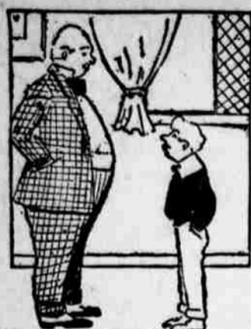


**ACCURACY**



"Yes, Henry, I've traveled into every corner of the globe."  
"The globe is a spherical body, uncle. Therefore it has no corners!"  
—Chips.

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Stepmother of Mint Julep. Romance and poetry have delighted to weave garlands with which to celebrate and perpetuate the glory of the blue grass in old Kentucky, famed for its fine horses, beautiful women and mint.

Kentucky has been designated as the home of the mint julep, and its colonials have become famous all over the world for the easy and graceful way in which they drink whiskey with a little dash of sugar and a sprig or two of mint in order, chiefly to overcome the necessity for a large amount of water in the beverage. The true Kentuckian doesn't want his whiskey drowned.

It transpires, however, that the real home of the mint and the mint julep is right here in Missouri, whose crop of mint last year amounted to 7,653 pounds, or enough to make 1,254,320 juleps. This amount includes the marketed product only, no account having been taken of the countless thousands of juleps which were compounded during the year with a base of the undiluted moonshine whiskey that never paid a cent of tax.—St. Louis Star.

**The General Opinion.**

"I hear you have a fine wife, old chap."  
"I have; everybody thinks it's a great pity she married me."

**Cause and Effect.**

"He's a poet of passion, isn't he?"  
"Yes; I've seen him fly into one when his verses were returned."

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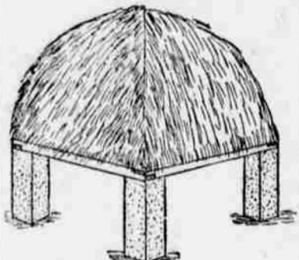
**ROAD AND FARM IMPROVEMENT**

**SHELTER IN THE FARM YARD**

Excellent Manner of Stacking Hay is Illustrated—Also Protects the Animals.

The illustration shows an excellent manner of stacking the straw, hay or corn fodder that it may be fed from the yard; this not only prevents the cattle from pulling it down and wasting same, but provides an excellent shelter for them from the weather, says the Farm Press.

The uprights or posts are made of concrete and so have greater durability than if constructed of wood; these are easily molded by building a box form of the right height and about 15



Shelter for the Farm Yard.

inches square on the inside if only four posts are to be used; the concrete is tamped inside same and when cured the frame may be erected upon them to form the foundation for the stack. When desired the number of posts may be increased and the size of same decreased; thus, if six posts are used they will be amply strong if made 12 inches square; if eight posts are used they can be made ten inches square. The advantage of this shelter is very apparent to every farmer, as it saves a large portion of the straw, etc., that would be wasted by the cattle trampling it into the yard. A manhole can be built through the center of stack and the straw thrown down through it in feeding, thus giving the cattle a sheltered place to feed away from snow and rain. If well made, it is not the least unsightly.

**ORGANIC MATTER OF SOILS**

Necessary Element is Secured by Crop Rotation by Plowing Under Green Crops and Manuring.

(By D. W. FREAK, Colorado Agricultural College.)

All cultivated soils and most virgin soils contain plant and animals' remains, called organic matter.

When in the last stages of decay, organic matter is called humus. Humus is dark in color and imparts that color to soil when present in sufficient quantities.

Organic matter is very light in weight. When partially decayed, and especially in the form of humus, it has the power to absorb and hold larger quantities of water than even the finest clays.

Humus is more plastic (sticky) than sand, and less plastic than clay. Consequently it is very valuable in binding together sandy soils and loosening up clayey soils.

When organic matter decays, substances called organic acids are produced which act on the soil mineral matter and help to make it soluble, so that it is available to other plants. The food material which the organic matter contained is also broken down to its original form, and much of it is again built up into plant tissue.

Organic matter is gotten into the soil by crop rotation, by plowing under green crops, by manuring and by raising crops with extensive root systems. When added to soils in arid regions it should be well rotted. It is one of the most important soil constituents. The lack of it in soil is largely the cause of the decreased yields under the single, continuous cropping system.

**PUTTING IN DRAINAGE TILES**

Many Acres of Land Could Be Made Most Productive if System of Underdraining Put In.

(By S. M. MILLER.)

During the last few months there has been much discussion in the agricultural press concerning the best investments for farmers. In my opinion there is no better and safer investment for the average farmer than the drainage on such parts of the farm as fall to produce maximum crops during wet seasons. There are many acres of naturally fertile soil that are not paying the owner the cost of working that could be made the most productive portion of the farm if a good system of underdraining was put in.

In many cases the first crop will pay the entire cost of drainage. Of course many farmers are so situated that they cannot afford to put in the complete drainage system at one time.

My advice to such men is to have their plans made at one time and do a little every year. In this way their work shall not be haphazard, disconnected efforts, but shall fit into a previously worked-out system and form a permanent part of it.

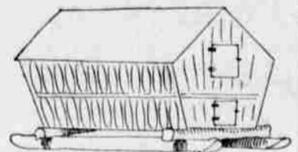
**CHEAP MOVABLE CORN CRIB**

Dries Grain Out Quickly and Permits It to Remain So All the Year Around.

(By J. G. STEIN.)

The walls of this corn crib are made of barrel staves; the roof may be of lap-siding or any kind of roofing you want.

For the side walls, use two lengths of staves and run a pole on the middle, as shown in the cut to nail the staves on, and run the two rods through the middle of the crib, one through poles and one through plates.



A Movable Corn Crib.

The size of the crib is according to the amount of corn raised.

The walls must slant out a little, as shown in the cut, as this will keep out the rain better. The floor is tight.

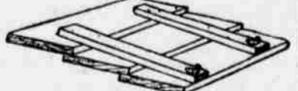
This kind of a crib is quite cheap and may be built of small poles nailed close together if no barrel staves are at hand.

Such a crib keeps the corn in good condition. It dries quickly and keeps dry all the year around, which is not possible for corn kept in a tight granary where it molds and spoils at once.

**EASILY-BUILT CLOD CRUSHER**

Found Extremely Useful on Soils With Many Lumps—May Also Be Used as Roller.

Upon heavy soils where there are many lumps or clods, this will be found of use, as it is more effective than the usual roller which presses the clod into the ground, but does not crush it, while the drag or boat shown in the illustration will work wonders in a field where there are many clay



Clod Crusher.

lumps or clods. Heavy planks are nailed together in the manner shown in drawing with the edges lapped over each other, and to the top of these two strips are bolted to hold it rigidly together. At the end of these strips two hooks are placed to which a chain can be attached for hitching the team to. The top is further weighted with rocks if needed. This also does very effective work as a substitute for a roller upon any soil.

**Handling Manure.**

It is too bad that a good many farmers waste energy in the handling of manure. Why throw it in piles in the field to be forked again when it could be spread as quickly from the wagon? A manure spreader will do the work quicker and better and make farm life pleasanter for the boys.

**FARM NOTES**

The fruit tree agents will soon be around. Don't give them all an order. Don't leave your valuable farm machinery standing unprotected in the field.

Rabbits sometimes gnaw and damage blackberry, raspberry and other bushes.

A good implement house with a fully equipped repair shop can be built for \$300.

The great virtue of alfalfa is its ability to increase the nitrogen content of the soil.

All plants which have the ability to add nitrogen to the soil, like alfalfa, are called legumes.

The farmer can improve his property cheaper than a person in almost any other business.

Drainage lessens evaporation simply by removing the surplus snow and rain water by filtration.

Put some manure around the gooseberry, currant and raspberry bushes, if you didn't do it last month.

It is the consensus of opinion that a small farm well worked is more profitable than a large one poorly worked.

Grass roots must have protection from the winter frosts if good meadows are secured and maintained from year to year.

A two-foot piece of old steel rail from the railway track is a very convenient thing on the farm. It may be used as a cheap anvil.

Manure increases the capacity of a soil to hold water. This it does by reason of the large amount of organic matter it contains.

Without doubt one of the pressing problems with which the average western farmer has to deal is that of securing reliable farm help.

The corn grower should constantly bear in mind that while growing his corn, he is preparing for future wheat and other small grain crops.

The farmer who does not pull the leak plug out of his pump before the weather becomes cold enough to freeze it up solid while full of water, may not find it worth while doing so afterwards.

**VERACITY OF THE BIBLE**

After a Visit to the Holy Land Even a Skeptic Must Be Convinced.

One thing cannot fail to impress every visitor to Bethlehem, and, indeed, to the Holy Land generally, who is imbued with true Christian faith and a proper sense of the sanctity of the location and of the events that have transpired there, and that is the more than remarkable correspondence between the things and places shown us today as having been associated with the life and work of the Saviour and other events that enter into the structure of our religious faith and the descriptions and accounts of them, as furnished us in the pages of the Holy Scriptures. They agree with them in every respect and it is impossible, after carefully considering and comparing them, to doubt their identity, so exactly are they in accord with the Bible narrative.

The work in the fields, the arrangement of the buildings, the very articles of diet and clothing of ancient days are plainly recognizable in the doings and surroundings of today. Indeed, where modern methods have not become obtrusive the manners and customs of the people remain much the same as in the days of the presence on earth of the Saviour. Between the descriptions given in the Bible of localities, climatic and geographical conditions, distances, etc., of these times and those of today there is hardly any discrepancy. Even a skeptic, considering this remarkable accord of circumstances with the Biblical narrative, cannot but be convinced of its veracity; to the believer it comes as a wonderful conviction, a satisfactory corroboration or encouragement to see things as those who described them so graphically saw them so long ago.—Columbian Magazine.

**The Modern Way.**

A couple of young men on the Market street viaduct the other evening offered a new version of an old saw. After they had passed a couple of auburn-haired damsels one of the young men took his stand at the curb and gazed up and down the bridge.

"What are you looking for?" inquired his companion.

Pointing to the red-headed girl, the young man answered: "I'm trying to see a white automobile."—Youngtown Telegram.

**Ill-Mannered Chickens.**

Little Robert, 3 years of age, went with his grandmother to the chicken park to see her feed the chickens. When the little ones jumped upon the water dish and dipped their bills into the water, he cried: "Oh, grandmother, they are putting their feet on the table."

**Of Course She Must.**

"What time does the dance begin?"  
"Nine o'clock."  
"Then we must be there at 8:30."  
"What for?"  
"I must have at least an hour in the dressing room to rearrange my hair."

**Important to Mothers**

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**Severe.**

"I don't think there is an honest hair in his head."  
"That's right. I believe he'd even cheat at checkers!"

There's an irony in nature that is almost sure to bring those who prescribe for the race around to taking their own medicine.

In case of pain on the lungs Hamlin's Wizard Oil acts like a mustard plaster, except that it is more effective and is so much nicer and cleaner to use.

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The difference between a statesman and a politician is that the statesman is dead.



**Housework Drudgery**

Housework is drudgery for the weak woman. She brushes, dusts and scrubs, or is on her feet all day attending to the many details of the household, her back aching, her temples throbbing, nerves quivering under the stress of pain, possibly dizzy feelings. Sometimes rest in bed is not refreshing, because the poor tired nerves do not permit of refreshing sleep. The real need of weak, nervous women is satisfied by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

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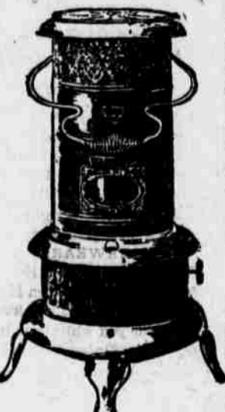
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**Fresh Air in Winter**



In winter, it is hard to get fresh air in certain rooms. Some rooms in a house are usually colder than others, and if you open the windows it is hard again to heat the room properly. If you keep the windows closed you don't get fresh air; if you keep them open you cannot quickly reheat the room. The

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Absolutely smokeless and odorless solves the difficulty. You can leave the windows in a room open all day in winter, and when you close them apply a match to a Perfection Oil Heater and heat the room to any temperature you desire in a few minutes.

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