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## From Mrs. J. D. Murdoch, Quincy, Mass.

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North Carolina produces approximately 600,000 bales of cotton each year.

# PUBLIC HIGHWAYS

## ROADS AS CROP PRODUCERS

Government Studies Show How the Agricultural Output of Country Depends Upon its Highways.

That an improved road will increase vastly the productivity of the area through which it runs has now been satisfactorily demonstrated by studies conducted by the United States department of agriculture in Virginia. Conditions in Spotsylvania county were investigated with particular care and the results have proved surprising. In 1909, the county voted \$100,000 to improve 40 miles of road. Two years after the completion of this work the railroad took away in 12 months from Fredericksburg, the county seat, 71,000 tons of agricultural and forest products hauled over the highways of that town.

Before the improvement of the roads this total was only 49,000 tons annually; in other words, the quantity of the county's produce had risen more than 45 per cent. Still more interesting, however, is the increase shown in the quantity of the dairy products. In 1909 these amounted to 114,815 pounds, in 1911 to 273,028 pounds, an increase of practically 140 per cent in two years. In the same time shipments of wheat had increased 59 per cent, tobacco 31 per cent, and lumber and other forest products 48 per cent.

In addition to this increase in quantity the cost of hauling each ton of produce was materially reduced. In other words, the farmers not only produced more, but produced more cheaply, for the cost of transportation to market is of course an important factor in the cost of production. From this point of view, it is estimated that the \$100,000 spent in improving the road in Spotsylvania county saved the farmers of that county \$41,000 a year.

In the past two years the traffic studies of the federal experts show that approximately an average of 65,000 tons of outgoing products were hauled over the improved roads in the county an average of 520,000 "ton-miles." Before the roads were improved it was estimated that the average cost of hauling was 20 cents a "ton-mile," after the improvement this fell to 12 cents a "ton-mile," or a saving of eight cents. A saving of eight cents per mile on 520,000 "ton-miles" is \$41,600 a year.

Because this saving, in cases of this character, does not take the form of cash put directly into the farmer's pocket, there is a widespread tendency to believe that it is fictitious profit, while as a matter of fact it is just as real a source of profit as an increase in the price of wheat.

In Dinwiddie county, Virginia, for example, where peanuts are one of the staple crops, the average load for two miles on a main road was about a thousand pounds before the road was improved. After its improvement the average load was found to be 2,000 pounds, and the time consumed in hauling the larger load to market was much reduced.

## IDEAS ON ROAD IMPROVEMENT

Speedways, Joy-Ride Trails or Highways for Pleasure Traffic Not Wanted by Farmer.

Sanity has overtaken the advocates of better rural highways. In the old days the good road advocate dreamed of nothing less than macadam, and his visionaries ran often to brick-paved paths and concrete country lanes. All the rural world rolled smoothly by over traffic ways that would cost anywhere from \$5,000 to \$15,000 per mile. That was before the farmer had really entered into the movement and before the small town merchant, the rural banker, and the county seat cities had begun to think about good roads in terms of dollars and cents. Twenty years of agitation has brought us face to face with the fact that the taxpayer does not want speedways, joy-ride trails or roads for pleasure traffic, says St. Louis Republic. The man on the farm wants a good firm, well drained highway that he can use at any and all seasons of the year, and he does not want to be bankrupted or driven to the poorhouse in getting it.

Laying Pullets.

Pullets very often are slow at starting to lay owing to becoming too fat. In growing pullets there should be more nitrogenous and less carbonaceous food given them.

Importance of Movement.

Of the 2,000,000 miles of public roads in the United States only about two hundred thousand miles have been given a hard surface. This shows the importance of the good roads movement.

Poor Highways.

Poor highways lessen the profit of labor, increase the cost of living, burden the enterprise of the people, dull the morality of our citizenship and hold down the educational advancement of the country.

Prevent Colds.

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# CALOMEL MAKES YOU SICK! LISTEN! CLEAN LIVER AND BOWELS MY WAY

Just Once! Try "Dodson's Liver Tone" When Bilious, Constipated, Headachy—Don't Lose a Day's Work.

Live up your sluggish liver! Feel fine and cheerful; make your work a pleasure; be vigorous and full of ambition. But take no nasty, dangerous calomel, because it makes you sick and you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver, which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crashes into your bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping.

Listen to me! If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning, because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working, your headache and dizziness gone, your stomach will be sweet and your bowels regular.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and cannot salivate. Give it to your children. Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of calomel is almost stopped entirely here.

COMPLIMENT THAT WAS REAL

Tribute Paid By Old Nurse of John Sharp Williams Should Have Pleased Bride.

Senator Kern of Indiana and John Sharp Williams of Mississippi are not only fellow Democrats, but very good friends and frequently pelt each other good naturedly.

Upon one occasion, when Mrs. Kern was on a visit to the capitol, Senator Williams was introduced to her. After the usual exchange of greetings the gentleman from Mississippi looked gravely at Mrs. Kern and, with the expression of a judge who had a sympathetic comprehension of all things pertaining to prisoners at bar, inquired in a judicial voice to match, "Madam, did you marry this man of your own free will?"

Upon proper assurance that this was the case, he remarked, gallantly: "I think John has done what an old ducky on the home place said I done when I brought my wife back home a bride."

"The old nurse met us at the gate, and when I told her, 'This is your Miss Betty, now—my wife,' the old ducky looked 'Miss Betty' over very admiringly. Then she turned her shining black face to me and exclaimed: 'Massa John Sha'p, I've been heah fo' three generations o' brides, but yoh, suh, yoh has jest outmarried yo'self.'"—Washington Star.

SKIN ITCHED AND BURNED

R. F. D. No. 1, Box 164, Bridgewater, N. C.—"I was suffering with a skin trouble which began after a spell of sickness six years ago. It was mostly on my body and I could not rest for the itching and burning. It began like a nettle rash, then it would break out in pimples all over me. I would sting and burn and itch all over and I scratched until I was almost raw. At times I could hardly bear anything to rub against the parts that were affected."

"I do not know how many remedies, soaps, etc., I tried but none did me any good. Then I tried Cuticura Soap and Ointment and they seemed to be the very thing that I needed. I only used them four weeks and they completely healed me." (Signed) Mrs. H. L. Paxton, Jan. 31, 1914.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free with 32-p. Skin Book. Address postcard "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

Partiality.

Five-year-old Katherine was kneeling on her father's lap, stroking the very scant thatch on the top of his head.

"Daddy," she suddenly piped up, "do you know that I think you've got awfully nice hair." A moment's silence. Then: "But if you were not my daddy I wouldn't think you have nice hair."

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And Drives Malaria Out of the System. "You nabek! acts like magic! I have given it to numerous people in my parish who were suffering with chills, malaria and fever. I recommend it to those who are suffering and in need of a good tonic."—Rev. S. Symonowski, St. Stephen's Church, Perth Amboy, N. J. Elixir Babe, 50 cents, all druggists or by Parcel Post, prepaid, from Kloczewski & Co., Washington, D. C.

Qualifying for the Race.

"Who is the man who comes around every day and spends two dollars on the machine that tests your grip?" asked the boardwalk operator.

"That's James Joshua Joshua, the well-known politician," replied the assistant. "He's getting into shape for his handshaking campaign."—Washington Star.

E. B. Hall of Wellsville, N. Y., has sold Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh for forty-five years. Several other druggists have handled it from thirty to fifty years. Adv.

Patients and Doctor Far Apart.

"My doctor is evidently determined to get a rest."

"What has he done?"

"Sent all his patients to the mountains and he's going to the seashore."—Kansas City Journal.

Heard and Obeyed.

"They say money talks."

"Yes, mine says: 'Save me!'"—Boston Evening Transcript.

Probably once in about four thousand years a man who is licked in a fair fight has no excuse to offer.

## CARRIER PIGEONS IN WAR

First Used in Franco-Prussian Conflict, and Their Value Has Since Been Recognized.

The first war in which pigeons were used as messengers was the Franco-Prussian, and the birds carried news into and out of besieged Paris. A post was established at Tours, and right through the siege regular mails were carried between Paris and Tours by pigeons.

It is not generally known that all the armies and navies of the world can fall back on official pigeons, if necessary, and that the birds belonging to the British navy have their official standing and numbers just as the handymen have.

During the Boer war the British army had its carrier-pigeon system. The birds brought messages from all the towns beleaguered by the Boer invaders, and when Sir George White's force was cooped up in Ladysmith winged messengers carried several dispatches from that gallant officer to the men who were slowly fighting their way to his relief.

Anti-Hops.

Reports of the hop harvest suffering through the war would have pleased the anti-hop crusaders of former times. In the middle of the seventeenth century the city of London petitioned parliament to put down "two anapances, Newcastle coals in regard of their stench, etc., and hops in regard they would spoil the taste of drink and endanger the people."

A few decades later John Evelyn appealed to the king and all loyal landowners to banish the "drogue hops," which, he declared, spoiled good ale and led to fomenting diseases, by planting elder fruit and so creating a taste for more wholesome liquor. A century ago Cobbett also wrote angrily of hops and hop growers, chiefly because of the destruction of young trees for hop poles.—London Chronicle.

War and Football.

Yale's bowl, the "fell circus" or stadium in which the great football battle with Harvard will be played this fall, will be the objective of 22 trainloads from New York alone on the day of the game. The whole structure will seat 61,000 people, and it is announced that "every seat in the bowl is a good seat"—that is, it has an unobstructed view of the playing field. Despite Cleveland H. Dodge's protest against holding these "annual mimic battles" during wartime, the Yale Alumni Weekly says they should go on. If the contest in Europe has any direct reaction on American college football it would seem to lie in the direction of eliminating the brutal factors of the game.

Women in Warfare.

Endavoring to emulate their ancient Germanic and Gallic mothers who fought against the Roman legions, the French women of the revolution formed themselves into militant bodies and the dames de halle and the Faubourg St. Antoine, in short petticoats, red Phrygian caps, with pikes in hand, became conspicuous in the early days of the Terror, and the "Amazon of Liege," grasping her lighted match, astride her cannon, was dragged by a mob of demoted women to Versailles when the royal family was forced to return to Paris. Women were also prominent at the barricades during the commune, and many a murderous shot was fired by a woman's hand from the windows of the capital.

Electricity and Food.

At the recent session of the National Electric Light association in Philadelphia Mr. T. C. Martin gave an interesting report on the electrical stimulation and plant growth. He announced that vegetables, such as radishes and lettuce, when subjected to electrical treatment, had shown a 75 per cent increase in growth over untreated vegetables. Evidently electricity is destined to play an important part in the production of our food.—Scientific American.

For old sores of any kind apply Hanford's Balsam. It will reduce the inflammation and the sore will gradually disappear. Use it for the hard cases. Adv.

Proper Forethought.

"Good mornin', Mrs. Moriarity. It's well ye'r lookin'." And how's that delicate son of yours now?"

"He wurkin' in a delicatessen store he is."

"Aha! Must be foin to have special stores jist for sickly byes to wurk in, hey?"

How a How Started in Glen Elder. They were leaning over the line fence, these ladylike neighbors, and they seemed to be having an argument as the Glen Elder Sentinel's reporter passed.

"How do you know it is so?" asked one.

"I said it was so, didn't I?" the other came back, coldly.

"Uh, huh, you did, and I suppose it is your idea that whatever you say goes?"

"Yes, if I say it to you—it goes all over town!"

And then the neighbors called the police.—Kansas City Star.

Extended.

The Applicant—Have you a vacancy in your tango classes?

The Dancing Master—How old are you?

"Forty-three."

"What is your weight?"

"Hundred and fifty."

"You'll have to get on the waiting list. I'm not accepting tango pupils under forty-three years and 150 pounds."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Limited to Her.

"James, you've already danced with that young Miss Smithers four times. I think you ought to drop her now. People will be talking."

"Now ma—"

"I tell you it doesn't look right."

"Don't get jealous. I'm not in love with her. She's the only one in the ballroom who dances the hesitation the same way I do."—Detroit Free Press.

Of Equal Impact.

Knicker—They are looking for a war tax that will fall equally on every one.

Bocker—Then tax the rain.

The Complete Butcher.

"What's the deal, Penny?"

"Oh, it's the part of the cow we eat before she grows up."—Sacred Heart Review.

For galls use Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh and keep on working the horse. Adv.

Ceylon has 1,000,000 acres of coconut plantations.

## What a Cold Can Do

Many a fatal case of kidney disease starts from a simple cold or chill. Congestion closes and weakens the kidneys. Uric poisons collect, damage the kidneys and cause backache, rheumatic pain, headaches and urinary disorders.

When doctoring a cold, think of the kidneys. Drink water freely to help flush out the poisons. Take Doan's Kidney Pills to relieve congestion of the kidneys, give up a heavy meal diet and take plenty of rest. Nature will assist in the cure. Doan's Kidney Pills are used with success and are publicly recommended all over the civilized world.

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"She said it twice."

**YOUR BLOOD**

is the canal of life but it becomes a sewer if clogged up. All life consists of building up and tearing down and the manner that the blood carries to the various parts of the body the food that the cells need for building up, so it is compelled to carry away the waste material that's torn down. These waste materials are poisonous and destroy us unless the liver and kidneys are stimulated into refreshed and vigorous life.

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