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A COSTLY MIRAGE

Hog Cholera Caused By Garbage Among Other Things

In the spring a number of aviaitors set out to fly around the world. It was not only a most interesting, but a spectacular as well as an educational undertaking. While flying along the coast of Alaska, the leader of the group was misled by a mirage. He thought he saw something that hedid not see, and wrecked his plane on a mountain side. Fortunately both he and, his mechanician escaped without injury, and were able to return to their friends

In this particular, hog raisers frequently come to grief because they are misled by a mirage of promise of wonderful returns for their efforts. The illusion is the result of the much heralded but unsubstantiated claims that garbage is not only a suitable but highly profitable fed for swine.

When the aviators had picked themselves up after the crash against the mountain, they undoubtedly rubbed their eyes, and took a survey of the situation to see what had happened, and where they were. It appears that with the large number of gasres that have come in the hog game due to the feeding of garbage that it is time the swine grower rubs his eyes, takes a survey of the situation, and sees where he is at.

In February, an outbreak of the most dreaded of all animal affections—foot-and-mouth disease, occurred in California, and approximately 100,000 cattle, hogs nd sheep have been slaughtered, as a matter of necessity in the eradication of the malady, and the end is not yet. A large force of men has been used and is still maintained to combat the disease, and the cost will assume staggering proportions. This outbreak was apparently caused by the fedding of garbage from army transports to hogs in the vicinity of Mare Island.

In Maryland, the records show that for a four year average, 84% of the new centers of hog cholera infection have been caused by the feeding of garbage containing infected pork. This is approximately 2,000 outbreaks of the disease with a loss of at least 20,000hogs for the period referred to. It is regretable that figures giving the number of outbreaks of cholera, and the swine losses caused by garbage feeding in the United States are not available. There is, however, reason to believe that garbage from cities, hotels, restaurants, etc., contain infected pork at practically all times. This is also true of table scraps, and kitchen refuses from private homes when purchased pork is used.

It has been determined by careful experiment that it takes approximately 50 pounds of garbage, if properly fed, to make one pound of pork. Therefore, by feding a ton of the product, we can expect thrifty hogs to take on 40 pounds of live weight. Hogs at the present time are selling at approximately $7.00 per hundred weight. This would give a ton of garbage a value of approximately $2.80 for hog feed.

The entire loss from the outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease in California will no doubt easily total six million dollars. The losses from hog cholera in Maryland for a four year period, and only in herds where the disease was started by infected pork in garbage, can be safely placed at $200,000. This is a total of at least $6,200,000, in two widely separated states, within a compartively short time. If there was no expense connected with the collecting and the feeding of the stuff, just how many tons of garbage will it be necessary for the hog raisers to feed to make sufficient pork to pay for these losses?

A paraffined paper loving cup will be given to the party first solving this problem and giving logical reasons for the continuance of the feeding of garbage to swine.

From The Century Theatre Press Dep't.

"Manhandled," Gloria Swanson's latest and great Paramount production, which comes to the Century Theatre during the week beginning Monday, August 25, was produced by Allan Dwan from Frank Tuttle's adaptation of Arthus Stringer's brilliant story that ran serially in Saturday Evening Post.

Miss Swanson has the role of a shop girl in a department store, whose desire for beautiful clothes and a so-called good time leads her into free and easy contact with so many men that her reputation is tarnished. She learns that the love of a good man is more precious than expensive jewelry and gorgeous furs.

A superb cast surrounds gorgeous Gloria. Tom Moore gives an excellent portrayal of the poor merchanic, for whom Gloria renounces all wordly pleasures. Others in the supporting cast include Ian Keith and Lilyn Tashman.

Josephine Rochlitz, soprano, and Sylvan Levin, the well known pianist will render vocal and piano solos in a special musical act to be given on the program.

An overture will be played by the Century Symphony Orchestra under the direction of George Wild. This is the largest orchestra in the city of Baltimore. Mr. Wild has just bought a new musical library of many thousands of volumes. He is constantly adding to it by having music publishers send him new compositions as they are printed.

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On the open road the troubles of one are the troubles of many. Few there be who will not halt to lend aid to a fellow traveler in distress. It is a free masonry born of an idea that passengers all—to get away from the conventional and for the time being be again a normal person, living a normal life and thinking normal thoughts.

On the open road the trouble of our civilization are cast aside and those who take to the road are revealed in their true character, stripped of the things they pretend to be.

Should you doubt this world is yet a friendly old place, just wheel out the old bus and take a flier into the great outdoors, equipped with only a frying pan and a bit of canvas. You will find that there is still such a thing as hospitality in the land.

GILL BROS. FINE PLANT

Local Ice Cream Manufacturers Have One Of Best Establishments On Peninsula

That Gill Brothers, proprietors of the fine ice cream plant on Cross street Chestertown have one of the best ice cream plants on the Peninsula, is a recognized fact. Their place is clean, sanitary and up-to-date in every way.

Mr. James Allen is the manager of the factory and he knows the business thoroughly. The Transcript man paid a visit to plant recently and Mr. Allen kindly showed us the different stages of ice cream manufacturing, which is a most interesting, intricate and painstaking operation. All the different machinery is electric driven and does its work nicely. The place is spotlessly clean and is always kept so.

Gill Brothers turn out ice cream which is recognized for its high standard all over the Eastern Shore.

The refrigerator was the most interesting to us. Snow covered the pipes, the thermometer registered zero, and, for an instant, we imagined we were at the north pole.

We will know where to go when Chestertown gets too hot for us. The firm of Gill Brothers is composed of Messrs Henry and Lee Gill. They are two of Chestertown's young men who have demonstrated in a practical manner that a local boy can stay here in Chestertown and "make good."

Farm Bureau Day At Timonium

When you think about Timonium Fair, don't forget that the second day, September 2nd, is Farm Bureau Day and every Farm Bureau member in the State is being urged to attend the Fair on that day.

There's going to be big doings out there on that day and those who fail to present themselves are going to miss a whole lot, both in the way of amusement and social intercourse.

The big event of the day will take place with the arrival at the Fair Grounds, of the directors and offcers of the Maryland Farm Bureau Federation. The program will be as follows:

The Farm Bureau Directors and Officers will reach Towson at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, September 2. Here, they will be met by the Fair officials and escorted to the Fair Grounds, where after general inspection of the fair, exhibits, amusements, etc., they will be entertained at luncheon in the new Administration Building. The Farm Bureau officials will be headed by E. P. Cohill, Edwin Warfield, Jr., and M. Melvin Stewart, President, vice-president, and Secretary-Treasurer, respectively, of the State Farm Bureau Federation. Practically every Farm Bureau county in the state will be represented at the Fair on Sept. 2.

Delegations from several counties will travel in automobiles which will be placarded with large letters telling who they are and the name of the county from which they come. Let every Farm Bureau county follow this example, it is ideal.

To React Famous Battles.

Maryland will soon be invaded by the U. S. Marines. The Soldiers of the Sea, nearly three thousand strong and led by Brigadier General Dion Williams, will leave their quarters at Quantico, Va., late in August and start north for the famous battlefield of Antietam. Here the arts and devices of modern warfare will be applied to the problems which confronted Lee and McClellan when their forces met at this point sixty-two years ago.

This will be the fourth of the big annual field exercises held by the U. S. Marines of Quantico, who form the East Coast Expeditionary Force. Each year some well-known battlefield has been chosen. In 1921 the force went to Wilderness, Va.; in 1922 to Gettysburg; in 1923 they reenacted the battles fought in the Shenandoah Valley, and tihs year thescene of one of the most sanguinary conflicts of the Civil War has been chosen.

Judge Landis At Easton

Easton the most recent protege of organized baseball, on Friday afternoon realized its "dream fantasy" of appearing before baseball's supreme mediator. Every nook and corner of the historic Talbot county town reverberberated with emotion as followers of the notional pastime from the most obscure corners of the Delmarvia Peninsula gathered here to pay homage to Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis.

Three hours before the Easton-Crisfield contest was called the first group of fans began to gather at the enclosure, which later was to be graced with the personage of the baseball dictator himself. A long line of ticket seekers extending for more than a block soon forged before the gates until more than 3700 had overrun the stands and began usurping the unoccupied territory in the outer gardens.

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Some Sticks In The Mud

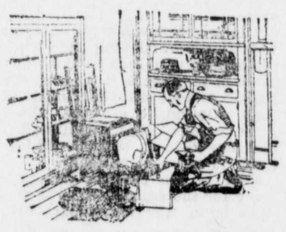


This unusual photograph shows what a muddy swamp looks like when it has a hundred thousand piles driven into it. The foreground was part river, part mud. Soon it will be a factory turning out telephone apparatus,—the Kearny Works of the Western Electric Company, near Newark, N. J.

TELEPHONE INSTALLER HAS TO KEEP ON JUMP

Net Gain In Bell Instruments Almost Million As Result Of One Year's Work.

The installer, the man who places your telephone and connects it, or who disconnects it when you move, had a busy time of it this last year.



The Telephone Installer

During 1923 the Bell System installed a total of 2,160,000 telephones and 1,389,000 instruments were dis connected. The net gain was 891,342. The total gain for the year, including telephones in systems acquired from other companies, was 891,342. This required a construction program unprecedented in magnitude. Figures thus far in 1924 indicate that this year the million mark in new telephones will be passed.

An army of 6,484 men look after the installation work in the Bell System throughout the country. Of these, 351 are foremen and 6,133 are actual installers.

TELEPHONE COMPANIES.

There are in the United States approximately 10,000 telephone companies, of which 9,169 connect with the Bell System for the interchange of toll traffic. There are also a large number of rural lines operating mainly on a mutual or co-operative basis, and not rated as companies. Of these, over 27,000 connect with the Bell System. The Bell System itself includes the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, which operates the Long Distance lines, and its twenty-five associated operating companies. The local telephone company—the Chesapeake and Potomac—is one of these.

Requirements for telephone equipment increased three-fold from 1919 to 1924.

TELEPHONE EMPLOYES NUMBER OVER 350,000

Increase In Single Year Large Enough To Constitute City Like Miami, Fla.

There are more people employed in the telephone industry in the United States than the entire populations of Wyoming and Nevada combined—more than all the inhabitants of either Arizona or Delaware, as shown by the latest census.

Over 350,000 persons are now engaged in the telephone business in this country, and this total does not include the many thousands of other workers who are employed in the manufacture of telephone apparatus and equipment.

During the past year the number of telephone employees increased by over 30,000, or in other words the telephone industry afforded employment to enough new workers to populate a city the size of Miami, Fla. This increase was largely made up of additions to the plant and traffic forces of the telephone companies throughout the country. It reflects the strenuous efforts that are required to erect, operate and maintain the additional plant and equipment required to meet the continually increasing demands for service.

CRIMINALS IDENTIFIED BY TELEPHONIC PHOTOS

Chicago.—Criminology is pushing ahead with huge strides these days.

A man was arrested in New York recently. A telephoto of his finger print was telephoned to Chicago. It was compared with records here and the man was identified as a pickpocket.

It took just two minutes to send the picture from New York to Chicago and get an answer by the new telephone-photo success of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company.

Twenty years ago there were 1,563,941 Bell-owned telephones in this country. Now there are 10,406,155, the gain during 1923 being more than one-half the total number of Bell telephones in service at the beginning of 1904.

A telephone message travels across the continent in one-fiftieth of a second.

Kansas has 50,000 more telephones than the whole of South America.

Editorial Spotlight

THE TELEPHONE GIRL—Illinois State Journal

Very frequent are the accounts of the heroism of the telephone girl. Her intuition and intelligence have often prevented great losses of life and property. She has remained at her post arousing the sleeping guests of a burning hotel. She has called the police and held at bay bandits in their murderous pursuits. In the category of courage, the telephone girl has won a high place and honor.

Recently a lone woman held vigil in the exchange in Hoopeston. Suddenly two cables snapped out of commission. She knew in an instant that things were not as they should be. On a quiet night whole cables do not act as these had acted. She did not take time to wonder or think it out or to guess. She acted.

She sounded the fire alarm, good and strong. When the rushing citizens poured from their beds they found "yeggs" at work on two banks. The "yeggs" escaped, but they took nothing with them.

Such telephone operators as Mrs. Addie Farrell of Hoopeston are worthy of a place in the community's hall of fame.

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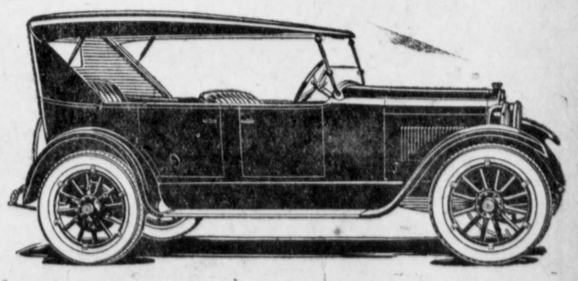
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