

MAKING CUTTINGS.

Every Farmer Should Select and Prepare His Own Nursery Stock—How It Is Done.

For people to have their own stock to propagate on their own farms, it is necessary to select the best material available.

The style of wagon platform that is most generally used in western New York for handling apples is made of three planks forming a platform.

APPLE WAGON PLATFORM.

Convenient Arrangement for the Wagon Which Will Facilitate Handling.

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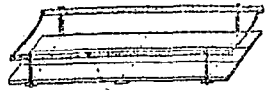


Fig. 1. Fig. 2. Fig. 3. RIGGING FOR APPLE WAGON.

over the stable iron, so the rail can be easily lifted off, and the barrels unhooked from the side of the wagon.

POINTS FOR ORCHARDISTS.

High, well-drained land is suitable for cherries. Do you still believe in fumigating your stock before planting?

HEALTH AND BEAUTY.

If You Would Have a Good Complexion You Must Keep Digestive System Cleaned and Liver Active.

Practice deep breathing, and carry these deep inspirations with the mouth closed, retain the breath a few seconds, and exhale through the nostrils.



GOOD EXERCISE FOR THE LIVER.

of the morning and the afternoon, drink a substantial cup of hot beef water, and before retiring have your second cup of boiling water, with a dash of lemon juice.

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ATTRIBUTES OF BEAUTY.

A good set of teeth, with not an atom of gold visible. A complexion as smooth as satin and as creamy as nature can make it.

A nice, small throat, round and well-shaped, not a double throat nor a neck that is stiff.

For Negligent Weep. Among the dressing gowns a new idea is a large garment of china silk, accordion plaited and covered entirely with the "fall-over" valances.

The Bridal Party. The members of a bridal party—bridesmaids, ushers, etc.—should call upon the mother of the bride within a week or ten days after the wedding.

Morning Calls. In the city only one's intimate friends are privileged to call in the morning, unless it is in regard to a matter of business.

SLEEPING CAR MANNERS.

Some Hints as to How to Make Yourself Comfortable and Not Interfere with Others.

First of all, do not smoke in the car, and do not drink alcohol.

Learn to do a good job in your berth, and do not make a nuisance of yourself.

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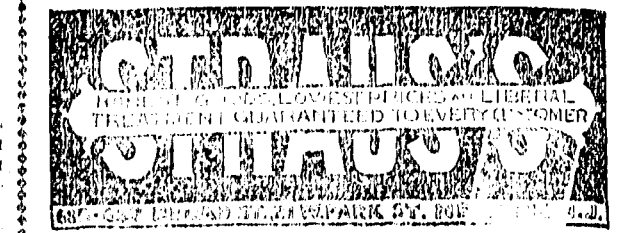
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Out of Date.
Some sensation was caused during a Sunday school address the other day by a little girl who had overheard her parents discuss the non-eternity of punishment. The curate made a feeling allusion to the unpleasant character of the lower regions, and then paused, when in the dead silence the little girl observed in an expiatory tone, "Please, they don't use it now."

Swearing a Hangman.
The death of Billington recalls the fact that formerly it was usual in appointing a public hangman to make him take the Bible in his hand and swear solemnly that he would dispatch every criminal condemned to death without favoring father, mother, or any other relation or friend. When he had taken the oath he was dismissed with the word: "Get thee hence, wretch!"

Manchurian Products.
Millet, Indian corn and wheat are among the chief farm products of Manchuria. Apples and grapes do well, although the native supply is soft and lacks flavor. Tomatoes grow in great abundance, particularly in southern Manchuria, where asparagus also flourishes. All vegetables, as a rule, can be grown in abundance.

All the Way.
"Did you ever see such long gloves as that woman is wearing? Why, she buttons them from her wrist to her elbow."
"Ho, that's not much. Why, my wife buttons her gloves from the front door to the theater."—Cleveland Leader.

Family of Sailors.
A. H. Lee, recently appointed civil head of the British admiralty, comes of a family of sailors. His great-great-grandfather, great-grandfather and grandfather were all distinguished naval officers. His father, however, is a clergyman.

Narrow Squeeze.
With a narrow margin of six feet, the steamer Ayrshire passed through the Manchester ship canal, being the largest vessel that has navigated the canal and locks.

An Easy One.
There are lucky Nicholases and unlucky Nicholases. Here's an easy one—while is the 'lucky one, the czar or Longworth?—N. Y. Mail.

To Protect Elephants.
"Friends of the Elephant" is the title of a society just formed in Paris to combat the gradual extinction of the animal by hunters.

Liquors Barred.
The government of Honduras has prohibited the importation of whisky, rum and anisado in barrels, casks or demijohns.

The Wrong Angle.
"Did the critics sit through your play?"
"No. They sat on it."—Detroit Free Press.

Keep the Plunder.
The modern version seems to be that when thieves fall out they still hang on to the goods.—Life.

Difficult Task.
It is often easier to serve two masters than to master two servants.—Philadelphia Record.

German Horse Tonic.
The Germans give worn-out horses a tonic of roasted coffee beans mixed with honey.

Autos Aboard.
Motoring is now so popular in the British navy that some officers carry their cars aboard with them. The Anconar says Lord Charles Beresford is one of them.

A Hoop.
They say mosquitoes carry germs. So let's take cheer, my brother, And hope that on unfriendly terms, They yet may bite each other. —Washington Star.

EH, WHAT?



"So sorry I'm late. I hope you haven't been too bored!"
"Oh, no, thanks. I've been fondling the cat till you could come."

Good Riddance.
No more the head girl despairs To keep the kitchen neat. The nasty ice man now has gone Who never wiped his feet. —Puck.

A Great Truth.
Privilege is the root of all evils in politics and business, says the Boston Globe. It is one of the oldest sources of wrong in the world and has wrought more ruin than all the piked mobs of the unprivileged, who, blinded by poverty, ignorance and injustice, have stormed the citadels of privilege and power. All experience shows that human nature is too frail to bear the stain of privilege. The sense of might overwhelms the sense of fright.

OF HISTORIC INTEREST.

In the England of Elizabeth traces of the middle ages lingered everywhere. Only 40 years before the date of Shakespeare's marriage an Italian occupied the see of Worcester. Vicious general voted out punishment for "sowing discord between neighbors, working on festival days, playing football in panger three, and playing the fiddle on Low Sunday" and a man who had "excommunicated" him by playing the Adwent.

History of the most attractive city of Mexico to the American student is Zempoala, the Place of Geese. Here were the first orange groves in the New World, and here sprung up the first Aztec civilization. Not only that, but here was coined the money which permanently civilized the first corner of what is now the United States. In 1520 Juan de Tolosa discovered the valley. Two years later he and his friends founded the city, and his charter was signed by Philip II. at San Lorenzo, July 20, 1522.

It was the great eclipse of August 21, 1560, that turned Tycho Brahe into an astronomer. He was in his fourteenth year at the time, a Danish boy of noble origin, and had been destined first for the army and then for the law. But the accuracy with which the eclipse was predicted impressed him with the belief that astronomy was a divine thing, and thenceforward he devoted his life to it. The debt of astronomy to Tycho Brahe, not only for his own work but as the man who shaped the genius of Kepler, can scarcely be overestimated.

On March 11, 1702, 204 years ago, was published the first British daily paper. It was called the Daily Courant and was devoted entirely to foreign news, the editor announcing that he should not presume to air his own views, supposing other people to have sense enough to make reflections for themselves. The office, "against the Ditch by Fleet Bridge," was probably close to Printing House square. Soon after its appearance it passed into the hands of Samuel Buckley, who became the printer of the Spectator. In 1735 the Daily Courant was absorbed in the Daily Gazetteer.

CONCERNING CHURCHMEN.

Dr. Glennon, of St. Louis, now traveling in England, is the youngest archbishop in the world, being only 42 years old.

Dr. William M. Zaring, an Indianapolis clergyman, has completed 52 years of active service, in which period he has been out of his pulpit on account of illness but six years.

Rev. H. Olin Cady, now of Evanston, Ill., who has been connected with Methodist missions in West China for the last 19 years, has been retired with a pension by the board of managers of the missionary society.

Rev. G. G. Richards, vicar of St. Peter and Paul's, Tottenham, England, has issued a general invitation to the men of his parish to call at the vicarage on Monday evenings throughout the winter for a "friendly pipe and a chat."

Last winter Rev. Dr. Halsey, of the Presbyterian foreign mission board, visited the missions in West Africa. Since his return he is denouncing Leopold of Belgium and the Congo Free State as "the most iniquitous monarch that ever sat on a throne."

Prof. Orr, of the United Free Church college, Glasgow, has obtained the Bursar prize of \$2000 for the best theological book entered in competition. The prize is awarded by the trustees of Lake Forest university. Dr. Orr's book deals with the Old Testament problem.

During his visit to the West of England, Dr. Torrey, the evangelist, has learned that Capt. William Torrey, from whom he is descended, left Corch St. Nicholas, near Chard, Somersetshire, for America in the seventeenth century, and founded Weymouth, Mass.

Bishop Maes, of Covington, Ky., has purchased the Thomas Moberly homestead at Richmond, Ky., for the purpose of establishing a home for the band of missionaries connected with the Covington diocese. The house is a magnificent old colonial mansion, surrounded by 14 acres of blue grass farm land, and is admirably adapted to the purpose for which it was secured.

Etiquette and Lines.
Haparanda, a little town in Sweden, has suddenly sprung into renown through a rare act of thoughtfulness on the part of its womankind. Having learned from medical statistics that in winter colds, neuralgia, toothache, and influenza are much more prevalent among men than women, the ladies of the place decided to relieve the men of the necessity of doffing their hats to them during the cold weather. It was announced that during the winter the women would require only a military salute.

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Growsome Gift.
A French explorer has found in the interior of Borneo a singular and growsome wedding gift. It was the skull of a Negrito-Papon, carved by the Dayaks.
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No Rope.
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Here's freedom to him that will read
Here's freedom to him that will think
There's none ever feared that the truth
should be heard.

Much regret is felt at the retirement of Martin Welles from the various positions held by him in local affairs, particularly as a member of the Board of Education.

The Governor's message is an earnest and sincere exposition of the state's condition and needs. The equal tax and limited franchise advocates have no criticism to offer upon the Governor's attitude toward these questions.

John Moody, who has started to clean things up in Democratic politics, was elected chairman of his party's County Committee this week.

The Union County Republican Executive Committee was organized for 1934 Monday night by the re-election of Frank H. Smith, of Plainfield, as chairman.

At the meeting of the Democratic County Committee on Monday night John Moody, of Cranford, was elected Chairman without opposition.

E. A. Merrill succeeds Mr. Welles. At the meeting of the Board of Education Tuesday evening, the resignation of Martin Welles as a member of the Board was accepted, and E. A. Merrill was appointed to succeed him.

Value of Sanitation. We may find an excellent object lesson in the value of our sanitary system in the case of the recent outbreak of plague at Leith.

CONDUCTED TRIAL OVER TELEPHONE

Judge instructs jury and Henry Royal Counsel Over Long District Wars. Sitting in his chambers in Kingston, Judge Betts today held court in Albany through the medium of the Long District telephone.

Over the telephone he made clear the point in the evidence which the jury wanted explained. The attorneys on both sides argued over the telephone with Judge Betts.

Legislature Convenes. The 126th session of the New Jersey Legislature began last Monday afternoon. The principal business transacted was that of organizing the House and Senate by the appointment of the floor and various committees.

The Ideal Life. The ideal life—what is but the realization of our own oneness with the infinite and the helping others to realize theirs.

Case of Doubt. "Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "I doesn't b'lieve half o' what I hears 'bout dese finance folks; an' other times I doesn't b'lieve I hears half o' what dey's up to."

Popular Prince. The prince of Wales has made a good impression on the Indian rajahs by his gun shooting. He killed his first tiger the other day, near Jaipur, on the run with a long shot.

Coin Per Capita. France holds the record for the amount of coin in circulation—\$40 a head. England has only half that amount, while Russia has but one dollar a head.

Dishonest Meat Dealers. The San Francisco board of health has published a list of over 100 meat dealers who have been caught treating their meat with dye stuffs.

Good Stuff. The stories printed in the newspapers about Philadelphia would give old Ben Franklin lots of material for his almanac.

Danger of Lightning. Lightning does most damage in level, open country. A town or city, with its numerous projections and wires, is comparatively exempt.

National Postal Service. The United States lost on the postal service in 1933, \$1,230,000, whereas Great Britain profited by its postal service \$22,000,000.

Favor Home Customers. In Swiss restaurants natives generally pay a few cents less for food or drink than tourists.

Dazzles. Looking always on the bright side has a ruinous effect on what is called far-sight.—Puck.

Catarrah Cannot Be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they can not reach the seat of the disease. CATARRH is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies.

Sunday School Work in Union County

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Union County Sunday School Association held in the BNA Building January 9, important business was transacted.

The treasurer reported \$1100.00 on hand and it was decided to send \$100.00 to the state treasurer as full payment of the \$1000.00 plan, etc. for the state work.

Food for Thought, Anyhow. "Stir," said the private secretary "thousands of people are literally starving in Russia."

String of Names. The sixth marquis of Downshire reveals in this imposing string of names: Arthur Wills John Wellington Blundell Trumbull Roden Hill.

Nocturnal Fishes. The fish of Little Belt, in Denmark being very shy of light, move about only on dark nights, and this has suggested the curious experiment of lighting the channel bottom with incandescent lamps to prevent migration of the fish to the larger seas.

Royal Athlete. King George of Greece is an athlete and more than once, under the pseudonym of "George Papadopolus," has taken part in the struggles in the arena and the racing path.

Rough Schooling. "Did you never experience the slightest touch of fear in a naval engagement?" "Never," answered the officer with hauteur; "after a man has gone through the naval academy he isn't afraid of anything."

Queer Present to Czar. The last Czar Alexander III, of Russia was once considerably embarrassed by a circus of performing fleas, sent him by Prince Henry of Reuss as a birthday present.

Encouraged. "Do you know that your attentions weary me?" "Do they, indeed? I was beginning to feel that I had failed to make any impression whatever."

Works Both Ways. "Revenge is sweet," said Uncle Eben, "but you mustn't forget to figure out it's as sweet to do other fellow as it is to you."

English Tailor's Sign. From the windows of a British tailor: "We have cleared a Scotch merchant's remains of high-class overcoatings at a big reduction."

Houses of Mahogany. All of the houses in a poorer quarter of Honduras' capital are of mahogany, which wood costs less than pine there.

The Limit. Knowledge is power until a man reaches the point where he knows it all.—Chicago Daily News.

Radiumized Diamonds. The value of diamonds as fancy stones can be materially increased by the action of radium.

Queen's Distinction. Queen Christina of Spain is the only sovereign who has ever made a balloon ascension.

Not Many Reach It. The golden wedding is celebrated by only one out of every 1,000 married couples.

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WILLOW GROVE.

Regular school of Sunday school on Monday afternoon with 100. Ketchum in charge. Modern attendance.

The city school building which was purchased some time ago by W. H. Terry has been moved by him to his premises to be converted to an industrial building.

W. H. Terry and S. F. Lee are jury men from this district for the January term of court.

Leola Lambert, rural carrier No. 1, has been suffering from a severe cold and was obliged to remain at home for a few days.

The young people of the Sunday school are planning for another entertainment to be given some time in February, for the benefit of the Sunday school library.

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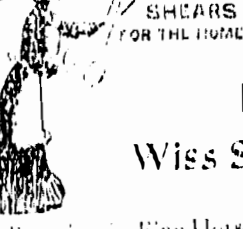
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THE UNION COUNTY STANDARD

Wants and Offers.

Wanted: No advertisement for this column...
A few more to be had...
Wanted: Large house on Harrison ave...
Wanted: Large furnished room...
Wanted: Two houses for sale...
Wanted: Real estate...
Wanted: American lady living in Hartford...
Wanted: Carpets and turnips...
Wanted: Immediately, woman to take in family wash...
Wanted: For rent...
Wanted: Large room to let...
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Wanted: A good servant...
For rent: Two large pleasant rooms...
Large room to let...
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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

THREE FRIENDS OF INTEREST TO MANY.
Notes About People You Know—Happening in the Town Through the Week.
—H. H. Woodruff of Broad Street, is confined to his bed with asthma.
—R. A. Fairbairn's new "millionaire" car has arrived.
—Mr. and Mrs. Alexander B. Clark will leave for the South next week.
—Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Pearson will leave about February 1st for their winter home in Melrose, Fla.
—Mr. A. A. King, of South Broad Street, is spending a week at his former home at Williamsport, Penn.
—A daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coleman, of Charles Street, on Thursday of last week.
—Miss Violet A. Miller will entertain the O. N. at a dance at the Westfield Club hall, Friday evening of next week.
—Martin Wells left Tuesday for Newington, Conn., where he will spend two weeks, after which he will leave for the South.
—Letters of information for architects for use of those desiring to submit plans in competition for the new library building have been listed.
—The Men's Club of the Congregational Church will hold an important business meeting Tuesday evening, January 23rd in the church parlors.
—Mr. Waterbury would like to meet all shapers from different churches for rehearsal at Presbyterian Church Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, and Sunday evening at 4 o'clock.
—Rev. J. Milton Oatford, Rector of St. Luke's Church of New York City has been spending a few days at the home of Mr. J. C. Major of Monmouth Avenue.
—John L. Miller, of Kansas, visited Westfield last week and called on his old friends and acquaintances. Mr. Miller resided in Westfield about twenty five years ago.
—Owing to the death of A. Wisclmeyer, William L. Erbeck will continue running the barber shop in the new Dugli building. Jacob Serr will help Mr. Erbeck evenings.
—About twenty-five people have been summoned to appear before Judge Toucey next Tuesday morning for not clearing the snow from their sidewalks according to the ordinance.
—W. S. Smith and A. C. Brunner will go to Florida on a month's hunting trip starting the first week in February. Mr. Smith will go by rail while Mr. Brunner will enjoy the ocean trip on the Mallory Line.
—The first meeting of the Men's Club of St. Paul's parish will be held on Wednesday, January 17, at Gale's Club house. John Moody, of Cranford, will deliver a lecture on "A Little Journey into Trustland."
—John J. Coger and Charles C. Dilts have formed a real estate partnership and will conduct their business at the corner of Elm and Quimby streets, where Mr. Coger has been located in the same business heretofore.
—The topic for consideration by the Woman's Club of Westfield at the next meeting will be "Shakespeare's Heroines." Reading from the Merchant of Venice. The program, formerly announced for January 22, will be given February 26.
—Cornelius A. Leveridge, aged 77 years died at his home in Plainfield on Saturday last. Mr. Leveridge at one time resided in Westfield and owned considerable land, including the property known as the Yail house, occupied by Mr. H. A. Bourne. The deceased was an uncle of Mrs. George Tice. The interment took place at Fairview Cemetery on Tuesday.
—Fireside Council, R. A. held another enjoyable Ladies' Night Entertainment last evening. The violin solos of Miss Wohlert, the vocal solos of Mrs. Robert Giddes, of Philadelphia, and the recitations of Miss Laura Wilcox received great applause and deserved the marked expressions of approval. Fireside quartette favored the audience and Mrs. Harry N. Taylor played the accompaniments.
—The Finance Committee of the Board of Managers of the Children's Country Home is preparing for the annual benefit entertainment on February 23rd and 24th. Lovers of a good entertainment and all interested in this noble charity are requested to note the above dates and reserve them for this object.
—The Master Builders Association of Westfield, Cranford, Roselle and vicinity have elected the following officers for the coming year: President, W. D. Johnson of Scotch Plains; recording secretary, Charles H. French of Westfield; financial secretary, Clarence Blakelee of Cranford and treasurer, John L. Miller of Westfield.
—Dr. Wm. G. Howe of New York, formerly a resident of Westfield, is now champion amateur pool player of Manhattan, he having won the title at the recent tournament at the Broadway Academy. Dr. Howe lost but one game in the entire series. He thought nothing of making runs of from 10 to 34.

—Mrs. D. B. Carr has been spending the past week with Mrs. F. K. Winter.
—The Council will hold a special meeting Monday night.
—W. E. Moore, of Roselle, was one of those late in the Pullman car wreck at St. Louis yesterday.
—Miss Mary B. of Toronto, Canada, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. P. H. Ward of Prospect Street.
—E. P. White, of New York, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pousall of Gray Street.
—Walter John, of Westfield, and Enoch D. Miller, of Branch Mills, are in Virginia on a hunting trip.
—Pasquale Ferro was arrested last Friday night for selling liquor without a license. He was fined \$20.
—Westfield was two out of the three games called at Cranford last evening in the Journal League Bowling contest.
—The attendance at the Union prayer meetings this week is reported to be the largest of any week of prayer in recent years.
—Coger and Dilts have rented the house of George B. Hunt on Central Avenue to Mr. Fred W. House, of Port Chester, N. Y., who will remove here February 1.
—A number of Westfield members of Company C, N.G. of N. J., went to Trenton Wednesday night to attend the opening of the new Armory there. Gov. Stokes addressed the soldiers.
—Miss Edwina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Eckel, of 99 Chestnut street, and Henry Prudhomme, of Brooklyn, are to be married at the home of the bride next Thursday afternoon.
—The recently-elected officers of Westfield Lodge of Odd Fellows were installed Wednesday evening at the lodge room in Arcadium Hall. After the installation ceremonies a banquet was held at the Westfield Hotel.
—Anna M. Gahn, of Plainfield, who was hurt in the trolley accident near Westfield some time ago, secured a verdict of \$15,000 from the Public Service Corporation on Wednesday. Her husband was awarded \$7,000 damages also.
—All the Newark stores have changed their closing hours. They will close until further notice at 5:30, except Saturdays, at which the time is 10 p. m. as heretofore.
—All milk dealers must renew their permits from the Board of Health on or before January 20, in order to do business for the coming year. According to law an inspector must be hired by the Board of Health, and such an officer is to be appointed at an early date by the board.
—The Rutgers College "soph" successfully eluded the other classes and held their banquet at the Kensington Hotel, in Plainfield, Tuesday evening. They are the only class who have escaped from New Brunswick without interference for this purpose.
—Mrs. Sherman Ellison and children will leave on Friday of next week for their new home in Chicago. Mr. Ellison preceded his family January 1st and has assumed his duties as General Passenger Agent of the Northern Railroad.
—The regular meeting of the Literary and Social Circle of M. E. Church will be held on Wednesday, January 17, at the home of Mrs. Elmer Affleck, 179 Prospect Street. The subjects for the afternoon will be the History and Government of Japan.
—A large party of local automobile enthusiasts have arranged for a night next week at the automobile show in New York. They will first have dinner at six o'clock in the Waldorf-Astoria, going over to the Madison Square Garden at 8 o'clock.
—Miss Elizabeth Stillman, a teacher in one of the Westfield schools, sang a solo, "The Christ Child," with fine effect on Sunday morning in the Baptist Church. Miss Stillman was accompanied on the organ by Miss Dorothy Welch, and on the violin by Harold Welch.
—E. P. Waterbury, leader of the Methodist Church choir, will have charge of the music for the revival services to be held each evening next week. Mr. Waterbury invites singers to meet at the Presbyterian Church on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock or Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE WESTFIELD TRUST CO. OF WESTFIELD, N. J. At the close of business, Dec. 31, 1925.
RESOURCES:
Bonds and mortgages..... \$ 94,450 00
Stocks and bonds..... 109,049 70
Time loans on collaterals..... 58,329 50
Demand loans on collaterals..... 68,800 00
Notes and bills purchased..... 112,828 45
Due from banks, &c..... 106,491 99
Banking house..... 29,500 00
Cash on hand..... 11,921 26
Checks and cash items..... 319 42
Total..... \$651,690 41
LIABILITIES:
Capital stock paid in..... \$100,000 00
Surplus fund..... 20,000 00
Undivided profits (net)..... 10,087 09
Time deposits..... 93,708 75
Time certificates of deposit..... 6,100 00
Demand deposits..... 406,257 30
Demand certificates of deposit..... 50 00
Certified checks..... 2,477 88
Treasurer's checks outstanding..... 982 82
Due to banks, &c..... 12,026 57
Total..... \$651,690 41
State of New Jersey, County of Union, ss.
Richard J. Scoles, President, and J. R. Connolly, Treasurer, of the above named company, being severally duly sworn, each for himself deposes and says that the foregoing statement is true, to the best of his knowledge and belief.
RICHARD J. SCOLES, President.
J. R. CONNOLLY, Treasurer.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this ninth day of January, A. D., 1926.
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Marital Survivals. When the wife dies first, the husband, on an average, survives nine years; while, if the husband dies first, the wife survives 11 years, according to insurance statistics.
In the Raising. Teacher—What do you have next for? Class (in unison)—For company.—Philadelphia Bulletin.
To Color a Flower. A hyacinth can be easily colored a delicate pink by putting the stem in a bottle of red ink and leaving it there for an hour.
Questions Answered. "You are wrong, Edith. They don't build dry docks to put horses in when docking their tails."—Cincinnati Enquirer.
Whistle Down Dinner. "Whistling for half an hour after meals," says a well-known lady whistler, "is the best possible aid to digestion."
Blond Jews. Of the 50,000 inhabitants of Jerusalem two-thirds are Jews; many of them have blond hair.
Neptune's Year. A year on the planet Neptune is a little longer than 166 earth years—it is 60,000 days' long.
Source Article. Modesty is the art of keeping your opinion of yourself to yourself.—P. Picayune.
Autos in China. Most of the automobiles used in and about Shanghai, where the number of motor cars is constantly increasing, are driven by Chinese. They do their work well.
Disillusioned. Tommy—Do you believe in Santa Claus? Freddy De Kota—Not since mamma was divorced.—N. Y. Sun.
Irving's Birthplace. Sir Henry Irving's birthplace at Kelton, Mandeville, which was put up at auction in London, was withdrawn at \$3,000.
The Truth. Jack Sprat could eat no fat, his wife could eat no lean; at least those were the doctor's orders, but they ate them just the same.
Lucky Man. A newspaper correspondent recently found near Kimberley, South Africa, a diamond of 149 1/2 carats that he sold for \$13,455.

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Religious Notices.

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Canine Treasure. In Paris at present, there are some dogs which are much valued for their quality and price. They must also be very docile. Lap dogs are worth almost their weight in gold.

Officers "Colored Up." At the close of the second day's session of the commission that is investigating in London, the African war, the African Justice Farrell said to the war officers present: "We are going to audit your books; we are going to insist upon seeing the debit and the credit account."

Old University. Highland university is the oldest university in Kansas, and the first west of the Mississippi to issue diplomas. It was chartered February 9, 1858.

Funeral Photograph. A Sullivan county (Mo.) dead man sang at his own funeral. A photograph was placed on his coffin. When the religious ceremony was over the photograph was turned on and the church listened to the dead man's voice rendering one of his favorite hymns.

New African Flower. A new gladiolus discovered in the spray-rain-forest vicinity of the great Victoria Falls of the Zambesi river, South Africa, has been kept growing well in hothouses in England by the continual spraying of the plant. It must have practically constant watering.

Dart's Stratagem. I am a most unlucky bird. I can not sell my wares the life I lead is very hard and it is getting worse. Unless I quickly make a hit my finish is not far. I can sell and die by starving.

At Cross Purposes. Archie had advertised for a valet. "I think you'll do," he said to the portly and dignified foreign person who had applied for the job. "You are so much larger than I am that I'm quite sure you can't wear my shirt."

Every Chance. He was inquiring of a farmer about a cow and finally asked: "If I pay you eight cents a gallon will you put as much water in it as if I only paid five?"

Imprisoned Countess. Countess Montmartini, in prison in Italy for murdering her husband, has written a book which ends with these words: "If I have sinned it is because I have greatly loved."

Disease from Dust. One of the most powerful causes of disease in London, says Prof. MacFayden, is the inhalation of dust. The constant inhalation of particles of dust, particularly at times of fog, has a deleterious effect on the respiratory functions.

Bringing It Home. "The beauty doctor has got the parson beat when it comes to curlin' ladies of the Mayor's habit," remarked the Public philosopher.

He Got the Job. On December 6, 1877, a young French doctor sent in an application for a small post under the government and heard nothing more of the matter till a few days ago, when he was required to fill up a blank in order to get a re-appointment for the position he had applied for nearly 28 years before.

Quoting an Ancestor. Lord Shaftesbury was sharpening a pencil one day, the lead of which continually broke. At about the tenth failure he remarked: "D— the pencil!"

Didn't Know His Name. Sun-der-Ham's another letter from the man who signs himself "Vox Populi."

Tip to Song Writers. The insurance investigation in New York should suggest a new line of titles to our popular song writers. There would not be much the matter with "The Sun in the River," "The Little Yearly Roll," or "The Rantankulous Friend."

Jews in Africa. The first Jewish services ever held in British East Africa were held on Yom Kippur at the Masonic hall, of Nairobi, and resulted in the formation of a congregation. There are about 20 Jews in the protectorate, most of them engaged in dairy farming.

Policy Versus Principle. "Honesty is the best policy," did you say? Honesty that is merely a policy would scuttle the ship if that paid better than sailing it. Only the honesty that is a principle will save the cargo at all hazards of personal loss.—Cent per Cent.

Not Likely. No vehicle which moves on wheels will, in the opinion of many scientists, attain the speed of 200 miles an hour.

Keeps Him to Himself. A young man is ace high with a girl when she refuses to introduce him to a girl who is prettier than she is.

Colors from Tar. About \$5,000,000 worth of tar colors are sent from Germany to the United States every year.

East Boats Wanted. Several British shipbuilding firms have been asked by the admiralty to bid for an experimental torpedo boat destroyer, having a speed of 35 knots (41½ miles) an hour. At the present moment the Velox, speed 33.61 knots, is the fastest boat in the British navy.

A LUCKY FATHER AND SON. The following narrative of the suffering of a father and son will prove interesting to the readers of this paper. G. C. Barthold, now of Kansas, Mich., writes: "I located in this place several years ago, having formerly resided in Troy, N. Y. I was a great sufferer from what the physicians of Troy called BRIGHT'S DISEASE. As a last resort I commenced the use of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. The result is a little story of a miracle. All the terrible symptoms of this disease are gone. I do not have any more difficulty in voiding the urine, no pain or ache in the small of the back, no more sickness across the loins or over the bladder, no more constipation or other symptoms of disease of the kidneys, liver or bladder. So you see, help came to me in Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. Who would believe the cost of this medicine (one dollar a bottle) for such a blessing or refund this token of gratitude for being perfectly cured? And I hope my writing this will induce others who suffer from kidney or blood disorder to use the medicine. My son George suffered for many years with a fever on his legs. He used one bottle of the medicine and part of another, and as soon as I saw what this grateful acknowledged parent, his legs, is entirely healed up." Dr. D. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, Houdon, N. Y. Price \$1; 6 for \$5.

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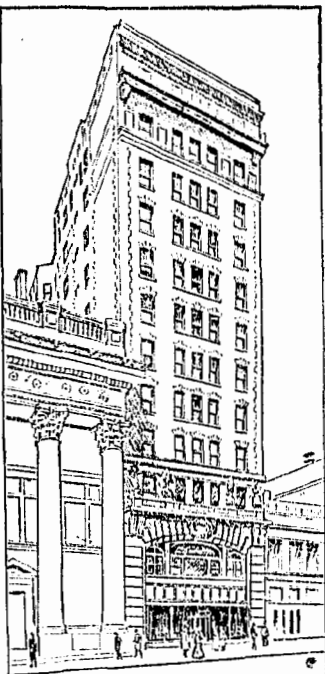


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FIX UP THE ROADSIDES.
 How Farmers in Illinois Utilize the Other Side While Land in Crop Growing.

The law of Illinois calls for a public highway four feet wide and it has been the general practice to leave the full four rods unimproved. In most cases this space has been overgrown with weeds only, that were not cut out once a year. In this way many of the most fertile lands have been fitted the adjoining fields and have spread over the adjoining country by sucking to the reason wheels who have the tracks were set. This has not been the only trouble. There were thousands of acres lying idle every year, because overgrown by weeds. But Lewis Olsen writes in the Farm and Home that a gradual change in the farmer is being worked out by the rapidly growing tendency among farmers to utilize all waste land along the roadsides by cultivation and growing grain or grass up to the very road track actually in daily use. As the law

TWO METHODS OF WORKING A ROADSIDE.

allows the cultivation of all the land not in actual use for the road, it has by experience been found that roads are improved by having all the land, including the shallow ditches on the sides, plowed and cultivated. The accompanying sketch shows a public highway where one side of it was left without cultivation or care for years and all is overgrown with coarse weeds, while on the other side, even the ditch is carefully plowed and cultivated with a good stand of wheat, growing up to the wheel track. Of course the farmer could not collect any damages if the grain thus grown on the right of public highway should be destroyed, but there is an unwritten law which all will respect, that no one will wantonly destroy any of the grain so grown. Where this practice is continued for a number of years the roadside will be gradually raised until it becomes high and dry and little or no grading is required.

GRAVEL OR HARD ROADS.

Too Expensive in Some Localities—Not Necessary if King Drag Is Used.

Something like a year ago there was quite an excitement in our county on the road question. The farmers of Knox county, Illinois, writes the correspondent of the Farmers' Review, want good roads, but gravel or hard roads are out of the question. We have no gravel or rock, and to ship some would break up all the small farmers in the country. Our soil is such that if the roads are graded properly we will have good roads nine or ten months in the year. There are places in the United States where such roads can be built. Even older roads may be built in some places. But in this part of Illinois the frost goes so deep that the expense would take the big end of little farms to pave the roads it contains. (The use of the King drag has shown how the difficulties mentioned may be overcome and a good road obtained.—E. B.)

A HOT DINNER.

Arrangement for Receiving the Heat of Food and Drink on the Coldest Days.

To keep your dinner hot in cold weather, while working away from home, have a box just large enough to hold the dinner box and coffee can. Make a tight cover, put some hay in the bottom of box, then a large hot soapstone, set your dinner box and coffee can on that, pack hay in the corners and lay two or three quilts of cloth on top. This, declares Farm and Home, will keep your dinner warm in the coldest weather.

A WORD TO THE WISE.

Give the hen meat. A seat (rained) spoils the face of a dollar. Of course the hottest soil has been made ready.

New land or soil should be plowed at the first opportunity.

The farmer who uses the poorest part of his place for pasture is likely to lose by it.

You can raise the frame of a calf without milk, but not the picture of a good animal. Hold the red-hot tongs on a rusty bolt to loosen it. Heating screws in the same way will make them come easily.—E. B.

Don't leave the plows or other farm machinery exposed to the weather. A little ordinary care now will save money and trouble in future.

Gopher Dope.
 To destroy gophers, dissolve strychnine in water, to which a little vinegar has been added. Soak corn in this and place three or four kernels down all the holes. Repeat every few days until you have the pest eradicated.

ICEHOUSE AND COOLER.

Plan for the Building Which Will Prove a Wise Addition to Any Farm.

An ice house and cool room may be constructed as follows: Reserve a space of 15 feet in width and 25 feet in length, from which the surface slopes for water to run to prevent danger of moisture from water drainage. A stone or brick wall is built around this and laid in hydraulic cement. The floor is cemented. A frame or other building is built upon this by cement to contain the ice. Twelve feet square will be

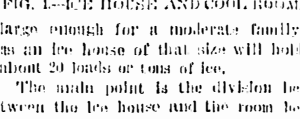


FIG. 1.—ICE HOUSE AND COOL ROOM, large enough for a moderate family, is an ice house of that size will hold about 20 loads or tons of ice.

The main point is the division between the ice house and the room below it. This must be perfectly airtight, and a moderately good conductor of heat. The floor may be laid in the following manner: Beams of sufficient strength are laid across and the ends well bedded in cement. A floor of zinc sheets is then laid upon the beams, the sheets being closely nailed to the beams upon strips of rubber sheeting, to make the joints water and air tight. The beams should be dressed smoothly. The zinc sheets are bent, as shown in the illustration (Fig. 2). This is for the purpose of causing the moisture, which will condense upon the under side of this ceiling, to flow downward to the lower angle, where it will drip. The drip is caught in the little gutters of zinc shown in the figure, attached to the ceiling, and is carried off by a proper drain.

Above the zinc ceiling, a thin layer of dry, fresh sawdust should be laid smoothly, and a floor of matched pine boards should be laid upon that, and thoroughly coated with mottled pitch. This floor should slope a little to one corner, so as to draw the waste water from the ice there, and an S trap drain should be laid from that to carry off the water into the drain above mentioned. The usual layer of sawdust is laid upon this floor to prevent too rapid conveyance of heat

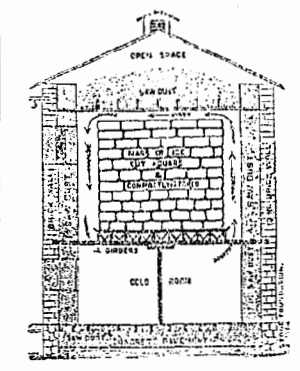


FIG. 2.—ANOTHER PLAN OF ICE HOUSE.

from below to the ice above. Small double windows should be used in the cool chamber below, to prevent access of heat from the outside, and they should be fitted airtight. Ventilation should be provided for by means of a wooden pipe with a slide, by which the opening can be regulated.

We add another lesson on the same general principles, says the Country Gentleman, but more in detail, furnished by a New Jersey correspondent from a building in successful operation.

The drainage of the ice is carried off by a series of V-shaped tin or iron troughs, which run between the joists, all of which carry the water to one point, where it is conveyed outside by a trap pipe. These troughs reach over to the center of the top of the joists, and are soldered together, so that no water will drip on the floor below. It will be seen that in this plan there is no sawdust or other preservative in contact with the ice, and the air of the room circulates around and over the ice. As long as the temperature of the goods stored is above the temperature of the room, there will be a gentle draught around the mass of ice, and of course all the moisture in the air, vapors and odors from the goods, will condense on the ice and pass off, so that you can keep milk, cream, butter, fruit and meat all in the same chamber without danger of injuring the flavor of either. The atmosphere of the room is always dry, sweet and pure.

The ice does not rest directly on the joists; but there is a bed of oak lath, about 1 1/2 inches, laid across the joists, about four or five inches apart, on which the ice is laid. The opening for putting in the ice, shown just under the pulley in the cut (Fig. 2), has two doors, with a space between—each door a foot thick. The window in the cool room has three sets of sash, well packed or cemented. The walls are 12 inches thick, lined with 1 1/2 inches of sawdust. Thirteen inches of sawdust are put on the floor over the ice. The building shown is 25 feet square, inside measure, and 22 feet from floor of cool room to ceiling over the ice. The ice room is 12 feet high, and the cool room nine feet. Pillars are required under the center of the ice.

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Mr. Hankinson, of Woodfield, led the C. E. meeting Sunday evening.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Mrs. Florence (Blue) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Woodford...

The funeral of James Farrow, a teacher of Springfield, was held Wednesday afternoon.

One-titled. Clolly—No, I don't like him. By love! he called me a lubber the other day...

What She Thought. He—I think every woman is entitled to be considered man's equal.

After Seeing the Sights. Noble Red Man—Egh! White man send missionary to Japan?

Always "General." The London newspapers always quote the title in mentioning Gen. Booth...

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Devilled Mushrooms. Chop one quart of mushrooms, season with salt and pepper...

Boiled on Tongs. Use only large mushrooms, peel and cut off the lower part of the stalks...

In the Chilling Dish. Put in the pan two table-spoonfuls of butter...

Beef-steak with Mushrooms. Procure a tender round steak, cut it in small pieces and brown these in butter in the frying pan.

Rice and Mushroom Croquettes. Stew a half pint of mushrooms for ten minutes, using soup stock if you have it.

Mushrooms with Tomatoes. Toast and butter some rounds of bread, peel and cut into thick slices...

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Revenue from Grapes. Growing of grapes in vineyards furnishes an important source of revenue in some countries...

Skimming a Sable. The method of skimming a sable is to draw the skin over the head without any incision in the body.

The "Beaver" in Parliament. The "ambrosious Old white beaver hat" is not yet wholly obsolete.

Sponge Cake. One cupful of flour, one cupful of sugar, one teaspoonful of cream of tartar...

Molasses Snaps. One cupful of molasses, one cupful of sugar, one cupful of butter...

English Balloon Factory. The British government is building a new war balloon factory at Alder shot.

Diplomatically Expressed. "I am afraid you are absolutely governed by your wife."

Map of the World. The projected map of the whole world on a scale of one to one million...

Long Wireless Message. Commander Beecher, of the West naval station, has officially reported the receipt of the wireless message...

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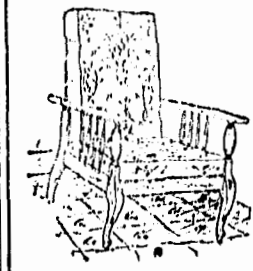
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