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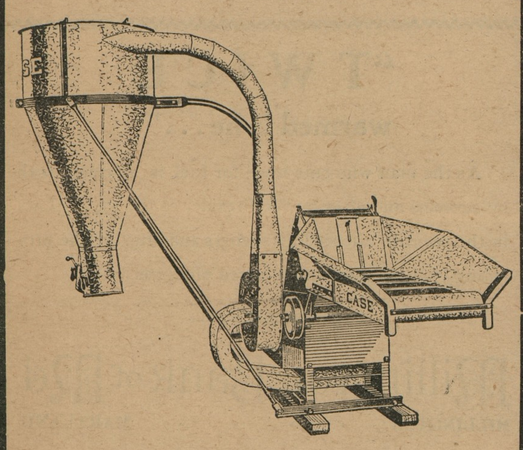
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CAREFUL study of all the requirements of present day feed grinding went into the development of the New Case Hammer Feed Mill. As a result, it has many valuable features not found in other machines. These new advantages contribute much to its profitable performance.

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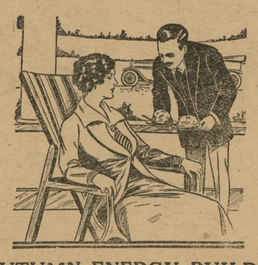
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The Case mill will grind all kinds of grain and roughages to any fineness desired. It will grind grain alone, roughage alone or both together.

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WINTER HEALTH

When Winter's Vanguard Blusters in a whirl of autumn leaves, our thoughts turn to keeping fit. Our bodies need more energy, more Vitamine to ward off winter colds. Our meals need more Gill Bros. Ice Cream. There is a wealth of vital heat and energy stored up in a plateful of Gill Bros. Ice Cream. It is a safe, sound, healthful food to eat during winter months. It helps keep men and women in the pink of condition. It gives children that boundless, fiery "pep."

Gill Bros. Ice Cream is as rich and delicious as ice cream can be. Only the purest cream and the freshest flavors are used. It is a delight for young and old to eat, and yet, unlike many of those things we enjoy the most, it does us a world of good. Start now, building for a healthful winter. Start eating a plate of Gill Bros. Ice Cream every day.

GILL BROS.
CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

READ CAREFULLY THE POSTMASTER HERE ADVISES

"The Chestertown postoffice is equipped splendidly to handle the rush Christmas mail," declared Postmaster Smyth. Detailed plans have been mapped out to handle the onrush of packages, letters and cards which is expected to start in a week or so.

Mr. Smyth declares that the local office will be much pleased if this year's Yuletide mail can be handled with the same promptness and dispatch as last year. Last year's incoming and outgoing mail was nearly heaviest on record at the local office, but with the splndid coopration of local businss houses and individuals the office was entirely cleared by noon December 15th.

Mailing dates which everyone should pursue carefully are as follows: Mail for California, the far west and the Rocky Mountain states should be mailed not later than December 13th. Mailing time for other regions should not be later than December 15th. Middle West, December 15th; Southern States, December 16; Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Kenturky, December 17; New England, December 18; Maryland, the Virginias, North Carolina, December 19th. Every year the government has a flood of Christmas mail after December 16, because people wait too long. There are also many packages wrapped and packed improperly.

"The hotel is so crowded," said the clerk, "that the best we can do is to put you in the same room with the manager."

"That will be all right," replied the traveler, "just put my valuables in the safe."

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We Are Offering As Close Outs *for* December

Our stock of Rubber Goods consisting of Men's and Boys' Boots and Ladies' Galoshes and Savoys at a saving of 25 per cent.

Men's Sheeplined Coats, ranging in prices, from $7.00 to $11.00 ..... now $5.00 to $8.00
Men's Winter Pants, $2.50 to $3.00 value $1.50
Boys' Shoes, $2.50 to $3.00 value ..... now $1.50
Ladies' Shoes, $3.00 to $5.00 value ..... now $2.50
Armstrong's Linoleum Rugs value $8.50, ... now $6.00
Burlap Back Printed Linoleum, value 75c ... now 50 yd

Specials for Christmas

New Sunmaid Raisins ..... 10c pkge
New Currants ..... 12½c pkge
New Citron ..... 27c lb.
Walter Baker's Chocolate ..... 40c lb.
California Budded Walnuts ..... 25c lb.
Paper Shell Almonds ..... 25c lb.
Large Washed Butternuts ..... 16c lb.
Cranberries ..... 12½c lb.
Large Fresh Cocoanuts ..... 5½c each
6 Packages of 7 oz. Macaroni 25c
Good Cheese ..... 19c lb.
4 Cans Good Peas 25c

EGGS AND CHICKENS TAKEN IN TRADE

Bramble' Store, - - Fairlee, Md.

ALCOHOL

The weather forecasts are for cold weather. Don't take any chances with the weather. A frozen Radiator is expensive as well as inconvenient. Stop your car at our door and get 188 Proof Denatured Alcohol at

60c per gal

FEED GRINDERS

This is the time when it pays to grind your grain for feed. A grinder that will run through 50 bushels an hour at

$35.00

Many of them in use. Other sizes and capacities at slightly more money.

SPECIAL

Lotz Mixed Feed Maker complete with bagger. This mill has been used for a demonstrator and is a bargain to a man who needs a mill.

ENGINES

How is your old Engine? If it is not running good we can put it in order for you. If it has done its duty, change it for a New McCormick-Deering. Runs as smooth as your watch. Come in and see it. It is equipped with the Wico Magneto, the best on the market.

PIPE AND FITTINGS

Bear in mind that we have a large stock of standard Pipe, both black and galvanized, and Fittings from 1-8 inch to 2 inches. Our prices are lower than those quoted in some other towns, due to buying large quantities for cash. Yours to serve,

JONES & SATTERFIELD
Chestertown, Maryland

FARM BUREAU CONVENTION IN BALTIMORE CITY

MISS LOUISE MORRIS TO COMPETE IN BEAUTY CONTEST

Agricultural experts prominent in State and national fields will address the annual convention of the Maryland Farm Bureau Federation which, it is anticipated by Secretary Frank M. Payne, will be attended by representative farmers and farm women from the twenty-three counties at the Lord Baltimore Hotel, Baltimore, January 6, 7 and 8. Arthur L. Hyde, Secretary of Agriculture; Governor Albert C. Ritchie, M. S. Winedr, executive secretary of the American Farm Bureau Federation. Dr. Raymond A. Pearson, president of the University of Maryland; Dr. Thomas B. Symons, director of the Extension Service of the University of Maryland; Melvin Stewart, former Secretary of the Maryland Farm Bureau Federation, and C. B. Denman, member of the Federal Farm Board, representing the livestock division, are on the progam.

The annual banquet, always a feature of the yearly parley will be held at the Southern Hotel the night of January 7 and at that time Governor Ritchie will formally announce the winner of the State-wide beauty contest which will have been held the previous night in connection with the annual ball at the Lord Baltimore. The Governor will present a trophy to "Miss Maryland Farm Bureau" who will be chosen out of sixteen contestants representing an equal number of counties of Maryland. Preliminary tilts have been staged by various county farm bureaus and the several winners will enter the State contest.

The contestants will be: Marguerite Hubbard, of Hurlock, "Miss Dorchester County;" Cornelia DeWilde of Preston, "Miss Caroline." Alberta Molesworth, Mt. Airy, "Miss Howard;" Mary A. Wegley, Millersville, "Miss Anne Arundel;" Eleanor I. Wilson, Pylesville, "Miss Harford;" Stella S. McGrady, Rising Sun, "Miss Cecil;" Louise Morris, Chestertown, "Miss Kent;" Endora Sheridan, Easton, "Miss Talbot;" Dorothy F. Keith, Centreville, "Miss Queen Anne;" Laure Mae Chesser, Pocomoke City, "Miss Worecster;" Florence E. Wimbrow, Parsonburg, "Miss Wicomico;" Margaret M. Poffenberger, Keedysville, "Miss Washington;' E. Frances Rudy, Middletown, "Miss Frederick;" Helen Jordan, Shane, "Miss Baltimore;" Naomi Shoemaker, Westminster, "Miss Carroll," and Alice A. Darby, Rockville, "Miss Montgomery."

In addition to the discussion of important problems by various groups affiliated with the State federation an impressive number of entertainment features have been arranged both for delegates and beauty contestants during their visit to the Maryland metropolis.

MEN RAISED AS GIRLS SUE FOR MASCULINITY

Anderson, Ind., Nov. 21.-- Two full-grown brothers who said they had been reared from birth as girls, have applied for a judicial decree officially designating them as men.

The brothers, Pola and Geneva Lee Armstrong, aged 31 and 33 respectively fileda petition in the Circuit Court asking permisssn to assume the christian names of Noel and Gene. In affect, attorneys said, the action asked the court to designate their sex as masculine.

The story was that their mother, who had six sons, longed for a daughter and masqueraded the two boys as girls until her death. Brothers said in their petition that she dressed them in feminine clothing to satisfy her maternal craving. Until their mother's death seven years ago the boys had never worn masculine clothes.

Some of the more intimate friends of the family were aware of their dual life, but there others who actually believed them to be girls. Among the most astonished persons, when the secret was reveald, was Arthur Call, an Anderson attorney, who filed the petition. He had visited, the Armstrong home several times and had always regarded Geneva and Nola as girls. When the y called on him dressed as men he did not recognize them until the situation was explained.

More than 2,000 women dentists practice in the United States. (Ouch!)

Per capita consumption of paper in this country has grown to about 200 pounds.

Ohio led all states in 1930 in the number of gas wells completed, the number being 653.

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Santa Claus Here Today Saturday



Conlyn E. Noland, chairman of the committee of the Chestertown Mercantile Section for the annual Christmas Treat which is sponsored by members of the association and other business interests in Chestertown, reports all arrangements completed for the great day which is set for December 12th, today.

Santa has approved the schedule and will be on hand to distribute gifts and oranges to the children of Kent and Queen Anne's Counties and states that he has a mighty fine collection of presents for the youngsters this year as he and his good wife, Mrs. Santa, have been extra busy all season in order to make up for the topsy turvy way the everyday world is running at present. On December 12 he expects to make all Kent and Queen Anne's forget they ever heard the word "depression." Everything will be gay and lively and the program will extend thruout the day until farm chores call the county folk home.

The Treasure Hunt, which has been a feature for the past two years, will be more intriguing than ever and the prize-winners will have to sharpen their wits to the nth degr A. S. Turner, Jr., is chairman of that part of the program and he will engulf the youngsters in an intricate chase for the hidden booty.

Mr. Noland announces also that the surprise feature which will be staged about the middle of the afternoon will be amusing for the grown-ups as well as the children. The local merchants are contributing liberally to make the day a great success.

At the same time the merchants are planning special Christmas displays and prices for the 12th. Fresh up-to-the-minute goods will be placed at the disposal of Christmas shoppers and after taking the children around to see just what they want in their stocking on Christmas morning, a place will be provided for mothers to deposit he children where they shall be carefully attended so the parents may do their shopping away from the sharp eyes and ears of the recipients of the gifts on Christmas morning.

While the annual Christmas Treat is of long standing here in Chestertown it is expected that the one this year will outshine all previous years both in the type of gifts distributed and in the novelty feaure.

Invitations are being sent to all schools. The date was set for Saturday to make it a real Children's occasion and a gala day.

DON'TS FOR PARENTS

"Don't encourage—if possible, prevent—a college education for your son merely to promote athletic interests."

This is one of ten college "Don'ts" issued for the benefit of parents by Dean Milton E. Loomis of New York University. The remainder of the list is as follows:

Dont encourage or insist upon a college education for your children merely as a matter of social prestige or as a result of social pressure.

Don't encourage attendance upon a particular college merely because it is a choice of your children's chums.

Don't insist upon or take blindly for granted your own college as logical choice

Don't insist upon a college education merely because you had it.

Don't insist upon a college education merely because you did not have it.

Don't insist upon a college near at hand merely to maintain contact and supervision.

Don't encourage college merely as an avenue to membership in a fraternity or a sorority.

Don't treat your son or daughter as a total loss merely because he or she did not go to college.

Don't discourage college merely for financial reasons.

FIVE DRIVERS LOSE LICENSES

Of the five violators of State motor laws arrested on the Eastern Shore during the week, two were drunken drivers, according to State Officer Claude W. Cubbage here. They, witn one other violator, had their licenses revoked. The other two drivers apprehended were refused licenses they formally applied.

John L. Foster, of Easton, and Frederick J. Schwinger, of Elkton, were found guilty of operating while under the influence of liquor, the latter also being convicted of reckless driving. James Gibson, of Trappe, also had his license revoked for failing to stop after an accident.

Herbert Gales, of Salisbury, and Benjamin Logan, of Elkton, were refused licenses, the first for figuring in a fatal accident and the other for operating without a license. The first was indefinitely refused and the other was refused for twenty days.

SEVEN-CENT GAS TAX

Florida now has the distinction of enjoying the highest gas tax in the United States—seven cents a gallon.

The National Automobile Chamber of Commerce has just published figures to show that motor vehicle taxation has reached a point where it has become such a burden to many people that it is causing curtailment in use of automobiles. The 1930 peak of automobile and gas taxes represented so great a cost that at least 134,000 owners failed to register their cars. Registrations fell off in 20 States, notably among those with the highest automobile tax.

Florida, with an average tax of $53.74 per vehicle, lost 18,000 registrations. Oregon, with a peak average tax of $62.73, showed a decrease of 17,000. Declines in registration ranging from 15,000 to 30,000 vehicles were reported by Kentucky, Georgia, Vermont, Arkansas, Virginia, South Carolina, Louisana and North Carolina.

According to the taxation committee of the American Automobile Association, the 26,523,779 automobiles in the United States, valued at $5,460,716,620, paid taxes of $1,000,388,170 in 1930, which tax was nearly 18.3 per cent of the valuation of the cars. "A tax of nearly 20 per cent on any form of property is almost prohibitive," said the committee.

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