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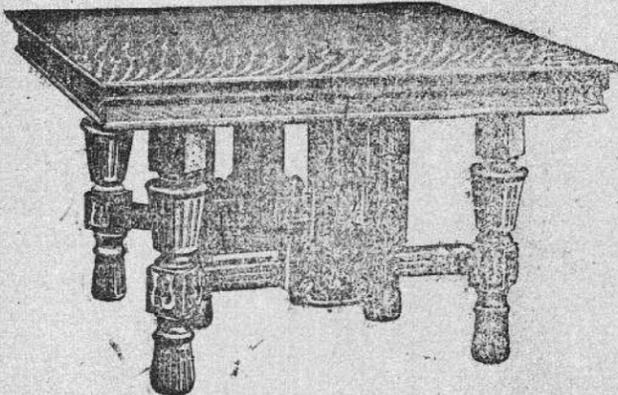
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**Forewarned.**  
This is the way a country editor celebrates Indian summer:  
"The days are now so very still—  
So very still an' sof',  
You kin hear a bill collector's steps 'Bout  
Ten Miles Off!"

**General News.**

Maryland slid back into the democratic column.

The mule can be used as a stock aid around besieged towns.

Nothing except the mint can make money without advertising.

Politics may do better for past-time than for steady employment.

The reliable cure for leucorrhoea, ovarian disorders and falling of womb, is Simmons squaw vine wine or tablets.

Uncle Mark Hanna has a very small margin for boastfulness this year.

The flashing eye, buoyant footstep and rosy complexion result from the use of Dr. M. A. Simmons liver medicine.

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To purify and enrich the blood, strengthen the nerves and invigorate the system, use Dr. M. A. Simmons liver medicine.

I would as soon think of doing business without clerks as without advertising.—Wanamaker.

The girl's friend, Simmons squaw vine wine or tablets, cause natural appearance and regular monthly return of menses.

Dewey was agreeable, when Cupid called, and the band played: "Lo! the con-curring hero comes!"

To regulate the menses, stop flooding and too frequent appearance of menses, take Simmons squaw vine wine or tablets.

An editor has this sign tacked on the door of his sanctum: We're at home to the dollar whenever it rings."

Wearry women need an occasional dose of Dr. M. A. Simmons liver medicine to strengthen their nerves and invigorate their systems.

A man remarked yesterday that the devil was in the weather. But that's all right. Coal went beyond our reach two weeks ago.

Monthly and bearing-down pains, attendant upon irregular and suppressed menstruation, are relieved by Simmons squaw vine wine or tablets.

Philip Werlein, of New Orleans, the leading music house man who has a national reputation dating back many years, died last week.

Temporary derangement of digestion, through overwork, worry or emotional excitement, are quickly rectified by Dr. M. A. Simmons liver medicine.

According to Archbishop Chappelle of New Orleans the apostolic delegate to the Philippines, the percentage of illiteracy on the island of Luzon is less than in the State of Massachusetts.

Mrs. V. A. Bumgardner, Liberty Hill, La., writes: Dr. M. A. Simmons liver medicine in 27 years has cured in our family, enlargement of liver, headache, indigestion, children's many ailments. Believe it worth double Zeilin's and Black Draught.

A New York special says: "A curious little weapon to-day came into the possession of Warden Hagan of the Tombs. The tiny instrument was nothing but a variation of the ordinary hypodermic syringe. In the aluminium case, however, which contained not only the syringe but also a pack of needles, a slender tube, and a vial of poison, there were all the materials for killing in a manner sure to be effective. The nickel-plated syringe was made to serve as an air gun. It was about as large as a fountain pen. When the piston was pressed a tiny dart, the size of an ordinary needle, could be shot into the victim's body. The force of the piston was sufficient, the warden said, to cause the dart to penetrate ordinary clothing from a distance of a few feet and to puncture the flesh deeply enough for the poison into which the end of the dart had been dipped to take effect. "We found the thing on a prisoner named Wm. Jennings," said Deputy Warden Flynn this morning. "I don't know whether he had ever used it. We merely found it in his clothes in making the usual search.""

Diversification from the broadest standpoint is treated in the November issue of the Southern Magazine. The special articles bearing upon this subject and demonstrating the interrelation of agriculture and manufactures include: "The Farmer's Interest in Industrial Development," by D. A. Tomkins of Charlotte, N. C.; "The Relation of Railroads to Agriculture," by Col. J. B. Killbrew of Nashville, Tenn., and the last instalment of the suggestive study of the possibilities of cottonseed, by Edwin Lehman Johnson of S. C., who for more than a year saw service in the Philippines as a member of Tennessee regiment.

Eloquence, says Macaulay, nearly made a chancellor of the exchequer of Mr. Sheridan, who could not work a sum in long division. Eloquence of a different kind did actually confer that post upon Mr. Disraeli, whose mathematical accomplishments were no greater than Sheridan's. A plainer style now suits the House better than rhetoric or epigram. But fluency is as much in vogue as ever. It has made Mr. Chamberlain secretary for colonies and Mr. Chaplin president of the local government board.—London Daily News.

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