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NOTICE Advertisers and Subscribers in arrears to the Bear River Telephone

P. Nolens, Quinpool Road, Halifax, merchant, says his "horse was badly colicked, and was cured by two applications of

EMPIRE LINIMENT. Halifax, N. S., Feb. 20th 1908.

Repeat it:—"Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds."

The Aroostook Farming System

(Maine Farmer.) Much is heard in all parts of New England and increasingly in other sections of the country of potato farming in northern Maine.

Strangers in Aroostook County are at first surprised and soon become considerably astonished at this universally followed system of exact and painstaking work given to all farming operations.

As we drove through these towns during the first days of September by far the larger number of farmers already had blocks of from twenty to forty acres carefully plowed for next season's crops.

Here, then, is the secret of farming without the aid of stock husbandry. The physical condition of the soil is secured and kept by means of the short rotation in conjunction with the splendid tillage constantly provided.

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TWELVE MILES OF DOCKS.

The greatest dock system in South America, with a frontage of twelve miles, will be put into operation when the planned extension of the present works of Rio de Janeiro is completed.

Under present contracts an extension of ten miles already provided for, this additional dockage being secured by building piers at right angles to the shore to the north of the present docks, which are constructed as a curved frontage on the bay without slips or piers. Three great piers will be built at a distance of 1.115 feet from each other.

Consul General Anderson reports that the plans approved by the Brazilian government doubtless will be carried out, provided the money can be secured. It is estimated that the additions planned will add about \$19,500,000 to the cost of the work.

The docks now being constructed in Rio are owned by the federal government of Brazil, which has decided not to operate them itself, but to lease them to private parties, who will manage and control them under government regulations.

GROUP CURED AND A CHILD'S LIFE SAVED. "It affords me great pleasure to add my testimony to that of the thousands who have benefited by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. My child, Andrew, when only three years old was taken with a severe attack of croup, and thanks to the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy his life was saved and today he is a robust and healthy boy," says Mrs. A. Coy, Jr., of San Antonio, Texas.

"ANTOINETTE" IS COMING. Man, take notice!!! It behooves you to stop knocking the "Merry Widow" hat instanter. The "Merry Widow" is perfectly sane and conservative in comparison with the new style headgear for women now en route to America from Vienna.

A METHODIST MINISTER RECOMMENDS CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY. "I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for several years for diarrhoea. I consider it the best remedy I have ever tried for that trouble. I bought a bottle of it a few days ago from our druggist, Mr. R. R. Brooks. I shall ever be glad to speak a word in its praise when I have the opportunity."

PREVENTING THE WINTER KILLING OF STRAWBERRIES BY STANDING WATER. Editor The Maritime Farmer.—It frequently happens that a spring rain or melting snow will cause ice to form on low or hollow parts of a strawberry bed, the ground not being thawed sufficiently to allow the water to soak in.

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Joker's Corner.

A BIRD IN THE WRONG FLOCK.

The temperance society was to meet that afternoon. Mrs. Philpots dressed in a hurry and came panting downstairs. She was a short, plump woman.

"Addie, run up to my room and get my blue ribbon rosette, the temperance badge," she directed her maid. "I have forgotten it. You will know it, Addie—blue ribbon and gold lettering."

"Yes'm. I knows it right well." Addie could not read, but she knew a blue ribbon with gold lettering when she saw it, and therefore had no trouble in finding it and fastening it properly on the dress of her mistress.

Mrs. Philpots was too busy greeting her friends or giving close attention to the speakers at the meeting to note that they smiled when they shook hands with her. When she reached home supper was served, so she went directly to the dining room where the other members of the family were seated.

"Gracious me, mother!" exclaimed her son. "That blue ribbon—have you been wearing that at the temperance meeting?"

"A loud laugh went up on all sides. "Why, what is it, Harry?" asked the good woman, clutching at the ribbon in surprise.

"Why, mother, dear, didn't you know that was the ribbon I wore at the show?"

"The gold lettering on the ribbon read: "Atlanta Poultry Show. First Prize. Bantam."—Youth's Companion.

A KINDLY MISFORTUNE. A young man who works in a Denver bank indorsed a cheque for \$100 for a friend about two months ago. Later the cheque came back protested and the young bank employee had to make the amount good. He was very much broken up over the matter.

"Well," he said to his wife, "I'll have to make up that \$100. I won't smoke another cigar until the amount I would have spent for tobacco equals the amount I have lost in this transaction."

He cut smoking out entirely. The other day the father of his friend paid back the \$100. Now the young bank employee and his wife are happily eating the \$100, he's ahead about \$20 on cigar money, and has no desire to use tobacco any more.—Denver Post.

SOMETHING WARM FOR CABBY. (London Chronicle.) As one of the lady suffragettes thrust her fare into the cab driver's hand she saw that he was wet and apparently a bit after the half hour of pouring rain. "Do you ever take anything when you get soaked through?" she asked.

"Yes, ma'am," said the cabman, with humility. "I generally do."

"Wait here in the vestibule," commanded the philanthropist. She inserted her house key in the lock, opened the door and vanished, to reappear a moment later.

"Here," she said, putting a small envelope in the man's outstretched hand. "These are two-grain quinine pills, you take two of them now and two more in half an hour."

A VIVID IMAGINATION. The following is a sample from a composition upon a shipwreck, written by a school boy whose prose should rank for realism with Byron's poem on the same subject.

"If I was in a shipwreck I should think it was an awful thing for sometimes I would get wet and sometimes get drowned and some times get burnt and the last is worst. . . . How I would blanch if I heard my ship get a mortal wound in the side and hear the water roaring in and hissing onto the hot boilers while the steam came soaking up, smelling like your pants was being dried out in front of a hot stove."

If this boy ever learns to spell he will be another Dickens.

ALL THE FAULT OF THE COW. A South Side woman went to a butcher shop the other day to get a roast of beef. The butcher is a little old man, inclined to be cranky. He began to cut the roast. She thought he was sawing off too much bone.

"That roast will have too much bone in it, I fear," she said. "The butcher stopped and sighed: 'Madam,' he said, 'that the cow's fault. These cows would be in awful shape if they had to run around without bones.'"

The woman said no more.—Denver Post. Repeat it:—"Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds."



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Blue Rocks Breakwater, N. S." will be received at this office until 4.30 P. M. on Friday, November 6, 1908, for the construction of a breakwater at Blue Rocks, Lunenburg County, Province of Nova Scotia, according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of C. E. W. Dodwell, Esq., Resident Engineer, Halifax, N. S., E. G. Millidge, Esq., Resident Engineer, Antigonish, N. S., on application to the Postmaster at Blue Rocks, N. S., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for six hundred dollars (\$600), must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the person tendering declines the contract or fails to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order, NAP. TESSIER, Secretary. Department of Public Works, Ottawa, October 7, 1908.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

Business Change Having purchased the entire stock in trade of Captain John Anthony Port Lorne, the undersigned wish to inform the public that business will be carried on at the old stand under the head of Anthony & Cropley.

Your patronage solicited. Y. ANTHONY, C. W. CROPLEY. Port Lorne, Aug. 27th. 1908.

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