

The St. Tammany Farmer.

"The Blessings of Government, Like the Dew from Heaven, Should Descend Alike Upon the Rich and the Poor."

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Postmaster-General Payne recommends a small appropriation for extending telephone service in the rural mail delivery, providing a special stamp which the sender may place on his letter authorizing the postmaster to open it and telephone the contents to the receiver. It will save twenty-four hours in many cases and for all practical purposes will be pretty nearly a telegraph service for speed, and that in regions where telegraph service does not exist.

The first Biblical mention of the artificial preparation of food is where Abraham's wife Sarah, from a measure of fine meal made cakes upon the hearth, a method which survives still in the Southern States.

A man never knows how hard his wife works until he tries to clean up the house preparatory to his wife's return from a two week's visit with her mother.

W. B. Wilson, of Chicago, has filed at Washington a bill to enjoin Secretary Shaw from paying out any money towards the building of the Panama Canal, claiming the treaty is unconstitutional.

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