A mortgage is a conveyance of property, personal or real, given to secure the pay-ment of a debt. As soon as the debt is paid, or the duty performed, the mortgage is void

Where real estate is mortgaged it is usually provided that the mortgagor (person mortgaging property), shall, until default, retain possession of the property, and receive its rents and other profits, paying all taxes,

In case either real estate or chattels are pledged, the mortgage must be properly ex-ecuted, like a deed, before a witness, who must make an affidavit of execution.

Personal property may pass into the postract, or the mortgagor may continue to hold and use it, if such be the agreement. Mortgages must be in writing, or partly mption clause, be signed and sealed by mortgagor, properly witnessed and recorded —chattel mortgages within five days from execution thereof-in office of County Court Clerk, and real estate mortgages with Regis-

trar of District in which property is located. Chattel mortgages are are valid only for one year from the date unless renewed. It renewed it must be done within thirty days previous to such expiration. Great care should be exercised to see that affidavits are

properly executed.

The times of payment of interest and principal sum must be distinctly stated in mortgage, and the property carefully described

A mortgage may be drawn so that a single steps, long before the date of its maturity. The foreclosure of a mortgage is the legal declaration that the property has been forfeited to the mortgagee.

Promissory Notes. A promissory note is an uncondition

a specified sum at a specified time. The A note given on Sunday is void.

Notes bear interest only when so ex rate, six per cent. per annum. Notes pay providing for interest on their face. If "with interest," is included in a not and no rate specified, it draws the legal rate.

If a note is to draw interest higher than legal interest, it must be so specified. When transferring a note the endorse by writing "Without recourse," on the back

When a note is made payable at a definit date, three days of grace are allowed beyond that time to make payment. Notes payable on demand are not entitled to grace. Notes due on Sunday or a legal holiday

stroyed, it does not release the maker from obligation, but the holder must make the formal demand, offering the makera sufficient indemnity in the event of his paying the

Every Boy a Weather Prophet.

There is no reason why every boy-or girl deal of advantage if you hap

fishing or camping.

Buy one ounce each of camphor, saltpetre and ammonia salts at some drug store, and dissolve them in about thirteen drachms of alcohol. Shake the mixture well, and nour be corked tightly and sealed, so as to prevent air from getting inside.

Hang this barometer on the north side of the house, and here are the weather indica-Absolute clearness of the liquid denote

fair weather. If the liquid becomes disturbed or rolly, as we say, it is a sign of rain. If downy masses form in the bottom of the bottle, it will freeze, or at least the thermometer will descend; the more these masses

rise to the top the more rigorous will the

Threadlike objects on the top of the bottle indicate wind .- Christian Observer. Value of a Nickel.

"I learned the value of a nickel in a pecu ing in the postoffice, to a New York Times reporter. "I walked just around the corner om Nassau on Beekman street and stopped to let a little bootblack give me a "shine. Soon three or four little fellows gathered 'Say, Chimmie,' said one, 'I want dat

nickel. You owes it to me. " 'Yes, an' when you gets it I wants dat " You owes me t'ree cents fer puttin' ye against dat bundle dis afternoon,' said a third " You borried two papers from me yis tiddy,' said a fourth, addressing the second,

"Then counter-claims began to pour in It appeared that each of the boys had debts and debtors, and when my nickel was handed over it was divided into pennies and they were passed around until they cleared about fifty cents of indebtedness. My only regret is that I can't remember which of the boys had the money when the financial transaction

BOTTLES EFFECTED A CURE WHICH BAF-FLED THE BEST OF PHYSICIANS.

This is what Mrs. J. Cockburn of Wark-This is what Mrs. J. Cockburn of Warkworth, Ont., says: "For fourteen years I have been a great sufferer from heart disease; troubled very much with sharp, shooting pains constantly passing through my heart. Very often the spasms were so severe that I would become unconscious. My limbs would swell and become quite cold. For these fourteen years I doctored with best physicians without relief. Having seen Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart advertised, I determined to try it, and before I had taken half a bottle I found great relief. I felt the beneficial effects inside of thirty minutes. I have taken three bottles and it has done me more good than any medicine or any physician ever did. I can conscientiously recommend it to all sufferers from heart trouble." Sold

if you can, but better still, work; keep mind and body busy. Above all, renounce everymoderately of underdone meat, green vege alightly acid. Drink but little, bathe regularly, taking tepid baths. Constant work

Selling Eggs by Weight espondent of Farm Poultry, writing from Pincher Creek, Alberta, says: Your correspondent, E. L., in letter contained in your issue of Jan. 15, says: "Leghorns lay-ing (good average) two hundred eggs, weighing ten eggs to the pound;" and later: course I know eggs are not sold by weight."

once get to selling eggs by weight-and which must sooner or later come—"

I am not a little surprised that this matte dozen has not died out. There are three like to know how it works, and what the ad- | plants attacked.

vantages are.

1st. Too much time is taken up by counting. Eggs can be bought and sold in half the time by weight, and you can chat away to your customers without any fear of loss. 2nd. Fresh eggs always weigh more than stale eggs, and besides this being an induce- bers. ment for the producer to bring them in fresh,

should a three-bushel sack of oats weighing upon the trees in that form. All "mummi-ninety-five pounds bring as much as a three-fied "fruit should be gathered and burned, as

bushel sack of oats weighing one hundred and fifty-six pounds? We have seen this difference in weights.

place of by count, would be a vast improve- out and destroyed by burning. ment in the class of poultry kept, and the satisfaction of being able to retail eggs with- rella fragariæ).—This disease produces very out feeling ashamed of the quality. What inducement has a farmer or egg-

producer at present to improve his breed of nens? and what encouragement is there under the present system to a man who spends one case here of a man who has spent upwards fowls, and a comfortable place for them to live; but he could not get a cent a dozen | with a grayish substance, and later assume more for his eggs if we bought them that | brown color. way, than the man who brings in a dirty lot of stale, misshapen things, called eggs (beby something between a pelican and a dodo. The object of the producer is in all cases

results, fine grain, fine cattle, fine horses, fine ens, fine eggs. Every art has been brought to bear to prong one ounce would bring as much as one weighing two ounces. I suppose the old idea of "eggs is eggs" is still held to by many, but in Pincher Creek, a little village away up three thousand seven hundred and fifty feet above sea level, and wedged right in the foothills at the base of the Rocky Mountains, are not considered eggs unless they weigh eight to the pound the year round.

At present we pay 15 cents per pound. They will go down to ten or twelve and a fifty cents per pound just before Christmas.

Canned Goods. system. They act like other mineral poisons, -lead, zinc, arsenic, etc., - producing violent disturbances of the stomach, convulsions,

exhaustion, and often death. the air. Under such exposure the chemical emptied from the tin immediately upon its

being opened. Poisoning by salts of tin closely resembles that which follows the eating of decomposed lood. So that, without proper examination, it is often difficult to decide as to what the symptoms of poisoning are due.

The infective matter which is present decomposed meat is usually present in it bewhere two persons had eaten from the same can of sardines. One of them was taken vioently sick and died. Chemical examination showed the tin of the can to be uncorroded. but it was found that some of the fish were diseased, probably before they were canned. The person who was unaffected had been ortunate enough to eat only sound fish. As showing the minute quantity of poison ous matter which is capable of causing sickness, another case is cited of a person who, on opening a can of ox-tongue, detected a

slight odor of decomposition, and after stick-ing a fork into it to test it, threw the stuff away. Later, however, the same fork was omelet, an action which resulted in the poisoning of two persons.

a matter of safety, however, one should exthe greatest suspicion any trace of bad odor or sign of corrosion on the tin. Cooking the ary measure.

It is the rapid alternation from cold to does not enter. The best preservative for lays. Do not forget the fact. posts in any kind of soil is to thoroughly dry them and then char their surface. After rubbing off the flakes of coal dip the charred ends in oil, taking care that both the charring and the oiling come up above the point where the post enters the soil. Posts treated thus have been found sound after 15 or 20 years when, without this treatment, posts on sandy soil had rotted at the junction with the ground after eight or ten years

service. -Be a friend to your own soul; be on Believe that right is right and that wrong is good than any medicine or any physician ever did. I can conscientiously recommend it to all sufferers from heart trouble." Sold by S. N. Weare. by yourself because you love yourself, and stand by others because they are God's chil-drem and have a family claim on you. Then with the true Christ spirit you will work and endure and resist, and when the day's work is over you will find yourself in heaven. —George H. Hepworth.

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The following are among the most injurious ungi that affect the products of the garden and orchard. They can be readily contr

ture as dire The usual life history of a parasitic fungu is, that it arises from a spore which is mi-croscopic; this germinates and gives rise to has not been gone into before, and that the | thread-like structures which penetrate the old custom of buying and selling eggs by the plant upon which the fungus grows and degeneral stores here handling eggs, and two in time spores are produced, as new sources years ago we agreed to buy and sell eggs by from which the fungus may develop and con weight, and as we are still doing it, you might | tinue to be injurious to the vitality of the

1. Apple Spot or "Scab" (Fusicladium dendriticum). - This fungusattacks the leaves and fruit of the apple, causing the "spots on the fruit. The vegetative portion of the fungus is chiefly around the edge of the spots where the spores are produced in great num-

2. Leaf Spot (Entomosporium maculathe purchaser can, in a very short time, tell if the eggs are fresh, by comparing the count the leaves to show reddish spots with small if the eggs are fresh, by comparing the count with the weight, as the average for fresh eggs pimples in the centre. When the irus are tacked it cracks and appears stunted.

3. "Brown Rot" (Monilia fructigena).

Attacks plums, cherries and peaches than small ones; therefore, it pays the producer to bring in his best eggs.

We buy and sell grain by weight, and why they contain spores that will perpetuate the 4. "Anthracnose" (Gloeosporium vene-

tum). - This fungus appears on the canes of may render due the whole sum, principal and interest, and permit the mortgage (person to whom mortgage is given), to sell the 5. "Leaf blight," "Sunburn," (Sphoe

> conspicuous spots on the upper surface of the leaves of the strawberry. The spots are red dish at first, then the centre becomes some what grayish. 6. "Powdery Mildew" (Sphaerothec mors uvae). - This mildew is the well known blight on the gooseberry. It thrives in a of two hundred dollars in obtaining good | warm, dryatmosphere, and sometimes is very

> > 7. "Potato Blight" (Phytopthora infes tans).—This fungus attacks the potato, commencing with the leaves and finally affecting

or should be) to produce the finest and best Marketing Eggs. At a meeting of Snowville, Me., Grange H. B. Howard spoke upon the question of how to realize the most from eggs. His advice duce fine results in all things but eggs—and was to get eggs into market within twenty why is this? Simply because an egg weighbe no reason to complain of the prices receiv shape that customers can depend on them every time as being strictly fresh and all alike there are people who will take all they can get the year round. The egg that is a week old is well on the road to being, if not exact thirty-two miles away from civilization, eggs ly stale, quite near it. A farmer who ha sent his butter to one place for eighteen year always gets a good price, for he makes as extra article, and his customers can depend on the uniformity of its quality. This man half cents during the summer and go up to had some friends, who asked him if he could not get a market for their eggs at this place He replied that they could not send the eggs fresh enough, for the firm kept a man going The bad effects which sometimes follow over the same territory every day to pick u the use of tinned or canned foods are due | eggs, in order to make sure that they were either to the chemical action which has taken strictly fresh for the table. Many farmer to make a cheap but serviceable little bar. place between the can and its contents, and | do things that, if they were in the customers ometer which will foretell nearly all the changes in the weather. And that's a good products of decomposition in the food itself. quality of eggs that they carry to market themselves. Small, dirty eggs are not fit to send to market, as they lower the price for the whole case if there is a dozen of them pr While any canned food may contain salts in. The price for the whole is made by that of tin in a poisonous quantity, the danger from this source is increased by exposure to eggs that are to be sent from that place. If the market calls for a large brown shell egg changes go on with greatly increased rapidity. | furnish that kind. Find out what your man For this reason all canned stuffs should be ket calls for, and furnish it; don't expect to get the best price if you don't furnish th best goods. Mr. Howard believes that eggi ought to be sold by weight.

The best way to keep hams, rounds, etc. from injury by flies and meat moths, is to put them away in bags before these come fore it is put in the can. A case is recorded in thick paper bags. If you put them in about. Wrap them in paper and put them muslin the bags may be coated with chrome vellow, mixed with rve flour in water and smoke from maple chips is considered a pro tection from flies, as well as to improve their flavor. They should be smoked every day for a week or more. The old fashioned was to protect them from flies was to rub them all over with hickory ashes, also, to sprinkle pepper on the meat before it was hung to noke. But we never found anything nec essary but to wrap them in paper before the coming of the flies and put them in a bag. For the mould the chrome paint mentioned ased without having been washed, to cut an dry, cold place, but in that case they may become too dry.

Great improvements have been effected in the process of canning goods, so that there ly no secret, for every experienced person is not now the same danger as formerly. As a matter of safety, however, one should exconditions. It is not always the breed or the nine closely all canned food, regarding with | feed that makes the hen lay. The main point is not to make a laying hen fat. If you have hens for market that are to be fat food where it is possible is a good precaution- ted, remove your laying hens. Keep the market hens confined closely, but keep your laying hens at work. The secret (if it is a secret) of making hens lay is to have then always busy at scratching. It is something heat and from dry to moist that makes posts | they should be compelled to do from the tim decay so rapidly. This is, of course, worse they come off the roost in the morning until on sandy soil, through which the air rapidly percolates, while in the heavy soil the air is a scratching hen. The idle, lazy hen never

Light has an effect on the butter color, as I have found distinctly. The dairy in which and for the final working should be darkene by shades, so as to avoid this effect. Or the butter should be protected by a cover im-pregnable to the light. The light has a bleaching effect, and this is especially marked when the butter is put away in a gashed or flaky condition, by which one side of the terms of respect for and of confidence in it. flakes is exposed to light and the other side is in the shade. My practice has always been

The Pigpen in Summer.

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ALL persons having legal demands against the estate of ALBERT FITZRANDOLPH, late of Williamston, in the County of Annapolis, farmer, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within one year from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate

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Direct Evidence

A. STANLEY BANKS.

The Household.

Mariorie's Honey Sauce.

"Norah," said Marjorie one evening abou ten minutes before the bell rang for dinner:
"I heard mamma say that she had told you to make a boiled pudding for dessert, and I thought perhaps you'd like me to make the sauce for it."

Bee. I was sitting at my deak deeply mered in my leading editorial for the week, when the door opened and a farmer walked in. He was past middle age, and was as ill-favored a looking countryman as I ever saw. "'Deed, and I would, honey, it's me

that don't like to beat up the sugar and but-ter for a hard sauce; I don't wonder it's called that, for it's mighty hard work." "But I'm not going to make hard sauce, Norah, but something a great deal nicer. Grandma showed me how to do it this sum-

"And it's mighty proud your gra ught to be to have turned out such a fine ittle cook. What will you be after having to make it with?"

"Nothing much, Norah, only a dessertpoonful of butter, a cupful of sugar and one

Marjorie laughed, and proceeded to blend the butter and sugar together in a bowl.

When they were quite smooth she broke the egg into them, and stirred it is a low. eating it.

"I'll take your word for it, Miss Marjorie,

"Now, Norah," she said, "just before you bring in the pudding I'll come out and finish

While the crumbs were being brushed Marjorie excused herself from the table, and unning into the kitchen, took the bowl conaining her mixture and put it over boiling Light Single and Double Riding water, giving it an occasional stir. When the pudding was laid on the dish, Waggons, Phaetons, Express, the sauce was as thick as honey. Marjorie Grocery and other Delivery

> "I've only one fault to find with it, Marorie," said papa, helping himself to it a third

"I don't think I forgot anything." "No," said papa, "it's not that: it's deicious, but there's too little of it."

I Edilia, the state of the state was discussed in the construction is the bear amountacture, the waggons in lit by thorough workmen, and each and evature pertaining to their make will meet cartiest approval of the eye of the critic, des carrying a guarantee of the Comps or full particulars write me for catalogue, on't make any arrangement for the purel new vehicles till you have obtained my prind other general information, which will be the state of the contraction of the state of Marjorie heaved a deep sigh of relief, and JOHN HALL, Agent. passed her plate for a little more of the pud--Perhaps the following suggestions may help you to find occupation for your busy baby boy: A baby will be attracted for a

short time by some fine toy that he can simply look at, but he will spend ten times as long in putting pegs into holes in a board contrived for the purpose, or in taking out one by one from a well filled basket of arti-in Youth's Companion.

"What am de cause ob your feeling data-in purpose in Youth's Companion." as long in putting pegs into holes in a board changed and he does not tire of the monotony. Then the task of putting them all back keeps Insect flowers o.her, or from room to room, will often keep child busy and interested for hours. A mall hammer and tacks, with a soft wood stantly suggesting themselves, if she only bear in mind that baby must have some work

-One of the merriest of merry evening games goes by the name of "mummies." All the boys and girls, excepting four or five, leave the room. Two of those rem and put over the head of each a tall newspaper cap, with holes cut in it through which the eyes may be seen. Cover the dresses of the three mummies with sheets, so that they will not reveal the owner. Now call in the other boys and girls and set them trying to find out who each of the mummies is by peeping through the eyeholes. This causes great laughter and fun. After the party is all agreed as to who is who, remove the papers and see how many mistakes have been

made. This game is almost as much fun for grown people as it is for children.

Remedy for Household Insects. Many a housewife is disheartened when she finds that the house into which she has ust moved was inhabited before she arrived, and that already her nicely cleaned beds are being occupied. A sure death for such inall insect life, and does not injure carpets or furniture. Fill a long necked can with this this evening! fluid and apply it thoroughly in all cracks and crevices where the bugs or their eggs may be. Leave the doors and windows open and the odor will quickly evaporate. Benzine shoul I be used only in daylight, as it is very

an open fire or light.

one that is perhaps an eyesore to you because stones, brick or like refuse has been dumped into it which the man of the house is too busy to remove, convert it into a beauty spot by filling the interstices between the stones with earth and planting hardy ferns. Common ferns from the nearest forest will be just the thing, and once set and established will continue for many years without special care, growing more luxuriant and handsome every

The Myrtle. The common periwinkle, Vinca minor, ometimes known as myrtle, but incorrectly cheerful, bright blue flower, and the glossy dark green of its leaves is pleasing. It can ively used on rough spots on the lawn, or banks it is desirable to beautify, and is very desirable in shaded places where

grass will not flourish. re delightful. Boil halves of the nuts in salted water, or, better still, some of the that the brown skin can be easily removed. When they are cold mix them with the prepared chicken and celery, putting as many in as will suit the taste, and cover with my dear," and a more audible smile passed

-The French have a way of making even without the aid of starch. When the napkins are washed and dried and ready to be ironed, they are dipped into boiling water and partially wrung out between cloths. They are then rapidly ironed with as hot a flatiron as possible without burning them. Treated in this manner, they become beautifully glossy and stiff.

It Recommends Itself. When using cabbage for cold slaw, cut it into ribbons an hour or more before it is to be used and let it stand in ice water until the last moment; then drain it upon a soft cloth to remove the water and pour a French

always be treated in this manner. Minard's Liniment the best Hair Resto Joker's Carner.

It was while I was editor of The & Just the sort of a man to get married a half dozen times was my mental cha indicates meanness, and if he had been un provided with that necessary article of facial furniture, his clothing would have denoted

"You're th' editor, I s'pose

"Wal, what's your rates for death notices?" I quoted the usual rates. "By hickey!" he said, "don't that seem kinder high ter pay for a person thet's gone?
"It's our usual charge for one insertion,

riage notice were given to me at the sam "Thet settles it," said he, with determin ation, taking out a battered pocket-book. the death notice. 'Entered into rest, March

the forty-third year of her age." I took it down at his dicta "To-day is the 7th. When does your ps er print?'

"Then it's all right. It'll be true by the ime it's printed. 'Married, at Bill's Corners, March 8, by Rev. Joel Green, Hezekiah Bill to Mehitable Parsons.' There! It's kinder crowdin' the mourners, but Maris knowed I intended it "

ishment at his example of New England thrift

way, Julius?" inquired Uncle Romulus, mildly. "What hab de gubbernment done?" "Taint done nuffin; dat's de trouble," him busy for a still longer time. As baby said Mr. Black. "Here I is, got a marriage becomes more discerning and his fingers more nimble, a pleasing device for his employment mission for de uniting in wedlock ob Juliu is a board with variously shaped holes, round. | Black and Susannah Johnson, and I paid square, triangular, etc., with blocks and fifty cents for dat license. And when I took spheres to fit into the various places. Should these be in bright colors his love for color her to marry me, and told her de eye ob de

nay also be gratified, and learning these law was upon her, dat yaller gal jess laff in

enployments that will satisfy the little tot that almost any mother will find them condat wasn't worth any more dan jess so much waste paper. No, sah! I tell you de gubbernment ob dis United States

as water, and dat's de truf!"

Would See His Mother. over 65 years of age, to attend a spiritualistic seance. Foster, the presiding medium, wa in great form, and the revelations were astonishing. Greville sat silent, and his aged, Suddenly the medium grew excited, and said

"She lifts her hands to bless you." Greville sighed again. "It is your mother!" "Ah, poor thing," said Greville; "I am

"She says she will see you soon. You are old, and you must see her before long."

Then Greville quietly observed: "That's very true! I'm going to have tea with her

-A showman was showing a lady some parasols. He had a good command of the language, and knew how to expatiate on the the goods. As he picked up a parasol from the lot on the counter and opened it he struck

that silk. Particularly observe the quality, the finish, the general effect. Pass your lady. "Isn't it a beauty?"
"Yes," said the lady; "that's my cld one.

they know not what they do," and offered it for approval, to the great amusement of all

"Now," said the fussy old gentleman, put-

ting one of the biggest berries in his mouth

"That girl is a peach." "Yes, but she thinks she is a whole o

him as a man who was not wantonly

"I am."

What prompted me to do it, I don't know, but I said immediately that I'd knock off half the rate for the death notice if the mar-

"Folks kin talk of they want to. Here's 5, Maria, beloved wife of Hezekiah Bill, in

"Day after to-morrow, the 9.h."

And before I could recover from my astor

he had paid me and was gone.

"Folks generally hab a good deal to say about de gubbernment ob dis United State being strong and pow'ful," said Mr. Julius

colors soon follows. Little tasks of carrying my face and eyes, sah!"

"Am dat so?" said Uncle Romulus "She wouldn't hab you?" "No. sah, she wouldn't hab me, and she board into which to drive them, is generally her!" said Mr. Black, with increasing a delight to any child old enough not to put
the tacks into his mouth. So simple are the
back to de office, I found dat gal spoke de

to the old gentleman:

" A female form is bending over you. Oh, the extraordinary likeness! Greville sighed.

"She smiles! She says all is well with

Tableau!

an attitude of admiration, and, holding it

I just laid it down there." -A little boy of seven, on the occasion of made as a present a little blue, heart-shaped pin-cushion, trimmed about the edges with beads. His mother suggested that he work an appropriate verse of Scripture upon it. After deliberating a moment, the little fellow thought of this verse, recently heard in his Sunday-school: "Father, forgive them, for

-Our hostess at dinner had recently married for the third time. Small Edith, her child by her first husband, was present. Suddenly we heard, "I have a papa in heaven, haven't I, mamma?" A smile passed around, and conversation was resumed. Presently another lull occurred, and again the small voice-"I have two papas in Heaven, haven't my dear," and a more audible smile passed a long sigh and said: "Papas don't last very long, do they, mamma?" Amid shouts o laughter Edith was banished.

and picking up another, "what is the senge of having that sign read "fresh strawberries for sale?" Don't you see that "fresh strawberries" would be enough? Don't you sup-pose everybody knows they are for sale?" "I dunno," answered the grocer. "Some folks seems to think I am givin' them away," and then the old gentleman put the berry back in the box.

dressing over it. If once tried thus it will