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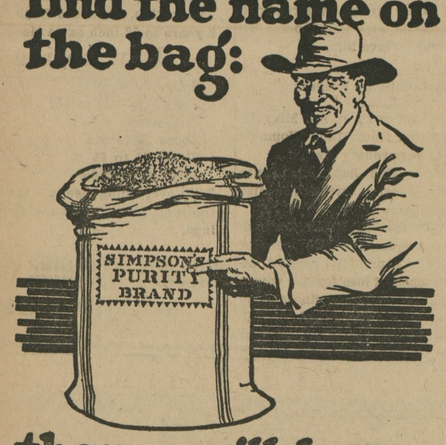
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When you buy field and grass seeds, look for the Simpson's Purity Brand trade-mark. It is stenciled in large letters on the bag—it's for your protection—it makes seed buying safe. Progressive dealers sell Simpson's Purity Brand seeds. On your next trip to town see your dealer and ask him for Simpson's Purity Brand. Don't accept any other. If your dealer can't supply you, write us and we'll tell you where you can quickly obtain these dependable seeds.

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The 1923 Superior Models

Even the high standard of our preceeding line has been far surpassed by the 1923 Superior Models, one of which is here illustrated.

As the world's largest producers of quality cars, and also of closed cars, we have acrieved a volume of production that enables us to ocer the utmost per dollar of price in economical transportation, full equipment and handsome design.

This new 5-Passenger Touring car has vacuum feed with tank in rear, drum-type headlights with legal lenses, high hood, stream lines, curtains opening with doors and spirial beval rear axle gears. Buy no car until you see this.

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HOG COLERA CELEBRATES

1923 is the 90th Anniversary of the appearance of hog colera in the United States. Probably there are many more people who will wonder why this unfortunate event should be commemorated, for like being poor, it is nothing to sit on the back fence and boast about. However, the fact that a preventable disease should hold sway for 90 years causing losses that total from 30 to 75 millions of dollars annually is a matter that deserves more than passing notice.

In the fourscore and ten years that the disease has been in existence in the United States every conceivable method has been tried for combating it. This includes home remedies, quack preparations, proprietory compounds, and even the wonderful anti-hog cholera serum which has been in use for 15 years. Yet hog cholera is still one of the most serious animal diseases with which we have to contend today.

It is undoubtly high time that the malady be attacked from another angle, and it is apparent that the 90th Anniversary of this dread disease in this country could be commemorated in a most fitting manner by the formulation of concrete plans to get rid of the scourge.

Hog cholera is in reality a self-eradicating disease. When denied new fuel, and this is easy to accomplish, it rapidly burns itself out, and only in exceptional instances is the infection harbored for any great length of time on premises. If the infection is not reintroduced into these localities, it is patent that they will remain free from the disease. Therefore, it is obvious that steps must be taken to correct the practices whereby the infection is introduced into free territory.

In some localities the feeding of garbage, tagle refuse or kitchen swill containing bones, rinds or scraps of pork is the principal source of new outbreaks.. In other districts, the introduction of sick or exposed hogs is mainly responsible for starting new centers of infection. Then again, in some places gy the abuse of the double treatment, new outbreaks are not only started, but centers of infection maintained. These are the factors responsible for practically all if not every new outbreak.

These three factors are inconsistent with sanitation and must be controlled if the disease is to be eliminated. It is feasible to control any or all of them. Either this will be done or in 2023 some one one will be writing a sketch regarding the 190th Anniversary of the disease in the United States.

I. K. ATHERSON,
Inspector in Charge of Hog Cholery Work.

ORIGINAL PHONE AD. WAS PRINTED IN 1877

Subscribers Simply Leased An Instrument When the Service Started

Local telephone men have come across the first advertisement of a telephone company. It was published in July 1877, in the newspapers of New Haven, Conn. This advertisement made it clear that subscribing in those early days consisted in leasing an instrument and not in buying service as is the case now.

"The proprietors keep the instrument in repair without charges," said the advertisement, "except a wire between two stations, through ten or thirty miles apart, with a telephone at each end."

Despite this inducement and the further inducement that the outside of a telephone is of mahogany, finely polished, and an ornament to any room or office," only one subscriber resulted. The Rev. John E. Todd came forward and agreed to pay $18 a year for a telephone. He is believed to be the first subscriber in the world to a commercial exchange.

According to local telephone officials the trouble was not with the advertising nor with the matter of stringing lines. The public simply had to be shown that it could not get along without telephones. Therefore, the records show a canvasser was sent out to make personal explanations of the telephone and 200 contracts were obtained. The first service was given January 21, 1878 to 30 subscribers. The first exchange was opened January 28, 1878.

The Texas Public Service Bureau of Information says that from the beginning, less than fifty years ago, the people of the United States have come to need the telephone until there are now sixteen million telephones in service or about one to every eight people. In Texas there is one to every five people.

BOY BADLY BURNED AT DENTON

All Denton was horrified recently when it heard of the tragic accident which befell Sherman E. Hignut, Jr., the little 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman E. Hignut of this place.

About noon Mrs. Hignut lighted a fire in the oil stove in the kitchen to heat some water and then went upstairs to sew, taking the little fellow with her. Evidently the little fellow tired of playing upstairs and went downstairs by himself, unknown to his mother. Going into the kitchen he evidently noticed the stove was lit, and getting his little chair he reached up and got the gasoline tank, used to prime the burner, from its hook at the back of the stove and then placing the chair in front of the stove, proceeded to prime the burner "like mother," when the accident occurred.

Subscription to the Transcript $1.50 per annum.

WHO SETS THE PRICES?

"When the people stop to think, old and established institutions crumble and disappear."

The farmer and his son rode silently home from town. The wagon was empty but for the two sacks of flour purchased from the merchant who had bought their produce.

Puffing on his pipe the farmer pondered over some question of the moment. The boy's mind was not inactive.

"Pa," he said, "when you took our stuff to the store what did you ask the man,"

"I asked him how much he was giving today."

"And when you bought the flour, what did you ask him,"

"How much he was asking."

"You asked him how much he would pay for our stuff and how much he would take for his?"

Lapsing into silence the boy thought over this and the silent man puffing his pipe by his also in thought.

"When the people stop to think, old and established institutions crumble and disappear."

LINES TO REMEMBER

A lie is a coward'sway of getting out of trouble.

Hard work is the greatest schoolmaster of the race.

Carlyle says experience of actual fact either teaches fools or abolishes them.

If you want to know what other people say behind your back, listen to what they say about others to your face.

Trying to forget is like trying to go to sleep, the more you try the harder it is to do it.

Why shouldn't a nation protect industry? Industry protects the nation.

The funny thing about business revivals is that those who have faith are not the ones at the mourner's bench.

The Ten Commandments I don't believe were the exclusive property of men. At least they never keep them.

How unfortunate that the only men who know how to handle world problems should waste their time whittling goods boxes in a country store.

Decision Reversed In Divorce Case

Peggy U'dell and the Elkton marriage mill fared badly yesterday at the hands of the Maryland Court of Appeals, which ordered that the "pretended marriage" of the chorus girl and John W. Montgomercy, minor son of a wealthy Pennsylvania family, be annulled.

The decision revised the finding of Judge Lewin W. Wickes, of the Circuit Court for Cecil county, before whom Montgomery's suit for divorce was tried early last summer, and who ruled that the marriage was valid, ordering Montgomercy to pay $50 a month alimony, council fees and court costs.

Young Montgomery, who had only recently left Tome Institute at the time of the midnight taxicab elopement from Philadelphia to Elkton in January, 1922, is now at work in an Idaho lumber camp. He is said to have been remitting alimony from his wages to his chorus girl bride.

Miss U'dell, who is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John F. U'Nertle, of Milwaukee, and who adopted U'dell as her stage name, left the stage at the close of last season's engagement, and has lived at home in Milwaukee, whence she has recently has issued a statement of warning to "stagestruck girls."

CIDER MILLS TO BE BUSY ON SUSSEX FARMS IN DELAWARE

Farmers in lower Delaware have lost hundreds of dollars within the past two weeks on account of the heavy frosts that have ruined hundreds of bushels of apples that were buried last autumn. The apple crop in lower Delaware lest year was the largest for many years, and growers were unable to move them at a profit. The result was that the early crop was utilized in cider making, while the late crop, which could not be sold in the city markets at figures sufficient to pay the growers for their trouble in packing, was buried.

Many of the growers failed to bury them deep enough and put a thick covering on them and the consequence was that the continued cold weather some days ago caused them to freeze. It is figured that there is but one way to make use of them after they have become frozen and that is to convert them into cider as soon as they are taken fromt the ground.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent County letters testamentary on the personal estate of CLINTON W. WROTH,
late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 6th day of September, 1923, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 6th day of March, 1923.

THOMAS G. WROTH,
m10-5t. Executor.

The Transcript $1.50

MARCH BRINGS WHIRLWIND OF VALUES

At Cohen's Extraordinary Sale

Great Reductions Throughout the Store

60c 120 Warp China Matting	35c
50c Heavy China Matting	25c
60c Japanese Matting	35c
50c sq. yd. Congoleum	39c
$1 sq. yd. Linoleum	69c
$12 9x12 Congoleum Rugs	$7.98
$6 9x12 Matting Rugs	$3.98
$10 9x12 Woolen Fibre Rugs	$5.98
50c Congoleum Rugs	25c
$6 Single Iron Beds	$3.25
Iron Cots and Springs	$3.25
MATTRESSES OF ALL GRADES	
$10 All-Wool Army Blankets	$3.25
Three and Four-Burner New Perfection Oil Stoves. Prices lower than ever.	
Red Clover, Alsyke, Sweet Clover, Mammouth Clover, Red Top, Timothy Seed of the purest grade and lowest prices.	
Early Alaska Peas, lb.	10c
Early Laxtonian Peas, lb.	12c
Onion Sets, 3 quarts for	25c
ALL KINSD OF GARDEN SEED	
$1.50 1 ft. High Poultry Net	98c
$2.50 2 ft. High Poultry Net	$1.88
$3.50 3 ft. High Poultry Net	$2.50
$6.50 6 ft. High Poultry Net	$4.75
40c 18 lb. Rope Traces, pair	25c
40c 14 yd. Plow Lines, pair	25c
$5 Hair Face Leather Collars	$3.50
$2.50 Tick Collars	$1.75
$3 Heavy Work Bridles	$2.00
$1.75 Batchelor's Strapped Forks	$1.10
$2 Ames Spade or Shovel	$1.25
$1.50 Trace Chains, pair	90c
Fence Staples, per keg	$3.50
8p and 10p Wire Nails, keg	$3.75
American Field and Poultry Fencing in all heights. Barbed Wire, Brad Wire and Yard Wire.	

Deal With Cohen, Your Money Has More Purchasing Value Than Elsewhere

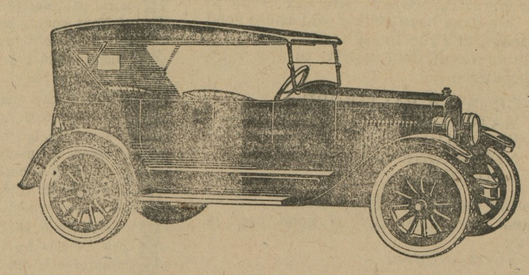
20c Druid L. L. Unbleached Muslin	12½c
Hill Muslin only	17c
60c Table Linen	39c
$1 Table Linen	59c
$2 27-in. Red Star Draper Goods	$1.50
20c 10 yd. bdl. Long Cloth	$1.25
75c 81-in Bleached Sheeting	45c
$1.50 Blue Apron Overalls	98c
$7 Men's Ball Band Hip Boots	$5.00
$4 Men's Short Boots	$1.75
$2.50 Union Alls	$1.75
$1.50 Men's Blue Jumpers	98c
Best Country Flour, Barrel	$6.50
25c Colgates Tooth Paste	18c
10c Can Octagon Cleanser	7½c
25c 20-Mule Team Borax, lb.	15c
Cornfield Beans, lb.	9½c
Lima Beans, lb.	10c
15c Can Tall Pet Milk	10c
20c Can Pink Salmon	11c
25c 40 to 50 Prunes	15c
20c Prunes only	12½c
80c King Porto Rico Molasses	45c

Large assortment of Aluminum Ware, sauce pots, Kettles, dish pans, double boilers, roasters, percolaters.

Large Assortment of Aluminum Ware, Sauce Pots Kettles, Dish Pans, Double Boilers, Roasers, Percolaters and Pitchers. Regular price $1, special price75c.

ABE COHEN

SANDY BOTTOM DEPARTMENT STORE



Great Favor Well Earned

More people are talking and thinking and *buying* the new Overland than ever before—because it is *better value*—and at the lowest price in its history. All-steel body, finished with baked enamel. Triplex Springs (patented) give easy riding comfort.

See the Overland Advertisement in the March 17th Saturday Evening Post

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For that cough, Mentholated Syrup White Pine with Tar.
Your favorite Magazine for sale here.
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Baby Chicks.

BARRED ROCK	R. I. REDS
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WHITE ROCK	BROWN LEGHORN
WHITE LEGHORN	BLACK MINORCAS

PRICE $18 PER 100

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Price $5.40 per Tray, Each Tray Holding 180 Eggs

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When buying a brooder, be sure it is a Wishbone. Why raise chicks with hens, when a good brooder will raise more and better chicks with a great deal less work and care.

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