

# Outport Shopkeepers Read This!

Don't Buy Soap you cannot sell, stick to Sunlight and you won't be stuck.

Selling Sunlight Soap is the easiest thing any shopkeeper has to do.

Sunlight Soap is the best Soap for you to buy, because Sunlight Soap sells itself.

## SIDE TALKS.

By Ruth Cameron.

### THE COUNTRY DOCTOR.

I bring a tribute to-day to one of the most courageous, hard working, indispensable figures in all our family life, the worthy country doctor.

That swing things back into their normal aspect again.

He still charges his office patients only a dollar and his home visits a dollar or a dollar and a half.

**They Deserve a Monument.**

Doubtless there are some country doctors who could not measure up to this man, but I imagine there are many others of which he is a true type.

I'd like to see a monument erected to the memory of all the country doctors who have so finely served their fellow men by the quality of their daily service. Something a doctor must give to earn his own bread. But how many of them give far, far above and beyond that for love and duty's sake!

I would like to contribute to such a monument in the old sense of a granite shaft or a carved figure. That would not be fitting in such a case. I know the doctors themselves would rather see some kind of a hospital for incurables, some foundation for science, or perhaps some form of provision for doctors grown old in the service and not grown rich.

**A Book Worth Reading.**

I quoted above from the General Practitioner in the Bonnie Briar Bush. Strangely enough, I had never read that wonderful book, but when I spoke of my admiration of the country doctor and my wish to pay him a tribute, a dear old lady suggested that I read it.

And there I found the perfect tribute to the country doctor. If you have not read it, or if you have read and forgotten, go and get it. Perhaps you will find your eyes brimming over as mine did, but it will be a cleansing and beautiful and inspiring sadness.

**Kindness to Animals.**

When first I brought a cow she was as wild as a crow can be; a crown was ever on her brow, she seemed to have it in for me. And she would hook me with her horns, and crush me up against a post, and kick me as it hurt the most. "It's evident," I said, "her former master must have been a brute; he doubtless clubbed her head, and knocked her ribs apart. Consistent kindness, I believe, will make this cow as tame as a lamb. I'll see what kindness will achieve in softening the neck I'd put, and take a pump from my hat and let her eat it out of my hand. I used no language but kindness. I did not swat her with a rail, and soon old Bossie was as tame as a lamb. She follows me like a dog, where crowds abide, and where words are 'Ding!' when she blows in their street. Thus kindness makes dumb brutes our friends; every voter will be kind, he will have where'er he wanders, a loving, loving cow behind."

**Annual Indoor Sports.**

Annual Indoor Sports, May 17th, at the Armory, Harvey Road. Secure your tickets early, from members of the Brigade. Admission 10 and 15c. —may14.6

**Physicians' Liment.**

Physicians' Liment, used by physicians.

## The Lighter Side.

### VERSATILE BED LINEN.

A weary tourist reached an isolated wayside inn, and gratefully accepted the only remaining bed. Next morning he was called rather earlier than he wanted to be, and drowsily asked to be allowed to continue his sleep. Half an hour later the landlady came to his door again and said tremblingly: "Sir, do please get up."

"What's the matter now?"

"Oh, sir, I have two other gentlemen staying here, and they want their breakfast at 8 o'clock. I can't lay the table till I've got your top sheet."

**HIS NAME CLARENCE!**

"The mice would just go crazy over him."

"What 'ye mean?"

"He's such a big cheese."

**LISTEN IN.**

See Farmer Jones to his wife Mirandy:

"At listen! in you're a dandy! How I zittum are ya goin' to cook With that blame receiver off the hook? With your ears tight glued to that doggone wire?"

"What good does it do ye? What d'ye learn?"

"Gosh all fishhooks! Ding, Dang, Dern!"

But Mirandy stood with her hands on her hips.

See she: "What langwidge from your lips! I work all the better for the news I get!"

"I hear both gossip an' sermons, you bet!"

"I'll have you know it ain't no sin. An' there ain't no harm in listenin' in!"

**YOU MEAN GUY!**

See where a girl, wanted in a \$100,000,000 mail holdup, was arrested in Chicago. Holding up the males is one of the nearest little things the female of the species does.—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

If your job only requires one eye, it is better to keep the other on the job ahead than the clock.

The way to have others agree with you is to admit that you are wrong.

Sign in Shoemaker's shop:—  
"SHOES LEFT 30 DAYS WILL BE SOLD."

Why not leave 'em another month and have 'em healed.

## Silkworms Spin Colored Silk.

While the silkworm has no fancy for any particular color, preferring to weave its cocoon of a drab gray so that it will not show against gray tree trunk, one man has discovered, after patient experimentation, a method whereby he can make the little spinners produce, at his pleasure, any one of eighteen shades.

Dr. Vartan K. Osgian, one of a long line of silk manufacturers, has discovered that upon feeding the worms certain leaves they will respond by spinning certain colors. He has carried out his experiments until he has eighteen varieties of food to produce a like number of colors. The silk thus shaded will not fade in either water or sunlight.

Not only has he secured colored silk, but in addition he has increased the size of the cocoon by special feeding of the silk worm. A single cocoon on his farm will provide eighteen hundred yards of thread to a strand, and there are two strands to a cocoon.

**Japan Pressing Resumption Trade With Russia.**

TOKIO.—Japanese business interests are pressing harder than ever for resumption of trade relations with Russia. Commercial organizations are petitioning the Government for action in that direction, and it is said that they have obtained the support of at least ten members of the Diet. Formation of a \$50,000,000 corporation, representing a merger of

several important companies, is reported with a view to Japanese exploitation of Siberian mines and forests as soon as the necessary legislation is passed to authorize trade between the two countries. Government loans at a low price of interest to finance the corporation are anticipated, and it is said that the Minister of Finance is favorable to the scheme. Proposals to recognize the Soviet Government have been side-tracked for the time being, leading legislators believing that the time for such action has not arrived. It is believed that a Trade Treaty is likely to be the forerunner of diplomatic recognition.

**PET MILK.**

Seeds! Seeds!—New just received. Buy early to avoid disappointment. S. E. Garland, 177-9 Water St.—may12.31.eod

—By Bud Fisher

## Susu Resumes Fogo Service.

The Fogo mail service opens on Tuesday next when the Coastal steamer Susu takes up her regular summer service. During the winter the Susu has received a general overhauling, both to the hull and engines. A new saloon has been built and the waterooms thoroughly renovated, and the ship is now in excellent condition. Captain Roberts will again be in charge of the Susu and a regular weekly service as heretofore will be given.

**MUTT AND JEFF.**

MUTT, MY BROTHER PINKUS HAS A CAT WHOSE FUR IS THE COLOR OF A CHERRY, AND BEING BROKE HE WANTS TO SELL IT FOR ONE BUCK!

HERE! I FEEL SORRY FOR PINKUS! I'LL TAKE THE CAT OFF HIS HANDS! YOU BRING IT HERE!

RIGHTO!

A CAT WITH CHERRY COLORED FUR WILL NET ME A FORTUNE. AS A FREAK IN A SIDE-SHOW IT WILL PACK THEM IN!

THAT CAT'S FUR AIN'T CHERRY COLORED—IT'S BLACK!

QUITE SO—

BUT DIDN'T YOU EVER HEAR OF BLACK CHERRIES?

