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WE STAND FOR SAN JON, AND THE SAN JON VALLEY.

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HAPPENINGS IN CITY AND VALLEY.

D. C. Green of Anniston, was a San Jon visitor, Monday.

Lisle Boggs is helping J. G. Ellis a few days this week in his crops.

We learned that Dan Simington had a valuable mare bitten with a cattle snake this week.

J. V. Carter was a San Jon visitor, Tuesday, and called at this office, while in town.

Childrens day will be observed at San Jon, by appropriate exercises by the children, on Sunday, June 28.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Marden drove to Norton, Sunday, and returned Monday.

Another good rain, of .26 of an inch fell at this place Monday evening, which will help the grass and growing crops.

Frank Atkinson and family, and Thomas W. Jennings and family spent the day Sunday at Mrs. Margery Martins.

William C. Christy made proof on a half section of land south west of San Jon, Thursday. G. W. Randall and J. M. Harless were his witnesses.

J. E. Denton, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Denton came in from Thornton, Ark. Friday to take charge of the station at this place, in capacity of Agent while his father and mother take a vacation.

Hon. F. R. Fry of Corydon Iowa, father of Mrs. J. T. White came in Thursday morning for a visit with his daughter and family and on Thursday made proof on Jeva M. Frys additional entry. J. G. Elles and G. S. Hyso were his witnesses.

We are in receipt of a letter, from Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor of the Methodist Church, South, at Quitman, Arkansas, in which he states, that they are getting along fine, like the country and their work, at that place.

Mr. Campbell used to be Pastor of the Methodist Church at this place, and he and Mrs. Campbell have a host of friends, in this section. Mr. Campbell ordered the "Sentinel", sent to his address.

On Saturday June 27 the voters of Quay County will again have the opportunity to express themselves, at the polls, as to whether we shall have a County High School located at Tucumcari.

The law provides the town where a County High School is to be located has to furnish a suitable building, where the school may be held, and at Tucumcari has such a building, the only expence to the tax payer will be for the maintenance of the school. Women can vote on this proposition, and it is up to you, Mr. and Mrs. voter to decide the question at the polls on Saturday the 27 day of June.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Chas. Alsdorf and family, were guests at the J. R. Haynes home Sunday.

Waler Carter left Tuesday, for Kiowa, Texas, to work through the harvest.

Rev. B. O. Massegee and brother Charles are holding revival services, this week, at the Baptist Church.

J. F. Reynolds, wife and children, Messrs Payne, Portor, and Warrs were Sunday guests at the J. W. Griffiths home.

Stephen Neville was out from Tucumcari, Monday, figuring on the job of plastering the school house, and was employed to do the work.

Professor J. A. Atkins, Miss Addie and Anga Elder went to Tucumcari Sunday evening to attend the teachers normal in session at that place this week.

Mr and Mrs. D. H. Jones and J. A. Ramsey, of Bard, were transacting business in San Jon Monday, and Mr. Jones took the evening train for Tucumcari.

Mrs. Anderson was a San Jon visitor Tuesday, delivering her cream and shipped, A. J. Craig some of their house hold goods to West Tulsa where Mr. Craig has bought the lease on a crop and located for the present.

On July 20, 1914, all lands lying in Township 12 north of Range 37 east and all lands in Township 10 north of Range 37 east will be subject to entry. No filings will be accepted prior to July 20, 1914. R. P. Donohoo, Register.

J. W. Corn, chairman County Road Board was in Logan from Tucumcari and in company with J. F. McFarland, who is a member of the board, went down to the Canadian river to locate a suitable place for a wagon bridge. The prospects for a wagon bridge across the Canadian at a point near the railroad bridge or about two miles above is very promising at present. Logan Leader.

ELK HOTEL

STEAM HEAT AND BATH CLEAN COMFORTABLE PLACE. COME AND SEE US. Rates 50 & 75 cts. Rooms by week or month. J. D. Lovelady, Prop. Tucumcari, New Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Denton, left for Texas Tuesday, where they will spend about two months visiting friends and relatives, in the hope that Mr. Dentons health will be benefited by the change they expect to visit at Greenview, San Angelo, Sherwood, and Del Rio and other Texas points. They will be greatly missed by their many friends here, during their absence but all hope Mr. Denton will return improved in health, and have some big fish stories to interest us.

Jesse T. White.

Notary Public

SAN JON, NEW MEX.

LOCALS FROM BARD

J. Q. Vanorsdol went to Endee, Monday.

Mrs. Herschal Johnson and children spent the day, Wednesday, with Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Miss Ola Boyles visited Miss Nina Horne, Wednesday.

Mrs. Hugh Horne and children went to San Jon, Wednesday, to visit with Mrs. Horne's mother, Mrs. Nellie Bennett.

Mrs. Charles Brown and children, of Tucumcari, came out Wednesday evening and spent Wednesday night and Thursday, with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Norvell.

Mrs. J. M. Arnett, Miss Bell Arnett and Martin and John Arnett returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. J. G. Pruitt called on Mrs. F. M. Chapman Wednesday afternoon.

J. B. DeWees went to San Jon Wednesday morning.

Mrs. J. B. Adams and children and Miss Ellen Adams visited Friday with Mrs. H. L. Boyles.

Several of the young people attended a surprise party Wednesday night, at the home of, Mr. and Mrs. Sr. W. Newbanks. All report a jolly time.

The Ladies Aid gave an ice cream supper in the Fullwood building Friday night. The proceeds are to be used in purchasing an organ for the church.

Mrs. Summerville came in Thursday evening to reside on her homestead north of Bard.

"May Bee"

ANNISTON AND SHADY GROVE NEWS

(To late for last week.)

The wind the past week has dried out the ground till a good shower would help, though things are growing.

W. Y. Mitchell purchased a team of horses from Fulton Spurlock last week.

D. C. Green and Horace Perkins made a business trip to San Jon, Monday.

G. F. Nelson and Horace Perkins bought some cows from Mr. Marrs, who lives four miles west of San Jon.

Mrs. R. A. Spurlock is still very poorly but is better than last week.

The teachers of this part are busy preparing to attend the normal at Tucumcari, which begins the fifteenth.

A good crowd at singing Sunday at Shady Grove.

Rev. Masterson preached at Anniston Sunday morning.

Virgil Willis has moved his house near the north line of his land to his well, where he will have water for house use.

Hanibal Willis is anticipating a trip to the harvest fields, as he has been offered good wages.

A Reader

Mr. and Mrs. Cox, of the plains, were visiting at the Hyso home Thursday. Mrs. Cox is a niece of Mrs. Hyso.

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THE SABBATH

(Article 11, By E. W. Morton)

Looking at the Sabbath Day from another point of view, that of Consecration, then it will be impossible for us to work on that day with a clear conscience. I mean by Consecration the same as you mean by your promise or your honor, that is with this exception: You set apart an amount of money for a purpose, and if you have the ability to do so, you will not use that money for any other purpose. If you do, you immediately lose confidence in yourself.

If you promise to do a thing for a friend or any one else and you are a man of your word of honor, you will do it, if you have the ability. And so the same thing can be said about the law, the law of the common wealth. It is consecrated or set apart for the purpose of the good of the weak etc. If you are a man of your honor you will keep the law, just because it is law.

So it is with the Sabbath Day. You have the choice of keeping it or not keeping it with the result attached that will not be set aside.

But while this is true, the Sabbath is not yours. It is consecrated day. You have no right to it in any way, except the way the consecration explains. That is, as it is set apart by the Lord for you. He asks you to make its consecration complete by accepting the consecration that He has made into law for you and thus to observe the day. You have the right of choice in this but if you choose to do as He has not intended that you should on that day and not observe His consecration, then you have taken God to task and claimed that you know much more than He does and that the present benefit is far better than the future help to be brought about by the keeping of the consecration. You are doing that also that shows plainly that you do not care if you take that which does not belong to you, but for the consecrated purpose.

ELECTION PROCLAMATION

In accord with the statutes in such case made and provided, the Board of County Commissioners of Quay County, New Mexico, does hereby proclaim and give public notice of an election to be held in the several precincts of said county on Saturday, the 27th day of June, A. D. 1914, the object and purpose of which is to determine the question of establishing a County High School in such county of Quay, in the City of Tucumcari, in the State of New Mexico, and said election shall be conducted and the returns made and canvassed as now provided by law for the election of County Officers. At said election the ballots shall read "For a County High School at Tucumcari, New Mexico" and "Against a County High School at Tucumcari, New Mexico." WITNESS the Seal of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Quay, in the State of New Mexico, and the hands of the Chairman of said Board and the Clerk thereof, this 6th day of April, A. D. 1914.

W. B. Rector, Chairman.

(SEAL) D. J. Finigan, Clerk.

By W. R. Copen, Deputy.

The following Judges of election were appointed for Precinct No. 12 San Jon, at School House, Mex Aston, Tom Horne, A. R. Hurt.

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CESANT CREAMERY Co.

A Liberal Share of your Patronage Solicited.
Z. T. McDaniel, Agent.
San Jon, New Mex.

PROTECTION.

Our Fundamental Principle

Our claim to your confidence is based upon the staunchness of our organization, our steady growth, careful methods, our special precautions to safeguard deposits and the character of every man who is officially connected with the bank. This will be attested by anyone who has studied carefully our financial statements and watched us build upon the foundation of "SAFETY FIRST," adding to our strength the good will of our customers through sincere and helpful service.

CASH RESERVES

in amounts large enough to meet any emergency are always kept in our vault and our assets are convertible with sufficient speed to double our patrons' financial protection in combating any crisis. Eternal vigilance precludes any save gilt-edged investments of our funds. We know and feel the responsibilities of the modern banker—we are conscious of our broadening field and alert to the problems ahead of the American banker. Every transaction is considered from the standpoint of how much aid it will give the customer and how much strength it will add to the bank.

LET US SERVE YOU

Our bank is not too large to give true consideration to the little things that mean much to the welfare of the depositor, not too large to lend its counsel to the depositors whose dealings are small but none the less important to him. All who bring their business to us are assured of courteous treatment and appreciative attention. We will be glad to have your name on our list of customers. EVERY TRANSACTION HERE HELD IN CONFIDENCE WE DON'T WANT TO MISS AN OPPORTUNITY TO PLEASE

The First National Bank

TUCUMCARI NEW MEXICO.

We Favor Our Depositors. If You Will Come With Us We Will Favor You

GOOD SERVICE IS WHAT COUNTS

RATHER DEAD THAN ALIVE

Deploable Condition of Lumpkin Lady Whose Troubles Multiplied Until Life Became Almost Unbearable

Lumpkin, Ga.—Mrs. G. W. Booth, of this place, says: "I suffered with dumb chills and fever and was very irregular. Was also nervous and weak, short of breath, couldn't do my housework without it being a burden, and then I began suffering untold misery in my left side and back. I got to where I would rather have been dead than alive.

I tried many remedies, but they failed to help me.

Finally, I purchased two bottles of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and began taking it according to directions. Cardui helped me right away. I believe it saved my life.

I cannot praise Cardui enough to my lady friends. It is certainly the medicine for suffering women and girls.

If you have any of the ailments so common to women, or if you feel the need of a good, strengthening tonic, we urge you to give Cardui a trial. It has helped thousands of women in its past 50 years of success, as is proven by the numerous enthusiastic letters of gratitude, similar to the above, which come to us every day.

Don't delay. This letter from Mrs. Booth should convince you that Cardui is worth a trial. Get a bottle from your druggist today. You'll never regret it.—Adv.

Insulted.

Salesman—I think you will find this book very suggestive.

Bride-Elect—Sir!—Princeton Tiger.

Constipation causes many serious diseases. It is thoroughly cured by Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. One a laxative, three for cathartic. Adv.

No Need.

Smith—My wife is wearing the new trouser skirt. Is yours?

Jones (sady)—She doesn't need to. She's wearing the old kind ever since we were married.

Overworked.

The papers are publishing stories of Dr. Weir Mitchell. This is one of the best of them:

One day a patient came into his office and found him closing a large bundle of letters. "All resignations from committees or boards," he said, gleefully. "I'm going to get off all them. I have told my wife that when I die I want her to put on my tombstone, 'Committed to the grave!'"

Cause of Death.

"You say your automobile didn't touch this man, and yet he was dead when you picked him up?" shouted the prosecuting attorney.

"That's my claim," coolly retorted the prisoner. "My machine didn't touch him."

"And you were driving not over 12 miles an hour?"

"Not over 12 miles and—"

"And you saw this man start to cross the street?"

"Yes."

"Did you blow your horn?"

"I did."

"What sort of a horn is it?"

"One of those newfangled clatter-boxes that create a sound that is a cross between a shriek and a dying wail."

"That explains it. You simply scared the man to death."

LIVING ADVERTISEMENT

Glow of Health Speaks for Postum.

It requires no scientific training to discover whether coffee disagrees or not.

Simply stop it for a time and use Postum in place of it, then note the beneficial effects. The truth will appear.

"Six years ago I was in a very bad condition," writes a Tenn. lady. "I suffered from indigestion, nervousness and insomnia.

"I was then an inveterate coffee drinker, but it was long before I could be persuaded that it was coffee that hurt me. Finally I decided to leave it off a few days and find out the truth.

"The first morning I left off coffee I had a raging headache, so I decided I must have something to take the place of coffee." (The headache was caused by the reaction of the coffee drug—caffeine.)

"Having heard of Postum through a friend who used it, I bought a package and tried it. I did not like it at first but after I learned how to make it right, according to directions on pkg., I would not change back to coffee for anything.

"When I began to use Postum I weighed only 117 lbs. Now I weigh 170 and as I have not taken any tonic in that time I can only attribute my present good health to the use of Postum in place of coffee.

"My husband says I am a living advertisement for Postum."

Name given by the Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum now comes in two forms:

Regular Postum—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—is a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

MUSHROOM IN DEMAND

GOOD PRICE MAKES CULTIVATION WORTH CONSIDERING.

Exercise Great Care in Making First Bed, Using Horse Manure, With a Small Proportion of Long, Straw Litter.

(By E. KNEELAND, Agriculturist. Copyright, 1914.)

The great demand for mushrooms is not only constant, but far below the supply, and as they sell for from 20 to 60 cents per pound their cultivation is worth considering.

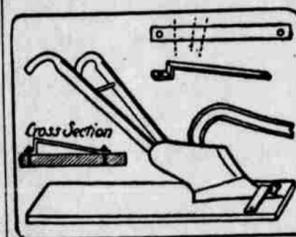
Any one who has a bit of space in the cellar where the temperature can be kept at 57 degrees Fahrenheit can easily raise mushrooms. Make a first bed on the ground in a semi-dark corner, using great care in the selection of material to be used for the bed. Use horse manure, composed largely of short manure, with a small proportion of long, straw litter, adding loam or rich soil at the rate of one bushel of soil to four or five bushels of manure. This mixture should be prepared by stacking, turning, shaking and restacking every three or four days until it is in condition for preparing the bed. These operations permit of the escape of noxious gases and prevent burning. Keep moist, but not too wet, and in about two weeks the material will be ready for use. The bed should be 12 to 14 inches thick (two to three feet wide, and long as desired) after being thoroughly pounded down so as to become firm, level and compact, and then cover with long straw. If the material is in proper shape the mercury in the thermometer (which comes expressly for this work) will rise to 100 degrees or more, then slowly fall.

When 90 degrees is reached time for planting the spawn has come. If English mushroom spawn is used break it into pieces two inches square and plant nine inches apart each way and two inches deep. Be sure to firm the manure over the spawn, and after the spawn has been planted a week or ten days it should begin "running;" then spread a coat of rich, loamy soil an inch thick over the bed, the surface being made smooth and firm; cover it with litter and keep the temperature at 57 degrees Fahrenheit. The bed should be kept covered until exhausted. Many failures are caused by overwatering. While mushrooms thrive best in a soil which will not crack, but kept moist enough to press together nicely, still it should not be wet. On the other hand, if allowed to become too dry the bed becomes exhausted before the crop is harvested. Always use lukewarm water. The mushrooms should appear in six or eight weeks unless there is some defect in material, temperature or moisture, in which case they may remain barren for two or three months and then turn out excellent crops.

PLOW SHOE IS QUITE HANDY

Device Shown in Illustration Makes the Task of Moving Cumbrous Implement Easy.

When taking a plow to and from the fields, it is no easy matter. The plow shoe device illustrated makes this much easier, writes Creel Q. Chandler of Darrow, Ia., in the Missouri Valley Farmer. To make it you need a piece of scrap iron one-quarter inch thick, one inch wide and 12 inches long. Bend it as shown in the first diagram, after making a hole in each end. Next take a board 2x10 inches, six feet long,



Handy Plow Shoe.

and bore two holes one inch from each side, ten inches from one end, the same size as those in the strap. Bolt the strap firmly to the board, bevel the underside of the front end, and the sled is finished. The plowman stands on the board behind the plow to balance it.

FACTS ABOUT RUNNER DUCKS

Will Produce 200 Eggs Far More Easily Than Any Hen—Proposition for Any Poultryman.

(By L. M. BENNINGTON.)

Among all the openings for making money on the farm, I doubt that there is another to which so many are looking with eager interest and with such real hope as hundreds are giving to the raising of Indian Runner ducks.

This is largely because nearly every farm produces eggs, every family in our land eats eggs, and the Runner is pre-eminently an egg producer.

Given a duck that will lay 200 eggs far more easily than any hen can do it, and the fact that the eggs of the mature bird are one-half larger than those of the average hen, and we have a proposition calculated to make any egg producer sit up and open his eyes, and one which every egg-producer ought to try out to see whether for him the Indian Runner is a better money producer than the hen.

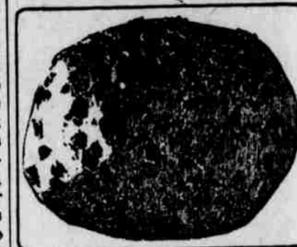
POWDERY SCAB OF POTATOES

Farmers of United States Lose Over \$30,000,000 Every Year From Disease of Tubers.

That the farmers of the United States lose over thirty million dollars every year from potato diseases is a statement that the United States department of agriculture considers as under the mark rather than otherwise.

The list of parasites responsible for this loss is a long one. Early blight, late blight, scab, blackleg, wilt, powdery dry-rot, and others are already wide-spread, and new troubles are discovered every year. Several of the worst plant diseases have come to us from foreign countries, and it was to exclude these unwelcome visitors that congress passed last year a quarantine law under which potatoes from the British Isles, Germany, Austria, Newfoundland, St. Pierre and Miquelon are now excluded on account of the wart disease, a dreaded pest which transforms the tubers into irregular, unrecognizable, black, warty masses.

Powdery scab of the potato resembles to the untrained eye the common scab, but is in reality a markedly different disease, apparently of greater



Potato Attacked by Powdery Scab.

importance. As far as is known, it is not generally distributed in the United States, although it has been found in one or two localities. Every effort should be made to prevent the spread of this new disease by the destruction of all infected potatoes. It causes the formation of round pustules with raised edges, which may vary in size and number. (See illustration.) If they are numerous, the whole surface of the potato may become covered and the eyes destroyed. These pustules contain when mature or at harvesting time a brown dust. This powdery substance consists of countless small spore balls, which may remain alive in the soil for several years and infect the future crops.

The question now before the department of agriculture is whether this scab is of such a dangerous character that the exclusion of potatoes from all foreign countries will be justified. Such a quarantine would involve Canada and probably nearly all European countries not already under the wart-disease embargo.

ATTENTION TO SETTING HENS

Fowl Should Be Given Plenty of Water and Corn—Dust With Insect Powder to Kill Vermin.

A sitting hen should have plenty of water every day; she should also have plenty of corn to keep up her body heat—just about all she can eat. If confined closely don't forget her grit, and a bit of fat meat occasionally will help her to keep warm. Be sure to dust her with insect powder, at least twice, to get rid of all lice. Give her just what eggs she can cover nicely, remembering to take into consideration her size and the cold weather. Better give a hen 11 eggs, which she can cover nicely, than to give her 15, which she cannot keep warm.

If you have trouble in getting a hen to sit where you want her, move her after dark; then cover her closely so the nest will be dark all the next day, and so the hen cannot stand up. Put an egg or so under her and leave her alone over the second night. After that she will usually sit contented.

Gentleness and kind treatment are necessary in the successful handling of sitting hens. Any roughness shown causes them to become restless and untrustworthy on the nest, rendering them liable to break their eggs, if nothing more. Keep them quiet, comfortable and well fed; give them as much chance to exercise as you can, and if the eggs are good you will get pretty fair hatches even in very cold weather.

If your sitters are wild and inclined to fly from the nest every time the attendant comes into their presence, try hanging a curtain in front of the nests until they get settled down to business. Sometimes, particularly so with Leghorns, it is necessary to leave the curtain hanging all through the period of incubation. Always go to the nests of the flighty hens after dark. If you have no special sitting-room and must have other hens laying in the vicinity of your sitting hens, collect the eggs after dark.

Freedom for Colts.

It is not best to keep the colts tied up day after day, nor is it best to allow them to run with the mothers while the latter are at work in the fields. Keep them in a lot that has good fences, where they can run and play and yet be in the sunshine.

The Colony Plan.

Where the hens are kept in colony houses they may be moved to different grain fields as soon as the crop has been harvested, and find plenty of feed for several weeks.

METHODS OF TILLAGE

RESULTS GIVEN FROM NORTH OKLAHOMA AND KANSAS.

Superiority of Fall Plowed Land Proved Invariably by at Least One Bushel Increase Per Acre—Manuring is Also Good.

In considering the methods of tillage, only the results can be given, as time will not permit of any details. Data is rather hard to obtain and none could be secured bearing on corn, the great crop of Iowa. The results given are from North Dakota, Oklahoma and Kansas.

In experiments with fall vs. spring plowed land, the results invariably prove the superiority of the fall plowed land by at least one more bushel per acre.

The Campbell system, or the inter-tillage system was not found at all practical, for the crops were less and the expense high. On fall plowed land, the yield was 6 1/2 bushels less and \$4.77 less profit. On spring plowed, it was even more marked, being 8 1/2 bushels less, and \$5.77 less profit. By means of extra tillage on fall plowed and spring plowed land, we get the following: On fall plowed, four extra harrowings and one rolling gave 3.4 bushels more wheat than the ordinary treatment, and \$2.02 more profit. On spring plowed land, one sub-surface packing, one rolling and two harrowings, gave 2.5 more bushels than the ordinary treatment, and \$1.01 more profit. It pays to work the land. These results are from the North Dakota station. At Oklahoma similar results have been obtained, but they are here even more marked. Here early and late fall plowing, entered more thoroughly into the test, and the early plowed land gave the better results, on account of the increased tillage holding more moisture, and killing weeds better. Land plowed in July at Oklahoma yielded 23.1 bushels per acre of wheat, while that of one of the adjoining fields plowed in September gave 16.8 bushels per acre. Manuring is also good, as manured plots at Oklahoma yielded 27.5 bushels per acre against 14.5 on unmanured land which had grown wheat continuously for seven years, and one plot manured and another not. Manured plot yielded 30.6 bushels per acre, unmanured 12 bushels per acre. At the North Dakota experiment station shallow plowing gave 1/2 bushel less per acre and 23 cents less profit on fall plowing, and one bushel less and 40 cents less profit on spring plowed. The sub-surface packer gave 24 cents more profit per acre on both fall and spring plowed land. Harrowing right after plowing gave 46 cents more profit per acre. Sub-soiling gave a little better yield but it did not pay for the extra cost. Disk plowing gave the best results in a large series of experiments the first year, but later it dwindled away rapidly. Rolling with a smooth roller after sowing, gave 1.2 bushels more per acre and 58 cents more profit. Next year there was an increase of 7.5 per cent on fall plowed land and a decrease of 22 per cent on spring plowed land. This phenomenon is not explained. Wheat rolled and harrowed just after sowing, and then harrowed again as the wheat was coming up gave two bushels increase in yield and 72 cents in profit, on spring plowed land. In 1899 yield was increased 2.5 bushels by harrowing when the wheat was six inches high. It also took less water for this plot.

It was computed that one inch of rain would make two bushels of wheat under favorable conditions, so it is readily seen that the increased tillage is simply a saving of water. Rotation of crops is valuable. Wheat land gave seven bushels of wheat per acre while adjoining corn land gave 25 bushels wheat after potatoes yielded 24 bushels, and fallowed land 29 bushels. The same year, on July 24th, corn land and cultivated fallow land contained more water by nearly three inches in the first three feet of soil, than wheat land.

This same land, on November 15th, after 12 inches of rain had fallen in August, September and October, was tested for moisture and found as follows: Summer fallowed land contained over three inches more available water than wheat land, and corn ground two inches. Standing water was also two feet lower in wheat land than in corn land. This, however, became re-adjusted later on, so there was no noticeable difference in crops of succeeding years. There are few experiments in regard to tillage of corn, but Illinois and North Dakota have shown that in cultivating, shallow cultivation early and later, is preferable to the opposite. The Kansas station a number of years ago tried an experiment with tillage on corn, by different number of times of cultivating, ranging from two to six. The experiment was satisfactory as it was a very wet season and there was little difference in yield. There was also the objection that nothing but the large shoveled cultivator was used and no tillage carried on after the corn was too high for the ordinary cultivator.

Another interesting experiment was with 35 acres of barley which was divided into five seven-acre plots. All were plowed and received various treatments prior to the seeding. I cannot recall just what these were, but the yield was very much in favor of the increased tillage.

Plant Feterita.

Plant feterita, at least a little, for early feed. It is adapted to poor soils.

As One Who's Been Humbled. The head of the family drank his coffee uncomplainingly, although its strength brought tears to his eyes. "Why, father," remonstrated his son, "how could you swallow that?" "My son," replied the old gentleman, "it's not the first lie that I have had to swallow, by any means."

Their Share

"I see where fashionables had a horse-back tea in Washington. I wonder if the horses got any of it?" "Oh, I guess each horse there had a bit."

New Modern Dancing

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Kickers. "It is said that an acre of good fishing ground will produce more food in a week than an acre of land will produce in 12 months," said the New Yorker. "And yet," replied the Long Island land operator, "men will kick when they find the lots they've bought encumbered with water." Public is Punished. Gabe—only one man in a thousand can whistle. Steve—But the other 999 think they can.

Arkansas Jurisprudence. Silas—Did you win your suit? Jonas—Yes, I won it, but my fool opponent took it to the circus court.

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WESTERN CANADA'S PROSPECTS FOR 1914

Excellent Spring for Work and Wheat Seeding About Finished.

The writer has just returned from an extensive trip through the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, in Western Canada. The crop conditions are the very best, and no one locality seems to have an advantage over another in this respect.

It must not be thought from this that the farmers are full bent on securing a grain crop alone. In nearly every district there is more and more the indication and inclination to go into mixed farming.

The growing of alfalfa and other fodder grasses is an industry that is being rapidly developed.

During this spring a splendid class of new settlers have gone in, many of them from the eastern states. These have seen what success the western and central states man has achieved in Western Canada, and are now going in in hundreds.

Those who contemplate visiting the Panama Exposition next year will find that one of the most interesting trips they can make will be via the Canadian West.

Question and Answer. Phoebe was bored. In all the six long years of her life she had never spent such a miserable day.

Phoebe, standing hopelessly in the middle of the nursery, only howled the louder and refused to see anything cheerful about life.

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PREPARING THE SHAD

DELICIOUS FISH MAY BE SERVED IN MANY WAYS.

Planked is, of course, the Most Popular, and Probably the Best—Never Should Be Fried—Salads to Go With It.

There is no more tempting or delicious dish than shad. Shad may be prepared in many ways; probably the most popular is planked shad.

You ask how can I get a plank? A carpenter will make you one of oak about two inches thick for the small sum of 50 cents.

To plank shad first wash and wipe the whole fish thoroughly. Sprinkle with salt and pepper, then fill it with this stuffing: Two cupfuls of bread crumbs or mashed potatoes, a grating of onion, a tablespoonful of parsley, butter the size of an egg.

With a sharp knife cut three or four slits in the upper side of the fish, and put a thin slice of bacon in each opening. It should be baked in a moderate oven for 30 minutes.

The proper salads to serve with shad are watercress and tomato, cucumbers and onions, or a salad of radishes cut thin and laid on lettuce leaves.

Broiled shad may be accomplished by the ordinary broiler, but great care should be taken lest the fish is seared, if it is cooked over the open coals.

An unusual recipe for shad is to put it in a sour pickle, and let it remain there for a day or so, then serve for a light supper. The shad should be cut in squares about three inches square, then boiled for 20 minutes.

Halibut a La Flamanade. Cover the bottom of a baking-dish with two tablespoonfuls each of minced onion and celery and one of parsley.

Using Lemon Rinds. Everyone will be glad to know of a way to save your lemon rinds after making lemonade.

Stuffed Corn Beef. This is a somewhat unusual way of cooking a familiar meat, and makes a pleasant variety.

Rice and Apples. One cupful of rice and five large cooking apples. Wash the rice well in several waters, pare and slice the apples; cover with water.

Orange Filling. One-half cup sugar, two level tablespoonfuls cornstarch, grated rind one-half orange, one-third cup orange juice, one tablespoonful lemon juice, one egg beaten slightly, one teaspoonful melted butter.

Cutting Hot Bread and Cake. When cutting hot cake or bread, if the knife is heated first it will prevent them crumbling.

Are Your Kidneys Weak?

You may have kidney trouble and not know it. The only signs may be occasional twinges in the small of the back, constant lameness, dizzy spells or some annoying irregularity of the kidney action.

An Oklahoma Case. Mrs. J. E. Maddox, 511 Center St., Alva, Okla., says: 'I had pains in my hips and limbs. Sometimes when walking, these sharp twinges came on and I had to grasp something to keep from falling. My kidneys were weak. Nothing helped me until I took Doan's Kidney Pills. They entirely rid me of the ailments and the cure has lasted for over four years.'



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Better Soldier Than Statesman. One hundred years ago on the forty-fifth anniversary of his birth, Lord Wellington was rewarded with the title of duke in recognition of his success in the Peninsula campaign against the French.

BLOTCHES COVERED LIMBS. 19 Roach St., Atlanta, Ga.—'A few months ago I had some kind of skin eruption that spread until my limbs and feet were covered with blotches and watery blisters.'

On Holiday. While visiting his uncle in the country Willie was much interested in watching the ducks "tipping up" in a pond.

Nothing to It. "Pa, what's a mirage?" "The average man's dream of greatness, son."—Baltimore Sun.

WANTED THE STAGE FILLED

Theatrical Manager Evidently Cared More for Effect Than for Accuracy of Production.

The production of great dramas was his business. His great talent was success, and his weakness was that he always liked to "show off" when he was rehearsing a play.

THOUGHT IT "REGULAR JOB"

Old Workman, Grown Gray in the Harness, Resented Being Looked On as a "Casual."

Bill Smith had worked at a certain firm for sixty years. So the two sons of the employer thought that he had worked for them sufficiently long enough to be pensioned off.

So they called the old man into the office, and told him that as he had worked for them faithfully and well all these years they had decided to pension him off.

The old man turned away, but he was very much troubled and puzzled about the matter, and the two sons could see that he hadn't taken it at all in the spirit in which they had given it, so they said:

"Well, Mr. Smith, what's the matter? Don't you like it?" "No," replied the old man; "I always thought that this place was a regular shop!"

Credit Johnny Snags. "Now, boys," said the schoolmaster, "I want you to bear in mind that the word 'stan' at the end of a word means 'the place of.'"

What He Feared. It was during a very violent thunderstorm, in which the lightning flashes were particularly vivid, terrifying and frequent.

Admits She Is Fat. Stella Mayhew is fat—just plain fat. This is the term she herself applies to her avoirdupois, without trying to disguise it as "plump" or "stout."

Cold-Day Decision. Father—Tommie, would you rather go to the show and split your sides, or go to the wood pile and split some wood?

Quails and partridges deserted parts of France when the aeroplane made its appearance there.

NOT A SOOTHING APOLOGY

Bobby's Well-Meant Effort Probably Made Indignant Private Soldier Madder Than Ever.

Colonel Blank had a little boy five years old, and little Bobby had often heard the men in his father's regiment spoken of as "Colonel Blank's men."

Bobby's mother heard about it, and was much distressed. Calling the little boy to her, she said: "Bobby, you were wrong when you said your father owns his men, and I want you to tell the soldier that you are sorry for what you said."

Running to overtake the private, the little boy exclaimed breathlessly: "I'm sorry my father owns you!"

Her Only Chance. "I understand that Miss Antique is engaged." "Hypnotism?"

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CALL FOR DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

A General Convention of the Democratic Party of the State of New Mexico is hereby called to meet at Albuquerque, New Mexico, on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1914, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for member of the House of Representatives of the United States, for the State of New Mexico, and of nominating a candidate for member of the State Corporation of New Mexico, and of transacting such other business as may come before the Convention. Delegates from the several and respective Counties of the State of New Mexico to such Convention, apportioned on the basis of one delegate for each 100 votes, or the major fraction of 100 votes, cast for the HON. H. B. FERGUSSON in the election of 1912, shall be entitled to sit such convention as follows:

Co.	No. Del.	Co.	No. Del.
1	Bernalillo 16	14	Quay 10
2	Chaves 14	15	Rio Arriba 10
3	Colfax 12	16	Roosevelt 7
4	Curry 7	17	Sandoval 1
5	Dona Ana 10	18	San Juan 5
6	Eddy 10	19	San Miguel 7
7	Grant 12	20	Santa Fe 10
8	Guadalupe 8	21	Sierra 4
9	Lincoln 5	22	Socorro 11
10	Luna 5	23	Taos 7
11	McKinley 3	24	Torrance 5
12	Mora 11	25	Union 11
13	Otero 5	26	Valencia 3

The rule of the last State Convention was that a proxy could be exercised only by a resident voter of the county represented.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

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Department of the Interior, United States Land Office at Tucumcari, New Mex. May 2, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Roy D. Starkey, of Bard, New Mexico, who, on November 20 1908, made Original Hd. Entry No. 012674 for SE1/4 Section 31, Township 11 N., and Additional Entry, No. 015271 made June 3, 1912 for SE1/4 NE1/4 Section 31 Township 11 North, and Lots 1 and 2 Sec. 6, Township 10 N., all in Range 35 E. N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Jesse T. White U. S. Commissioner at San Jon, New Mexico, on the 18th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Floyd Beckworth, of San Jon, New Mexico, A. A. Cline-Smith, Tom Horne and J. N. Flint, all of Bard, New Mexico.
R. P. Donohoo, Register.

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A. R. HURT, Sec.

Read over carefully your Final Proof Notices, published in this paper, and any mistakes found report to us.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

016616

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Tucumcari, N. M., June 11, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that John Nelson, of Bard, New Mexico, who, on June 10, 1908, made Homestead Entry No. 29930, for Southwest Quarter of Section 11, Twp. 10N, Range 35E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Jesse T. White, U. S. Commissioner at San Jon, N. M., on the 21st day of July, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Tom Horne, R. M. Horne, S. W. Newbanks, Marion Pierce all of Bard, New Mex.

R. P. Donohoo, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

014650 016426

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Tucumcari, N. M., June 11, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Henry L. Bogies, of Bard, New Mexico, who, on December 27, 1910, made Original Homestead Entry No. 014650 for NE 1/4 and NW 1/4 Sec. 35, and Add'l Entry No. 016426 made Sept. 25, 1913 for SE 1/4 Section 26, Township 11N, Range 35E N. M. P. Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Jesse T. White, U. S. Commissioner at San Jon, New Mexico, on the 21st day of July, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: J. E. Adams, J. Q. Vanorsdol, J. R. DeWees, and Tom Horne, all of Bard, New Mexico.

R. P. Donohoo, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

013515

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Tucumcari, N. M. May 2, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Francis R. Fry of Corydon, Ia. for the heirs of Jeva M. Fry, deceased, of San Jon, New Mexico, who, on June 11, 1910, made Additional Homestead Entry, No. 013515, for SE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 20, Township 10N, Range 34E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Jesse T. White, U. S. Commissioner, at San Jon, New Mexico, on the 18th day of June, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: J. G. Ellis, G. S. Hyslop, Z. T. McDaniel, and J. W. Atkins, all of San Jon, New Mexico.
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