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Going to Play Golf

"I'm going to play golf," I said.
The silent lad strode on ahead.
I heard him mutter from afar—
"Big boy! You only think you are!"

Believe It or Not

"You seem to have read all the best literature. How do you find time for it?"

"I use the time I used to spend combing and brushing my hair for reading now," replied the bald-headed man.

From the Chestnut Tree

First Commuter—How do you manage to catch your train each morning?

Second Commuter—I eat my breakfast before I go to bed at night.

A Cold Douche

He (dreamily)—Would that I were a star in yon heavens.

She (icily)—I'd rather see you a comet.

He (tenderly)—Why?

She—Then you'd only come around once every fifty years.

Mercy!

Father—What the heck! Isn't there a ladder around this house?

Mother—I heard daughter say she had one in her stocking.

Filling a Void

Harold Hollownut—I'll be delighted to call this evening. Are you sure you want me?

Kittie Klaws—I really do. I've been so lonely since my dear little Pekingese pup died.

Sarcastic

"Your oratorical friend appears to have exhausted his subject."

"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum, "and his audience also."—Washington Star.

Sticking to the Truth

Mrs. Justwed—Are you sure that's a young chicken.

The Poultryman—Ma'am, that pullet has barely reached her teens. A miss of her age would be a mere school girl.

How the Groom Looked

Mabel—What did the groom look like?

Matty—Like the bride was determined to have a wedding no matter what she had to use for a groom.

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Insecticides Do Not Kill Insects

Certain Types of "Trick" Preparations Should Be Guarded Against.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Thousands of pounds of insecticides, fungicides and disinfectants are sold annually in complete harmony with the insecticide act as enforced by the food, drug and insecticide administration, United States Department of Agriculture, but certain types of "trick" preparations are also being offered for sale and should be guarded against, say federal officials.

Many Are Warned.

Farmers, suburban dwellers, housewives, and others, are warned by the administration against buying preparations to be added to feed and drinking water which their makers say will control external parasites on poultry and other animals consuming them.

Neither should anyone be misled by the theoretically plausible claims made for preparations designed to be absorbed by the sap of trees to control fungous diseases and to kill insects on and in the trees.

Preparations to be hung in the home to drive away all household pests, purify the air and to prevent disease are also branded as useless by the officials.

One of the misbranded preparations sold to control lice, mites, ticks and fleas on poultry and other animals by being taken into the system with the food and drinking water, officials of the administration found could be bought for 18 cents a gallon. This preparation, retailed in small containers, netted the producer $64 a gallon. Neither this mixture nor any of the many similar mixtures could produce the results claimed for them.

Control Diseases.

Liquids, powders, and capsules to be placed in a hole in the tree, under the bark, or in the soil, and paints to be applied to the trunk of the tree, have been examined for their alleged powers to control fungous diseases and to kill insects when, according to the advertising literature, the substances are taken up by the sap and carried to all parts of the tree.

Not only is the value of these "remedies" very questionable, the administration reports, but many of them actually harm the trees. They may cause serious damage to shade and orchard trees, and in case of the latter, endanger the crop through failure to control insects and diseases.

Housewives are especially cautioned not to believe the glittering promises made for attractive little cases containing a chemical, which, when merely hung in a room, will ...y or kill moths, ants, ..., and mosquitoes, and at

Increased Production With Egg Prices High

Poultrymen, by careful attention to the breeding and management of their laying flocks, have effected a definite change in the egg market. According to H. L. Shrader of the United States Department of Agriculture, this is evident as to both seasonal and annual production.

"The market receipts of fresh laid eggs during the late summer and fall months have been increasing the last few years," he comments. "This means that the pullets are being hatched and are maturing earlier, but it also denotes improved efficiency, because the birds are laying more eggs when prices are highest."

From the standpoint of the consumer this tendency is of definite value. "Already we have noticed," Mr. Shrader says, "that the increased production in the season when eggs were formerly scarce has prevented prices from soaring to extremely high levels."

Spoiling of Silage in Winter Can Be Lessened

Spoiling of silage during the winter can be lessened by treating the inner walls of the silo with a solution which keeps out air. The mixture consists of one pound salt, two tablespoonfuls of alum, one teaspoonful of lye and four gallons of water, plus enough cement to make it the consistency of paste.

In some cases, the inside of the silo doors are lined with paper or the cracks filled with clay to keep out air.

Another scheme is to sow oats or cane at the top of the silo. These grains sprout quickly in the warm silage and the matted growth serves as an insulator excluding the air.

Supers Should Be Added Often as Bees Require

Supers should be added just as often as the bees require this extra storage space for honey. Usually the beekeepers find it necessary to add the first super during the latter part of June. The second super is usually added along about the end of the first week in July. From then on till the end of the season the supers should be added rather frequently. If it is a poor season for honey production, then it may not be necessary to add any supers.

Dehorning Cattle Is Favored for Feeders

Bruises Detract Greatly From Appearance of Carcass.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

"Feeder cattle having horns do not feed out so well as dehorned cattle," say W. H. Black and V. V. Parr of the bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture, in Farmers' Bulletin 1600-F, Dehorning, Castrating, Branding and Making Beef Cattle, just published for free distribution by the department. "Badly bruised carcasses," they go on to say, "are usually found in shipments of horned cattle. Bruises detract greatly from the appearance of the carcasses, thus lowering their sale value. Besides the damage done to meat, the hide is frequently damaged. Dehorned cattle usually bring from 25 to 75 cents a hundredweight more than horned cattle of similar quality and condition."

The authors also make recommendations as to castration, spaying, branding and earmarking of beef cattle. The bulletin also includes simple plans for construction of dehorning and branding chutes, including a chute with a movable side, known as a "squeeze," for holding the animal securely.

On the range it is common to brand calves while still small enough to be handled by ropes, but the authors suggest the advisability of constructing corrals with a chute adapted for working with yearling or older cattle, and a smaller chute for handling calves. Under such an arrangement it is possible to dehorn, castrate or spay, and brand the animals at a single operation.

For dehorning, the authors mention the application of caustic to stop the growth of the horns on calves, and saws and dehorning clippers for more mature cattle. They mention precautions for preventing infestation of wounds by screw worm flies.

Farmers' Bulletin 1600-F is a revision and expansion of, and supersedes Farmers' Bulletin 949. It is written in simple and condensed style, and illustrated. It may be obtained free on application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Health and Vigor Are Important in Culling

At least once during the summer or early fall the poultry flock should be culled to get rid of the birds that are not paying for their keep. Health and vigor are of first importance in culling poultry. Hens in good laying condition have bright red combs and wattles. Good layers have combs that are very waxy in texture. In yellow-shanked breeds, the beak and shanks of the heavy layers are ordinarily pale yellow or white. The pubic bones of a good layer are thin and flexible and when the hen is in laying condition they are wide apart, back is wide and long. Another important point is the time of molting. Poor layers usually molt earlier than good ones. Heavy layers generally do not begin to molt before September or October. Culling not only improves the breeding quality of the flock, but if done early enough will save feeding costs and spread the marketing of surplus hens over a longer period than if the culled hens are all marketed late in the fall.

Agricultural Squibs

The woodland enhances the value of the entire farm property.

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Potato aphids may be controlled in the field by the use of contact sprays.

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Of course it costs more per acre to get high yields, but then it costs less per bushel or pound.

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The white grub, pilfering offspring of the ordinary, blundering June bug, is due again next year.

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The Japanese barberry does not carry rust, hence it is perfectly safe to plant for shrubbery clumps.

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Sodium chlorate has proved to be a successful method for the eradication of wild morning glory and Canada thistle.

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Practically all of the coal-tar preparations put on the market as fly repellents are effective for several hours after the application has been made.

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High protein wheat usually commands a premium. The premium may be secured by farmers under condition they know the protein content of their wheat.

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Stop smut losses in wheat by treating the seed with copper carbonate dust. The poison chemical disinfects the seed by killing the smut spores that may be clinging to it.

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The wheat weevil will be one of the farm problems for next winter, for there are thousands of bushels of wheat going into the bins on the farm. The season has been such that the common weevils have had an opportunity to lay their eggs on the grain while standing in the fields.

Brick Laid Over Mineral Sheath "Tied" With Metal

In laying brick veneer over mineral sheathing, the bricks are tied in with metal ties, which are nailed into the sheathing with no more difficulty than the same ties are nailed into wood. This is made possible by the gypsum composition of the incombustible sheathing. Mineral sheathing comes in large panels, which are tongue-and-grooved, and which, in consequence, make possible a wall that is sealed against the wind and which cuts down the escape of furnace heat.

Wrought Iron Used More in Decorating

Wrought iron has become increasingly important in home decoration of late, and not only in the plan of the modern house itself—in lighting fixtures, grill doors, etc—but in the furnishings of that home. Whole pieces of occasional furniture are now being developed in wrought iron; among them telephone sets, console tables, coffee tables and small chairs.

Home Entrance Should Appear Hospitable

The entrance should be hospitable and so placed as to help the harmony of the building—not necessarily in the exact center of the front wall, but in harmony with the other features of the house. One too frequently seen fault of modern houses is that the doorways are small. The fine, big doorways of some old-fashioned houses frequently reach well up to the sill of the second-story windows and seem to extend a hospitable air of welcome to the incoming guest.

Special Varnish Needed for All Outside Work

A special grade of varnish, which costs a little more than the ordinary variety, is needed for outside work around a home. This varnish is made so that it will resist the ravages of the weather. The varnish must be able to withstand heat and cold in order that it will protect the wood and not turn white.

The Kitchen Cabinet

(©, 1929, Western Newspaper Union.)

Not what we have, but what we use,
Not what we see, but what we choose—
These are the things that mar or bless
The sum of human happiness.

Not as we take, but as we give,
Not as we pray, but as we live—
These are the things that make for peace
Both now and after time shall cease.

THIS AND THAT

In the South guava jelly is much used as a garnish for various dishes, as a breakfast jelly and for many dainty dishes. The crab apple jelly made from the fall crab apples is just as delightful and to many a more agreeable flavor than the guava. Serve it as the southern people do, and enjoy the same dishes.

One in particular is cheese (the cream or cottage) formed into a ball and served on a crisp lettuce leaf with a spoonful of jelly as a garnish. This makes a dainty salad and one quickly prepared.

Balls of cottage cheese, pressed in at the top to form a cavity and filled with the crab apple jelly is a nice finish for dinner with a cracker and demi tasse of coffee.

Few of our housewives appreciate the food value of dates. Stuffed with nuts or cream cheese they serve as a delicious dessert and one that will not strain the family purse or the energy of the cook. Sometime when pressed for ideas try this: Slice stoned dates into small glass serving dishes, sprinkle with a few pecans and top with lightly flavored whipped cream. The dates are sweet enough to not need sugar.

When serving tea for the afternoon bridge club make very small baking powder biscuit, not more than an inch across. Split while hot, spread with butter and fresh raspberry jam or any other well-liked jam. These are so good with tea—but make plenty.

Melville Cookies.—Cream one cupful of butter, add one and one-half cupfuls of sugar gradually and three eggs well beaten. Dissolve one-fourth teaspoonful of soda in a tablespoonful of hot water and add to the mixture. Sift three and one-half cupfuls of flour with four teaspoonfuls of baking powder, three-fourths teaspoonful of salt and one teaspoonful of cinnamon. To part of the flour add three-fourths of a cupful of raisins and the grated rind of an orange. Add the orange juice and one cupful of nuts to the mixture, then mix all together. Drop by spoonfuls on baking sheets and bake in a hot oven.

Coffee Recipes.

As coffee is such a universally liked drink, the flavor, too, is enjoyed in other combinations.

Coffee Custard.—Scald two tablespoonful with ground coffee, of strain. Beat four and lightly and add eggs fourth cupful of sugar, one-eighth teaspoonful of salt, and the milk. Strain into cups set in hot water and bake until firm.

Coffee Tapioca.—Soak two tablespoonfuls of pearl tapioca overnight in water to cover. Drain off the water and add three cupfuls of strong coffee infusion. Add one-half cupful of sugar, a pinch of salt and bake or cook in double boiler. Serve with sugar and cream.

Coffee Cream.—Soften one tablespoonful of gelatin in two tablespoonfuls of cold water and add one-third cupful of boiling water. Add one-quarter cupful of sugar and one cupful of strong coffee infusion. Fill eight individual molds half-full of this jelly. Meanwhile soften two teaspoonfuls of gelatin in a tablespoonful of cold water. Beat one egg slightly add two tablespoonfuls of sugar and one-quarter cupful of coffee infusion. Cook over hot water until thickened, then add the gelatin and stir until well dissolved. When thickened fold in two-thirds of a cupful of whipped cream which has been flavored with a few drops of vanilla. Fill the molds with this mixture. Set on ice to chill. Unmold to serve.

Malted Coffee.—Take two cupfuls of strong coffee infusion, six tablespoonfuls of malted milk, one and one-half cupfuls of milk, one-half cupful of cream. Add the coffee to the malted milk, stirring until well blended, or beat with an egg beater. Add a pinch of salt and sugar, if needed. Chill, add milk and cream and serve with ice as a cold drink, or heated, for a hot stimulating drink.

Coffee Sirup.—Make two cupfuls of extra strong coffee, add after straining, three and one-half pounds of sugar, boil three minutes, then bottle. Seal and keep in a cool place. This sirup may be used in various ways.

Coffee Egg Nog.—Take three tablespoonfuls of the coffee sirup, three-fourths cupful of rich milk, one egg yolk and white, beaten separately. Vanilla, if wished. Add coffee sirup to milk, then beaten egg yolk, a pinch of salt, fold in the stiffly-beaten white, chill and serve.

Nellie Maxwell

Dispute Over Hand Organ

The centenary of the hand organ occurs this year, but there is some dispute in Italy as to whether notice should be taken of the event. In Florence the musical newspaper, Le Staffile, has come out strongly in favor of a fitting celebration, but in Rome La Tribuna is against it. The former believes that the hurdy-gurdy represents the lowly, and popularizes the Italian opera, La Tribuna wishes to banish forever the "organetto" and the outstretched palm of the attendant monkey.

Rich From "Hot Dogs"

The making and selling of "hot dogs" is fast becoming one of America's big industries. This year, it is estimated, 400,000,000 pounds of these toothsome sausages will be fed to the American public in sandwiches. One stand at Coney Island last year averaged $15,000 every week-end through the season. Then the proprietor, known as "Hot Dog Joe," took his family to Italy, where they lived in affluence through the winter.

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Signs

"Pappa, vat is science?"

"My, how could you be so stupid! Science is dose things vat says 'no smoking.'"—Everybody's Weekly.

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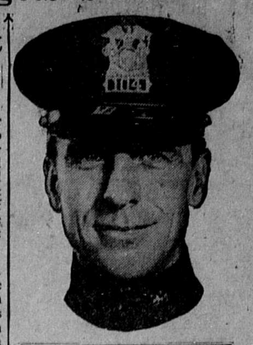

"DON'T try to put anything over on Nature," is the way a cop would express it. "Sooner or later she'll get you. Give you a ticket and lay you up in a place where you'd rather not be. Even cops can't get away with it. Like everyone else, if they don't pay attention to the warnings they get a summons that lands them in the doctor's office.

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Has French Courts Guessing

Puzzling the courts in France is an odd situation where a man is accused of hoaxing experts and public by burying so-called prehistoric relics in a field. Nothing in the code provides for the fraud so it is probable the hoaxer will be arraigned under a charge of "outrage to the police," as they were guarding the field where the finds were discovered for some weeks.

Good Idea

"I bought a new car and traded in my player-piano as first payment."

"I didn't know they accepted player-pianos as payment on new cars."

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