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to the average housewife is the ease with which washing can be done when Surprise Soap is used.

It is a pure, hard soap which means to the economical housewife that it goes further than other soaps.

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EASTERN BEEF CATTLE

It Will Pay Best to Market Meat of Rich Quality.

The recent "fluctuations" in beef show that the farmer performs a very important part in influencing the sup-ply, and that he has the power to reduce or increase prices more than has heretofore been supposed. Looking over the field the fact appears also that the prices of beef and the control of the present supply are regulated at Kansas City, over 1,700 miles from the seaboard. The Eastern farmer is compelled to abandon the cattle business because he cannot compete with his Western competitors, and our butchers are forced to buy from those who seem to have power to limit the supply. Now, the real party who can regulate the prices is the farmer, There is no necessity whatever for the East buying her beef so far from home. It is the farmers in this section who have refused to turn their attention to cattle raisin and who are permitting the Western farmers to have control of the leading markets. The very fact that beef is high is proof that The farmers are depriving themselves of the opportunity of receiving better

prices for their products than they

have been securing.

The dairy interests of the East keep the production of beef cattle in the rear. Yet, with the complaint that prices for grain prevent farmers from making a profit, no attention has been given to the fattening of steers. One given to the fattening of steers. of the drawbacks has been that the steers on the majority of the Eastern farms are very inferior, due to the fact that the best milch cows are not producers of the choicest beef animals. This condition will remain, however, unless farmers are willing to raise their calves instead of selling them off at an early age. A pure-bred bull of the beef-producing breeds, such as the Herefords, Shorthorns, or Poiled Angus, bred to th ordinary dairy cows, will make a wonderful improvement in the stock, though a is admitted that nothing will be gained by keeping the heifer calves of such union, unless it is to send them to market, as the beef-r oducing breeds are not as suitable 'or milk and butter as the breeds adapted for those purposes. With wheat as low as fifty cents. the prices of corn and oats will be in-Auenced correspondingly, and the best way to sell cheap grain is in the form of meat. There is nothing to prevent those who are nearest to the markets from controlling prices, but in order to do so the beef must be fully up in quality to that which comes from the West. It is admitted that the best beef is shipped from west of the Mississippi, for the reason that our Eastern farmers are more interested in milk and butter than in beef, hence the greater uniformity of the Western meat, but present prices demonstrate that our Eastern farmers can afford to use their cheap grain for producing beef. To be successful, however, the cattle must be of the breeds that will give the greatest gain in the shortes time, and the beef must be of a quality to compete with that which comes from elsewhere. With transportation in our favor all now depends upon the breeds and with their East need not fear Western competi-

Spraying for Fungi and Insects. That paris green and kerosene emuision still remain the leading insecticides, and that bordeaux mixture is the best remedy for plant diseases, is the experience of the New York station at Geneva. The knapsack sprayer is generally useful though extensive growers need a machine of greater capacity. The suction pipe should always enter the tank at the top, and the pump should be made of brass or be brass lined. Hand pumps should allow the weight of the body to be used on the handle while at work. morei nozzles give a better spray than the disk machines. For spraying potatoes and tomatoes a nozzle is needed which can be lowered between the rows, and directed so as to force the spray up through the vines. The agi-tator is needed to keep the poisons in solution. The best forms work up and down in an upright tank, like the dash in the old churn. Where the pump piston has a packing this should be often renewed. For killing cabbage worms and insects, no liquid has been found equal to dry paris green applied with a hand sifter. Powder guns are useful for applying dry powdered poisons, pyrethrum, tobacco dust and Bamboo extensions should be used in spraying large trees.

Potatoes for Cows.

Some of our dairy exchanges recommend feeding potatoes in small quartitles to cows giving milk. The feeding value of raw potatoes is not very It has 80 per cent. of water, large. It has 80 per cent. of water, and though a good deal of the rest is starch it does not make a rich milk, nor increase the quantity, as will carrots, parsnips and beets. At present prices of potatoes they are the dearest feed for any stock that can be bought. No matter how cheap they were we should not think of feeding them to milch cows. The butter made from them is white, salvy and lacks the grain that good butter ought to show. Even so small an amount of potato as is found in the potato peelings where potatoes are cooked for family, use affected the quality of the butter. The potato peelings will be eagerly eaten by horses that have only dry feed. It will do them good relieving the constipation from which horses in winter usually suffer.

The value of trees for their shelter is important, and it has been estimated that if one-fourth of the fields deed that if one-fourth of the fields de-voted to cultivation were planted with trees properly distributed, the other three-fourths would produce as much as the whole, besides, the timber and fuel would be clear gain. Trees plant-ed near marshes render them no lon-ger noxious to people living near them. Where the proportion of one-fourth of the land in timber, the other three-fourths in cultivation, is not mainfourths in cultivation, is not maintained, it is "ly a question of time when the effect will be noticed. The effect upon the climate is of a local character, and this local modification

TO PORIFY THE BLOOD

Nature Has Cnly Provided One Means and that is The Kidneys.

Every Drop or Blood Passes Throug 1 the aidneys to be Filtered of Morbid Impuritie

The Kidneys Are Ma e Vigorous an the Blood Made Pure by Using Dr. Chase's Eidn-y Liver Pills.

The blood carries nourishment to he various parts of the body, and at the same time collects the matter thrown off by the wasting process

which is continually going on.

To separate the posonous waste matter from the nutritive elements of the blood, nature has provided the kidneys, which act as filters. The kidneys, and the kidneys alone, can purify the blood. The only way to help nature is to help the kidneysto strengthed and invigorate them If your blood is vitiated by the evil effects of winter life, the most effectual way to get rid of the poisonous impurities and prevent the ill of spring is through the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which act directly on the kidneys, making them

active and vigorous in their work of filtering the blood.

About the first indications of deranged kidneys and vitiated blood are backache and deposits in the urine. The skin gets hard, ye'low and dry, there are body pains, headaches, de-pressed and languid feelings, and stomach troubles. All of these distressing symptoms disappear when the kidneys are set right by the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. Mr. Fred Meggs, general merchant, Wolverton, Ont., writes:-"I was troubled for five years with kidney disease, and a very lame back, and was so bad that I could not ride in a buggy. At times I could not turn over in bed, and there were brickdust deposits in the urine. In vain I took medicines of various kinds. They seemed to do me no good. Samples of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills helped me, and two boxes com-pletely cured me. They made my kidneys healthy and vigorous, and I am now a well man. I can recommend them as the world's greatest remedy for backache, kidney disease

and sick headache."
When the kidneys are kept healthy the blood is kept pure, the system is perfectly nour shed, the waste matter is carried off, and disease finds no lodgment in the body. You can make no mistake in using Dr. Chase's Kid-ney-Liver Pills. They are the tried and tested prescription of the great kidney doctor, Dr. A. W. Chase. They are purely vegetable, and of marvel lous efficacy as a strengthener of the kidneys and liver. They have a re-cord of cures unapproached by any other kidney medicine. One pill a dose; 25 cents a box, at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto

The State Historian of South Caro lina estimates that that State furnshed 74,000 men to the service of the Confederacy.

Beauty is born in the blood. Beauy is more than "skin deep," blood deep. When the blood is tainted by disease the flesh will feel it. Sallow or muddy complexions, pim ples, blotches, and eruptions are only the surface signs of impure blood Face washes, lotions, complexion pow ders, may palliate the evils but they cannot cure the disease. The only cure is to cleanse the blood of the poinous matter which is the cause of the outbreak in the flesh and skin Impure blood can be absolutely puri-fied by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Its effect on flesh and skin is marked. Sores heal and disappear. The skin becomes smooth and regains its natural color. The eyes brighten and sparkle, the whole body is radiant with the brightness and beauty of health. "Golden Medical Discovery" contains no alcohol whiskey or other intoxicant, and is absolutely free from opium, cocaine and other narcotics. The use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, assists the action of the "Discovery," by cleans ing the system of clogging matter.

As soon as a woman begins to study anatomy she begins to think she has pains in queer places.

FIFTY AGAINST TWO.

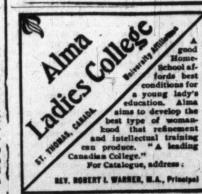
It is not reasonable to expect tw weeks of outing to overcome the effects of fifty weeks of confinement Take a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla along with you. Three doses, daily of this great tonic will do more than anything else to refresh your blood overcome that tired feeling, improve your appetite, and make your sleep easy and restful.

It is strange how often some peopl prove themselves fools, and yet hav no knowledge of it.

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-If you are losing appetite, lying awake nights, take Hood's Sarsaparlla-it's just the tonic you med.



STRAY ITEMS

The first week a man is married he acts mest as proud as he did the day he first wore suspenders.

No man can listen to a woman talking baby-talk for five minutes and be lieve in letting women vote. Probably no butterfly thinks any of the other worms will ever be smarl enough to turn the way he did.

You can always tickle a homely woman by telling her how overestimated you think some other pretty It's easy enough to get the men to

go to church until they get married.
After that they get preaching at home The average woman would die perfectly happy if she could only know that a certain man would come to the

funeral and cry. It is not hard to make a reputation, only it's so dreadfully easy to get found out.

It is strange how blithely we hear the troubles of others, strange freely we share our own with them. We often get invitations we are bound to refuse; but perhaps that is why we get them.

No woman will admit that the man who is in love with her is altogether a fool. They won't use harps in heaver: they'll just amuse the children and

listen to their laughter. The click of the well-filled purse is

When a man loses his head he talks through his hat.

As a silent partner the henpecked husband fills the bill. The performance of the amateur musician is often a music rack.

Self admiration is ample proof that there is no accounting for tastes. A little learning is less dangerous than the belief that you know it all. Gossip sometimes gains currency, but it isn't the kind you can pay debts

The other half usually has to live on what the better half knows how to cook. Yachting is not expensive—if you are

fortunate enough to be an invited A philosopher says it is much easier to make a blunder than it is to ac-

knowledge it. It is a good thing for men that wo men's dispositions don't depend on the fit of their shoes.

Living is only a habit, but we some times wish it were easier to break. Considering the way a woman wil'. deceive herself, a man has very little right to complain if she deceives him

When a woman doesn't talk it's usually because she has something to say Men love women for loving them; women love men for something to love. Our first loves were our best; they were always so hopelessly impossible. The supreme tragedy of life is not to fail, but to know that you have never

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

A good wife maketh a good mother-

In the human race the butcher holds the steaks. Dame Nature is now beginning to display her budding genius.

A woman without temper is like hower without perfume One way to get rid of a would-b borrower is to leave him a loan. The man who would rather fight than eat never has to eat his own

The easiest way to exchange small bills for a large one is to go to law. Many a woman has secured a lifefong job by marrying a man to re-form him.

An idea must feel awfully lonesome when it gets in some people's heads. Nothing succeds like success of a man who has a political pull.

Skaters see stars never dreamed of by the astronomers. Land in England is 800 times as valcable now as it was 200 years ago. Jack Frost does all he can to pave the way for Santa Claus.

The man who is taken in is If one can wear old, loose kid gloves while ironing they will save many cal-loused spots on the hands.

A woman never feels so good as when her new hat has been admired and she can honestly say "I trimmed

When a young author puts lots of color in his stories he usually intends them to be read. There are women stupid enough to quote poetry at the man who is carving the turkey.

Buying books as Christmas gifts is expensive, because we always throw in so many for ourselves.

To make a man think well of you first make him think well of himself A woman is always surprised to find that everybody doesn't know what she learned only yesterday.

When a poor young man marries a rich girl all the women say he is mercenary, but when a rich young man marries a poor girl, they say such a love is the most beautiful thing in the world.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

In sweeping a carpet, remember al-ways to sweep with the pile, and not against it. Agate ware is not suitable for frying

or for the cooking of fats. A paint brush added to the house-maid's stock of weapons in her tourney with dust will be found most efficacious for routing that enemy from moldings, corners of the window sash and crev-ices of the baseboards.

To the large consumption of watercress in the city of London, says a
medical authority, may be attributed
the high standard of health in that
city. Carefully washed and picked
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eaten with thin slices of bread and
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