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## QUEER QUIRKS OF NEWS

Sharonville, O.—"Howdy, John!" "Howdy, Jim!" Thus John and Jim Stewart of Kansas and Tennessee respectively, met here after a lapse of forty-seven years. Both believed the other dead and spent several hours in a room together before they found out their relationship.

Oilton, Okla.—Mrs. F. Tanner of this place believes she is the only woman in the country who conducts a pool hall. She says under the conduct of a woman, such places should become clean, high standard places of amusements.

East Newport, L. I.—Dr. Herbert C. Carter, pastor of the East Northport Methodist church, is packing his pews by sensational methods. Recently he preached a sermon on death, while standing upright in the narrow confines of a coffin placed in his pulpit.

Canyonville, Ore.—How an old trapper with his leg caught in a big bear trap perished alone in the forest 17 years ago, was revealed when the skeleton was found recently. The skeleton is believed to be that of a well-known character named Blynn, who disappeared many years ago.

Martinet, Mis.—Twenty-two children of Peter Benedict returned home today for the purpose of celebrating his birthday. Instead they went to his funeral. There were four pairs of twins among the children and the eldest was 75 years old.

Los Angeles, Cal.—When the will of Mrs. Clara A. McCutcheon, who died recently, was read, it stipulated: "that my body be cremated and that the oil painting of myself at the time I was 15 years of age shall be cremated with me and the ashes strewn on the ocean from the end of Long Beach pier."

Philadelphia, Pa.—Sixty-three years of married life and not one cross word. Thus have Mr. and Mrs. Charl Bodine made their home Utopia. The couple recently celebrated their sixty-third anniversary by going to the movies, after which they were given a surprise party by four generations of their family.

East Greenville, Pa.—Four fractures in four years is the record for bone-breaking held by Mrs. Henry Mumbauer. She is sixty-five years old, but the fractures in each instance have mended rapidly.

New York, N. Y.—Thomas James Nutty has grown tired of the suggestiveness of his name and the consequent ridicule. The court, when appealed to for relief, allowed him to assume the name of Thomas James Nutley.

Meridan, Miss.—Mrs. James Reeves, who has five grandchildren, recently presented her husband with triplets. Two are girls weighing seven pounds each, and the other a boy, 8 pounds.

South Norwalk, Conn.—Giles Gregory has stepped from the poorhouse to a palace. When Henry Green, an eccentric, said to be worth \$150,000, died, it was found that he left no will. The money went to Gregory, an almost forgotten uncle, who had been an inmate of the poorhouse for many years.

London, Eng.—Mrs. Emma Moulès is believed to have reared more children than any woman on earth. They number 68. Twenty-three were her own; seventeen her second husband's and the remainder nurse children. She also had a share in rearing 107 grandchildren. She is 73 years old.

New York, N. Y.—For years Joseph Truda and his wife, Marie, wanted a baby. Finally, discouraged, Joseph deserted his wife. She adopted a child from an asylum and wrote to Joseph that God had blessed her. He returned, and shortly afterward the child began to change color. A physician was called. The child was a negro.

Kirby, Vt.—Frank C. Grant, of Santa Monica, Cal., who taught school here years ago, went to the school house, rang the bell and nineteen of his thirty-six former pupils, gray-haired and bent responded to the call.

Wilkesbarre, Pa.—Jilted at the altar when his bride failed to appear, Michael Zeigler proposed to Mary Noble, the bridesmaid, was accepted and married her at her home of her parents the same day.

**PREVENT WINTER PASTURING.**  
Stock pasturing on alfalfa in the fall and winter often causes winter killing. The growth of alfalfa is needed to hold snow.

## DISINFECTIONS ARE HEALING

A bad smell is a good danger signal, but need not be dangerous in itself. The cause of the odor is the dangerous thing.

Commercial disinfectants that come in cans and can be diluted with water for immediate use are generally most convenient.

Some coal tar disinfectants can be poured through waste pipes to disinfect the plumbing without harming the pipes or clogging them.

Sawdust moistened with coal tar disinfectant is good for sweeping the floors. It keeps the dust down and kills germs.

The active chemical agent in most coal-tar disinfectants is a substance known as cresol.

The standard commercial coal-tar dips cost about one cent a gallon.

Dips are of three main classes: coal tar, arsenic and tobacco.

Sheep scab is a parasite that burrows in the skin of a sheep and causes an intense itching. Sheep pull out their wool in attempts to relieve the pain. Dip twice at intervals of eight days.

Scaly leg in poultry is caused by small parasites similar to those that cause scab and mange in the larger animals. One pint of coal tar disinfectant, thickened with unsalted lard or petroleum jelly and applied as a salve, will cure it.

Kerosene sprayed on cattle will keep the flies off temporarily, but is not a disinfectant. It will take the hair off an animal if applied too thick, and it is also inflammable and costly.

Dips containing arsenic are popular for killing cattle ticks.

White arsenic, which is mostly used is extremely poisonous. Do not breathe the dust, nor even let the powder touch your skin.

Whitewash is one of the best disinfectants for damp, dark places. It is also a good preservative.

The best way to apply whitewash is, first, to have it perfectly free from lumps, and then use a spray pump.

Thoroughness is important in all kinds of disinfecting work. There is no use to disinfect the walls of a barn unless you also disinfect the floors and mangers.

One good point about whitewash is that its color tells you when you have

thoroughly covered the surface. Some of the coal tar disinfectants not only destroy germs but also kill the lice, fleas, parasites and in addition, heal cuts and wounds.

The best ways to disinfect yards, such as after hog-cholera epidemic are—First rake up all the trash and burn it. Then cover the yard three inches deep with straw and burn that. If you are not able to secure straw, sprinkling the ground with lime is a second choice. To disinfect posts and fences, whitewash or paint them.

Disease germs shorten the average span of life about two years. About 90 per cent of the common diseases are infectious, or "catching." Disinfection after disease is the first step for healthfulness, both for persons and live stock.

Farmland City loans made by Powell—See him.

## JUDGE HOLDS BOX CAR IS A CAR, NOT A HOUSE

Owatonna, Minn., Nov. 18.—Judge A. B. Childress, who already had won fame through his decisions declaring that a mule was not a horse, and an automobile not a wagon, has now declared that a box car, used for housing Mexican section hands, is not a house. In the case concerned the defendant, who attempted to gain his freedom on that contention, nevertheless was convicted of a felony in breaking in the car.

All kinds of legal blanks at the World office.

## MINN. BANKER IS FREED BY JURY

FORMER HEAD OF BARNESVILLE INSTITUTION, CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT, ACQUITTED.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Nov. 22.—F. C. Crary, former president of the Barnesville National Bank, who has been on trial in the United States court here for the past week on a charge of embezzling \$8,000 of the bank funds, was acquitted this afternoon, the jury being out only long enough to take one ballot.

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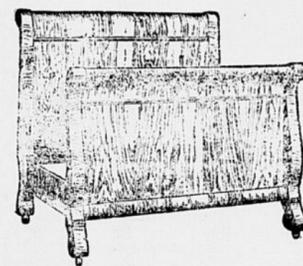
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# Holiday Presents

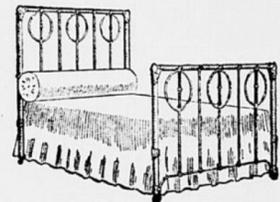
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