaked lime in 5 gallons of water which has been boiled and allowed to cool, and allowing the mixture to stand until the lime settles and the liquid is clear. The eggs should be placed in a clean earthenware jar or other suitable vessel and covered to a depth of 2 inches with the liquid. Remove the eggs as desired, rinse in clean, cold water, and use immediately.

For Farm and Garden

Tools for the Garden.

Few women realize the advantage and real necessity of having tools of the correct size and weight. A woman expends half of her strength in handling a spade or fork made for a man. All of the good hardware stores now carry spades, forks and rakes made especially for women, smaller and lighter than the standard ones. Get one, or cut off the handle of your tool till "just your size." It will be much easier to use.

The idea of painting the handles of tools will appeal to anyone who walked around in the garden looking for the one dropped hastily to attend to something else. A coat or two of bright enamel will not only preserve them, but will aid in finding them, when carelessly dropped. The handles should be thoroughly cleaned and sanded, papered before painting. The yellow color is said to be more visible than any other, while green would make the tools more invisible when lying on the ground.

The three-cornered hoe is very useful in cultivating about plants. A most useful little tool for stirring the earth is made by cutting a broom handle to the desired length and fastening into the end one or two good sized nails. With this one can cultivate very close to small plants without disturbing them.

A little cultivator in the shape of a hand with the fingers bent at the second joint comes handy. It will head off many a crop of weeds before they are so large they are hard to kill. One of the best cultivators is one with adjustable teeth which can be so arranged as to work in a narrow or wide space.

Ashes and Manure.

Never use ashes and manure at the same time, but put manure on in the fall and ashes in the spring. The potash in hardwood ashes liberates the ammonia in manure and destroys much of its value. If you doubt this notice the strong smell of ammonia on chicken manure treated with ashes.

In poultry raising never use ashes on the dropping boards or roosts. It is injurious to the feet and ruins the value of the manure. Use kerosene on the roosts and gravel or sand on the dropping boards. The kerosene destroys scale on the feet and legs and prevents mites from hatching and the value of the fertilizer is preserved.

Birds in the Garden

Birds are not only a source of delight, but are also most profitable, even though they may eat a few seeds or some fruit. They destroy countless numbers of bugs and worms which would do great injury to the garden.

Birds will increase in numbers in the locality where proper houses are provided for them. They seem to prefer either rustic or dull colored houses to those painted white or any vivid color. A place to bathe and drink will be appreciated by all birds.

Treatment of Seed Potatoes

Plant disease specialists advise the treatment of seed potatoes with formaldehyde whether any scab is visible or not, as a small amount of the disease is liable to be overlooked. Therefore, soak the seed potatoes for two hours in a solution made by mixing one pint of commercial formaldehyde with thirty gallons of water.

Those who plant Gardens, raise truck crops and supply their tables with tender vegetables in summer and canned vegetables in winter will save cash that would be required from the returns of field crops.

United States News

WASHINGTON. — During the voyage of the 110th engineers, several of the civilians aboard delivered addresses to the troops. It is related that former Attorney General Gregory was urging the men to adjust themselves to peace conditions upon their return home, when a "doughboy" in the audience caused much merriment by shouting: "We fight for democracy and what we got was prohibition and influenza."

—Ed. L. Dufoureaq, an American, assistant general manager of the Teziutlan Copper Mine Co., has been killed by Zapatistas.

TROY, N. Y. — It was announced here by Col. Metler, of the Watervliet Arsenal, that the government at Washington had authorized gigantic extension plans which will convert the gun factory opposite this city into the greatest plant of its kind in the world, not excepting that of the Krupp in Germany.

PROVIDENCE, R. I. — The house passing the bill declaring beer containing not over 4% alcohol was non-intoxicant.

FORT WORTH, Texas. — Major T. C. Macauley has returned to Fort Worth after a transcontinental trip of 5500 miles in forty-four hours and fourteen minutes actual flying time. He flew from San Diego, Cal., to Jacksonville, Fla., in nineteen hours and fifteen minutes actual flying time. His average speed for the entire distance was 138 miles an hour.

SACRAMENTO, Cal. — The assembly of the legislature adopted an amendment to the senate school bill, which would prohibit Japanese from attending regular elementary schools where special schools for Mongolians are established.

PIKEVILLE, Ky. — Persons believed to be moonshiners ambushed a party of four internal revenue officers near the Virginia State line, shot and probably fatally wounded Deputy Smith of Louisville and slightly wounded Deputy Potter of Pikeville.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. — Members of the Michigan state good roads convention here announced that \$30,000,000 of the authorized \$50,000,000 highway bonds will be sufficient for two years' work on the highways.

LANSING, Mich. — The Dunn Bill, which provides for the strict control of venereal diseases and appropriates \$300,000 for carrying out its requirements, was passed by the senate.

The Condon-Moore Educational Bill was amended in the senate of the Michigan Legislature so that the superintendent of public instruction will not be given supervision over private and parochial schools. In its original form, the measure aroused a storm of protest.

Foreign News

BERLIN. — The imperial health ministry has issued a memorandum on the results of the blockade. It says that from 1915 to 1918, as a result of under-nourishment, 673,000 persons died in Germany, and a further 150,000 died from influenza owing to the loss of their powers of resistance. The fall in the number of births during the war exceeded 4,000,000 for the empire and over 2,500,000 for Prussia. The memorandum calculates at 56,300,000 marks the damage inflicted by the Hunger blockade.

PYENG YANG, Korea. — The Rev. Eli M. Mowry of Mansfield, Ohio, a Presbyterian missionary was found guilty of having permitted Koreans to use his premises here for disseminating propaganda for Korean independence. The court sentenced him to six months' imprisonment at hard labor.

AT THE WAKE.
Pat had arrived at a strange town, and, after securing lodgings, asked the landlady if she had any fleas in the house.

"Well," said she, "there is one, and one only; that is telling you the truth."

That night (as Pat explained afterwards) he was actually "bitten alive." Next morning Pat remarked to the landlady: "I'm glad your flea is dead."

"Oh," said she, "I'm so glad. How do you know?"

"Well," said Pat, "every flea in the neighborhood was in the bed last night, so I suppose they were at your flea's wake."

OF COURSE.

"To what part of the service do the baby tanks belong?"
"I suppose to the infantry."

"The face is the index of the mind, it is said."

"Oh, I don't know. Because a woman's face is made up is no sign that her mind is."

Mrs. Waldo (of Boston): "I have a letter from your uncle James, who wants me to spend the summer on his farm."

Penelope (dubiously): "Is there any society in the neighborhood?"

Mrs. Waldo: "I've heard him speak of the Holsteins and Guernseys. I presume they are pleasant people."

"O yes," she said proudly, "we can trace our ancestry back to—well, I don't know who, but we have been descending force turries."

Unlucky Motorist (having killed the lady's pet puppy): "Madam, I will replace the animal."

Indignant Owner: "Sir, you flatter yourself."

Boarding-House Mistress: "What part of the chicken do you wish?"

Freshman: "Some of the meat, please."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE SUCCESSION COURT
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF HUMBOLDT
In the estate of Peter Funks, Deceased.
TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims against the estate of Peter Funks late of the Pref. Office of Muenster, in the Province of Saskatchewan, Farmer, Deceased, who died on or about the 29th day of November, 1918, at Muenster aforesaid, must file and verify the same with the administrator of the said estate, duly verified by the Statutory Declaration, together with the statement of the securities, if any, held by them, on or before the 30th day of May, 1919.

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