



Joker's Corner

THE WORTHY SCOUT.

The Boy Scout movement has been taken up with much enthusiasm in Ontario, and is receiving the approval of many good citizens. One of the excellent features of the Boy Scout's program is that he shall perform at least one kind act during the day. A lady, whose small son, Harold, has lately been enrolled as a Scout, was surprised when he appeared at the breakfast table with a piece of white string tied around one of his coat buttons. "What's that for, Harold?" she asked. "To remind me to do a kind act today," he replied briefly. Harold returned at noon without the white string adorning him. He was somewhat reserved during the early moments of the meal. But when dessert appeared he became communicative. "Well, I've done my kind act—helped an old man across the street," he informed the family. "And I've kept from vulgar slang all morning. But after four I'm going to knock the tar out of Billy Gordon for calling me 'goody.'"—Courier.

A STRANGE ACCOUNT.

A negro sharper started a bank in Georgia, in one of the smaller towns, and the negroes who lived thereabout were much taken with the idea and scrimped to get a few dollars to start an account. One man made a deposit of five dollars. Six months later he came in to the bank and said: "I want my five dollars." "You ain't got no five dollars here, sub," said the banker, who acted as paying and receiving teller, cashier, president and carried the money in his pocket. "I ain't." "No, sub." "But I done put five dollars in this yer bank six months ago." "I know that, sub. I know that; but th' intrus' jist naturly done eat it up."—

AGAIN THE COOK.

Mrs. Cobb—"Was the grocer's boy impudent to you again when you telephoned your order this morning?" Cook—"Yes, Mrs. Cobb, he was that, but I fixed him this time. I sez, 'Who the deuce do you think you're talkin' to?' This 's Mrs. Cobb."

TAKING HIS TEMPERATURE.

Doctor—"Well, and did you take his temperature?" Wife—"Oh, yes, sir. I puts the barometer on 'is chest an' it goes up to very dry, so I fetches 'im a quart of beer, an' now 'e's gone to work."



ZAM-BUK SAVED THIS BABY

Mrs. M. Barrett, 505 Moore St., Montreal, says: "A horrid rash came out all over my baby's face and spread until it had totally covered his scalp. It was itching and painful, and caused the little one hours of suffering. We tried soaps and powders and salves, but he got no better. He refused his food, got quite thin and worn, and was reduced to a very serious condition. I was advised to try Zam-Buk, and did so. It was wonderful how it seemed to cool and ease the child's burning, painful skin. Zam-Buk from the spot, and the pimples and sores and the irritation grew less and less. Within a few weeks my baby's skin was healed completely. He has now not a trace of rash or eruption, or eczema, or burning sore. Not only so, but cured of the tormenting skin trouble, he has improved in general health."



CONVINCING ARGUMENT.

A certain colonel's gardener was going through the woods belonging to his employer when he saw a man gathering nuts. As the Colonel had given strict orders that this was not to be permitted the gardener accosted the man "You'll have to clear out of this," he said, "I've had orders to keep all these nuts for the colonel this year." "That's all right," replied the man "I'm getting 'em for the colonel." A week later the gardener came across the man again. "Look here," said he, angrily, "you weren't getting those nuts for the colonel at all." "I tell you I was," was the emphatic reply. "Do you think I was getting them for the shells?"

He—"So Billy has told you that he saved me from a watery grave?" She—"H'm. He told me he'd saved you from a much worse place than that."

AN HONEST CONFESSION.

Some of my friends confess that should a doctor cure them of pneumonia with REED'S EARTHINE and charge \$50 they would kick. Whereas, if some foreign secret remedy be used they would gladly pay all the doctor might charge. Doctors understand human nature, hence, will not tell what medicines they use. Two dollars worth of EARTHINE has often saved fifty dollars expense. N. H. REED, H.D. Shelburne, N. S.

THE MAN FOR THE POSITION.

A. DeW. Foster, who has been on the teaching staff of Horton Collegiate academy two years, has been appointed to the position of house master in place of Mr. Ruggles, who has resigned. In addition to his duties in the academy during these two years, Mr. Foster has found time to do the full course of the freshman and sophomore years, to lead the intercollegiate debating teams of Acadia twice to victory, and generally to make his influence felt in all things turning toward the "good and welfare" of old Acadia and H. C. A. Horton Academy is to be congratulated on securing Mr. Foster for house master. A fine teacher, a man of high ideals, fearless in maintaining the right, full of enthusiasm, interested in all kinds of healthy athletics, popular with the boys, he is the man for the position, since the success of the academy depends to a large degree on the house master.—Wolfville Acadian.

Whooping cough is not dangerous when the cough is kept loose and expectation easy by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has been used in many epidemics of this disease with perfect success. For sale by all dealers.

IN YOUTH PREPARE FOR OLD AGE.

A Toronto daily last week contained a despatch from a neighboring city that... aged one hundred and one years had gone to the County Industrial Home, there to end his days, and he is said to have gone at his own request. But how the report startles us, that a man after fighting the battle of life for over one hundred years has to end his days in a poorhouse! The despatch further stated that the old gentleman had a son of seventy-five and two grandsons of over fifty living in the same County. Naturally, the reader would think it strange that so sad a course could have been necessary. But if the inner history were known, it would probably be revealed that the son and grandsons are in almost as bad a plight as the old man, and that he preferred to go to the poorhouse rather than add to their burdens. The case is a pathetic one, but it is not unique—you hear of such every day and the whole story emphasizes how terrible is an old age of penury, and how important it is that we should regard youth "as the springtime which soon departeth, and wherein we ought to plant and sow all provision for a long and happy life."

Tariff relief is still discussed as if it were an act to compel Canadians to buy from and sell to the United States. Canada will be as free to buy and sell as to legislate after the change.

Because broken signal lamps may show white lights several railroads have abandoned that color for signalling, using green for safety, or orange for caution and red for danger.

An expedition of French naturalists have discovered a new species of elephant in Africa, smaller than the known types and with shorter trunks longer necks and no tuis.

The Best Butter

Practical Pointers for Maintaining Quality. The Temperature Employed During the Whole Process Must be Thoroughly Understood by Everyone Who Handles a Churn.

Two main factors must be considered in churning, temperatures and granules. You may ask why the size of the granules is of much importance. Butter granules of the proper size will allow the drainage of buttermilk with the least difficulty. Overchurning, either in the buttermilk or wash-water, should never be permitted. It is practised by a few who claim that it is one of the methods for controlling the water content of the butter. If it will control the water content, where is the proof that it accomplishes the desired effect, or produces anything that cannot be accomplished by other methods less dangerous to the body of the butter?

The temperature employed during the whole process, from churning until the finished product is in its marketable package, must be thoroughly understood by everybody who handles a churn. Temperature is the one factor that counts in the workmanship of butter. Temperature bears a direct relationship to body or texture, uniformity of color and salt, and the amount of visible and water content. Butter containing from eighty to eighty-two per cent. of fat, or any desired percentage of fat within reasonable limits, can be made by controlling the temperature conditions throughout. Degree of acidity, ripeness of the cream in the churn, etc., bear an insignificant relation. But it is absolutely necessary that the temperature of the cream, wash water and butter be correct.

In churning the cream it is not safe to say what temperature shall be employed. It varies with the season of the year and several other conditions. The one thing to be used as a guide is the granular butter. It should not be so soft that the granules cannot be kept in their natural form, nor so firm that they must be warmed up before the butter is worked. This does not mean that the temperature of the cream when it is churned must be fifty or fifty-two degrees. It would be better if it were uniform and fairly constant, with an extreme variation of from four to six degrees in churning temperature between summer and winter. There is no excuse for churning at fifty degrees one day and fifty-two the next.

The buttermilk must be allowed to drain off. Sprinkle a small amount of water as there was buttermilk, at nearly the same temperature, revivifying the churn, say, ten times or more on fast gear. While the last of the wash water is running off, sprinkle the salt on the butter, and then moisten the salt with a known quantity of water.

Mix a known quantity of salt and water in a can and then add it to the butter in the churn. The salt and water can be mixed a number of hours before it is used. In that case use hot water and cool it. A solution of from eight to ten pounds of salt and ten pounds of water per one hundred pounds of butter is safe for a trial churning, or twelve pounds of salt, and sixteen or eighteen pounds of water, etc. After the salt and water have been added to the churn, everything must be closed tight and left so until the butter has been worked. In starting the working of the butter, revolve the churn a few times on slow gear without working. When actual churning has commenced it must be continuous until the product is finished.

A duck which stuck faithfully to business during the summer months and laid several dozens of large fawn colored eggs complained that she wasn't appreciated. "See that hen over there," said the duck, "she hasn't laid as many eggs as I. I've laid as big, but she has hooks written about her and verses composed in her honor, while nobody is saying a word about me." "The trouble with you is," said the wise old rooster that was standing near, "that you don't tell the public what you have done. You lay an egg and waddle off without saying a word, but that sister of mine never lays one without letting everyone in the neighborhood know about it. If you want to cut any ice to this community, you must learn to advertise."

No, short story that Scribner's Magazine has published within a year has attracted such wide comment as "Vain Oblations," by Katharine Fullerton Gerould, in a recent number. In the July Scribner she will have another story, "The Wine of Violence," which will confirm the impression of the insight of this new writer. Mrs. Gerould is the wife of a preceptor in the English department at Princeton, who also is a writer of fiction.

Dairy Notes

No man can produce clean milk from cows that are permitted to live in their own filth.

Large mounds and wide bodies indicate good feeding qualities, and great digestive capacity.

A cow underfed is not doing her best work, and a cow overfed is losing something in her production.

A good feeder will soon learn the individuality of each cow, and feed her so that she will return a profit if she is capable of doing so.

A wise dairy farmer prepares for summer draughts by having some ensilage left over for summer feeding.

Give the cow all the cheap, bulky food she will eat, but feed the grain according to her milk flow. If she is in good condition.

"Do unto the cows as you would have the cows do unto you," is a motto which ought to be prominently displayed in every cow stable.

While it is doubtless true that a cow kept at perfect ease will, other things being equal, give the greatest quantity of milk yet consideration of health forbids forcing, and requires that the cow be given moderate exercise in the open air.

Many a dairy farmer hangs on to a poor bull because he is cheap and because he is not worth much to the butcher.

An up-to-date dairy cow must be handled with understanding. Her needs must be studied and met. This cannot be done by an unthinking man.

Most of the criticisms that come from feeding ensilage, come from ignorance in handling it from the time it is planted until it is fed out.

A thin skin shows a weak, nervous system, and a dry skin indicates poor digestive qualities.

The udder is a manufactory, and if symmetrical it cannot be too large.

The udder must be abundantly supplied with blood, and hence the so-called milk veins must be large, as well as the openings through which they enter the body.

Impure water is frequently a source of parasitic infection.

LAME BACK

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THE FINAL RESULT.

(Sackville Tribune.)

People buy from the mail order house because they think that by so doing they are saving money. Granted for the sake of argument that this is true. Is money the only thing to be thought of? Are there not many other things to be taken into consideration? Everyone will admit, we feel sure, that the local store is a great convenience. You may run out of necessities quite frequently and then you visit the local store. The general store in the country, at the cross roads, is certainly a valuable asset to the people of the community. No one wants to settle down in a place which is miles from a post office and store, and yet when people fail to trade at that country store, when they send their money to Unper Canada, they are hastening the day when the country store will be driven out of business. In many cases the country store of today is behind what it was twenty years ago. If the people keep sending their money to mail order houses the inevitable end will result will be that the country stores will be forced out of business and then the full realization of the matter will come home to everybody when it is too late.

Whether are we drifting?

Carr's A. Nation, the Kansas saloon smasher, who has made a world-wide reputation by her vigorous onslaughts on the liquor saloons with her hatchet, died at Leavenworth, Kansas, on Friday night.

In the Court of Probate, Province of Nova Scotia, County of Annapolis.

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