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Warren, Ind.—"I was bothered terribly with female weakness. I had pains and was not regular, my head ached all the time, I had bearing down pains and my back hurt me the biggest part of the time. I was dizzy and had weak feelings when I would stoop over, it hurt me to walk any distance and I felt blue and discouraged.

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Another Case. Esmont, R. I.—"I write to tell you how much good your medicine has done me and to let other women know that there is help for them. I suffered with bearing down pains, headache, was irregular and felt blue and depressed all the time. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and commenced to gain in a short time and I am a well woman today. I am on my feet from early morning until late at night running a boarding house and do all my own work. I hope that many suffering women will try your medicine. It makes happier wives and mothers."—Mrs. ANNA HANSEN, Esmont, Rhode Island.

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Guide-Advocate HARRIS & CO. PROPRIETORS. WATFORD, FEBRUARY 20, 1914. CHERFULNESS We wonder if we all have an idea of what the definition of cheerfulness is: the dictionary says, good spirit or mirth. But no matter what the definition is, if we do not apply it or put it into practical use. How often we see a dear girl who is homely but has hosts of friends, and we see another girl who is indeed beautiful but no persons seem to love her, nor even care to associate with her.

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### PETS

The Duke of Connaught is reported as saying that every household should have a pet. For my part I have yet to see the household that does not contain a pet of some kind. Gran'ma is the pet in this house; further on they have a pet rat-mouse, is it? Well, what's the difference?—in other houses it's a kitten or a dog, or an ear-splitting canary, and in infrequent homes a parrot—a cynical mountebank in whose body the soul of some grotesque acrobat who died of acute indigestion is reincarnated.

There be pets and pets—and long ago I learned to dread pets. The pet in our house just now is a geranium. Aunt Lucy has got it in a cracked tea-pot in the window of the winter kitchen, with the result that that window is of no use to anybody. If you go near that window, some one is sure to holler—"Look out for the geranium! Don't touch the geranium!"

Fain would I stand at that window and view a glorious sunset—a canvas painted by the greatest Artist of them all; but that upstart of a geranium stands between me and it. It is in delicate health, and has to be bundled up and placed behind the cooking stove every night. Woe betide you if you go near the stove while that measly old geranium is there! Like most pets, it is biologically useless as far as I can see.

It long gave evidence of going to have a bud. The mountain was in labor and brought forth a mouse. That geranium brought forth a flower about the size of a collar-button, and it has been an interesting invalid ever since.

Some people have a pet grievance. That's a pet that gets more petting than any other on the list. You don't need to have a grievance to start with in order to have a pet grievance to end with. Your pet kitten or canary or parrot or pup might die, but the loss of your pet grievance would be more than you could bear.

The very word pet is a danger signal and a warning. It used to be a synonym of "sulk" and "grouch." "She is in a pet" means that the lady is sulking.

Pets and silks go arm-in-arm through life, and they are both nuisances. Men and measures, horses, plants, principles, babies, and all manner of things have been petted to death.

Still, it wouldn't hurt to have a pet in every house.

THE KHAN. Faithfulness Whatever happens, never forsake a friend. When enemies gather, when the world is dark and cheerless is the time to try true friendship. They who turn from the scenes of distress betray their hypocrisy, and prove that interest only moves them. If you have a friend who loves you, who has studied your interest and happiness, be sure to sustain him in adversity. Let him feel that his love was not thrown away. Real fidelity may be rare but it exists—in the heart. They only know its worth and power who never loved a friend or labored to make a friend happy.

FISHING The winter wanes and soon the rains of Spring will start the grasses, and trees will bud and streams in flood will thunder down the passes. Oh, Spring, sweet Spring, you dear old thing, for which all men are wishing, when we can drill o'er vale and hill, to spend the long day fishing! Spring comes apace and soon the face of earth will smile and chuckle, and dames will say to husbands gay, "To work get down and buckle!" We greet with roars the grist of chores, with pshawing and pishing! We take a pole to some deep hole and spend the long day fishing! Spring is the time when people climb from age clear back to childhood, when each heart burns and throbs and yearns for open air and wildwood. Spring is the joy without alloy, the best the gods are dishing, when we can sneak down to the creek and spend the long day fishing! WALT MASON.

A Texas stockman has poisoned nearly three fourths of a million prairie dogs since January last. He received 1 1/2 cents from the government for every dog killed.

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It Would Generate Heat Enough to Turn Our Globe to Vapor. The stopping of a projectile always results in the generation of heat. The velocity and weight of a projectile being known, the amount of heat developed by its stoppage can be calculated.

In the case of large bodies moving rapidly the result of the calculation is something astounding. For example, the earth weighs 6,000,000,000,000 tons and travels in its orbit at the rate of over eighteen miles a second. Should it strike a target strong enough to stop its motion the heat developed by the stoppage would be sufficient not merely to fuse the earth, but also to reduce a large portion of it to vapor. It has been calculated that the amount of heat generated by a collision so colossal would equal that obtained from the burning of fourteen globes of coal each equal to the earth in size.

And should the earth after its stoppage fall into the sun, as it certainly would do, the amount of heat that would be developed by its impact on the sun would be equal to that generated by the combustion of 5,000 earths of solid carbon.

Two Waterloos. It is a very curious fact that a good many people do not know that two battles were fought at Waterloo. Both of these were fought against the French, the first under the command of the Duke of Marlborough on Aug. 17, 1705, who on this date actually occupied the same ground as the Duke of Wellington did a little more than a century later, June 17, 1815, the only difference being that the former was marching on Brussels and the latter was marching from Brussels. In the first battle the French were defending Brussels. They marched out to meet Marlborough, but owing to the slackness on the part of Schlaberg, the Dutch general, who was fighting with him, it was not a success, Marlborough only taking a few of the French troops as prisoners. The following one, fought against Napoleon by Wellington, proved to be one of the greatest victories ever recorded in the annals of England.

No matter how deep-rooted the corn or wart may be, it must yield to Hollo-way's Corn Cure if used as directed.

It is not such an easy matter to find a real estate agent in the West these dull days. A number of them have blossomed out as "investment brokers," and some have even had to go to work.

Wireless Phones Not Yet An official of the Marconi Company, interviewed with reference to the London Times' statement re installation of wireless telephony on the Aquatania and other matters, said the "report that wireless telephones will be installed on the Aquatania is untrue. The Aquatania will boast a new submarine wireless apparatus and specially designed apparatus for all lifeboats, but she will not possess wireless telephones. Neither is there any immediate probability of the wireless telephone being installed in business houses. There was, moreover, no truth in the story that Marconi had succeeded in lighting a lamp five miles away by means of a current generated by wireless apparatus."

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### Hints For Housewives

From the Boston Globe. Short weights and short measures, which are expensive to consumers, will rapidly disappear if the suggestions to housekeepers, sent out in card pamphlet form by State Commissioner Hanson, are properly taken to heart.

Every woman who manages a home is advised to provide herself with a good scale of about 10 pounds capacity, which will weigh in ounces; a peck measure, a dry quart, a liquid quart, a 60 inch steel tape, and an eight-ounce graduate.

These weapons for justice should be submitted to the local sealer of weights and measures for a test of their accuracy. Then insist on quantity as well as quality when making purchases. In buying meat, says the pamphlet request that all "trimmings" be sent to the house; otherwise a correct check of goods cannot be made. Have all bills itemized.

The cost of living will be reduced considerably when the State Commissioner of Weights and Measures has educated all the housekeepers of the commonwealth up to getting their money's worth at all times and in all places.

### Be A Man

Foolish spending is the father of poverty. Do not be ashamed of hard work. Work for the best salaries or wages you can get, but work for half price rather than be idle. Be your own master, and do not let society or fashion swallow up your individuality—hat, coat and boots. Do not eat up or wear out all you earn. Compel your selfish body to spare something for profits saved. Be stingy to your own appetite, but merciful to others' necessities. Help others and ask no help for yourself. See that you are proud. Let your pride be of the right kind. Be too proud to be lazy; too proud to wear a coat you cannot afford to buy; too proud to be in company that you cannot keep up with expenses, too proud to lie, or steal, or cheat; too proud to be stingy.

### TWO HOME WOMEN TALKED ABOUT HAIR

Two women met in our store the other day, when one of them said: "My, how pretty your hair looks! What have you been doing to it?" "Why, I have been using Harmony Hair Beautifier for the past two weeks," was the reply.

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### "Feed and Profit"

Dominion Department of Agriculture, Dairy Branch.

We came across two records recently that set us thinking. A Jersey cow that gave a yield of 14,450 pounds of milk and 727 pounds of fat, consumed an average of 12.4 pounds of meal per day all year. An Ayrshire's record was almost identical, 12.8 pounds of meal per day. Just what the average cow in Canada receives as meal is uncertain, but this is certain, that vast numbers of them would do infinitely better if they got the opportunity and were fed on the basis of one pound of grain for every three or four pounds of milk per day that they yield.

As the average cow in Canada gives probably only about one hundred and forty pounds of fat per year, it is a question if she gets an average of three pounds of meal per day. The two cows noted above received four times this amount, and paid for it. More of our cows would pay, that is pay a good profit above the cost of feed, if they got the right feed. When we find good dairymen willing to give seventy and eighty dollars worth of feed to a cow per year, it means they not only have faith in their own judgment, and in the cow's productive ability, but beyond this, they keep records both of milk and fat produced, and feed consumed, so as to be perfectly certain they don't waste good feed on cows that don't produce.

Feed record forms and a herd record book will be supplied free on application to the dairy division, Ottawa. Make sure each cow pays a good profit this year.

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Those living at a distance from a physician, will find this book invaluable in treating the ordinary ailments that come to every family. It will repay a careful reading and frequent consultation.

The mother voice in politics has reduced the active working day of the child 54 minutes.

Persimmon trees grow in southern Missouri and Arkansas to great size, many of them being three feet in circumference. It is worth \$30 a cord and as it resembles ebony in many particulars it is used by furniture dealers for veneering.

Carl Weislar, of Missouri, exhibited at a recent fair 47 varieties of vegetables and farm products which he raised on 47 acres. There are no vacant fence corners or, in fact, a foot of vacant land on his little farm.

The Oil for the Farmer.—A bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the farm house will save many a journey for the doctor. It is not only good for the children when taken with colds or cramps, and for the mature who suffer from pains and aches, but there are directions for its use on sick cattle. There should always be a bottle of it in the house.

Camel's hair, for fine brushes, having become scarce, enterprising manufacturers now substitute the fine hairs from the ears of steers, and it is sold as the genuine article all over the country.

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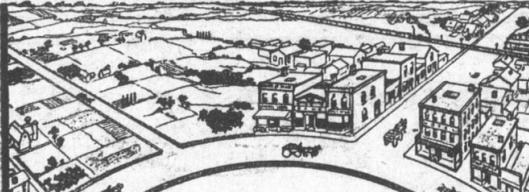
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Dear Elsie—The other evening Dora and your humble servant were guests at a very highbrow dinner and, between you and me, we were used to the last gasp of extinction and some other frivolous creature broke up the conversational solidity by asking the table at large, "Have you ever seen a beautiful woman?"

"Why, women are the living embodiment of all the best in art!" Dick sneered audibly at this, thinking the wretch, of the feminine art one sees with painted and plastered faces on Broadway here in New York.

"There's no such thing as beauty," flashed the cynic, with the unlovely sneer with which he cloaks the kindest heart, in reply to the above sentimental definition.

A perfect battle of protest stopped the cynic, every one of us speaking at once except the highest browed lady, who smiled a decorous smile as though to disarm any male creature of the absurd impression that he might take a particle of the word "beauty" to himself.

"Beauty is comparative," continued the cynic, undaunted, "which proves that it is nonexistent. You see, if there were only one woman on earth she might either be exquisitely lovely or a perfect fright. It would be all the same. You couldn't label her because the standard isn't fixed. What you call beauty is a matter of personal taste and—well, and climate. In Egypt, for instance, the Arabs hail a fat woman as rapturously lovely. In Europe she is considered a freak. If she is fat enough she can earn her living in a sideshow, whereas in some countries it would enable her to qualify for queenly state."

"A woman's beauty is not an affair of color or line," indignantly interrupted the philosopher, while we gaspingly absorbed the cynic's speech. "When I am asked about a woman's beauty I feel inclined to quote the famous dictum, 'Wait and see!' The beauty's hair may be red or black, her eyes blue or gray—it's all the same. But if you should be privileged to be near her day after day and feel something spiritual in her smile, something restful and vivid in her presence; if your vitality is renewed by talking to her and a fine, strong courage to meet life comes to you through her influence, you may know that that woman is very, very lovely." So said we all.

Talking of dinner reminds me of tea, or, rather, teapots. Irish and still more Irish, isn't it? Well, the impression I am trying to convey is that in telling you about the dinner conversation reminded me of a teapot—a novel sleeping teapot—I saw at a friend's house while partaking with her of the cheering cup. This pot, which is made of artistic earthenware, has an earthenware sieve across half of the neck of the pot. Tea leaves are placed on the sieve and boiling water poured in the lower part. Then the teapot is turned on its side, which allows the boiling water to reach the leaves, but does not admit of the leaves straying into the teapot. When sufficiently drawn the teapot is "waked up" to an upright position and the tea poured.

You see, dear, making tea in this way one does not have to bother with any mussy "ball" or strainer. The teapot is quite inexpensive and deserves to be better known to the housewife.

You scorned the idea of rainbow hued furs when I wrote you about them not long ago, but if you could see a perfectly darling "eggplant" broadcloth frock of mine trimmed with moleskin dyed a beautiful harmonizing shade of mauve, with some ecru lace as a relieving tint, you would fall a victim to this absurd craze.

Paul Point, who started the pelt innovation, must have done it to have his little joke. Yet all the fashionable dressmakers have taken it up seriously. Point went pretty "fur," but they are going "further" as twere. The most violent of the dyed skins are in canary toned collar and cuff sets of white (?) fox on white evening wraps and the new long coats of emerald green moleskin. A purchase of the latter would simply mean the exchange of long green for long green. Forgive me this, dear; it IS awful.

One really must have a touch of fur on everything this winter to be smart. Even high shoes and the new Russian boots to wear with slit skirts have bands of fur at the top. One, too, must have among her millinery at least one fur trimmed or all fur hat, while one's negligees and evening

frocks have a peltry trimming, and I presume in a few weeks we'll have our nighties adorned with fur.

Tell me in your next letter what you'll select for the trimming of your robe de nuit if worse comes to the worst. Devotedly,  
MABEL,  
New York.

To Whiten Ivory.  
To whiten ivory rub it well with unsalted butter and place it in the sunshine. If it is discolored it may be whitened by rubbing it with a paste composed of burned pumice stone and water and putting it in the sun under glass.

**Science Accepts the Divining Rod.**  
The first congress for establishing the scientific value of the divining rod, which met in Berlin recently, closed by placing on record its opinion that it was a scientific fact that a forked willow or hazel stick, or even an iron or steel rod, in the hands of certain persons, would indicate subterranean water sources and coal, potash and other mineral beds.

The congress decided that, in view of the mass of evidence secured during two days of successful practical experiments in the vicinity of the place where the meeting was held and elsewhere, under conditions which precluded any fraud, science could no longer deny the results that have been achieved.

Steps were taken at the closing session to organize an international society of men in all countries for the scientific study of the divining rod.

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In most European countries people's theatres are few. Yet barbarous Russia has 407 theatres existing wholly and entirely for the working classes.

They range from splendid stone playhouses and opera houses, one of which is the second biggest theatre in the world, down to modest frame buildings in remote towns; and even Siberia boasts about 30.

People's theatres existed in Russia at times when there were none at all elsewhere. They existed under serfdom, and, in fact, originated with serfdom. Wealthy owners of thousands of "souls" used to send the most promising "souls" to Moscow and Petersburg that they might learn to dance, play and sing, and these histrionic monkies, though remaining slaves, were kept for my lord's entertainment, just as the medieval barons kept jesters and buffoons.

Soon after emancipation the need for doing something to entertain the now free monkies led to small theatres being started by kind-hearted people in towns and even in villages, chiefly in Tambov and Kursk governments. Several towns later started municipal people's theatres with popular prices, or allotted the use of the ordinary theatres for several days in the week to audiences of workingmen.

The foundation and management of the people's theatres are carried out either by the local state temperance association, by the municipality or by private associations and philanthropists. Sometimes the three collaborate. In one case the association subsidizes a municipal people's theatre or agrees to make up its deficit; sometimes it finds the money for construction, while the municipality contracts to bear the deficit; sometimes it makes a contract for sharing the cost with local rich men or associations.

"The People's House of Nicholas II," in St. Petersburg, consists of theatre, library and restaurants, and last year it had a triumph in the addition on its left wing of a vast People's Opera House, which holds 3,500 spectators. The opera house has thus no rival in the world. Since its addition, the people's house as a whole, counting the two theatres, restaurants, libraries and grounds, can hold 30,000 persons, and every Sunday and holiday it is filled.

It has staged all the best Russian, Italian, French and German composers, and can claim with the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, to have been the only theatre other than Bayreuth, to play Wagner's Parsifal. So well was Wagner done that one of the Bayreuth managers went to St. Petersburg to see if he could pick up notions. In this way, at prices as low as six cents, a musical feast is given to the St. Petersburg workmen which is not enjoyed by the richest citizens anywhere else.

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WATFORD, FEBRUARY 20, 1914.

**THE LENTEN SEASON**

It is well at times, to stop the whirl of every day life and take stock of ourselves. It is well to drop our common habits of thought and pay some heed to that inner life without which no man's development can be called complete.

It is for this purpose that the Lenten season is observed in all Christian countries, and though the observance may be varied according to the accepted religious creed of the individual, some sort of recognition is due from every man and woman who recognizes the teachings of the Christian church.

Ash Wednesday, February 25th, will begin the brief period when we are expected to turn more than is our custom from business and our daily tasks to consider that inner life and our relation to the powers that govern the universe. But it is not enough to consider abstractly the relations of man to his God. If we are to make the season fruitful for good we must also consider each his own personal relation to his fellow men.

The Lenten season was established in recognition of one whose life was spent in doing for others, whose life is a model towards which all of us may strive. What better recognition of the time can be found than to take stock of our own relations to those about us? Such an observance cannot fail to make the time of the greatest value to the world and to humanity at large.

**NOTE AND COMMENT**

A justification for the 20-mile local zone, instead of a 150-mile one, is found in the fact that most of the parcel post business at present is by the mail order houses. The 20-mile limit was to give some protection to country retailers, who were afraid of the parcel post, because it seemed to threaten them with city competition. Experience is likely to show that the rural merchants are not injured, and the chief obstacle to the enlargement of the 20-mile zone will therefore disappear.—Mail.

An English poultryman has discovered that an occasional shock is a capital thing for chickens. For ten minutes in every hour of the day he has been sending an electric current through his poultry-house, with the result that the chickens have grown twice as fast as other chickens and have eaten only half as much. Also, only six out of 400 died, and the whole brood was ready for market in five weeks instead of nearly three months.

There is always hope for the ignorant man and for the man who doesn't know, for he has the open mind and might be willing to learn. For the man, however, who knows it all and is cocksure of himself and of everybody else, but who nevertheless is often wrong, there is positively no hope, and if he happens to occupy a position of importance, he becomes a menace to the commonwealth.

In a certain city an important Presbyterian church was voting on a call to a new pastor. There was only a few negative votes cast, and one of the minority arose and graciously proposed that the vote be made unanimous. But in an instant a stern old Scotchman jumped to his feet and delivered his ultimatum: "There's one thing ye might as well understand right here and now. I'll let ye know that there'll never be anything unanimous in this church as long as I am in it." And the meeting believed him. And we have a feeling that we have met that man's relations somewhere, and yet they were neither Scotch nor Presbyterian.

The ratepayers of every municipality are entitled to know the assessment of each property in the municipality, and to have this information available in such form that they may compare their own assessment with those of others owning similar property. Frequently one hears talk about the inequality of the assessment of his town. A lot of this talk is not based on fact, but the publication of the figures would place the property owners in the possession of the accurate informa-

tion; at least they would feel more satisfied with their own assessment or be in a better position to appeal their case. As it is they cannot secure the necessary information without a visit to the clerk's office and a long search through the assessment roll. The publication of the assessment roll is advised.—Glencoe Transcript.

**ARKONA**

We are very pleased to hear that Mrs. (Dr.) Huffman is recovering after a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mr. Robt. Riggs called on friends in Sarnia on Monday.

Rev. Mr. Ansley occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian Church last Sunday. See the new designs in the new spring lineoleums at Fuller Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilson, of London who have been conducting services in the Baptist Church, returned to their home on Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Abell, of Toronto, is the guest on her brother, Mr. James Jackson.

See Fuller Bros. new 15c prints, for shirts, waists etc.

Mr. Geo. Bedford, Mrs. Eastman and Miss Eva MacAdam, of Sarnia, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Thos. Wilson last week.

Miss Elva Fuller left on Wednesday for Toronto where she will attend the spring millinery openings.

Rev. Mr. Connelly occupied the pulpit in the Methodist Church last Sunday morning and evening and Monday evening gave an illustrated lecture on Japan from which place he has returned after spending seven years as a missionary.

The Misses Alta and Stella Rooks are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. E. Humphord, of Clinton.

Rev. Hare preached anniversary sermons at his former appointment near Thamesville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Holmes, of Strathroy, are visiting at Mr. And. Meadows'.

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Mrs. Rev. Fair, spent a few days last week with friends in London.

Miss Augustine, entertained her High School Class to a Valentine party, last Friday evening.

Mr. Thos. Wilson, of London, is renewing old acquaintances in and around the Ark.

Dr. Huffman, was in Aylmer last week, attending the funeral of his father, who was buried there, last Friday.

We are opening up New Wall Papers this week.—Brown Bros.

**Death of Mrs. Thos. Chambers**

In Delaware Village, on Friday morning, Jan. 30th, 1914, there passed to her reward in the mansion above, Margaret, dearly beloved wife of Thos. Chambers, lot 1, con. 3, Adelaide, aged 63 years, 9 months and 12 days. Having gone there to attend the funeral of her eldest sister, the late Mrs. Jas. Chambers, she contracted pneumonia, at the home of her youngest sister, Mrs. Wm. McDonald. After an illness of ten short days she passed peacefully away, to join her loved ones gone before, and her Saviour, in whom she trusted. She will be missed by a large circle of friends, also in the English church, of which she was a life long consistent member and earnest worker. She was a loving mother, a faithful wife, a true friend and kind neighbor. She was born April 18th, 1850, at Burwell Road, Caradoc, her maiden name being Margaret Bateman, daughter of the late John and Mary Bateman, where she resided until her marriage.

On 12th March, 1873, she was joined in wedlock to Thos. Chambers, at Delaware, by Rev. E. E. Newman, rector. Since then she and her husband have resided at the family residence, 2nd line S. Adelaide.

Of this union were born seven children, five sons and two daughters. Three of them died in infancy. One son, John Hates, predeceased her only 13 months ago. Besides her sorrowing husband she leaves to mourn her loss, one son and two daughters, viz.: Swanton B. Chambers, Watford; Mrs. K. W. Swanton, Higgate, and Mrs. W. E. Kerton, at home.

There are also five granddaughters. Mrs. Chambers had seven sisters and four brothers, of which only one sister and brother survive, viz.: Mrs. McDonald, Delaware, and Charles Bateman, Oregon, U. S. A.

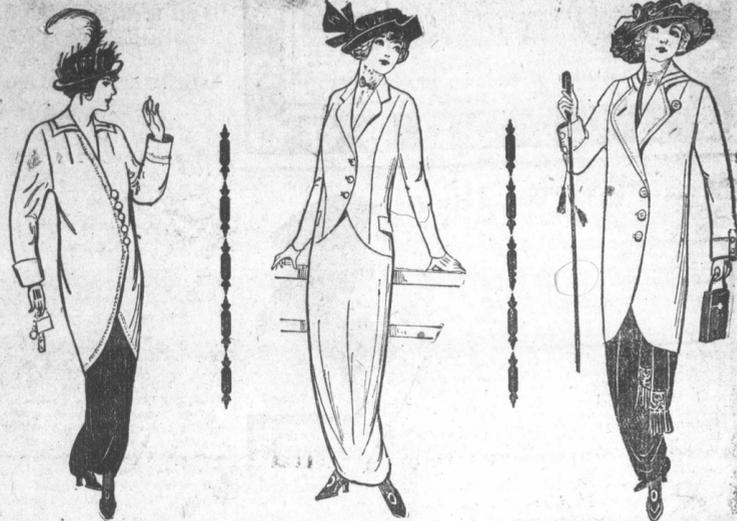
Her remains were brought home on Friday afternoon, the funeral being held on Monday, February 2nd, to Wisbech cemetery. Service in St. Paul's church at 2 o'clock, by the rector, Rev. W. Murton Shore. Over seventy-five rigs followed the remains to their last resting place.

The pallbearers were: Richard Swanton, Edgar Kerton, Wm. Kerr, Thomas Kerr, John T. Chambers and Charles Chambers Jr.

Among those from a distance who attended the funeral were Jas. Chambers, Delaware; John B. Chambers, Muncy; Will and Irene Kerr, and Miss Mary Chambers, London; and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Swanton, Higgate.

C. S. I. Wright, the well-known Petroleum drillers, finished a well recently for W. T. Hoekins on his farm, 2nd con., Plympton, three miles north of Kingscourt, to a depth of 375 feet. A small show of gas was found at 72 feet, bottom of shale, and at 425 feet a little oil came in. There was 15 feet of surface and 30 feet of shale with the lower 175 feet. In drilling at Watford this firm found 23 feet of shale, while a well between Watford and Kerwood on low land showed 97 feet of surface and no shale.

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NOTICE—The annual meeting of the Kerwood Creamery will be held in the Factory, Kerwood, on Friday, Feb. 27th, 1914, at 2.30 p.m. All patrons invited.—W. WADDELL.

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CARD OF THANKS—Mrs. E. Holbrook and family wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their numerous acts of kindness during the illness of Mr. Holbrook and for their many expressions of sympathy at the time of his death

**WARWICK COUNCIL**

Warwick, Feb. 16th, 1914. The council met today as per adjournment. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The following accounts were passed:—W. G. Hall, expense sending D. Ratigan to House of Refuge, \$2.00; Jno. Cowan, balance due on Brock arbitration, \$300.00; S. McColl, part salary as collector, \$25; Children's Aid Society, \$5.00; M. E. Barrett and E. O. Herbert, auditors \$20; Jos. Eastbrook, refund of dog tax \$1.00; F. W. Wordsworth, refund of dog tax, \$1.00; C. A. Jones, services re Brock arbitration, \$28.65; N. Herbert, election expense, \$65.00; W. S. Fuller rent of hall for Division Court purposes, \$12.00; W. Harris, gravel furnished from 1909 to 1913 including, \$14.60.

Cline—Laird, that we appoint the reeve as a delegate to attend the Hydro-Electric meeting to be held in Sarnia on the 17th inst.—Carried.

Laird—Daun, that we extend the time of the collector for returning the roll till Monday, March 16th, 1914.—Carried.

Robt. Leggate, Geo. Sitter, Geo. Holmes and Harry Cochran petitioned the council to have a drain put through lots 21 and 22, con. 3, N.E.R.

Hobbs—Laird, that petition be entertained and clerk instructed to notify the engineer to examine the locality and report to enable the council to proceed with the work.—Carried.

The Council then adjourned to meet on the 16th March at one p.m. for general business.

N. HERBERT, Clerk.

The widow of Alex. Martin, who was burned to death at Blenheim on Nov. 7, last when fire destroyed the Bere Marquette coal chutes at that place, has entered action against the company for \$10,000 damages for the death of her husband. The fire started when Martin attempted to pour gasoline from one can to another, the explosion being caused by a lantern. He was so badly burned that he died the following day. The case will be tried at Sandwich.



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**MARKETS**  
WATFORD

**GRAIN AND SEEDS—**  
Wheat, fall, per bush.....\$ 90  
Oats, per bush..... 80  
Barley, per bush..... 4  
Beans, per bush..... 2  
Timothy..... 20  
Clover Seed..... 70  
Alsike..... 80

**PROVISIONS—**  
Butter, per pound..... 2  
Lard..... 2  
Eggs, per doz..... 11  
Pork..... 11  
Flour, per cwt..... 22  
Bear, per ton..... 22  
Shorts, per ton..... 26

**MISCELLANEOUS—**  
Wood..... 25  
Tallow..... 1  
Hides..... 1  
Wool..... 1  
Hay, per ton..... 9

**VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—**  
Potatoes, per bag..... 7  
Fruit..... 7

**POULTRY—**  
Turkeys, per lb..... 1  
Chickens, per lb..... 1  
Fowl..... 1  
Ducks..... 1  
Geese..... 1

**London.**  
Wheat.....\$ 90  
Oats, cwt..... 1 05  
Butter..... 23  
Eggs..... 35  
Pork..... 12 00

**Toronto, Feb. 17.**—Receipts the Union stockyards were 43 c 559 cattle, 144 calves, 1,412 hog sheep and lambs.

Trade was not quite so active yesterday and a few cattle over. Prices, however, held steady. A feature of the hog market was a good demand for choice hogs and prices were firm. The class of butcher cattle were a prices barely holding steady.

A feature of the hog market is the large number coming West, chiefly from points in several thousand of a week arrived since last Friday and now en route.

**To-day's quotations.**  
Butcher cattle, choice..... 8 00  
do., medium..... 6 50  
do., common..... 6 50  
do., cows, choice..... 6 50  
do., medium..... 5 75  
do., common..... 4 50  
do., bulls, choice..... 6 50  
do., good bulls..... 5 50  
do., rough bulls..... 4 00  
Feeding steers..... 6 75  
Stockers, choice..... 6 25  
do., medium..... 5 00  
do., light..... 4 00  
Canners and cutters..... 3 50  
Milkers, choice, each..... 60 0  
do., com. and med..... 35 0  
do., springers each..... 9 50  
Spring lambs..... 9 50  
Sheep, ewes, light..... 6 25  
do., heavy..... 3 25  
do., bucks..... 3 00  
Hogs, fed and watered..... 9 1  
do., f. o. b..... 9 1  
do., off cars..... 9 1  
Calves, veal..... 5 00

**East Buffalo.**  
East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 17. Receipts, 150 head; active prices unchanged. Yearling head; active and steady; \$6.10. Hogs—Receipts, 3600 head; 10c to 20c higher; heavy; \$9 mixed \$9.25 to \$9.35; yorker \$9.25; roughs, \$8.40 to \$8.80 and lambs—Receipts, 1,600 h and steady; prices unchanged

**Stallion Inspection**

The annual report of the Stallion Board of Ontario, for the year ended last week. The sum of \$100,000 for the year was allocated for the inspection of stallions enrolled in the Ontario Stallion Book. The number of stallions enrolled of pure-breds 88, grades 25, approved 32, rejected 1, pure bred rejected none. Only four York 119, had a higher number than Lambton. The law is more strictly this year, and Inspectors recommends that the made compulsory.

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**From Old Subs**

Robt. Hillis, Holland, Feb. 11th.—"I enclose a prescription for your valuable I always look forward to weeks, just as though it were home. We are having very here just now. It is 38 years this morning and I have had that point for a week or two have very little snow, just good sleighing."

Benj. Pennington, a re- side since 1850, died of a day last.

### MARKETS

#### WATFORD

**GRAIN AND SEEDS—**

|                       |            |
|-----------------------|------------|
| Wheat, fall, per bush | 90 @ \$ 90 |
| Oats, per bush        | 32 32      |
| Barley, per bush      | 45 50      |
| Beans, per bush       | 1 25 2 00  |
| Timothy               | 2 00 3 00  |
| Clover Seed           | 7 00 12 00 |
| Alsike                | 8 00 13 00 |

**PROVISIONS—**

|                   |             |
|-------------------|-------------|
| Butter, per pound | 24 24       |
| Lard              | 18 18       |
| Eggs, per doz     | 28 28       |
| Pork              | 11 00 11 25 |
| Flour, per cwt    | 2 25 3 00   |
| Brar per ton      | 22 00 22 00 |
| Shots, per ton    | 26 00 26 00 |

**MISCELLANEOUS—**

|              |            |
|--------------|------------|
| Wood         | 2 50 3 00  |
| Tallow       | 6 6        |
| Hides        | 8 10       |
| Wool         | 13 20      |
| Hay, per ton | 9 00 10 00 |

**VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—**

|                   |       |
|-------------------|-------|
| Potatoes, per bag | 75 75 |
|-------------------|-------|

**POULTRY—**

|                  |       |
|------------------|-------|
| Turkeys, per lb  | 16 18 |
| Chickens, per lb | 9 11  |
| Fowl             | 8 10  |
| Ducks            | 14 14 |
| Geese            | 10 12 |

**London.**

|           |                |
|-----------|----------------|
| Wheat     | 90 to \$ 95    |
| Oats, cwt | 1 05 to 1 10   |
| Butter    | 23 to 29       |
| Eggs      | 35 to 35       |
| Fork      | 12 00 to 13 00 |

**Toronto.**

Toronto, Feb. 17.—Receipts today at the Union stockyards were 63 cars, with 359 cattle, 144 calves, 1,412 hogs and 244 sheep and lambs.

Trade was not quite so active to-day as yesterday and a few cattle were held over. Prices, however, held steady, particularly for the choicest cattle. There was a good demand for choice butcher cows and prices were firm. The medium class of butcher cattle were a slow sale, prices barely holding steady.

A feature of the hog market this week is the large number, coming from the West, chiefly from points in Manitoba. Several thousand of Western hogs have arrived since last Friday and many are now en route.

To-day's quotations.

|                        |                |
|------------------------|----------------|
| Butcher cattle, choice | 8 00 to 8 50   |
| do., medium            | 7 25 to 7 75   |
| do., common            | 6 50 to 6 75   |
| do., cows, choice      | 6 50 to 7 25   |
| do., medium            | 5 75 to 6 25   |
| do., common            | 4 50 to 5 50   |
| do., bulls, choice     | 6 50 to 7 50   |
| do., good bulls        | 5 50 to 6 25   |
| do., rough bulls       | 4 00 to 4 50   |
| Feeding steers         | 6 75 to 7 30   |
| Stockers, choice       | 6 25 to 7 30   |
| do., medium            | 5 00 to 5 50   |
| do., light             | 4 00 to 4 50   |
| Canners and cutters    | 3 50 to 4 00   |
| Milkers, choice, each  | 60 00 to 90 00 |
| do., com. and med.     | 35 00 to 45 00 |
| do., springers each    | 60 00 to 75 00 |
| Spring lambs           | 9 50 to 9 65   |
| Sheep, ewes, light     | 6 25 to 7 00   |
| do., heavy             | 3 25 to 3 50   |
| do., bucks             | 3 00 to 3 50   |
| Hogs, fed and watered  | 9 35 to 9 50   |
| Hogs, f. o. b.         | 9 15 to 9 25   |
| do., off cars          | 9 65 to 9 75   |
| Calves veal            | 5 00 to 11 00  |

**East Buffalo.**

East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 150 head; active and strong; prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts, 75 head; active and steady; \$8.00 to \$13.00. Hogs—Receipts, 3600 head; active and 10c to 20c higher; heavy: \$9.25 to \$9.30; mixed \$9.25 to \$9.35; yorkers and pigs, \$9.35; roughs, \$8.40 to \$8.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,600 head; active and steady; prices unchanged.

### KERWOOD

Miss Abbott, spent the week end with parents in London.

Miss Eva Crawford, of Strathroy, is visiting friends in the village.

Miss Kincaid, of Mt. Bridge, is visiting her uncle, Mr. V. Kincaid.

Mr. Waddell spent a busy week putting away ice for summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Landsborough were in Hyde Park, attending the funeral of Mrs. Laundborough's aunt.

Miss Mamie Kerton, Wanstead, has returned home after spending the past two weeks with her brother, W. Edgar Kerton, 2nd line S., Adelaide.

The Ladies Missionary Society are giving an entertainment on Friday evening, Feb. 27th. An excellent program will be given consisting of dialogues, pantomimes, choruses, motion songs and readings. The ladies will serve luncheon. Admission 15cts.

### Medical Association Meet

The Lambton County Medical Association met in Sarnia on Wednesday of last week. The question of tariff which has been under discussion for some time was again brought up and a new schedule of fees adopted, a synopsis of which is as follows:

First visit in city, town, or village by regular attendant, \$1.50 to \$2.00; subsequent visits \$1.00 to \$2.00; night visits double fee; night mileage 50 per cent. extra; contagious diseases, except small-pox, double fee; consultations \$5.00; consultations as attending physician \$2.00 to \$5.00; mileage in consultations, first mile from office \$1.50; each subsequent mile 50c.; examination for society \$2.00; physical examinations \$1.00 to \$3.00; medicines in all cases extra; telephone consultations 50c.; affidavit on certificate of health or death \$1.00; surgical dressings, minor \$1.00; ordinary cases of midwifery within four miles including one subsequent visit \$10.00; complicated cases \$15.00 to \$30.00; for every hour detained after four hours, per hour \$1.00; administering anaesthetic \$5.00 to \$15.00.

### Rev. E. B. Horne on "Protestantism"

At the anniversary social of St. Andrew's Church, Renfrew, last week, the pastor, Rev. E. B. Horne, formerly of Watford, made some pointed remarks on church union. The Renfrew Mercury reports him as follows:—

Rev. Mr. Horne in his address expressed himself as much more at home than a year ago and thought that though there was a great deal of trouble in getting up these socials there was ample re-payment in the opportunity for social intercourse, all too rare, in these busy days as the congregations became larger, as well as in the opportunity afforded for the people of the different denominations to fraternize, know, appreciate and respect one another.

While, as his address proceeded, it would seem that Mr. Horne was not greatly enamoured of the idea of Protestantism in one vast organization, neither has he any sympathy with the spirit which he observes in some to almost apologize for being Protestant; "not using that term in a narrow, partisan, or sectarian sense, but in the broader view of being heirs of the great benediction of protest that came into life a spirit of Divine discontent that makes men dissatisfied and sets them on the road to better things." He hoped to continue to be a good protester. It was the spirit of life and progress. God came to call the discontented; the men who were sinners and knew it; not the standpaters or righteons; in any world or any religion that is dominated by that spirit of protest a great diversity of opinion must be expected, but there could be no room for respect. While some of the divisions of Protestantism were absurd, there was much ill-considered advocacy for absolute uniformity. He for one didn't want everything rolled flat and painted red with the intolerable uniformity of monotony. While there could be respect for all those who differ, particular proposals for union must stand on their own merits. While there could be joining in co-operation each in his own way, there was danger in building up what might be called a great machine. Quoting a Presbyterian story "What was the use of being a Scotchman and a Presbyterian unless one can object." Mr. Horne thought that while the objecting Scotchman and the fault-finding Englishman might at times go to extremes, these very qualities had helped to make their country the freest and the greatest.

### BOSANQUET COUNCIL

Council met on the 9th inst., all the members present. Minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

The auditors presented their report for 1913 which was adopted.

The Reeve and Mr. Tidball were appointed a committee to investigate the grievance of Eli Frayn in reference to the water backing up into his cellar.

Messrs. Sitter and Tidball were appointed to find out how much timber there is on the road allowances around Samuel Bailey's land near Port Frank and report at next meeting.

It was moved by Mr. Rawlings, seconded by Mr. Sitter, and carried, that this council believes that the existing Municipal Franchise Act be enlarged so as to include the married women rate-payers.

The clerk was instructed to procure two blades for the grader and to write to the Rev. Mr. Munday in reference to Isaac Green's fish and ice house.

The engineer's report for the repair of Mud Creek drain in the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 8th cons. was read, considered and adopted, and a by-law for the repair of the drain was provisionally adopted.

The by-law for the construction of the Grant drain was read a third time and passed.

Council adjourned to meet on Monday the 9th day of March at 10 a. m., when the engineer's reports for the repair of Golden Creek drain and the Elliott drain will be read and considered.

Council will meet as a Court of Revision on Mud Creek Drain By-law on Tuesday, March 10th, at 10 a. m.

Geo. SUTHERLAND, Clerk.

### Urges Farmers' Daughters To Go In For Bee Keeping

Wyoming, Feb. 17.—At a joint meeting of the Farmers' and Womens' Institutes held in Butler's Hall last evening, Miss Ethel Robson, of Ilderton, gave a fine address on "The Economic Problem of the Girl on the Farm."

She made a very strong plea for bee keeping as a most interesting and lucrative sideline for the farmer's daughter.

At a meeting of the Womens' Institute held in the afternoon, Miss Robson gave an address on "Farm Literature" in which she urged all farmers' wives and daughters to read the best books and periodicals and keep thoroughly up to date, especially on agriculture matters.

At a meeting of the Farmers' Institute held at the same time, J. B. Fairbairn, of Beamsville, discussed cattle-raising at some length, going thoroughly into a number of the most important phases of the question.

Secretary Morris, of Warwick, presided.

At the evening meeting, R. L. Moorehouse and Rev. J. C. McCracken gave short addresses and several musical numbers were much enjoyed.

### Trueman-Adamson

A very pretty wedding took place on Monday at 4 o'clock at the Church of St. John the Evangel, Strathroy, when Myrtle R., eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Adamson, and Herbert S. Trueman, of Strathroy, were married.

The bride, who was prettily attired in a beautiful white satin gown with pearl trimmings and customary bridal veil and carried a sheaf of Easter lilies, entered the edifice on the arm of her father and was preceded by Miss Fereol Hoban, of Petrolia, wearing a pink silk gown and black velvet picture hat and Miss Edna Wright, of Strathroy, gowned in blue silk and a white beaver picture hat. Both carried white prayer books.

The bridal party were met at the entrance by the full vested choir of the church singing "O Perfect Love," after which they marched down the aisle to the altar, preceded by the choir, to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March played by Miss Nellie Richardson.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. F. Robinson, rural dean, rector of St. John's Church. During the signing of the register Miss Richardson played an organ solo.

After a wedding trip the happy couple will reside in Saskatoon.

### General News Items

Paisley public and continuation school was completely destroyed by an early morning fire of unknown origin.

Residents of Ruthven, Ont., protest against a quantity of blasting powder being stored in a barn in the heart of the village.

Peach growers in the Niagara district report serious damage to their crops by the excessively cold weather of the past week.

Forty thousand dollars is the estimate of damage done by fire at the Northern Navigation Company's coal chutes at Point Edward. Four thousand tons of soft coal are afire.

Dr. Roswell Park, one of the best known surgeons in America, died suddenly at his home on Delaware avenue, Buffalo. He attended President McKinley when the latter was shot.

The Milk Producers' Association met in Hamilton and decided to organize a company for distributing salt, fodder and other articles to farmers on a co-operative plan, and to bring milk to the city, the municipal corporation to co-operate in distributing this.

Sarnia, Feb. 17.—The trial of Justus Weatherall, who was charged with taking 17-year-old Stella Short, of Sombra township, to Detroit, and seducing her, was finished today about three minutes after it was started. No new evidence was taken in the matter, and the prisoner was discharged.

Boston, Feb. 17.—Delayed many days by storms, the Bucknall Line freighter, Kathlamba, today ended a voyage from India with lifeboats ripped open, steel bulkhead doors crushed, the starboard end of the bridge in splinters and several members of the crew nursing hurts. One of the many great seas which boarded the freighter, flooded the officers' quarters.

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—\$50,000 in checks, drafts and money orders, belonging to the Union Bank of Canada, and the Union St. Joseph Society, stolen from the Ottawa Post Office on Jan. 8, were found today in a bag, hidden in a lavatory of the Canadian Life building. All the missing paper was recovered, though some of it could easily have been cashed. One of the Union Bank checks was a certified one for \$25,000.

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### Stallion Inspection

The annual report of the Stallion Enrollment Board of Ontario, for 1913, was issued last week. The summary of enrollment for Lambton is as follows:—Total number of stallions enrolled 113, number of pure-breds 88, grades 25, inspected 33, approved 32, rejected 1, pure-breds approved 26, rejected 1, grades approved 6, rejected none. Only four counties, Kent 130, Middlesex 128, Simcoe 139, and York 119, had a higher number enrolled than Lambton. The law will be enforced more strictly this year, and the Board of Inspectors recommends that inspection be made compulsory.

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### From Old Subscribers.

Robt. Hillis, Holland, Man., writes Feb. 11th.—I enclose one dollar subscription for your valuable paper, which I always look forward to getting every week, just as though it was a letter from home. We are having very cold weather here just now. It is 38 below zero here this morning and it has been around that point for a week or two back. We have very little snow, just enough for good sleighing."

Benj. Pennington, a resident of Adelaide since 1856, died of pneumonia Tuesday last.

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Martin Rucker, discovered a honey mine on his Tilbury East farm home the other day. Noticing bees flying around a corner of the house on warm days.

John Jones' Find

It Was a Vacant House That Paid a Good Rental

By NATHAN B. TOWNSEND

Johnny Jones, a Maine farmer boy, went to the city to make a fortune, but, getting stranded, started to walk home, a hundred miles, usually sleeping out of doors.

He looked up the roof of the house. The shingles on the roof were black and crumpled, the woodwork in places was rotten and only the brick of which the house was mainly built was solid.

John walked out to the rocks which formed the shore. Here he was more at home, for he had been brought up near the water. Naturally his eyes fell upon the irregularity that marked the shore.

John hesitated about spending the night in so greivous a place, and had it not been for the cold without he would have preferred to sleep under the stars.

He was awakened during the night by voices. For a few moments he could not recall where he was. Then he listened for the direction of the sound and concluded that it came from under him.

John pondered on what he should do. Should he go on home or remain and try to solve the mystery? Curiosity held him. He would go back to the house and see if he could not look into the cellar through the crack at which he had listened.

Not having a light, the young discoverer did not attempt to investigate a step further. Besides, he had no mind to be caught in a trap by an incoming tide. He got out as quickly as possible

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"Crawford is making it pay well enough." This was the last heard of a dialogue between different men, none of whom John could see.

When he awoke in the morning the sun was shining in through a broken blind. John arose from his couch and looked about him. He was in a library. Books were on the shelves, but they were dusty and dingy.

How were the goods taken in? There were no marks of wheels on the entrance road. Indeed, the grass grew on it as well as on the lawn.

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and, sitting on a rock, bethought himself what next to do.

John was a secretive boy, and, though he told about his experiences in the city, he said nothing about the house by the sea.

By this time it occurred to the boy that the house was a storage depot for smugglers. He found a door in the cellar leading into the passage to the water and presumed that the goods were carried in by that route.

These preliminaries having been settled, John led the officers to the house and showed them the goods. But, being desirous of capturing the smugglers, they placed a watch in the house and waited for them to come again.

It was several weeks before the unsuspecting men fell into the trap. When they did they found both the passage by the passage to the sea and the one up into the house stopped.

John received a small fortune for his information. He decided to go to college and is now a lawyer with a good practice. Inquiries as to the lonely house resulted in his learning that the parties owning it had gone abroad many years before and left it to be sold as it stood.

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CHICKEN PIE AND SAMP WITH BACON.

cook slowly until chickens are tender, adding salt and pepper to taste. Remove chicken, roll each piece in seasoned flour and place in baking dish, cover with the liquor, cook half an hour. Slip on the pastry cover, and when thoroughly heated the pie is ready to serve. Or make a rich baking powder biscuit dough and use instead of the pastry.

Sump and bacon is another Dixie dish of note. Baltimore sump is made of white corn. It is very much coarser than grits or fine hominy. Cover the sump with boiling water, let it boil for six minutes, then drain and rinse. Cover again with boiling water and cook slowly till tender, adding boiling water as needed. When nearly cooked season nicely with salt and pepper. Serve hot with rolls of dried bacon.

### The Care of Porch Floors.

The best way for cleaning porch floors in the fall or early winter is a question that taxes the patience of mistress and maid alike. Mistress insists, and maid objects. Each is right.

Fortunately there is a way to clean floors that will solve this problem of the mistress and maid to the satisfaction of each. Make a strong solution of soap and very hot water. Have the water at a temperature of at least 180 degrees F. Hot water in the fall or winter is necessary because cold water freezes and produces icy steps and floors. Then with the aid of a good mop go over the porch floor rapidly. Use plenty of hot water and wipe the floor well. Go over it quickly. The hot suds will take up the dirt. Start at the farther end of the porch and back up toward the steps so as to avoid tracking up the cleaned floor.

A good mop wringer will not only save time, but will save the hands, temper and energy. It will cause a more even distribution of the moisture and allow scalding water, which is so desirable because more cleansing, to be more freely used.

### Hot Bread For Breakfast.

**Twin Mountain Muffins.**—One-quarter cupful butter, one-quarter cupful sugar, one egg, three-quarters cupful milk, two cupfuls flour, four teaspoonfuls baking powder. Cream the butter. Add the sugar and egg well beaten. Sift baking powder with the flour and add to the first mixture, alternating with the milk. Bake in buttered tin gem pans for twenty-five minutes with the temperature of 400 degrees F.

**Graham Muffins.**—One cupful graham or entire wheat flour, one cupful flour, one egg, one to three tablespoonfuls melted butter, one teaspoonful salt, one cupful milk, one-quarter cupful sugar, four teaspoonfuls baking powder. Mix and sift dry ingredients. Add the milk gradually and the egg well beaten. Then add the melted butter. Bake in hot oven (temperature should be 400 degrees F.) in buttered gem pans for twenty-five minutes.

### New Idea in Window Seats.

In the bedroom of a small apartment where every foot of space must be utilized there may quite well be a window seat of the sort which come all ready to put in position. This new type of convenience is shaped like a short bench with low arms at both sides and is upheld by four short legs grooved and fitted with two shelves long enough to accommodate four paper shirt waists

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### Baked Cream Scones.

Sift two cupfuls of flour with three rounded teaspoonfuls of baking powder and half a teaspoonful of salt. Mix four level tablespoonfuls of butter with them and then lightly stir into the mixture half a cupful of sweet cream and two beaten eggs. Cut the dough into triangles and bake in a hot oven until a delicate brown.

### DUTCH BELTED CATTLE.

Once, Nearly Exterminated, They Are Now Bred by the Nobility.

Dutch belted cattle originated in Holland several hundred years ago. At the time of the great Holland wars they were nearly exterminated by the invading armies, and the few that remained became the property of the nobility, who have bred them pure ever since, but do not willingly part with them. They are known in Holland as Veldlagers, which name means "wrapped around with a sheet."

In color they are black, with a band of pure white entirely around the body. They may also have white fore feet, white hind feet and legs up to the gambrels and a white switch. The "belt" varies in width. On some it is but a few inches wide. On others it reaches back on the hips and forward on the shoulders. Usually it covers the body from just in front of the hips nearly to the shoulders.

They have the prominent eyes, thin neck, silky hair, soft skin, elevated flanks, broad hips, long, slim tails, shapely, well placed udders, prominent milk veins and so called milk form, which make up the dairy type of cow. They are very tame and docile, hardy and vigorous.—G. G. Gibbs in American Cultivator.

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### On a Monday Morning.

Monday morning is a hard test for the institution which we call life. Life may be all very well on Saturday night and Sunday morning, but how about Monday morning? If you wake up then with a pleasurable anticipation of the week of work which is ahead of you, you are a happy man. The instinct of the bad boy who plays truant never quite dies out of us. One dream of a Monday morning when the sun is shining and the air is clear, of slipping quietly into one's clothes, of tiptoeing softly out of the house, of sealing the fence and crossing the meadow and losing oneself in the aluring woods, while time clocks remain unpunched and whistles blow in vain.—San Francisco Bulletin.

### Improving It.

A foreigner meeting an American friend said to him, "How are you?" The latter replied, "Out of sight." The man considered this very clever and decided to use the expression on the next occasion. Shortly after he was met by a friend, who asked, "How are you?" With visible pride he answered, "You don't see me."—New York Globe.

### She Was Safe.

Little four-year-old Mabel was running downhill, holding her dress tight.

"Be careful," called her mother, "or you will fall."

"Oh, no, I won't," replied Mabel, "cause I'm holding tight to myself."

### Reassured.

"What is this white spot on that goldfish I bought from you?"

"He has simply shed a scale."

"Oh, I thought maybe the plating was wearing off."—Pittsburgh Post.

### Better Chance.

Ted—I'm trying to find some one who knows me to go security on my note.

Tom—Don't you think, my boy, you'd better look for some one who doesn't know you?

Sorrow's crown of sorrow is remembering happier things.—Tennyson.

### A Pill for Brain Workers.

The man who works with his brains is more liable to derangement of the digestive system than the man who works with his hands, because the one calls upon his nervous energy while the other applies only his muscular strength. Brain fog begets irregularities of the stomach and liver, and the best remedy that can be used is Parlee's Vegetable Pills. They are specially compounded for such cases and all those who use them can certify to their superior power.

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