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The grouse has a hundred tricks of defence. It will sometimes lie still until the hunter is within a yard of it, then soar straight upward in his front, towering like a woodcock. Again it will rise forty yards away, and the sound of its wings is his only notice of its presence. It will cover upon a branch under which he passes, and his cap will not be more than a foot below it as he goes, and, though it has seen him approaching, it will remain quiescent in frightful fear until his back is turned. It will flush then, and when he has slowed himself hurriedly around he will catch only a glimpse of a broad brown wing far away. Wounded and falling in the open, it will be found—if it is found at all—with the telltale speckles of its breast against the trunk of some brown tree, against which its feathers are indistinguishable, and the black ruff about the neck of the male will be laid against the darkest part of the bark. Often it will double like a fox. Often as man draws near it will spring noiselessly into some spruce and hide until he passes, dropping then to the ground and continuing its feeding. Often, too, it will decline to take wing, though unharmed, and will run fast for a half mile—so fast that the most expert woodsman will be unable to keep pace with it. This it will do only on level ground and nevertheless snow would betray its tracks. Outing.

A Former British Columbian.

Wherever things "are doing" there you find a man from British Columbia. A Tokyo correspondent of The Victoria Colonist points out that the man in charge of the repairs to Russia's "lame ducks" at Port Arthur is a former British Columbian. He is Mr. John Gilchrist, formerly engineer on one of the Empress liners running between Hong Kong and Vancouver and Victoria. Mr. Gilchrist left the service a few years ago and went to work for the Hong Kong & Whampoa Dock Company. Then he returned to Clydesdale, but he heard "the east calling" again and went out to work as engineer at the Whampoa docks. Thence he went to Dally, where he was when the war commenced. By orders of Vice-roy Alexieff he proceeded to the dock at Port Arthur, when the doings of the ships of Admiral Togo filled that port with vessels for the dock. He was given a large salary, and placed in charge of the repair work. He got together all the engineers he could find in the vicinity and with a large force of Chinese coolies has been working night and day.

When Building Was Cheap.

In the days when "The Grange" was built, houses were not dear in Toronto. That was in 1877. Anyone who has seen "The Grange" will have noted that this colonial facsimile of an English manorial establishment is not only large, but well and solidly built. A visit to the interior tells the same story, and reveals a sort of architecture which would have delighted the soul of an Anglo-Saxon king. In that rambling manor, with its pannelled walls and dark, lofty ceilings, and heavy carved balustrades, are carrels of walnut and oak; stately enough to hold for furniture, to build ten large, up-to-date houses in Toronto, even at the present extravagant cost of building. The walls are solid, and the masonry in good condition. The outside "pillars" are of stone. The building—now the oldest brick house in Toronto—looks as though it might easily stand another half century. Yet, according to Mr. Goldwin Smith, the present occupant of "The Grange," this remarkable building was put up for the fabulous sum of \$4,000!

Seventy-Eight Miles an Hour.

The Michigan Central Railway recently made a world's record for fast runs on steam railways, knocking out all previous records. President Ledyard, of the Michigan Central, and President Newman, of the New York Central, passed over the Michigan Central, en route from New York to Chicago, on a special train of one baggage and three private cars. From Niagara Falls to St. Thomas, 115 miles, the time was 97 minutes. On the west end it took twelve minutes and thirty seconds to reach Shedd, owing to slowing up through the city and for the bridge. Windsor, 111 miles, was made in 94 minutes, 30 seconds. From Shedd to Essex, 86.25 miles, the run was made in 68 minutes, or 78.50 miles an hour. On the east division, where from Perry it is uphill, 91.59 miles, was run in 73 minutes, at the rate of 75.48 miles an hour.

Women on the Farm.

A circular containing a series of questions regarding farm life was recently distributed throughout the province at the suggestion of the National Council of Women, and answers are now being received. In the majority of cases the question, "Is farm life a desirable one for women?" is answered in the affirmative, and from the replies it would seem as if very little milking was now done by women except at busy times. Teaching school and dress-making is the answer generally given to the question as to the occupation of farmers' daughters who have left home. The average acreage of the farm is given at from 100 to 150. The difficulty of securing help is marked, and catarrh and rheumatism are given as the chief complaints from which women suffer.

Clean Nests for Setters.

When setting one or more hens in the same nest, at different times, always clean the nest out thoroughly. Whitewash and place in some new chaff or hay and burn all the old litter, as there may be lice in it.

Wanted to be Heard From!

If there is an invalid woman, suffering from female weakness, prolapsus, or falling of womb, or from leucorrhoea who has used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription without complete success, the undersigned proprietors and makers of that world-famed medicine would like to hear from such person—and it will be to her advantage to write them as they offer, in perfect good faith, a reward of \$500 for any case of the above maladies which they can cure.

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A Massachusetts woman, Mrs. Carrie P. Harnard, of No. 65 Hale Street, Beverly, Mass., who is well known socially there, being Treasurer of the Order of the Eastern Star, writes her experience as follows: "Your 'Favorite Prescription' is without a peer in the market to-day, for female difficulties. I suffered for four years with pains every period, and I dreaded the approach of the time as I knew it meant two or three days' misery. Tried several different widely-advised remedies, and found that they did me no good whatever. One day a friend called, who had suffered as I was suffering, and who told me that she had been cured through the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I purchased a bottle, and found that the real value of your medicine was greater even than my expectations, and the next month I had hardly any pains. The following month had none at all, and found that my general health was much better and my blood strength had come to me."

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Fighting Garden Pests.

Dr. Fletcher, entomologist at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, lectured at the Normal School Mission recently on "Spring Work and How to go About It."

Dr. Fletcher explained the difference between the study of natural history and the appearance of pests that destroyed grains and fruit orchards, pointing out that everything had its use. It was folly to attempt to drive out every group of insects as they were usually followed by other pests that drove them out.

He dwelt on the necessity for close observation, enquiring the reasons why certain parasites appeared in some localities and then jumped to other places hundreds of miles away.

He also spoke of common weeds, and said some farmers vainly endeavored to exterminate every pest that came along when nature itself would supply the remedy.

Chinese Medicine a Bomb.

Prof. Shuttleworth was brought by the G.T.R. Detective Department recently a brass disk about 4 1/2 inches in diameter, with the request that he see what it contained. They feared it was a bomb. It was found on the track near Welland, and had been struck by a train and indented. By the smell and appearance Prof. Shuttleworth judged it was some Chinese medicine. However, he had it bored into. His diagnosis proved correct. The disk contained a solution of some resinous substances in Chinese alcohol or rice wine. The Grand Trunk officials stated that there had been labor disturbances in the district and they had feared an attempt to dynamite a train. It was found that an accident had occurred near where the disk was found, and a Chinese medicine case was found afterwards.

RAINY RIVER MAN HAD TROUBLES

Till Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured His Kidneys.

Then His Rheumatism and Other Pains Vanished Once and For All—His Case Only One of Many.

Barwick, Ont., June 13. (Special).—That Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure Rheumatism, or any other disease resulting from disordered kidneys is the experience of many of the settlers in this Rainy River country. The case of William John Dixon of this place is a fair sample of the work the great Canadian Kidney Remedy is doing.

"I had Rheumatism so bad I had to use a stick to walk, I had pains in my back and right hip and I had no comfort in sleeping."

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SELECTIONS

GOOSE STUFFING.

A Town Whose Industry Is the Development of Goose Liver.

The raising, stuffing and shipping of geese have become quite a large industry in the vicinity of Watertown, Wis., and about 90,000 pounds of stuffed geese and about 325,000 pounds of snail fed geese are shipped annually from there to all parts of this country. The demand for stuffed geese is increasing all the time, and the shippers of this class of poultry claim it is not possible to fill all their orders unless these are placed early in the fall. The geese have to undergo the stuffing process to produce abnormally large livers.

In stuffing the goose the feeder holds it between his knees and forces the noodles down into its throat, but each noodle must first be dipped into warm water to make it more slippery. During the first week eight noodles are thus given three times a day, and during the second week the number is given four times every day. From then on the stuffing has to be done every three or four hours, night and day, and each time six or seven noodles are forced down. The geese have by this time accumulated so much fat and the liver has expanded to even proportions that they have to be watched continuously, as some are liable to choke and thus prove a total loss. The entire household is called upon, and every man, woman and child has to take turns and sit up and attend to the geese.

At last, when ready for market, the geese are killed, and the feathers on the breast and belly must be picked immediately, while the bodies are warm; otherwise the very tender skin would be torn or damaged, and this would allow the thick layer of the precious goose fat to ooze out. The wings are also picked and thus prove a total loss. The entire household is called upon, and every man, woman and child has to take turns and sit up and attend to the geese.

Prepared in this way they are very appetizing looking. Their size is enormous. In weight they range from twenty to twenty-eight pounds each, some extra large ones weighing from thirty-four to thirty-six pounds. The livers are generally very large, averaging an ordinary soup plate, and some weigh over three and one-half pounds. —Leslie's Weekly.

The Fire Curtain Stuck.

Since the Chicago theater fire the life of the theater manager in Berlin has not been a happy one. The police decree was promptly issued, under which ever since at every theater in the city the fire curtain has had to be lowered after every act, and, as this curtain weighs about five tons, the constant repetition of the operation is not without its inconveniences. The other night it brought about a queer deadlock at the Metropol theater, where, as the fire curtain stuck at the end of the last act but one, the performance was stopped for the night despite the protests of the public, who did not even get their money back. The only solace offered by the management was to fix the lapsed act for the afternoon next, but one, for which tickets were issued free as the audience left the theater.

Relative Danger of Machinery.

Statistics collected in Germany have shown that 25 per cent of the accidents caused by machinery used for industrial purposes, such as manufacturing, were due to defects in the machines and to lack of proper safeguards. On the other hand, over 40 per cent of the accidents occurring with agricultural machinery were traceable to those causes. Accordingly there is a call for the use of improved safety devices upon all machines used on the farm. Feed cutting machinery is found to be particularly liable to cause accidents. A considerable majority of those injured by agricultural machines are children and youths.

Danger Signals.

Red skirts and red neckerchiefs worn by women picking up coal on railroad tracks have caused so many nervous thrills to engineers on locomotives rushing at high speed around curves that one of the principal transportation companies in the country is doing everything in its power to check the wearing of this danger signal color wherever its trains run, a proper precaution against the premature breaking down of men of long experience at the throttle.

When the Tree Falls.

Close to the old palace of the emperor of Korea, now deserted, is the hill of Ponk Han, about which there is a curious superstition. It is believed that when the last tree is gone from Ponk Han the end of Korea is at hand, and it is death for any one to cut wood on the mountain. At present there is but one tree on the summit, whose solitary and rugged appearance gives the impression that the prophecy is not far from fulfillment.

Public Lands.

More than 22,824,299 acres of the public lands were turned over to private individuals last year. This means that an area almost equal to that of the state of Indiana has within that time been added to the productive regions of the United States. Most of these newly opened lands were homesteaded by farmers.

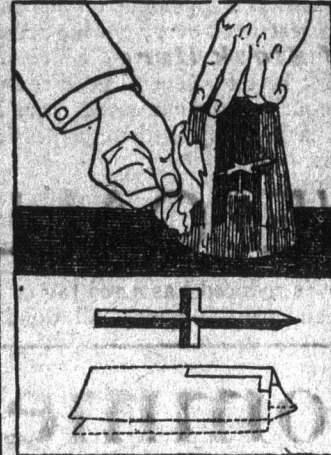
FOR YOUNG FOLKS

THE OBEDIENT ARROW.

Without Touching It You May Make It Point Where You Please.

Drive a large needle entirely through a large cork until the head is buried. Set the cork on the table, with the point of the needle up, and balance on the point a little arrow or pointer made of rather stiff but not heavy paper. Cover the whole thing with a tumbler which has stood near the fire or on a hot air register until it is warm and thoroughly dry.

Now, as your friends gather around the table, you may promise to make



MAKING THE ARROW OBEY.

the arrow turn toward any one of them and then remain motionless, pointing at him. You promise to do this without touching the arrow or even removing the tumbler.

To do it you must have a silk handkerchief or some other piece of silk. Hold the tumbler in place with your left hand and with your right rub the glass up and down with the silk at the point nearest the person selected.

If the arrow is already pointing anywhere near that direction it will turn until it points to the rubbed place and then stop. If, however, it happens to be pointing in nearly the opposite direction you will have to first rub near the point of the arrow. As it turns toward the rubbed spot move your hand a little distance and rub again. In this way you may coax the arrow around until you get it where you want it.

Indeed, you can make it rotate all the way round in either direction as long as you please by continuing to rub and keeping your hand always just ahead of the point of the arrow. It is not necessary to rub very hard or all the time. The difficult part of this trick is balancing the arrow on the needle. The sort of arrow shown in the picture is the easiest to balance.

A SPELLING LESSON.

See if You Can Get All These Words as They Should Be.

Are you a good speller? You may easily find out by glancing over this. The spelling of every word is correct, but it does not correspond to meaning, only to sound.

Know now kneed weight two bees tolled there weigh two dew sew.

A suite little buoy, the sun of a grate kernel, with a rough around his neck, flue up the rode as quick as a dear.

After a thyme he stopped at a blew house and wring the belle. His tow hurt hymn, and he kneaded wrest. He was two fired to raze his fare, pall face. A feint morn rows from his lips.

The made who herd the belle was about to pare a pair, butt she through it down and ran with awl her mite, for fear he guessed word knot weight. Butt when she saw the little won tiers stood in her eyes at the site.

"Ere poor deer? Why dew yew lye hear? Are you dewing?"

"Know," he said, "I am feint."

She boar hymn in her arms and hurried two a rheum, where he mite bee quiet, gave hymn bred and meet, untied his neck scarf, rapped hymn up warm and gave hymn a suite drachm.

See if you can rewrite this, spelling each word correctly, according to its meaning.

A Gravedigging Beetle.

There are beetles which follow the trade of gravediggers. Burying beetles is the common name they go by. They are surprisingly industrious, a single one of them having been known to bury a mole forty times as large as itself in two days' time. Just think what a task it would be for a man to dig a grave for some creature forty times as big as himself!

They have very powerful jaws, these little creatures, and with these they scoop around the body of anything they want to bury until gradually it sinks down, when they cover it with earth. They are very useful, these burying beetles, doing the work of scavengers.

No "Swear Words."

It is said that not a single "swear word" is to be found in the Japanese language. That means that the Japs have no need for such words. And no wonder! For they think it is very silly for any one to get angry. "What's the use?" they say. "There's no use kicking about things we cannot help."

A Fuzler.

A drummer may beat with a drum, And a gummer works with gum, "But Ya like to know," Said Freddie to Joe, "What a plumber has to do with a plum." —Kansas (My Journal).

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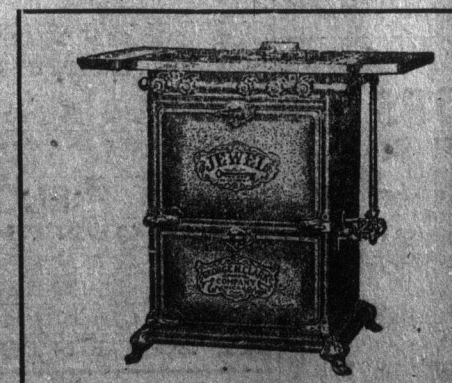
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