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DEMAND FOR WILLOW BASKETS

The fact that a Chicago merchant is advertising in German trade papers for a million willow clothes baskets is pointed to by experts on willow culture in this country as evidence of our neglect of a profitable industry.

Climate and soil are as favorable for willow culture in this country as in Germany or anywhere else, and the market for willow of the better grades is the best in the world. Generally speaking, land that will grow wheat will grow willows. Their cultivation is not difficult and profits are usually good. But up to the present time Americans have not taken hold of the matter in earnest, though both interest and production have been on the increase of recent years as a result of the efforts made by the Department of Agriculture to inform the public of the opening which willow growing offers.

The Germans handle the business well. They have industrial schools where basket weaving is taught. Many of these schools grow their own willow rods, cut them, and peel and prepare them for use. To the mutual advantage of both pupils and proprietors, arrangements are made to allow pupils to work part of the time in the "holts," as the willow fields are called, belonging to the schools, and in that way earn enough to pay their tuition and board. They then become familiar with all parts of the business, and when they graduate they are competent to take places as overseers of willow farms or foremen in wicker ware factories. The schools profit by getting much of their work done without paying cash for it.

American willow growers and manufacturers of willow ware must meet that competition; but those who have investigated conditions here and abroad feel confident that the American has advantages which will enable him to compete successfully if he takes up the business with characteristic American energy.

Instructions for the growing of basket willows are set out by the forest service, upon request, together with a statement of the returns to be expected. The service is devoting special attention to testing every known variety of basket willow in order to find the best varieties for home growers. In the early spring time cuttings from all approved basket willows are sent gratis to applicants who desire to establish willow hols.

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TRIED TO LAUGH AT DEATH.

Although Conrad Steingraber laughed at the Christ Hospital physicians, in Jersey City, who said that he would die in 24 hours from the effects of a bite from a dog, the prophecy was fulfilled yesterday. Steingraber said he was a disbeliever in hydrophobia, and that he would be around again in a few days, despite the warnings of the physicians. He rapidly grew worse, however, and all hope was given up of saving his life. He remained conscious until the end, and almost the last words he spoke were that he would get well.

Steingraber was bitten by a dog a little over three weeks ago, but paid no attention to the bite, and when warned by his wife that he might develop rabies he merely laughed at her, saying hydrophobia had no terrors for him. On Monday last he began to show signs of rabies, and consulted a physician. On Wednesday he called at the hospital, and when offered a glass of water he was taken with a spasm. From that time until he died his suffering was intense.

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A story of a faro game at high stakes in a luxuriously furnished private dwelling in the fashionable section of the upper West Side was disclosed in New York, on Thursday, at the hearing of Martin Phillips, who was arrested last Wednesday night, charged with larceny. Neville B. Moxley, formerly of Pittsburgh, who gave his present address as New York city, was the complainant, alleging that he lost \$600 in a faro game dealt by Phillips.

In his story to the court Moxley said that he came to New York to work a "system" with Phillips, who, he said, wrote him that they could make \$2,000 out of Phillips' employer, Moxley, it was alleged, was to put up the necessary money and to get 60 per cent. of the proceeds, the remaining 40 per cent. to go to Phillips. Moxley said he came to New York with \$600, saying that much was needed to work the "system." When the magistrate asked Moxley if he did not know the arrangement he had entered into was illegal Moxley hesitated and was severely lectured by the court for his part in the matter. Phillips was held in \$1,500 bail for trial.

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Men's Pants.

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