

Price of His Treason.
 Benedict Arnold died in London June 14, 1801. His life after his treason was a most unhappy one. He was avoided by men of honor and on many occasions deliberately insulted. He received a considerable sum of money from the British government and made several unsuccessful attempts to engage in business in British America and the West Indies and finally returned to London, where he died in obscurity. His second son, born in 1780, entered the British army in 1798, served with credit in many parts of the world and three years before his death in 1854 was made a lieutenant general—Home-Old Companion.

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—Mrs. Giffard, Elgin, Ill.

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MICROBES TO FIGHT RATS.
Pied Pipers of Hamelin Make Valuable Discovery.
 The greatest pest which is at present afflicting the community in general and against which a common war is being maintained by all the various nations of the world is the rat, says the Technical World.

It appears as if the problem were impossible of solution. Science, however, maintains otherwise. Recently prolonged investigation has resulted in the discovery of bacillus which, though harmless to human beings and other animals, is fatal to the rat tribe. Two eminent scientists are conjointly fulfilling this role of the modern Pied Piper of Hamelin—Dr. Jean Danysz of the Pasteur Institute of Paris and Dr. Neumann of Arburg. In each case the same end is achieved, though by distinctive bacteria. The disease of a contagious nature thereby propagated spreads rapidly through the rat colony with, in almost every instance, the same result—death.

Dr. Danysz in his capacity as director of the laboratory of agricultural biology had his attention directed to the outbreak of a spontaneous disease among field mice. He investigated the epidemic and after prolonged search succeeded in securing the cause of the outbreak, the germ bacillus. Observing its fatal influence among the field mice, he applied it to the brown rat and found that out of every ten thus inoculated two or three generally succumbed. Impressed by the significance of this result and the possibility of their being some lurking bacteria which were far more virulent, he continued his researches and by dint of continued effort and perseverance ultimately isolated a microbe which was fatal to all and every kind of rat—would kill black, brown or gray rats as readily as mice—within eight or twelve days of application. Moreover he was able to cultivate the microbe in sufficient quantities to meet commercial demands and to-day he has enough harnessed microbes to last for more than twelve years.

SHORT METER SERMONS.
 A Lesson of Forgiveness.

Let us learn a lesson of forgiveness from our Master. It is far more noble to pardon than to be avenged. It is part of the animal man to retaliate an injury. It is only God and the Son of God that have the magnanimity to forgive.—Cardinal James Gibbons, Roman Catholic, Baltimore.

Containing Rest.
 When we have come really to know Christ we will have come into a spirit that will make such radical changes in our way of thinking of our work, our life, our responsibility, that we will come into that rest which He alone can offer. If we have come to Him we will find our yoke easy, our burden light.—Rev. Guy A. Jamieson, Presbyterian, Tottenville, N. Y.

Cause and Effect.
 The only thing that opposes man is the negative human law. If this did not obtain man would be restored to his pristine condition as a spiritual ego. Man is not depraved because he wants to be, but because his mind is human, mortal and finite, he has no option than to express a corresponding condition. He is under the law of cause and effect.—Rev. F. E. Mason, Scientist, Brooklyn, N. Y.

JAPAN'S FLORAL CALENDAR.
 To Each Month is Dedicated Some One Flower or Leaf.

The Japanese are extremely fond of all flowers, and they have therefore made a calendar from them, giving to each month a favorite blossom or leaf. Thus the pine, the emblem of lasting prosperity and life, belongs to January. According to the Housekeeper, its branches are used to decorate all houses on New Year's Day.

To February belong the blossoms of the plum tree, which stand for purity, and the beautiful blossoms of the peach tree, to which young girls are compared, are associated with March.

Next the cherry blossom, the most beloved of all flowers, is held to belong to April, and to May are assigned the gorgeous clusters of the wistaria.

The iris flower, to which is compared the strength and beauty of young boys, belongs to June, and July has the glory and perfume of the water lily. The flowering hibiscus tree attaches its beauty to the month of August, while September claims the exquisite azalea. The royal flower of Japan, the chrysanthemum, which forms a part of the crest of the imperial family, belongs to the month of October, while to November is given the purple leaf, admired for its decorative quality. Finally, with December is associated the beautiful camellia, which blooms in the gardens even in the midst of snow.

Appearance Beneficial.
 Frolic—Have been looking at your wife, Henry. What a firm chin she has.
 Peck—It may look that way, but I assure you it oscillates on the slightest provocation.—Boston Transcript.

Improved Conditions.
 Bacon—Don't you notice an improvement in this country since election?
 Egbert—Yes, Carlie Nation is in Europe. Why shouldn't we?—Youkers Statesman.

Our Idea of a beautiful woman is one who looks attractive with her hair done up in kid curlers—and she is scarce.

PLAN FOR STALLS.

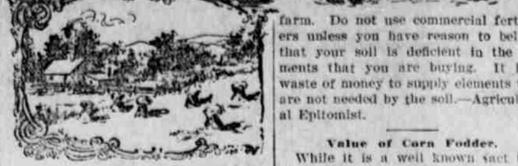
for farm horses. Lay down the cement floor and put blocks 2 inches deep where you want posts, when cement is soft and thin, and then dig them out for to receive the foot of all posts. It will not be necessary to floor the feed passage. Ceiling should be 8 feet high.

Feeding Poultry.
 Poultry feeding experiments at the Massachusetts Experiment Station include rice, a feed which has very little fiber, compared with wheat or oats. It results in a larger production of eggs, but was not advised for feeding purposes on account of the cost. However, it is often possible to buy slightly damaged rice at less than the cost of corn and wheat, and in such cases it is a desirable food for variety for either the laying hens or the young stock.

Notes on Orchard Culture.
 Clover is the apple tree's best friend. A tree that is worth planting is worth taking care of. A few days after pruning paint the stabs with white lead. Profit from a fruit orchard is not theory, but a demonstrated fact. Good, first-class, fruit is the aim of our efforts. Never be satisfied with anything else. Stable manure is without doubt the best general fertilizer that can be applied to orchard soils. Make the orchard a business venture and keep an account with everything pertaining to its interests. When poor fruit is produced there is a reason. Aim to find it by a careful study of the trees and conditions. Nature grows fruit for the seeds, while man grows it for the pulp. We want pulp with as few seeds as possible. In removing large limbs saw them off about three feet from the trunk to prevent splitting. Then saw off close to the trunk, so as not to leave a projecting stub.

How to Make a Windmill.
 The odd looking air engine is not a flying machine. It is a windmill, and when properly constructed, has been known to develop from 2 to 3 horse power, with a 6 foot wheel. A smaller wheel, say with 2 foot blades, will easily run a churn, small grinder, corn sheller, wood saw, etc. The height of the frame work, size of timbers, etc., will depend on the location and size of mill. It should have a clear space with no buildings, or nearby trees to obstruct the wind. The structure may set in any position, as it will run with the wind in any direction. The two blades of the wheel are half circles, as shown, and may be made of any wood handy, they are set in the wood pieces that are bolted around the iron shaft, and braced and held in place by the iron rods, A, A, and the straps, E, E; the blades are set at an angle of 45 degrees from the shaft, as shown in the right hand figure in the illustration. Small wheels may be built of three-quarter inch lumber, and larger wheels, of corresponding thickness. The frame work should be 4x4 inch lumber, for a small wheel, and larger stuff used for larger wheels. The four guy wires shown at C, C, C, serve to hold the frame upright, and it is not necessary to set the two outer posts over 2 or 3 feet in the ground. The iron shaft will usually be found in almost any old scrap pile, and should have several holes through it for bolting the two wood timbers in place, the shaft is shown at B, and the pump or working rod at D. This rod may of course be connected to any machine. If the two gear wheels from an old mowing machine, be connected at point B you will then have a back geared mill, that will run with much less wind, but will of course not do the work quite so fast; however, it is to be preferred to the direct stroke, that you would have without the gearing, and you will do away with the thumping, and pounding. If necessary, in building a large wheel, two straight trees could be used for the two outer posts of frame work. The boxing, in the uprights, in which the iron shaft revolves, should be kept well lubricated.—J. E. Bridgman, in Farm and Home.

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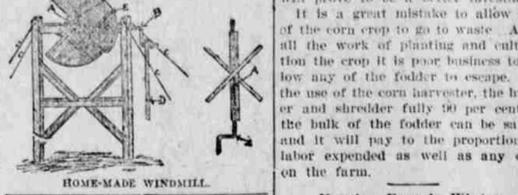


Value of Corn Fodder.
 While it is a well known fact that the fodder of corn has a feeding value almost equal to the corn itself, it is not practical to utilize it fully. The best that we can do is to save about three-fourths of its actual feeding value. It is true that one may save fully 50 per cent of the bulk of its value, but at that he may be able to save only 75 per cent of its feeding value.

The corn harvester is absolutely essential in the economy of the fodder saving. The scarcity of farm labor makes the cost of saving fodder in the old way entirely too expensive, and this is where the corn harvester shows its value.

It is a simple effective machine and can easily be handled by the ordinary farm hand. It is quite the equal of the modern self-binder for grain and there is no machine on the farm that will prove to be a better investment.

It is a great mistake to allow any of the corn crop to go to waste. After all the work of planting and cultivation the crop it is poor business to allow any of the fodder to escape. By the use of the corn harvester, the husker and shredder fully 90 per cent of the bulk of the fodder can be saved, and it will pay to the proportion of labor expended as well as any crop on the farm.

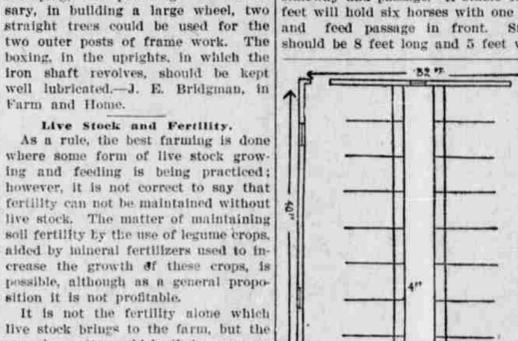


Keeping Eggs in Winter.
 From the many methods advocated for keeping eggs the water glass test is undoubtedly the most satisfactory—one part water glass added to nine parts soft water, previously boiled and cooled.

Place in a clean jar and add eggs that you are confident are strictly fresh and not chipped or cracked. I could tell you a whole chapter about one spoiled egg in a jar containing thirty dozen good eggs. Don't crowd them and leave at least three inches of liquid at the top of the vessel.

We have found, to pack only a limited number, that if placed in oats, small end down, a layer of oats and a layer of eggs, and when the box is full a lid placed on and the box turned every day, the eggs keep well. They are not fresh eggs, of course, nor should they be sold as such.

Horse Stable Stalls.
 The diagram shows the best plan for laying out stalls of horse stable, as all are fed from the center passage, and stables cleaned from the rear. This plan will accommodate 14 horses, and two spare stalls for extras, or for stallway and passage. A stable 18x32 feet will hold six horses with one row and feed passage in front. Stalls should be 8 feet long and 5 feet wide



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The Canadian railways had a total length of 22,452 miles on June 30, 1907, or 27,011 miles including double tracks, sidings and spurs. The greatest mileage in any province was 7,637 miles, in Ontario, and the least was 99, in Yukon. The Dominion and provincial governments have given these roads \$18,328,412, besides 31,763,945 acres of provincial lands and 20,420,100 acres of provincial lands. The International road, 485 miles long, was built and is operated by the government.

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Thought He Understood.
 "Now, young gentlemen," said the professor of moral philosophy in winding up his little talk to the class, "you understand, do you not, what I mean when I use the term 'ethical and intellectual aristocracy'?"
 "Yes, sir," answered the young man with the bad eye; "it means being great and good, in your mind."

Sympathy.
 The 300-pound visitor at the live stock show leaned over the edge of the pen in which lay the 600-pound hog, stretched out at full length on the floor and breathing stertorously.
 "It's pretty tough on you and me, old chap, isn't it," wheezed the fat visitor, "to be prize beauties?"—Chicago Tribune.

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