

engagement. Just fancy, a man says, he would like a loving wife as he is a loving husband, and when he adds he wants a wife who can feed pigs, hens, calves, milk cows, and, in short, put on a hired man's clothes and dig in. Now this is a fine sort of a husband, isn't it? I am a young man of fairly good habits, I am 21 years old, am 5 feet 9 inches tall and weigh, when fat, 200 lbs., but I never get fat and my weight now is 150 lbs. I have curly auburn hair, blue eyes, no mustache. I smoke and chew very little, sure, I am just as you will find me. I might add I have a good temper, as long as everything goes right.

Now, if any nice young lady between 18 and 22 years would care to write to me, I will gladly answer all letters I may receive. I will ask you, Mr. Editor, to kindly forward enclosed letter to "Tiny Rose Bud," of Montreal. Thanking you for your space in your valuable paper, I am, sincerely yours, "Brick Yard Blonde."

Always Try to Please Girls.

Thunder Creek, April 6th, 1908.

Editor.—I am very much interested in your correspondence columns and please accept my thanks.

I would like very well to correspond with some good looking girl up to or under 26 years.

I am 23 years old and not bad looking at all, weight 165 lbs., and I am good in music and like always to have a good time. I do not use tobacco and never drink liquor. I always try to please the girls as I like them, and I wish you girls would send me a line next mail. I will answer all letters.

"Finger Fingerson."

Money is Good, but True Love Better.

Ontario, April 21, 1908.

Editor.—I have taken your paper for two months and think it is all it is claimed to be. I like reading the letters and thought I would have my say along with the rest. Like all others, I am interested in the bachelors and think if they are sincere in what they say they are hard to beat.

"Blacksmith Bill," this girl would answer your letter if you care to write to her, but she is not good looking or is not an angel, but believes in being fair and honest.

"White Pine," I think your idea about a girl is all right and think that the girl you get will be a lucky one if you mean all you say.

I don't think any woman would mind living anywhere so long as she would be happy. I like the letter from "Interested Beauty." Beauty does not go very far with me, give me the fellow with the good, true heart and I would take all risks. Money is very good but true love is better.

I would like to hear from any one who will care to write letters, post cards, photo or any way at all. All who want my address can get it from the editor.

"Ally Ann."

Ham and Eggs for Two.

Olds, Alta., April 19, 1908.

Editor.—Have been reading the correspondence columns and think they are very interesting, and thought I would try my luck in writing.

I am 19 years old, dark eyes and dark hair, weight 165 lbs., and smoke once in a while; that is, three times a day. I am very fond of music and can play a piano and cornet.

I should like to correspond with good looking, jolly girl about 18 years old. She must not be cranky.

I think a woman should not do any outdoor work except probably to feed the chickens. I am not really a bachelor as I still live with my parents, but expect to batch on my homestead this summer. My wife, or going to be wife, must be an athletic girl. She must know how to shoot, ride and play the piano. She must be dark complected, and a neat housekeeper. Hoping to hear from some young lady who answers description, I remain,

"Ham and Eggs."

"Pat" Too Young to Wed?

Yellow Grass, Sask., April 20, 1908.

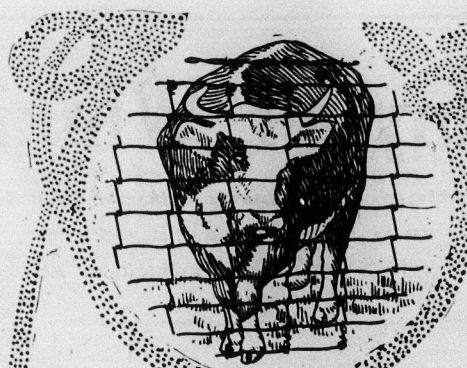
Editor.—I have read with pleasure the correspondence column of your W. H. M. and would like to write to some of the young ladies who wish to write to the lonely bachelors. I for one think it is a good thing to have some one to write to and hear from. I am not writing with the intentions of matrimony at present as I am only 23 years of age and think that a little young. I am 5 feet 11 inches in height, weight 170 lbs., dark hair and blue eyes, and temperate habits. I will answer all letters with pleasure; everybody welcomed to write. I would like at present to correspond with "Cigarette" and "Happy Thought" in your February number.

"Happy Pat."

Widows Not Barred.

Saskatchewan, April 29, 1908.

Editor.—I have been a reader of your paper almost constantly since its commencement, although not a subscriber. I am especially interested in the correspondence, as so much can be learned from a letter (between the lines). I was particularly interested in the February number as there were so many letters from the fair sex of quite tender years. I expected they would be at school at that age instead of asking boys of 20 or 21 to correspond. I wonder if their parents know



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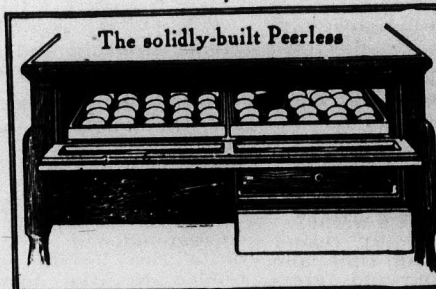
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