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What An Irrigation System Did for My Garden.

A couple of years ago, when we bought our electric lighting and pumping outfit, the man who sold it to us mentioned among other things that it would irrigate our vegetable garden. However, I put this down as a talking point which would "listen well on paper," but wouldn't amount to much in actual practice.

But after we installed our pumping plant, I got a letter from the irrigation company explaining how I could put in a couple of lines of pipe over my vegetable garden at a very moderate expense that would supply all the water I wanted, at any time, by merely turning a valve, and so I decided to try it.

I must say, after using for two years this mechanical watering system, that the claims which were made for it were not exaggerated. The results we have been able to get have been simply marvelous. For a great many years we have prided ourselves as having as good a garden as is grown in the section, but it is no exaggeration to say that our vegetable crops average at least twice what they did before. Furthermore, we can plant at any time without waiting for rain, and get immediate germination, and keep every crop growing right straight through without any check until the day it is harvested. Thus we are able to get in a good many more crops each year than if we trusted to the weather man for our rain supply.

Counting both the increase in the crops and the gain in the number of crops, we get at least 300 per cent. more from our garden space than we used to, and the quality of the stuff measures up better too.

We put in two lines of irrigation pipe, each 200 feet long. These lines came complete, made up with a special irrigating nozzle every three feet, and a special union on the end of each fitted with a strainer to keep any sediment from getting into the line and clogging up the nozzles. They also have short handles, making it possible to turn the line from one side to the other. Through the little nozzles inserted in the pipe the water is thrown in tiny streams to a distance of 25 feet. These little streams break up in the air so that the water falls to the ground in tiny drops like a fine gentle rain which will not pack the soil or beat down even the smallest plant. As we run our rows in the same direction as the lines of pipe, we can water a narrow strip the entire length of the garden any time we want to. This is especially handy when we are setting out plants, just after sowing seed in dry weather, or just after hoeing or cultivating any crop as soon as the weeds have had a chance to die in the sun.

All we had to do to put this system in was to run an inch pipe from the barn to the garden, a distance of about 300 feet, and put in two rows of cedar posts 50 feet apart to support the irrigation line. The feed line from the barn to the garden was only a foot or so under the ground, as we turn the water off and drain it out before cold weather.

While we grow our vegetables primarily for our own use, we have always sold a few, and since having the irrigation we have had such a big surplus that he have sold quite a lot, especially during midsummer, when all the rest of the gardeners around here are more or less dried up. The summer folks from a good many miles around come to us because they know that they can get nice, fresh, crisp things. Our "rain machine" is something of a curiosity, and they like to stop and see how it works. Altogether, I suppose, we have sold enough vegetables to pay for our two lines of irrigation two or three times over in the two years since we have had them, in addition to having more and better vegetables for ourselves.

Poverty is a hard nurse, but she raises healthy children.

Teacher—"Mention six important Arctic animals." Pupil—"Three polar bears and three seals."

Pass the Good Along.

If Good Fortune brings a gift to you while going on your way, A gift that cheers your very soul and brightens all your day, Go forth and make another man join in a joyful song; Do something to make glad some heart, and pass the good along.

If a glad smile should greet your face when setting forth at morn, A smile that speaks of friendship true, or of a love new-born, Full of the gratitude you feel for friendship true and strong, Show friendliness to other folks, and pass that smile along.

If anyone says a kindly word, when troubles whirl around, And when it seems no happiness in a dark world is found, Find out another suffering soul, whose luck has all gone wrong, Help him to see the sun once more, and pass the word along.

A MOTHER'S TRIALS

Care of Home and Children Often Causes a Breakdown.

The woman at home, deep in household duties and the cares of motherhood, needs occasional help to keep her in good health. The demands upon a mother's health are many and severe. Her own health trials and her children's welfare exact heavy tolls, while hurried meals, broken rest and much indoor living tend to weaken her constitution. No wonder that the woman at home is often indisposed through weakness, headaches, backaches and nervousness. Too many women have grown to accept these visitations as a part of the lot of motherhood. But many and varied as her health troubles are, the cause is simple and relief at hand. When well, it is the woman's good blood that keeps her well; when ill she must make her blood rich to renew her health. The nursing mother more than any other woman in the world needs rich blood and plenty of it. There is one way to get this good blood, and that is through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills make new blood, and through their use thousands of weak, ailing wives and mothers have been made bright, cheerful and strong. If you are ailing, eat, tired or depressed, it is a duty you owe yourself and your family to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial. What this medicine has done for others it will surely do for you.

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50c. a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Secret of Longevity is Courageous Mind.

Half or more of the gentility in the world may be traced to unresisting yielding to a fiction that years are the measure of age; half of the aged men and women in the world could be impeached for bringing upon themselves by consent the infirmities which set upon them the marks of decline. Instead of dodging the scythe of Time they stand resignedly in the grim old reaper's path. He cannot be blamed for cutting them down.

The sound constitution is not as essential as the courageous mind. Many men and women of weak constitution have lived to an advanced age, the mind dominating and sustaining the body. Calm temperament is the greatest factor in longevity. The person who regards himself a borrower of time must worry over an indebtedness, which does not exist, which could not be established in any court of law, and every one who has signed such a bond ought to repudiate it and win the commendation of all courageous souls.

Here are a few facts which are commended to the consideration of all those who measure life in years: Sir Isaac Newton lived to an age of eighty-three and gave proof of his intellectual vigor to his dying day. Walter Savage Landor wrote his "Imaginary Conversations" at eighty-five and lived seven years after. John Wesley swayed multitudes with his eloquence up to the age of eighty-eight; Washington Irving worked at his "Life of Washington" in his seventy-ninth year. Browning was nearly eighty before he ceased to write; Tennyson composed "Crossing the Bar" at eighty-three; Victor Hugo did much of his work after he was seventy-five; when he was eighty-three Voltaire composed his tragedy "Irene."

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Is Your Writing Small?

It has been said that ninety persons out of each hundred have literary ambitions. If you are of the ninety, then your ambitions may be realized, if your handwriting is naturally very small.

It is extraordinary, and seems to be something more than a mere coincidence, that literary geniuses—practically all of them—write exceedingly small.

Thackeray's writing was extremely neat, but so small that it could hardly be read.

Dickens' penmanship was of the minute order, too. That, and his predilection for writing with blue ink on blue paper, with much interlining, made his "copy" a trial to decipher.

Captain Marryat's handwriting was so fine that it was said that when the compositor rested from his work he was obliged to stick a pin where he left off in order to be able to find the place again.

Charlotte Bronte's writing was so fine that it appeared to have been traced with a needle.

The same "small" rule obtains among the majority of present-day writers. Thomas Hardy and Kipling are instances.

The moral seems to be that he who writes "small" has it in him to write "big" stuff.

Incidentally, it may be noted that poets, from Byron onwards, scrawl! The born poet, it is claimed, could not write small or straight, if he tried!

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Ordinary?

Just an ordinary woman, just an ordinary man, And a child so ordinary that on him there seems a ban. But what mysteries lie hidden— Further prying is forbidden— When we call them ordinary—miss we not the Master plan?

It All Depends.

Arithmetic, according to the average small boy, was simply invented in order to give teachers a good excuse for punishing their unhappy pupils. And, certainly, little Tommy Smith found it the unpleasant feature of his young life.

"Now, Tommy Smith," said the school-teacher one morning, during the usual hour of torture, "what is the half of eight?"

"Which way, teacher?" asked the youngster cautiously.

"Which way!" replied the astonished lady. "What do you mean?"

"Well, on top or sideways, teacher?" said Tommy.

"What difference does that make?" "Why," Tommy explained, with a pitying air, "half of the top of eight is nought, but half of it sideways is three."

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Trout Fishing in Canada.

More benefit is derived from recreation in the open country than from any other form of amusement, and fishing is one of the happiest and most health giving of pastimes. Summer is fishing time, and Canada has numerous lakes and rivers where there is abundance of fish of all varieties to tempt the angler. Trout fishing is amongst the most popular forms of this sport.

To fish successfully for trout his habits must be known. His habits in one part of the country will be different from the habits of his brothers in the lakes and streams of other different sections of the country. The trout loves clear swift running streams, whether large or small, the bottoms of which are filled with boulders and gravel. He is wont to hide under the overhanging banks of the streams and under and along fallen trees in deep holes made by these obstructions of the current. It is particularly advantageous to look for trout among the fast moving rapids, or in the eddies along the banks. The trout feeds largely on insects. He is a lively forager for food, and he is often seen chasing the small minnows during the middle of the day, and now and then leaping in the air for black flies and moths. He likes plenty of oxygen, and delights in the white-capped foaming waters below a fall in the stream.

Kaloo, B.C., is the headquarters for trout fishers on the upper Kootenay lake. Holiday makers who are visiting beautiful Banff may catch excellent trout in the Bow River. Splendid trout fishing may be had at Nipigon, Ontario, and in the rivers and lakes among the Laurentian Mountains, Quebec; in fact there is trout fishing to be had in nearly all Canadian waters of any great extent. But those who are seeking a big haul should go to places that are not too much frequented.

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No Substitute for Youth.

Nobody, so far, has found a real substitute for youth, although some surgical experiments are asserted to have been successful in restoring vitality and youthful spirits. Youth, after all, is a state of mind as well as a span of years. Men and women are not old at sixty; they are not old at seventy, and when eighty is reached many of them refuse to be shelved. One's outlook upon life is likely to determine whether one is to continue real living or go to seed. Years ago men retired at forty or fifty and were not worth much to their communities after that. Now a man stays in the harness, alternating work and play. So, in reality, he never grows old in spirit, regardless of an accumulation of many years when birthdays come. Old age is something of a habit. It is easy enough to acquire if one seeks it, but if youth is desired one may have it, and forget about the birthdays.

Toil On.

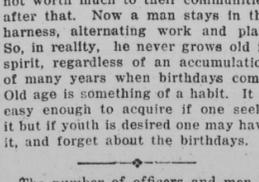
Why despair, if frost and storm and blight, Threaten our harvest, our intentions foil? The peaceful day subdues the tempest night; The frost yields to the sun; in eager soil, The seed stirs, touched by God's hand. In His sight, Effort's the gain. Who, then, would shrink to toil?

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BITS OF HUMOR FROM HERE & THERE

Could Afford Them.
Visitor (looking at portraits)— "What a lot of ancestors you've got."
Newrich—"That's dead right. I didn't want so many, but Sarah insisted."

Couldn't Trust Herself.
"Margaret, where is your little sister?"
"I just hurried away from her, mother, 'cause I felt sure I was going to lose my temperature."

H. C. L.
The customer picked up some Roquefort cheese from the grocer's counter and took an appraising sniff of its aroma.
"I'd like a dime's worth of this cheese."
"Madame, you have already had it."

Raspberry Jam.
Pickle Manufacturer—"People don't want tomato seed in ketchup, so we squeeze out the seeds."
Inquisitive Friend—"And what do you do with the seeds?"
Pickle Manufacturer—"Put them in raspberry jam. Makes it look more natural like."

Nut Waiter Wanted.
An old lady, after waiting in a confectionery store for about ten minutes, grew grossly impatient at the lack of service.
Finally she rapped sharply on the counter.
"Here, young lady," she called, "who waits on the nuts?"

Idiotic Advice.
Jones, who was suffering from neuralgia, went to the dentist to have some teeth extracted.
The dentist, after looking at his teeth, said—
"Have you had advice before about these teeth?"
"Yes," replied Jones. "I went to the chemist last night."
"And what idiotic thing did the chemist advise you to do?"
"To come to you," was the rejoinder.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

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Jap English.

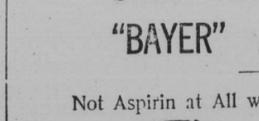
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The home of the treasurer of the Blyth Celebration was ransacked the night of the celebration in the hope of getting away with the gate receipts which amounted to about \$2001. Mr. McTaggart had the money securely hidden and the attempts of the thieves was foiled.

A speeder told a local magistrate that he was in such a hurry a few nights ago that he had to pass through Stratford at a rate of forty-five miles an hour. As he failed to state the reason of his hurry he was sentenced to five days in jail. He is but one of thousands of the fevered ones of to-day who are forever in a reasonless rush to get from somewhere to somewhere else.

Tragedy at Chesley

On Thursday last Bert Cavill, a lifelong resident of Chesley, was shot and fatally wounded by Joslin Green, also of this town. The shooting was done with a .44 calibre revolver and four shots were fired, two of them finding their mark. One struck the unfortunate victim in the mouth, breaking his jaw, and knocking out several teeth. The other struck him in the back and passed obliquely through one of his lungs. The stories of the tragedy in the dailies are entirely misleading. Here are the facts:

Green had stored the piano of Mr. Archie McLean in his house until such time as the latter, (who had moved to Grimsby) should send for it. Cavill who carried on a local draying business had gone over to Green on Tuesday evening, telling him he intended removing the piano. He sat and talked with Mr. and Mrs. Green and there was no evidence of ill-will. The following day when Cavill came to take the piano away he found no one at Green's so he left two heavy planks in front of Green's house, to be used in moving the piano, intending to call back later.

As he was going by Green's house about 8 o'clock on Thursday morning Green called him over to where he was standing and said: "Do you want to die?" Cavill thought he was joking and replied "I guess so, Josh" Green then asked "Who owns this place anyway?"

He then threatened Cavill for leaving the planks at his place and attempted to strike him, but the latter warded off the blow and told Green he would have him arrested, whereupon Green whipped out a revolver and fired point blank at him, hitting him in the mouth. Cavill turned and ran, but his assailant followed firing three more shots at him, one of them striking him in the back. It is thought the last bullet fired struck him as he was seen to stagger for a moment after it had been fired.

He ran over one block to McGaw St. and was met by Mr. Nolen who aided him down to the office of Dr. Mair. Drs. Downing and Mairs and Nurse Mary Pollock dressed his wounds. Later in the morning he was moved to Dr. Morgan's office to have an X-ray examination made after this he was removed to his home.

In the meantime Green had remained out in front of his home, and had calmly talked with several passersby, making no attempt at escaping. About 10 o'clock he sent word to Rev. Mri Kellerman to come over to his house. Mr. Kellerman went over and Green told him what had occurred. He then went out to the coal bin, where he had hidden the revolver and brought it back and gave it to Mr. Kellerman.

Mr. Kellerman left the house shortly afterwards and was met by Constable Kidd who accompanied him back again. Green went quietly with them to the lock-up, but asked to be allowed to go without handcuffs which was granted. His preliminary trial was held before Magistrates Bell and Halliday, who committed him to the county goal at Walkerton, whither he was taken by Chief Constable Ferguson of that town.

Bert, as he was familiarly called by his friends, put up a brave fight for life. Being of a wiry constitution and in the prime of life his many friends were hoping he would pull through but the medical men held out no hope of recovery from the first. The effect of the first shot which was fired at a distance of about five feet from Cavill would not in all probability, have proven fatal. He lingered till 3 o'clock on Monday when he passed away having made his will and told his pastor he was prepared for the worst. Public sympathy goes out strongly to the widow and little family and the parents, brothers and sisters. Bert Cavill was born in Chesley, had grown up here and was a quiet, hardworking citizen, respected in the community and his death in such a tragic manner has cast a gloom over the entire community. Besides his widow he leaves a family of two children, his little boy aged five who was his daddy's chum and a baby girl one year old.

When it became known on Monday that he would not get better an ante mortem statement was made to Magistrate Bell, Constable Briggs, and Rev. H. A. Kellerman. The story of deceased will not be made public till the trial but is largely as outlined in this article.

A coroner's inquest will be held before Dr. Rennie in the town hall on Friday at 2 p. m. when a jury will decide, after having heard witnesses, the cause of

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If you too want to regain your lost health, then go to your nearest Drug Store and ask for Hacking's.

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Cavill's death.

The trial of Green comes up at the Fall Assizes in Walkerton in November. He has retained the firm of Robertson and McNab to defend him. The Attorney-General's Dept. selects the prosecuting attorney. The charge against Green before Magistrates Bell and Halliday at the preliminary trial was "Shooting with intent to do bodily injury" but on Monday this was changed to one of "Wilful Murder" by Judge Klien on the full facts being represented to him by Sheriff Jermy.

Joslin Green, who is in gaol on charge of murder against a peaceful citizen on one of our public streets has been a resident of this town for over 30 years

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AUGUST 11, and AUGUST 18.	From Stations South and West of Toronto to and including Hamilton and Windsor, Ont. From Owen Sound, Walkerton, Tecumseh, Wingham, Elora, Listowel, Godrich, St. Mary's, Fort Burwell, and St. Thomas Branches. From Stations Toronto and North to Bolton, inclusive.

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Full particulars from Canadian Pacific Ticket Agents. W. B. HOWARD, District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

coming here from Bentinck. As his case is now before the Courts we will not make any comments on his life and character, in fact we might prejudice the case if we did and it is contrary to law to do so while the case is sub judice.

For Mrs. Green and family there is much sympathy. They deplore the sad occurrence as much as other citizens. Mrs. Green is one of the most highly respected women in town and her son James, who works in one of the factories is also a good citizen. A married daughter, Mary, lives in Toronto. Another son, George went overseas with the first contingent was wounded and invalided home, and fell a victim to tuberculosis about eighteen months ago.

The funeral of the late Heabert Beatty Cavill takes place at 3:30 to-day, just before we go to press. The factories and business places will all be closed and we expect the funeral will be the largest in the history of Chesley. We have known Bert Cavill since he was a child and he has done the draying of the Enterprise office for many years and we have found him an honorable business man, obliging and thoughtful, and a regular attendant of the Methodist Church of which he was a faithful member.—Chesley Enterprise.

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75	11.25	100	85	4.50	4.50
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Auto Salesmen

I journeyed forth to buy a car a modern car with seats and wheels; I went where auto salesmen are, and listened to their divers spels. And that is why you see me now, here in my padded cell alone, a cold wet rag upon my brow, my reason shaky on its throne. I saw ten thousand in my quest, ten thousand cars, from last to first; and every car was the best and every other one the worst. If you behold ten thousand cars, of which each tumbler is the best, your intellect receives such jars as promptly knock it galle

west. If you behold ten thousand boats, and all but one of them the worst, though you may have ten thousand goats, you'll lose them all, the last one first. The agents talked three weeks ago to me. All all kinds of facts did they advance; they would not chop a cherry tree—a man could see that at a glance. They talked to me by day and night, each agent sang his sad, sweet song; the car he handled was just right, and all the other cars were wrong. So in my padded cell I scans, filled up with mind-restoring drugs, and, with a slipper in my hand, I saw the roaches and the bugs.



Dancing and Music

The emotional side of the majority of people cannot be satisfied by Free Libraries, Gymnasiums, Playgrounds, etc. The love of moving the healthy body to the rhythm of music in some form of dancing is an inherent peculiarity of the average man and woman; with liquor and indecent music, however, dances may do more harm than bacteria. It is pathetic to see in our large towns and cities young men and women rush to some dance hall to satisfy a desire for amusement.

People who have used up their strength in Dancing, Late Hours, Rich Foods or have, perhaps looked too long upon the Wine when it was Red and have let Old John Barleycorn sap their vitality will find a boon in the use of Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy. It will dispel "that tired feeling," take away that feeling of depression and nervousness that comes from lowered vitality and brings back the healthy rich, red color to the cheeks. It will make your beauty sleep more satisfying so that you will awake in the mornings full of life and hope and more able to carry on with the day's work. The "habits that hurt" can more easily be overcome if you will use Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy to strengthen the Nerves, to add power to the Heart and to revive and stimulate the circulation of the Blood. Buy them from your dealer. 60c a box, 6 for \$2.50.

J. P. PHELAN

DRUGGIST

Two thousand Indian cloth shops in the heart of Bombay and the biggest cloth market in India, were destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at thirty million rupees at least (about \$10,000,000).

Don't believe all you hear—especially when it is about yourself.

Sandy George's Car was stolen on Sunday night by some party who wanted a cheap ride. After driving it to the outskirts of Paisley, the party turned the bus around facing Walkerton and left it. Nothing was the matter with the machine when the owner found it. While the party put over his little stunt safely, it will not go lightly with him if he is caught, for swiping autos is a serious offence which calls for a sojourn behind the bars.—Telescope.

Motor License to be Raised

The Hon. P. C. Biggs, Minister of Highways in the Drury Government, paid a visit to Collingwood and Meaford a week ago last Friday. He was entertained to luncheon at Collingwood by the Mayor and Council, many representative citizens of the town and district being present also. The Hon. Mr. Biggs made a vigorous address at Collingwood, outlining the policy of the Government in the building of the Provincial Highways and feeders for them. He claimed there was no public business so important as good roads. The Provincial Government proposed to build 2,000 miles, to serve every county, and run through every county town, but every municipality must have some definite plan to fit in with the provincial system. An engineer would be appointed for every 90 miles of roadbed, with divisional foreman and sectionmen. All the roads would be brought up to standard efficiency and maintained at that standard. Men will be responsible for every yard of the 2,000 miles and the department will demand 100 per cent. of efficiency. The Hon. gentleman went on to say that the Government intended to increase the licence fees of motor vehicles next year, from which \$2,000,000 was derived this year.—Owen Sound Sun-Times.

Nearly A Disaster

Grand Trunk train No. 28 from London to Toronto left the track about two miles from St. Marys early on Friday morning last and 200 passenger had a close shave. A rail turned under the heavy engine while the train was proceeding at about 25 miles an hour, and six coaches run off the track. Had the accident occurred a few yards farther on there would have been one of the worst disasters in the history of the line. Passengers were transferred to a special train sent from Stratford.

The Western Fair

London, Ont., Sept. 11th to 18th, 1920

Never in the history of the Western Fair has there been such a rush for space of all kinds for the Exhibition as this year. The Management take this as an indication that the Exhibition is becoming more popular each year and that Exhibitors are getting more benefit from it than ever before. Every effort possible is being made to make the Exhibition what it ought to be—one of great value to all who attend not only to spend a day of amusement but profit as well. Ample provision is made for parking Automobiles and there will be plenty of room for everybody.

All information may be secured by writing the Secretary A. M. Hunt, General Office London, Ont.

Wives and Mothers of Canada

Stratford, Ont.—"I am very enthusiastic in praise of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as a tonic for expectant mothers. I have had experience both with the 'Prescription' and without it, and am in a position to know that there is a vast difference. I was never nauseated or sick at all with my 'Prescription' babies but I was extremely uncomfortable with the others and my suffering was greater when I had not taken the 'Favorite Prescription'. I shall always take pleasure in recommending it to expectant mothers."—MRS. LEOTA M. PEPPER, 114 Grand St.

COULD NOT SLEEP

Halifax, N. S.—"I was in a run-down, nervous condition for over two years, had been treated by several doctors and only found temporary relief. I could not sleep at night my heart palpitated so, and I was almost afraid to close my eyes. Being persuaded, I wrote and stated my symptoms to the Medical staff at Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y. I was advised to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery with the 'Favorite Prescription' and the 'Pleasant Pellets'. I did so with the very best results. I could sleep and became my natural self again. I certainly recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines to all sufferers, for they have done for me what doctors failed to do and they have saved me doctor bills, too."—MRS. JOHN EOMANS, Clam Harbor.

Toronto, Ont.—"For over thirty years I have been a user of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. I have taken them for liver trouble, biliousness, constipation and sick-headaches and they always gave me the relief wanted. I am sure the 'Pleasant Pellets' have saved me many a sick spell. I can highly recommend them."—MRS. ELEANOR BOWNESS, 60 Strange St.

Counter Check Books at this office.

Bobby Leach, who went over Niagara Falls on July 25, 1911, says he is going over again about the end of August. The barrel designed by Leach will be a egg-shaped vessel, well reinforced, and with an interior that will be safe should the outer shell be crushed.

12 Aug 1920

Influence Unawares

By FRANCES GREENMAN.

PART II.

Getting paper and pen and ink, Ma wrote a letter. As she put on the stamp she said aloud, "I'll not try to use one mite of 'influence,' either. There shall be a word said about roads, not one word." She sighed as she pushed up her spectacles. "Seems sad when my body can only live once in the world that it has to ride over in the sort of road it does; but we lected Tom Hart and Billy Mix, and now we'll have to abide their decision. I've thought all day, and I don't get any nearer 'influence' than I was this morning. I'll lay it away in lavender for that road, and tend to the business of making 'up' to Pa Dallas.

In two days the mail carrier on R.R. 4 left a letter for Mrs. J. Dallas. Every line of her face expressed satisfaction as she read it. "I'm not so sorry I spanked him now," she said to herself. "No, I'm not sorry at all."

"Folks," announced Ma as she poured coffee at the foot of the dinner table, "day after to-morrow we get company for dinner."

"We do!" Clarissy held a plate of raised biscuits aloft. "Who?"

"Never you mind," said her aunt; "a friend or so of mine. I want every one of you to bridle your tongues all the time they are here. I don't want one word said about roads, either foreign or domestic. No matter what comes up, or who, roads are to rest all day; and I'm considering killing Earl Haig."

"Why, Aunt Dell!" Clarissy Ann set down the old blue plate so suddenly and violently that a biscuit bounded off and landed in the pickle dish. "I thought," said Pa Dallas, "Earl Haig was for Thanksgiving. Must be real special guests."

"Extra," agreed Ma.

The next morning there was assembled in the Dallas kitchen a wonderful assortment of "cookers"—a term that Peter and Clarissy had coined for other wherewithal needed for the creations for which Ma was famous.

Clarissy ran down and up the cellar stairs until she felt like a squirrel. She creamed butter, beat eggs and made six trips to the spring house. While on a flying visit to the barn for strictly fresh eggs she confided to Peter that from indications the King of all the Belgians was to dine with them on the morrow. "But she's weakening on Earl Haig," she says she doesn't want to overdo her reparation."

"Overdo what?" Peter laid down a monkey wrench and stared at his sister's flushed cheeks and tousled curls.

"I don't know, and if she'll only leave Earl Haig alone I don't care. He'll weigh a good twenty-five pounds by Thanksgiving."

"Beats me," said Peter. "There's a joker somewhere."

"It isn't like Aunt Dell to be so secretive, but I've got to hurry. I do need a pair of wings this day."

Later Ma ordered Peter to round up the three pullets that the Wyandottes had brought off so early.

"I was most provoked to anger," said she, "when that hen sprung her hatch on us—and snow still lingering in the hollows and under hedges; but now I can see why they shelled out so early; they're prime fries right now. After all's said, a platter of crusty bread, mashed potatoes, cream and cream gravy is hard to beat, but I'm some unsteady in my mind whether it is steamed brown bread or plain johnnycake I'll need; one hot bread's enough along with fresh salt rishins."

"Let's make ice cream," coaxed Clarissy.

"No, Clarissy; ice cream is just fixings. I'm going to serve victuals—apple dumplings and cherry pie."

"Shall I dress up," asked Clarissy, "and must Peter wear a stiff collar?"

"Mercy to me, why? If there is one thing I want to-morrow, it is for us all to be natural and casual. If it's the least bit chillsome, Peter, you buy a scrap of fire on the living room hearth 'long 'bout half past eleven. A fire on a hearth, even when it's not real necessary, is cheerful as a robin. You know the kind I mean, Peter—not hot but heartening. Clarissy, you leave that braided rug right where it is and the candlesticks on the chimney piece. I'm going to use the willow wicker."

"I can see right into the back of your head, Clarissy," Ma Dallas went on. "You're going to ask me not to pour the coffee at table and not to heap up platters. Now, Clarissy, this is my company. When you have your company I've not a mite of objection to your dishing up to suit yourself and drinking coffee with the pie and interluding with a salad, and so forth, but to-morrow we serve a bountiful country dinner in true country style. And no matter what happens, don't any of you act surprised—and pick me some laylocks for bouquets."

The next day when a smart gray automobile drove into the farmyard about noon, Mr. Dallas, Peter and Clarissy Ann were as curious as quails.

"Well, I do know!" exclaimed Peter as four men climbed out of the car. "If it isn't the commissioners!"

"Who are the other two?" asked Clarissy.

"I calculate," said their uncle, "that I better go right down to meet them and—find out."

Ma suddenly appeared in the doorway enveloped in a very clean, very much starched gingham apron over her neat sprigged calico dress. Ma looked "folksy," but not at all "complicated."

"Now I wonder what Ma's up to?" said Pa as he started down the step.

"Remember," cautioned Clarissy, "not to be surprised even if it's a French general and an extra king—this is Aunt Dell's day, and we've got to mind."

In the farmhouse living room the guests were aware that a cosy little fire flared on the hearth, that the lilacs filled the air with sweet fragrance, and that comfortable chairs, braided rugs and sunny windows made a welcome resting place for weary travelers who had been riding over a rough road since early morning.

The good-roads expert settled himself in a padded chair near the fireplace. Young Ted McCool made conversation. He was full of reminiscences of the days when his family had lived on the Dickey place and when Ma had chastised him. Finally, he slipped out to the kitchen and frankly confided to his hostess that Paul and he were as hungry as seven-year-olds.

"I bet my new spring hat, Ma Dallas, that it would be fried chicken. Who wins?"

"You do this time, son. And now you carry it in and put it by Pa's chair."

"You're going to give us all what you want? You're not going to serve it hotel style?"

"Hotel style!" Ma exclaimed with derision in her voice.

With a grin of delight the famished engineer bore in the heaping platter. When the road engineer passed his plate for "more," humorously admitting that in the matter of fried chicken and gravy he was a direct descendant of Oliver Twist, Ma felt that her dinner was successful.

The commissioners were astonished that roads were not a topic of conversation. They were fully persuaded, however, that no one except the two experts they had hired could exert a bit of influence. Thinking how kind Ted McCool had been to invite young Ma Dallas to dinner and to bring with him any friends he wished, they showed their gratitude in a way that pleased Ma.

"It takes her to cook a round dinner," thought Pa Dallas. "Some women make a meal too square. I hope Mr. Paul can swim, for he's liable to drown himself in cream if he don't watch out."

The day was older by three hours when the gray automobile passed through the big gate. As the car neared the county town Billy Mix, at the wheel, called to the two men in the tonneau:

"Well, which road are you for? You have seen both."

"That was a rattling good dinner we ate at Dallas's," remarked Mr. Tom Hart, "and she told us the latest thing was out whenever we happened along."

"We'll have to go out that west road to inspect the work from time to time—if we choose that road," said Ted McCool.

"Considering that one road is about as bad as the other," said the good-roads expert, "why, I vote west. I thought such a dinner had vanished along with my boyhood."

"I'd just as lief decide on the west road," said Billy Mix.

In the late afternoon a young man was diligently searching through the post-card rack in a variety store while he softly whistled. Can she make a cherry pie, Billy Boy, Billy Boy.

The next day Ma Dallas found a post card in her mail box; there was a picture of a fine bunch of cherries on one side, and on the other, beside the address, was a message written in lead pencil.

"Mercy me!" said Ma as she read it. "My dinner won us the road!"

She sat down very suddenly upon a bench by the flowering almond bushes; a bewildered expression crossed her round, plump face. "Now I'm some surprised! I never had a notion of serving any 'influence'—just a good country dinner."

The old Wyandotte that had furnished the piece de resistance for the meal of yesterday came walking by, holding her head pertly on one side.

"Chick-biddy," said Ma softly, "Chick-biddy, I calculate I'll adorn you with a name. I calculate hereafter I'll call you Influence."

(The End.)

A Drop of Water.

Did you know that when a drop of water reaches the ocean it is destined to remain there 3,460 years? That's the average. Some drops may be drawn out by evaporation the next day. Some drops may wander about in the ocean 10,000 years. But the average is 3,460 years.

All this has been figured out by scientists who have made a careful estimate of the total volume of water that goes into the ocean every year. They declare that one three thousand four hundred and sixtieth of all the water in the world goes into the sea every year.

The life of a drop of water once out of the ocean is apparently a merry and a busy one, for, after evaporation, it will become condensed into water again in about ten days, and it will not be many years before it will have found its way back to the ocean again, either by means of rivers or by evaporation, and then by means of rain from the Great Lakes or some such place.

But wherever the drop of water lands on earth it is not long before one of three things happens—it falls to earth and gets back to the ocean by subterranean passages, it falls into a river and flows back to the ocean, or it falls into a lake and is either evaporated into the clouds or finally gets into the river.

Central African tribes use fish traps to get much of their food.

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Irrigation Development in Southern Alberta.

Rapid development of a new country leads to the extensive use of land, with labor as the limiting factor. In parts of the West during recent years it has been realized that there was another limiting factor—moisture. Now we realize another factor of limitation in the soil—drifting, which, this year, in parts of Southern Alberta, has been disastrous in its effects.

Farming under irrigation has been increasingly practised during the past fifteen years in the area east and south of Lethbridge and has proved successful and profitable. Farming under irrigation leads to the more intensive use of land; provides against lack of moisture and tends towards the maintenance of soil fertility. In one area where soil-drifting has been most severe the remedy is closest to hand. The Lethbridge Northern Irrigation District which will draw its water from the Old Man River—an all-Canadian stream—is prepared to proceed at once with construction work as soon as financing can be arranged.

The farmers who own the 110,000 acres irrigable under the project are anxious that construction proceed at once.

That the farmers will be able to pay the cost is clearly demonstrated by the results obtained at the Lethbridge Experimental Farm. From 1908 to 1918 inclusive, a period of eleven years, the average increase per acre on irrigated land over dry land has been, wheat 23 bushels, oats 33 bushels, barley 25 bushels, peas 14 bushels and potatoes 250 bushels the results with alfalfa and hay were even more striking.

The Alberta Government has opened up communication with the Dominion Government with a view to evolving some plan to finance the District. There are other areas where the lands could be watered from all-Canadian streams, and on some of these the Dominion Reclamation Service is now completing surveys.

These areas with those capable of being irrigated from streams which are not all-Canadian make up a total of upwards of half a million acres.

Mistakes have been made in the past which, however, are now happily rectified, and it is hoped there will be no unnecessary delay on the part of Government in developing these public irrigation projects which will very soon after their practical inception, command the sound financial credit, which they will be entitled to.

G. R. Marnock, President Lethbridge Board of Trade, in a speech at the Winnipeg Conference on Conservation of Soil Fertility.

Hold Breath Test Heart.

Ability to hold the breath as a test of the efficiency of the heart is applied in England to would-be airmen. The Lancet (London), says the breath-holding test enables the physician to obtain a fair idea as to the stability of the central respiratory nervous apparatus of the examinee.

A stop-watch and a nose-clip are all the apparatus required, while the precise instructions as to carrying out the experiment are equally simple. The time the man can hold his breath before the inevitable and forceful sensation of the need to breathe compels him to give way is noted. The average time in the normal fit pilot is 69 seconds, the minimum being 45 seconds. Nearly all cases with a time record as short as this were rejected on medical grounds apart from this test.

Not the least interesting part of the test as applied to airmen is the reply given when the examinee is asked what caused him to give way and breathe in, the normal response being: "I had to give up," or "I wanted to breathe." Under conditions that point to unfitness for pilotage the reply may be: "I felt giddy," or "dizzy" or "squeamish" or "flushed," responses which indicate that other nerve centres are involved besides the true bulbar respiratory centre.

The combination of minimum time record and abnormal verbal response points to the examinee being one likely to suffer from oxygen hunger at high altitudes, and possibly is an inherent inability, by a strong effort of will to carry on under conditions of stress.

The Conqueror.

I have no patience with the man who says,
"Another day is gone."
Give me the man who sings in thick of night,
"Soon will be dawn!"

I have no patience with the man who holds
Life as a beggar's tale,
Give me the man with iron will to climb
And courage not to fall.

He dies indeed who never sees the sun,
Nor hears the song of rain,
But his is immortality on earth,
Whose every loss is gain!

Alarm clocks, better than the German pre-war models and almost as cheap, are to be made in London.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

Woman's Interests




The Home Surroundings.

On a long trip the other day in a comparatively long-settled country, I observed the farm houses along the way. Some were modest little places where the owners were evidently having a hard time to make ends meet, or had very recently moved on to the farm; others were occupied by renters but many of them were the homes of well-to-do resident owners. Not a few were backed by a fine set of buildings, surrounded by quite elaborate fences, quite pretentious in their architecture and yet they were barren looking places with nothing cozy and comfy appearing about them. And why? Only because of the lack of a few shrubs.

Perhaps the owners do not care, but strangers and buyers notice it. Ten dollars' worth of shrubs well placed about a house, may mean several hundred dollars' difference in the sale value, especially if the buyer happens to have his wife along.

These bare exteriors tell a pitiful story; they tell only too plainly that the people within those walls, especially the women, are worked to death for the lack of modern conveniences which they could well afford to have, and are so worn out with the duties within doors that they have no time or energy left to enjoy their worthwhile opportunities. Nearly everyone of those tell-tale yards advertises to all who pass by, that the man dwelling there is not giving the proper consideration to the comfort of his women folks. Given the leisure and the strength almost any woman will seek to beautify her surroundings. It is one of her chief joys. If she be deprived of it, she is deprived of one of the greatest joys of living in the country.

If more attention were paid to this, there would be fewer wives nagging their husbands to sell the place and move to town, and there would be more children anxious to stay on the farm.

The month of July is a good time to form an estimate of the value of shade. You have heard of the man who never shingled his house because he could not do it when it was raining and he did not need it when it was dry! We do not need shade in the early spring or the late fall, when the season is right for planting trees, and consequently do not think of it. When the sun is scorching them in midsummer, people make trees the next solutions to plant shade all about it when spring arrives. August is a good time to make an inventory of your shade and that of your neighbors. Observe the best shade trees of your section; see what kind they are, and decide where they ought to be located. Then put them down on your docket to be ordered next February. Do not put it off because you are afraid they will not grow up in time to do you any good. They will be a good size before you realize it. If they are needed, plant them; even if you cannot get the benefit of their shade, the next fellow will; and he is a real man who considers this next fellow, since earlier tree planters have benefitted him.

Reminders for Mothers.

Why should babies be weighed? Because it is one of the best ways by which the steady thriving of an infant can be ascertained.

How often should children be weighed? Every week regularly until the end of the first year. Once a month until the end of the second year. Once every three months until the twelfth year, or thereafter. Twice a year after that.

If a baby loses weight it shows there is something wrong, probably with its diet. If it loses weight during three successive weeks, a doctor should be consulted. Loss of weight at any period of childhood is always a serious matter, and should never be allowed to continue without ascertaining the cause.

The times already given for weighing apply to children in health. Delicate babies or children may need to be weighed more often.

Always weigh at the same hour each week or month. Always weigh before a meal, and the same weight of clothing as worn at previous weighing, or if this cannot be done, then weigh the extra clothes separately, otherwise accuracy of increase in weight cannot be arrived at. Remember that accuracy as to even half an ounce is important where babies are concerned. Bear in mind, too, that there should always be an increase in weight every week during the first year. Even standing still in weight, though not losing weight, is a matter that needs looking into at once, especially during the first year.

Do not trust to memory at these weighing times. Always keep a little book, and in this write down each child's age, with the date and result of each weighing.

Care of a Patient's Bed.

If possible, use a single bed in the sick room. If this is not convenient, be sure that there are no broken springs or missing castors and that the mattress is soft and comfortable and fits the bed well. Place the head of the bed straight against the wall, not too near the window but near

enough to insure a free circulation of fresh air.

It is a mistake to pile too many clothes on a bed. The patient endures the discomfort of the unnecessary weight and is really no warmer than with fewer bedclothes and with a hot water bottle at his feet.

If a rubber sheet is necessary to protect the mattress, use a large one that will tuck in well. Be sure that there are no wrinkles under the patient's back. The heat of the body is increased by a rubber sheet making the patient perspire, and the presence of wrinkles in the rubber, or even if the linen sheet, often causes great discomfort if not actual bed sores.

In making the bed it is a good plan to use a draw sheet, or narrow sheet, somewhat longer than an ordinary one. This is used with the length across the bed and can be tucked far in on one side of the bed and drawn through to the other side, making a fresh, cool spot for the patient to lie on. When crushed but not soiled, the discarded top sheet can be used for a draw sheet by folding it once lengthwise.

To make the bed without disturbing the patient, proceed as follows:

In the first place, have everything you need at hand.

Loosen the bedclothes all around, without jarring the bed.

Take out the pillows, shake them up and put them to air, unless the patient objects to being without them. Remove the spread and one blanket. Take off the top sheet. If possible use it for a fresh lower sheet, or for a draw sheet.

Next, change gown and rub patient's back.

Now turn the patient on one side, straighten rubber sheet and lower sheet and pull draw sheet through. If the lower sheet needs changing, roll the soiled one up lengthwise to the middle of the bed. Place a fresh sheet exactly where it should come on the side left bare. Tuck it in firmly and roll the surplus width toward the middle of the bed and next to the soiled sheet, both being very close to the patient.

Now turn the patient back over both sheets; remove the soiled one. Draw the clean sheet out smooth and tuck firmly. A nervous patient needs a well-made bed.

Put on a clean top sheet and the blankets and spread, tucking them in carefully so that they will not be too tight across the patient's feet.

In making a bed while the patient remains in it, all care should be taken to work swiftly. Keep the patient warmly covered. Avoid any undue exertion on the part of the patient.

To raise a patient in bed, have him flex his knees so that his feet rest firmly on the bed. With one hand grasp him firmly under the arm nearest you, and while you raise him from the bed, adjust the pillows with the other hand. Always work swiftly.

The String Trick.

Here is a trick that is startling and puzzling, but so simple that with a little preparation any girl can do it.

The performer places her hands together in front of her, holding the palms against each other and the fingers flat. She then allows her wrists to be bound together with a handkerchief. A string is passed between her outstretched arms and behind the handkerchief that binds her wrists; both ends of the string are held by some one who stands facing the performer. In full view of the spectators the performer gets the string out from behind her wrists without removing the handkerchief that binds them, and while her assistant is still holding the two ends of the string.

When her wrists have been tied with the handkerchief and the string has been passed between her outstretched arms, the performer moves away from the person who holds the ends of the string until she has pressed the string down tight against the handkerchief that binds her wrists. Then she steps forward a pace or two and allows the string to slacken a little. With her teeth or with her fingers she takes hold of the string and pulls it through the handkerchief—that is, between the handkerchief and the inside of her wrists. When the loop thus made is large enough, she slips it over one of her hands and asks her assistant to pull steadily on the string. When the assistant pulls, the string slips between the handkerchief and the outside of the performer's wrist; the loop of the string falls to the floor without her removing the handkerchief and without the assistant's letting go the ends of the string.

The best way to practice is to get the things and work on them with these directions in front of you; in that way the simplicity of the trick will be strongly impressed upon you.

The Pioneers.

To them life was a simple art
Of duties to be done.
A game where each man took his part,
A race where all must run.

A battle whose great schemes and scope
They little cared to know,
Content, as men-at-arms to cope
Each with his fronting foe.

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The clock is ticking on the wall;
The sweet dew has bathed the morning's flowers,
And golden sunshine gilds them all
Fair Mother Earth in emerald green
Her lovely form doth all adorn;
Forget the past, the night has been,
Come forth and greet the smiling morn.

O seize the present—it is ours,
No tides delay, my boat is near,
I'm jealous of the fleeting hours,
For winter snows are all too near.
O'er yonder deep no clouds are seen
To stain its depths a deeper hue;
Forget the past, the night has been,
Full flooded Life once more renew.

This Life is mixed with sweets and sour,
Sunshine and shadow, grief and pain;
O seize the present, it is ours,
The past is gone nor comes again.
If in your eyes the calm serene
A sudden moisture should annoy,
Forget the past, the night has been,
If any tears, then tears of joy.

France is Scrapping Powder Factories.

France has again refuted the charge that she is militaristic by commencing to transform her powder factories into industrial plants not allied with war, says a Paris despatch. The largest munitions plant in Toulouse is being adapted to the manufacture of phosphate, fertilizer and ammonia through the extraction of nitrates from available powder supplies.

Even the French War Minister has approved the plan, although he has insisted on holding some of the factories in case of emergency. In this he was supported by Gen. Marglin, who asserted that until universal peace is really established it would be unwise to throw away the sword without even turning it into a ploughshare. The present plan is to maintain several small plants, which will be devoted to the manufacture of guano, in which form it can be preserved until needed.

The Derelict of Dreams.

Three ships sailed out to win the race
Together at the starter's word;
While each one kept a goodly pace
Men timed the two, but not the third.

She was the Derelict of Dreams,
The two stout ships their efforts spurred,
And though they caught not sight nor gleams
They felt the presence of the third.

Successful failure was her goal,
She steered by every wind that stirred;
The others fell in her control—
She was the winner, though the third.

A horse collar of steel instead of leather has come into use in France.

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