

YES, ANY SENSIBLE WOMAN

(By D. J. Walsh)

"LIGHT the place up, Annabell," said Mrs. Tucker, as the maid let her into the apartment. "And take this," Mrs. Tucker handed the maid one small package, the fruits of an afternoon's shopping.

"I must be very tiresome shopping in the rain," Annabell ventured. "But I love shopping! Was there any mail?"

"Yes, ma'am, a catalogue and something that looks like an invitation," Annabell answered, handing over the catalogue and a square white envelope.

"I wonder who can be giving a party?" Mrs. Tucker mused as she opened the envelope. She read the note, looked surprised and puzzled and then grabbed for the envelope.

"You have a lot of jokes on Oscar, don't you?" Frank asked. "But this one was rich. He seems to have received a rather incriminating note and his wife got hold of it."

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begged her to give Tuck a chance to explain, but to all this Lillian was deaf. No evidence could be more complete or convincing than the note she held and she was going to leave.

She was beginning to wonder why the taxi did not come when the bell rang and she started up, hastily powdered her nose, looked as bright as she could, when the door opened and Mason walked in.

"Hello, Frank, old man. Hello, Lil," he said as he started to kiss her. "I thought you had a business engagement," was Lillian's return to his greeting.

"I did," Mason went on to explain, "but when I called you I thought you sounded rather as if you weren't well, so I came straight home."

"Some damn show on at the Circle. They have taken a rather unique but dangerous way of advertising it. They wrote a lot of notes about 'Meet me at Main and Garden,' and signed 'Del.' That's the Circle address, though there's a drug store right on the corner, which helped out the story."

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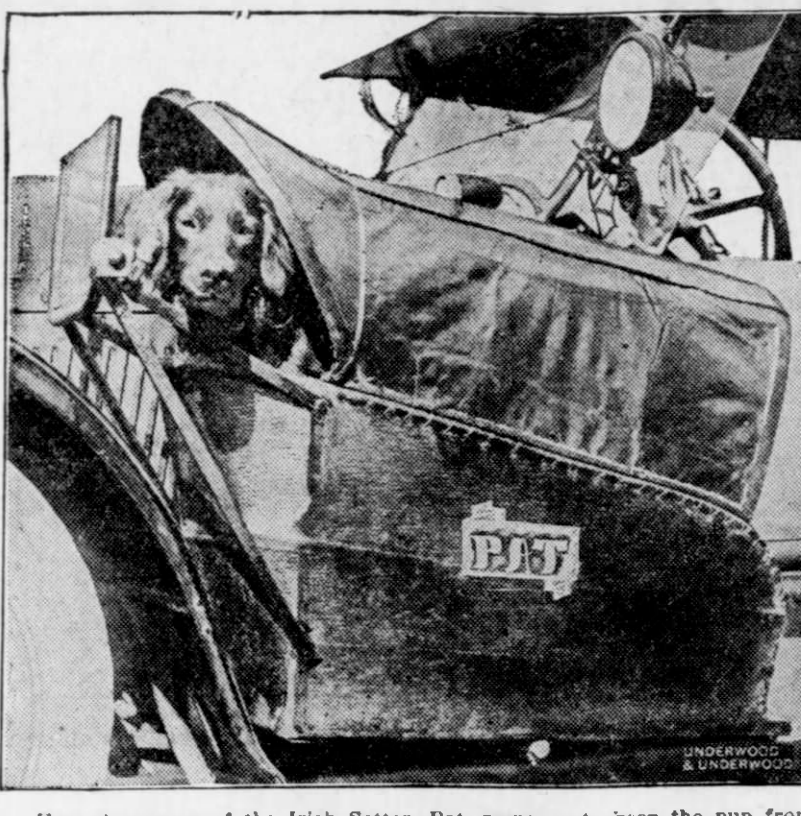
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Frank again came to the rescue nobly. "We were going out to get a bite, since you had phoned that you would not be here. But I guess you two have a little party of your own on tonight and a poor bachelor like me must seek the lonely club."

While she called goodby to Frank, Lillian hurriedly tucked the crumpled note in her desk out of sight and turned to fairly beam upon her Tuck.

CAN'T JUMP OUT OF CAR TO CHASE CATS



How the owner of the Irish Setter, Pat, manages to keep the pup from risking his life jumping from the moving car to chase cats. The little covered wagon keeps the dog safe. He's a Los Angeles dog.

THREE DEVICES WILL SAVE CARS

Minimize Wear and Increase Life of Automobile Engine.

The three devices that minimize wear and increase the automobile engine's life are air cleaners, oil filters and crankcase ventilators, students of General Motors Institute of Technology were told in an address by Sumner S. Howard, a director of service.

"The air cleaner prevents road dust from being breathed into the engine through the carburetor and causing excessive wear to cylinder walls, piston rings, etc." Mr. Howard said.

"The oil filter is an excellent device, but it must be kept so. In the most commonly used filter device, the cartridge or straining element is good for about 10,000 miles as it then becomes clogged and the oil is by-passed without straining. It is the same as having no filter, and this is why the oil filter should be serviced after 10,000 miles operation."

"An ally of the oil filter and air cleaner in preventing wear is crankcase ventilation, which removes or minimizes water and fuel that would contaminate the oil. Crankcase ventilation, which is in quite general use, is usually accomplished in two ways. One is to pass a blast of air from a fan through a tube, causing a suction from the crankcase, which carries with it any vapors that may be present in the crankcase. The other method is to take a certain portion of air across the surface of the crankcase and into the intake of the carburetor, carrying with it the water moisture and fuel vapors."

Grade crossings at towns on some of the less active branch lines of railroads in Massachusetts and New Hampshire are now unguarded without violation of rather strict laws governing the protection of intersections of roadways and railways. Until recently pensioned employees served as gatemen and flagmen at such crossings.

The nation rejoices happily in the possession of an ex-President who is not afraid to use a little old fashioned car.

The KITCHEN CABINET

(C. 1923, Western Newspaper Union) Swallow, my sister, O, sister, swallow. How can thine heart be full of spring? A thousand summers are over and dead.

When making chocolate add a drop or two of cinnamon extract, instead of vanilla to the pot before serving.

Before baking potatoes, drop them into boiling water for a few minutes then put them to bake in a very hot oven. This saves time and heat.

Use milk instead of water when mixing mustard for the table. Put macaroni to cook in a colander or coarse sieve, this will save it from sticking to the bottom of the pan and it can then be drained easily.

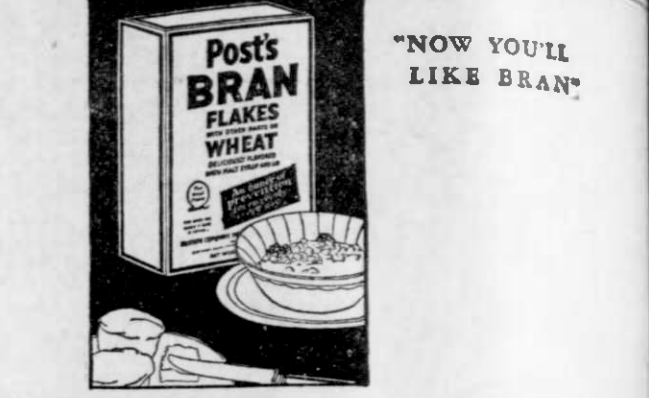
When making tomato soup the milk will not curdle if you pour it into the hot tomato, instead of the tomato into the milk.

When sleepless try a glass of hot milk just before retiring. In preparing gravies, porridge and sauces add the salt just before serving.

When cream is thin add an egg white to each pint of the cream and whip. Place apples in the cake box to keep the cake moist. Renew them as they wither.

Breakfast muffins may be toasted to serve with tea. Pull them apart and toast brown. Spread the cut side of cheese with butter to keep it from drying out.

Grated cheese that has become dry may be made palatable by adding hot cream to it. When melted turn into a jar and use as cream cheese.



Effective and so tempting, too

These appetizing bran flakes are extra delicious with fruit on bread and muffins.

POST'S BRAN FLAKES

WITH OTHER PARTS OF WHEAT

No Time for Business With the Smelt Biting Charles Francis Adams, who resigned as treasurer of Harvard university to become secretary of the navy under Hoover, is as typical an Adams as Samuel, John Quincy and all the rest, and inherits from them a love of the sea and fishing and sailing—also their characteristic independence.

That's Evildoer When christened, she was Mary. As she grew up she was called Mary. When she became a doctor she was called Mary. Some years ago she married and she is just "Ma."

Me and the Goat A photographer had canvassed the neighborhood, bringing with him a goat and wagon, and had taken pictures of all the children who could be persuaded to sit in the wagon. Little Jane, age three, had been snapped, and was very enthusiastic about the pictures that were to come.

Her Lucky Day When Mr. and Mrs. Irving T. Clark, of Rochester, N. Y., arrived at Perry, N. Y., on a motor trip that had included East Aurora, Mrs. Clark was greatly alarmed to find her \$1,500 diamond ring, and heirloom, missing. She searched the hotel at East Aurora, where she had had dinner. The ring could not be found in the hotel, so Mr. and Mrs. Clark returned to East Aurora. They found the ring near the curb in front of the hotel, where it had lain for hours, unnoticed.

Hen Faithful to Trust Although the barn of Ezra Hess of Waller, Pa., was completely destroyed by a windstorm, not a stick of timber of the barn remaining upright, a hen sitting on a nest of eggs in a corner of the barn was unharmed and undisturbed. While workmen cleaned up the wreckage she remained at her post and was so found by them when they pulled away some timbers.

Hawaii Best Sugar Area Sugar planters in Hawaii can grow four or five times as much sugar to the acre as those of any other sugar producing country of the world, according to the Island territory. Hawaii's wonderful productivity, the declares, is the result almost wholly of scientific study and experimentation by its sugar planters.—Gas Logic.

White Crosses Too Depressing in Ohio

Motorists in Ohio have started a movement for the repeal of the law which requires the erection of a white cross at every spot along a highway where there has been a traffic fatality.

Instrument Will Tell Needs of Auto Battery



The "Uno," an instrument invented by C. W. Ward, of Los Angeles, by which the motorist can tell whether his battery needs charging and also if it has sufficient water. The device is a galvanometer acting as a voltmeter and is connected with the battery by means of a lead electrode with another insulated wire running to the starter switch. The inventor is holding the new device.

Clever Job in Freeing Sticking Accelerator

Experienced motorists do not get alarmed when the accelerator, underlubricated at its various points of anchorage or suffering from a stiff spring tension, begins to stick slightly. They merely pull it up with the sides of their shoes. Sometimes it becomes second nature for them to resort to this practice. That is wrong.

AUTOMOBILE FACTS

The public has averaged an investment of \$1,000,000,000 a year for the past ten years in good roads.

Happening to be on a motor highway is probably a modern town's easiest way of getting on the map.

Something else the old-timers did not receive when they bought a new horse was free service for six months or a year.

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Cachalot Only Whale That Yields Ambergris

The greatest of the toothed whales is the sperm whale or cachalot, which attains a length of more than 60 feet, or, according to some statements, as much as 80 feet.

Spring Clearances Are Lessened by Usual Year

During the inspection of the new car while one is jotting down the various identification marks and numbers, it is a good plan to measure the clearance between the centers of the springs and the frame just above.

Check Air Pressure

Checking air pressure in tires at least once a week is advised, keeping the pressure at the amount recommended by the car manufacturer.

Self-Deception

We deceive and flatter no one by such delicate artifices, as we do ourselves.—Schopenhauer.

Light and Health The relation of ultra-violet health is the most important discovery in physiology since the discovery of penicillin.



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Lots of folks who think "indigestion" has only a few symptoms or ten minutes. An indigestion like Phillips Milk of Magnesia restores digestion to normal.

The whole world is getting mance—not just the people, but the sober middle-class American Magazine.

Or a Night Blind The old-time girl who clings to the vine, the usually a rambler.—Lillian.

Many men are born to failure; however, drilled out of them.

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- Peanuts, 28c
- Silver Buckle Apricots, 21c
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- Safety Matches, 15c
- Silver Buckle Raisins, 21c
- Campfire Marshmallows, 1 pound box 25c
- Fruit Syrup, all flavors, 24c

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Saturday, June 22, 1929

Carl Goertz was a Milwaukee visitor Saturday.
Regular monthly stock fair next Wednesday.
Yesterday, Friday, was the long day of the year.
Joe Straub of Lomira was a pleasant caller here Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Wells of Chicago spent Monday here.
B. M. Rosenheimer was a business caller at Chicago Thursday.
Miss Benetta Becker spent Thursday evening with Virginia Kral.
Louis Rath was a business caller at North Fond du Lac last Friday.
Norbert Becker and Art. Schaefer spent Saturday at Milwaukee.
Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Martin spent Sunday with relatives at Savannah, Ill.
Ray Perschbacher spent several days this week with friends in Chicago.
Wm. Ferrier of Campbellsport was a pleasant village caller Thursday.
Miss Tillie Mayer visited from Saturday until Monday with relatives at Milwaukee.
The Badger Firemen's convention will be held at Menomonee Falls tomorrow, Sunday.
John Louis Schaefer and Edward Drobner were business callers at Milwaukee last Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Anton Wiesner and Mrs. John Kral spent Tuesday with relatives at West Bend.
Miss Helen Schlosser, telephone operator at the local exchange, is enjoying a week's vacation.
Mr. and Mrs. Philip Steger of Theresa, spent Sunday evening with Esther and Leona Steger.
Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard Peters of Milwaukee, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Stelpluff and family.
Dr. Chester Perschbacher of Appleton spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Perschbacher.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Quade were at Chicago Monday where they attended the graduation of their son Raymond from the North Western Medical school.

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Misses Helen Kohn and Dolores Andreae spent last Friday with Mrs. Veronice Naumann at West Bend.
Mr. and Mrs. John Kleinschay and family visited from Saturday until Monday with relatives at Wautoma.
Arnold Kral and Mrs. Elizabeth Kastin and friends spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Kral and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Flasch of St. Kilian, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Eberle and daughter Lorraine.
Mr. and Mrs. Math. Stockhausen and family of Milwaukee, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stelpluff.
Save \$1.50 for a new hat.—your old battery is worth that in trade on a new one at Gamble Stores, West Bend.
Mrs. John Van Blarcom Sr., of West Bend, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. John Van Blarcom Jr., here.
Mrs. J. F. Gorin and daughter Lois Marjorie of Chicago are spending a week with Mrs. Jac Muckerheide and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Shield, Mrs. Al. Beisbier and daughter Claudia, Math. Beisbier spent Monday with friends at Milwaukee.
Mrs. N. W. Rosenheimer and daughter Linda left last week for Antigo, where they will visit some time with relatives.
Mrs. A. C. Backus and daughters Lucile and Charlotte of Milwaukee, spent Wednesday with Dr. and Mrs. N. E. Hausmann.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Smith and family of Menasha, spent Tuesday with Mrs. S. E. Witzig and Mrs. Tillie Zeimet and families.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Quade, son Dr. Raymond and daughter Elizabeth spent Wednesday and Thursday with friends at Merrill, Wis.
Dr. Wm. Hausmann Sr., of West Bend, has been elected a delegate to the national dental convention to be held at Washington, D. C.
Mrs. Frank Stelpluff, who is confined to her home since last week when she had a hemorrhage of the stomach, is slowly improving.
Mrs. Mary Wirshing and family home by his sister Elizabeth, student at the University of Wisconsin, who will spend her summer vacation with her parents here.
Mr. and Mrs. Don Harbeck and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bath and son Louis, motored to Watertown Sunday. Mr. Harbeck was called to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Victoria Harbeck, who fractured her hip in a fall at her home Saturday night. Mrs. Harbeck remained there for an indefinite stay.



"See Mrs. K. Endlich's add elsewhere in this paper."

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Miller of Milwaukee, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Miller and other relatives and friends.
—A marriage license was issued this week by County Clerk Kraemer to Carl F. Schaefer, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Schaefer of here and Miss Rose Boesewetter of West Bend. The wedding takes place today, Saturday.
—Mrs. John H. Martin, George Martin and family and Marvin Martin of West Bend, spent Sunday with John H. Martin at the Milwaukee Hospital. Mr. Martin who was operated upon for the removal of a goitre, is getting along very nicely.

—Mrs. Carl Reinhardt of Milwaukee, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rupp of Long Beach, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jansen of Calumet, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walsh of Milwaukee, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Struebing and son Lester, Mrs. Christ Struebing of Elmore visited with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Spindler and family Sunday.
—Fourteen prominent citizens and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Guth of Adell enjoyed a seven o'clock banquet at the Republican House here Wednesday evening. After the banquet the guests were entertained at Bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ockenfels. The party was in the nature of a surprise in honor of Mr. Guth's birthday.

—The following celebrated Mr. and Mrs. John Kral's 30th wedding anniversary Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Kilian Kral and son Lloyd of West Bend; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Skalitzky and son Leland of Racine; Mr. and Mrs. Al. Beisbier and daughter Claudia of here; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rheinhardt of Racine; Mr. and Mrs. Simon Strachota, Mr. and Mrs. Kilian Ruplinger, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wahlen and sons Harry and Edwin of St. Kilian; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleischmann and son Frank and daughter Ruth Mary of St. Kilian; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Shield and Math. Beisbier of here; Mr. and Mrs. Anton Weisner and son Sylvan and daughters Regina and Cora of St. Bridgets; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Haug of here and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bauman and son Howard of Milwaukee.

BOLTONVILLE

The school board from here attended the convention at West Bend Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hiller and sons spent Sunday evening at the Walter Liepert home.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Frauenheim and daughter were Kewaskum callers on Wednesday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Marshman, Cora Marshman were entertained at a dinner at the Harry Rudolph home at West Bend Sunday.

TOWN SCOTT

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Geier spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Sheboygan.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moldenhauer and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ramek spent Sunday at Milwaukee.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schneider and family of Sheboygan spent Sunday with Otto Schaefer and family.
Miss Gladys Klug, Anna, Cresence and Alex Pesch and Walter Teusch of Kewaskum spent Sunday at Decada.
Mr. and Mrs. John Fellenz and daughter Rita returned home Monday after spending a week with relatives in Minneapolis, Minn.

NOTICE OF MEETING OF TOWN BOARD OF REVIEW

Public notice is hereby given that the board of review for the town of Auburn will meet at the office of the undersigned town clerk on the 24th day of June, 1929, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of reviewing and examining the assessment roll of real and personal property in said town, and all sworn statements and valuations of real and personal property therein, and of bank stock, and of correcting all errors in said roll, whether in description of property or otherwise.
Dated this 12th day of June, 1929.
FRANK SCHULTZ,
Town Clerk.

GROCERY SPECIALS

- Sunlite Jelly Powder, 3 pks. for 19c
- Post's Bran Flakes, 2 pks. for 25c
- Hoffmann's China Oats, package 33c
- VanCamp's Pork and Beans, 2 cans for 23c
- Maraschino Cherries, at 23c
- Peanut Butter, pint jar 25c
- Del Monte Salmon, No. 2 can 29c
- Camel, Lucky Strike, Old Gold or Chesterfield Cigarettes, 2 for 25c
- 1 pound can K-C Baking Powder 20c
- Quick Naptha Soap Chips 22c
- Cherry and Raspberry Syrup 25c
- Kraft Malted Milk, 2 for 79c
- Blatz Malt Extract, can 53c

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No Matinee Monday
Tuesday and Wednesday, June 25-26—Double Feature—Tom Tyler in "The Bride of Pawnee" and "The Far Call" with Charles Martin and Leila Hyams.
Thursday and Friday, June 27-28—George Bancroft in "Thunder Bolt."
Saturday, June 29—Reginald Denry in "His Lucky Day."

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Winter wheat	90
Wheat	90
Barley	45to 65
Rye No. 1	90
Oats	40
Eggs strictly fresh	28-
Unwashed wool	32-33c
Beans, per lb.	9
Hides (all skin)	14
Cow Hides	8
Horse Hides	4.00 4.25
Live Poultry	
Old Roosters	17
Hens heavy	24
Light hens	18
Broilers heavy	30-34
Leghorn broilers	26
Ducks young	25
Black chicks	18

OUR COMIC SECTION

Along the Concrete



Control of Rats Up to Community

Where Food and Shelter Are Lacking Rodents Are Chased Away.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) Definite headway in rat control requires not the mere killing off of rats as they are encountered in markets, poultry yards, homes, or wherever they abound, but more especially the removal of those conditions that are responsible for the rats, according to the biological survey of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Shut Off Food Supply. Rats require food and shelter, and where these are lacking they cannot persist. Modern building construction and sanitation, as practiced in our more progressive cities, deprive rats of suitable living and breeding places, and shut off their usual food supply.

Way to Clean Brooder by Using Heavy Paper

A good way to keep the floor of a brooder clean is to cover the floor with heavy paper. Over this scatter litter or cut straw. When the paper becomes soiled, it is removed, litter and all, and burned or buried. It is much easier to replace both the paper and litter than to scrub the floors when soiled. Then, too, the brooders are always dry, whereas if they must be scrubbed often, they are liable to be damp sometimes, and then look out for roup. Dampness will bring on roup in young chicks, and is sometimes so fatal and does its work of destruction so quickly, that one has no chance to use a remedy, if one can be found. It is much more fatal to young chicks than to mature fowls.

Cultivate Everbearing Strawberries All Year

Everbearing strawberries need lots of cultivating and hoeing. It is not necessary to keep the weeds out, but the ground should be worked frequently whether there are any weeds or not, as the everbearers do not like to be left standing in a hard soil even if there are no weeds. So keep the ground stirred so that there is a mulch of loose soil around them at all times if you want them to do their best for you.

Profitable to Discard Misshapen Potato Seed

Many potato growers are finding it profitable to throw out the long, slender, or badly misshapen tubers from their seed. These tubers carry the virus of the spindle tuber disease. The yield from them is practically nothing. When buying seed, avoid any lot of seed which carries a large number of these "run-out" potatoes. Remember when buying seed potatoes, you are not buying a bushel of potatoes but rather you are making an investment in a crop. It may be a profitable one or it may be unprofitable. Good seed is worth more money, for it yields a higher return on the investment.

Bud Grafting on Trees Really Simple Process

Bud grafting or "budging," as it is often called, is the process of transplanting an eye or bud from one tree or shrub to another, and is really a simple process when once the operator "knows how." There are a few essential points, however, that are frequently overlooked, and one of the principal ones of these is to have the bark of the stock so that it slides freely. Almost every man or boy from the country can remember in his earlier days the

HUSKER-SHREDDER EFFECTIVE DESTROYER OF CORN BORERS

Solves the Problem in Pest Clean-Up Program.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) While the husker-shredder has long been recognized as a useful machine in the corn belt, its effectiveness as a destroyer of corn borers in corn fodder has given it a new significance.

Shredding tests, they say, indicate that kills of from 98 to 100 per cent of the borers may be obtained, and that any that escape death in the machine probably perish during the process of storing or feeding the shredded material. The maximum kill is obtained when stalks are cut in lengths of one-half inch or less. Other advantages attributed to the husker-shredder are cited by the farm management specialist of the department in Farmers' Bulletin 1539-F, 'The Husker-Shredder on Eastern Corn Belt Farms,' just issued. This bulletin is based largely on informa-

Agricultural Squibs

Oil will prolong the life of harness many years. Use best seed obtainable. Poor seed is expensive at any price. Watch costs and markets and profits will take care of themselves. Early and late vegetables are usually more profitable than mid-season crops.

According to agricultural college figures, farm buildings should be repainted every three and half years. Every crop grower and shipper should be certain he knows when and how to harvest and how to grade and pack.

The most important single spraying is the one that should be applied directly after the blossoms drop. Economy in storing and handling grain will aid in reducing the overhead and increase the income from the grain crop.

Legume hays are rich in lime and bran, and the oil meals are rich in phosphorus. Feeding them helps to reduce mineral shortage. There are several species of cutworms under several common names. The damage is similar for all species and their life history is much alike.

There should be enough cattle on a farm to consume the alfalfa, if it has to be baled and shipped the expense and work is too great to pay for the shipping and baling. Sweet clover is a particularly valuable pasture in dry seasons and in a season of drought the farmer with sweet clover pasture is usually able to come through without any shortage of roughage or forage.

Authentic Information Given in Seed Catalogues

Vegetable growers, whether home garden or commercial, should consider carefully the source, quality, and variety of seed to be planted. If you have located a good source, endeavor to get seed of identical parentage for use this year. Send for catalogs of several seedsmen, but do not shop around too much. Extravagant, vague statements regarding varieties should be disregarded, but much authentic information may be obtained from reliable seed catalogs.

Cutting Forests

Where forests are cut down with no provision for immediate regrowth, the economic effects reach out far beyond the lumber business. Industries move away, wages are reduced, bank deposits decrease, farmers lose their markets, railroad revenues shrink, schools deteriorate, good roads are fewer, tax burdens pile up, and abandoned farms abound.

while citizen Lauzet and I will be anxiously waiting for news. We'll make a start soon after you, and strike the brittle path through the forest. This gives us a short cut which will bring us to Epone just in time to hear your news. If you have been attacked, send me a courier thither as soon as you have the English spies securely bound and gagged inside your coach. "Thou art full, citizen," the young captain rejoined eagerly.

Lauzet, who had stood by, anxious and silent, whilst this colloquy was going on, shrugged his shoulders with a show of philosophy. "And at worst," he said, "if that meddling Scarlet Pimpernel should think prudence the better part of valor, if he should scent a trap and carefully avoid it, we would always have the satisfaction of sending the Deszeze family to the guillotine."

"The English spies," Chauvelin rejoined dryly, "will not scent a trap, nor will they give up the attempt to rescue the Deszeze family. This is just a case to rouse their ire against us, and if it prove successful, one to flatter their vanity and redound to their credit in their own country. No," he went on thoughtfully, "I have no fear that the Scarlet Pimpernel will evade us this time. He will attack, I know. The only question is, when he does are we sufficiently prepared to defeat him?"

"With the half-dozen excellent men whom I have picked up here in Mantas," the young officer retorted, "I shall have nine under my command, and we are prepared for the attack. It is the English spies who will be surprised, we who will hold the advantage, even as to numbers, for the Scarlet Pimpernel can only work with two or three followers, and we shall outnumber them three to one."

"Then good luck attend you, citizen captain," Chauvelin said at last. "You are in a fair way of rendering your country a signal service; see that you let not fame and fortune evade you in the end. Remember that you will have to deal with one of the most astute as well as most daring adventurers of our times, who has baffled men that were cleverer and at least as ambitious as yourself. Stay," the Terrorist added, and placed his thin, claw-like hand as if in warning on the other man's arm. "It is impossible, even for me who know him as he is and who has seen him in scores of disguises, to give you any accurate description of his personality; but one thing you can bear in mind is that he is tall above the average; tall, even for an Englishman, and his height is the one thing about him that he cannot disguise. So beware of every man who is taller than yourself, citizen captain, however innocent he may appear, take the precaution to detain him. Mistrust every tall man, for one of them is of a surety the Scarlet Pimpernel."

He finally reminded the young captain to send him a courier with the welcome news as soon as possible. "Citizen Lauzet and I" he concluded, "will ride by the brittle path and await you at Epone. I shall be dejected with anxiety until I hear from you."

The men were not nervous, not at first. They were merely excited, knowing what awaited them, both during the journey and afterward by way of reward. If they were successful there would be for every man engaged in the undertaking a sufficiency to provide for himself and his family for the rest of his life. The capture of the Scarlet Pimpernel! Half a dozen magic words in truth, and they had spurred Citizen Captain Raffet and his squad with boundless enthusiasm. They felt no discomfort either from tearing wind or driving rain. With eyes fixed before them they rode on, striving to pierce the mist-laden distance where the enemy of France was even now lurking, intent on that adventure which would be his last.

It was long past five o'clock when the diligence with its escort reached the edge of the forest. What little daylight there had been all afternoon was already beginning to wane; the sky was of a leaden color, heavily laden with rain clouds, save way behind in the west, where a few fiery, crimson streaks cut through the clouds like sharp incisions, there, where the setting sun still lingered in the autumn sky. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

Nature Will Out

The gods were once disputing whether it was possible for a living being to change its nature. Jupiter said "Yes," but Venus said "No." So, to try the question, Jupiter turned a cat into a maiden, and gave her to a young man for a wife. The wedding was duly performed, and the young couple sat down to the wedding feast. "See," said Jupiter to Venus, "how becomingly she behaves. Who could tell that yesterday she was a cat? Surely her nature is changed." "Wait a minute," replied Venus, and let loose a mouse into the room. No sooner did the bride see this than she jumped up from her seat and tried to pounce upon the mouse. "Ah, you see," said Venus, "nature will out."—Aesop.

One Requirement Insisted On for Book

The available salesman in New York City stores are seldom surprised at the response—the public demand—for a book that is both in the both in the best of the best. But one of them being that the other day he had a request from a dissipated little old lady that he should give her a book—knocked over her own words—"knocked over her own words."

Learned Societies

The American Council of Learned Societies consists of the following societies: American Philosophical Society, American Academy of Arts and Sciences, American Antiquarian Society, American Oriental Society, American Philological Association, American Historical Association, American Economic Association, American Philological Association, American Political Science Association, American Sociological Society, Linguistic Society of America, History of Science Society and Medieval Academy of America.

Valley Well-Named

The valley received its name from the fact that in 1849 a party of gold-seekers who had families made a winter camp in the valley and less than a month later they were all dead. The name was given to the valley in honor of the dead.

THE FEATHERHEADS



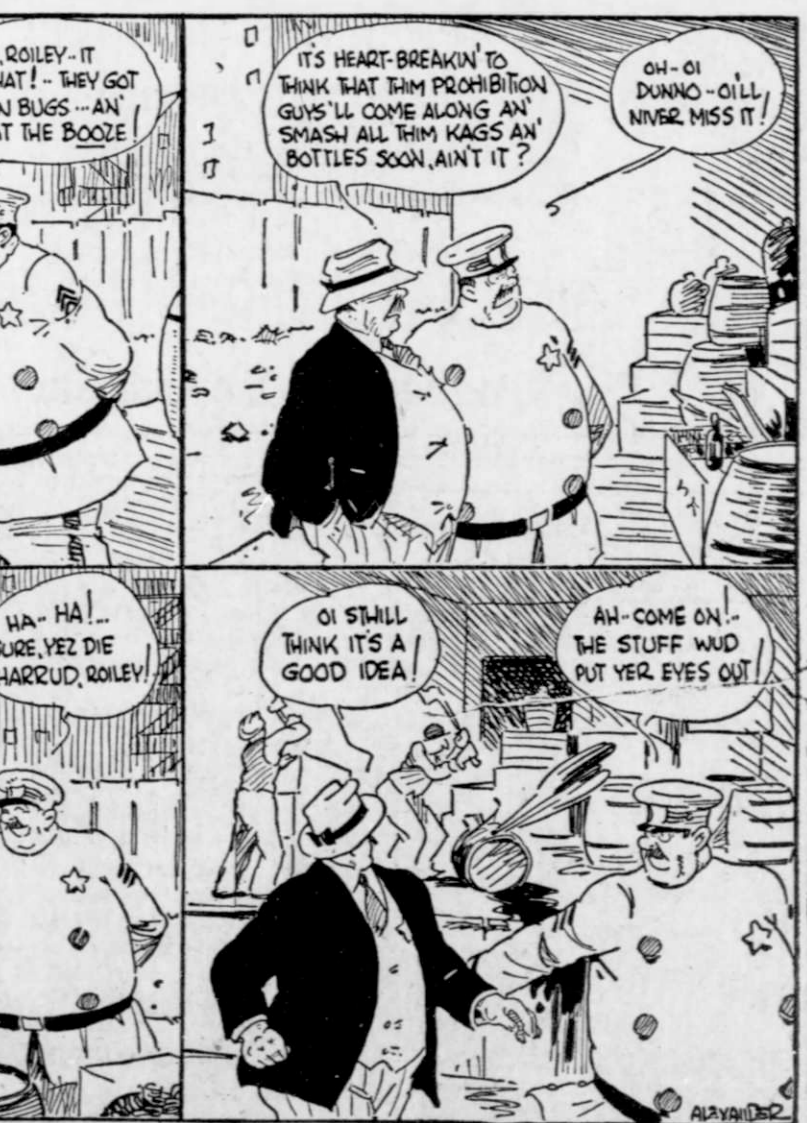
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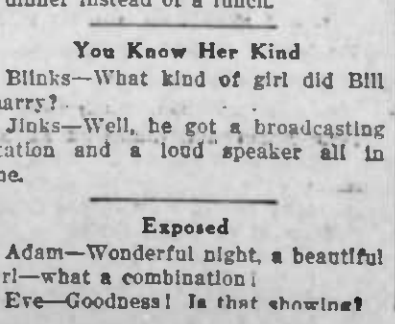
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How It Worked

