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1 For the calendar year, January 1, 1921, to January 1, 1922, Buick built and actually sold over 80,000 automobiles.

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RETAIN YOUR HEAD COVERING

Writer Asserts That "Flu" Is Spread by Practice of Doffing the Hat in Salutation.

Influenza has always been widely mysterious in its operations. Long ago one of our warships was off the west African coast, says London Answers, when a dense black mist advanced from the shore and swept over the vessel. All the men on deck at the time were stricken down with the "flu"; and a little later the remainder of the men and officers were attacked.

The ship was at once ordered home, and, though many of the cases were complicated with pneumonia and bronchitis, none, luckily, proved fatal. The patients were treated with cinchona bark and ammonia, which was then a recognized formula for malarial fevers.

During the devastating epidemic of "flu," the Turks in Europe escaped because, it is said, they never removed their turbans. The medical faculty of Vienna officially declared that influenza was largely due to the practice of doffing hats in the streets. In support of this contention, it was pointed out that the great majority of the victims were of the male sex.

A traveler found influenza to be unusually severe in Mexico, where, as he remarked, there is so much hat-doffing.

It may be the case, however, that such a large proportion of males are attacked because of the constant drain on their vitality by the nature of their daily occupation. The writer was recently informed by a high medical authority in London that influenza epidemics of late years showed the principal sufferers to be male persons who had reached the most active years of their lives.

LEARN FROM THE ELEPHANT

Be Careful Where You Step and Take Credit When Due, Is by No Means Bad Advice.

A circus man says that an elephant is always careful where he steps. He goes forward one step at a time, and doesn't lose his hold upon one place of security until another is gained. If many of our business men had acquired this elephant philosophy and had followed it they wouldn't be hanging over financial precipices now.

If one goes about thinking that the world is filled with crooks and schemers, the world it filled with crooks and schemers. On the other hand, if one believes that the world is filled with fine neighborly, helpful, kindly folks, one finds people of that class in the great majority.

It isn't well to have too much humility. The man who gets into the habit of refusing to take credit for the good work he does is quite apt to be surprised when he discovers that people accept his denials as the truth. It is much better to be like the little girl in the old story who, when she was asked, "Who made you?" replied, "God made me that length," indicating with her hands the ordinary size of a new-born babe, "and I growed the rest myself."—Forbes Magazine.

Shopping in Ecuador.

The common trade balance of Ecuador is a short stick carrying a suspended pan at each end and held up by a cord around the center. The weight is a rock about the size of a man's fist, and, while no two of them are ever the same size, the merchant is always prepared to pledge his honor that the stone weighs a full and exact pound. The price for a commodity is almost never fixed, and as the Ecuadorean is always prepared and expects to come down somewhat from his first price, it speaks worlds for his optimism that he invariably tries to get more. The bargaining does not actually begin until you have disregarded the first figure and asked: "What is the last price?" ("el ultimo precio?"). In fact, I have been told voluntarily, when pricing ponchos, that the price was 25 sucres, but "I can come down a little."

What Cabbages Dislike.

Some time ago, a number of scientists, by means of a device invented by an Indian savant, were able to watch a plant growing, and study the beating of what in vegetable life corresponds to the heart of an animal. An average plant grows at the slow rate of one-millionth part of an inch per second, yet this device so magnifies this that, thrown upon the screen, the increase is easily seen. Plant life does not differ greatly from animal life. Place the roots in boiling water, it struggles and dies the same as the animal. A cabbage dislikes being boiled as greatly as would your pet dog. The only difference is that the cabbage can not protest, but squirms, wriggles and writhes.

An Order for One Wife.

An English traveler and author in northern Walgeria became interested in a Home for Freed Slaves. Women and children were kept in the institution until they could be otherwise disposed of, which was generally by matrimony, in the case of the women when the author acted as a marriage broker. He says: "A Maussa soldier would come to me with a note from his commander certifying him to be a man of good character and able to support a wife or another wife, as the case might be.

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A list of articles received is most amazing and instructive: Paper, rags, twine, clothing, shoes, metals, bottles, kitchen utensils, bedroom, kitchen, parlor and office furniture, crockery, glassware, clocks, carpets, books, magazines, pictures, cutlery, stoves, pianos, umbrellas, pillows, antiques, hats, ribbons, artificial flowers, lamps, sewing-machines, phonographs, jewelry, among usual and common things: but we have also received such uncommon and special articles as invalid's chairs, crutches, artificial teeth, limbs, eyes and hair, which may also be turned into cash.

Your old nwspapers, magazines, clothes, furniture, etc., have provided in a year 3,163,878 meals; 1,063,608 beds and cash paid to the otherwise unemployed in exchange for the labor of collecting, sorting, repairing and distributing this material.

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Valuable Cow.

Some years ago the last remaining farmer in a prosperous New York suburb bequeathed to his son his only property, 16 acres of land, a ramshackle barn and one cow. The young recipient had no money to develop the land, and was at a loss to know what to do with his cow, whose habits he did not understand. He finally decided to keep her as a remembrance of his father, and she grazed away contentedly.

Ten years later there came an opportunity to dispose of the land at $1,000 a lot, or $192,000 for the whole. Based on this valuation, the taxes during the ten years would have amounted to something like $15,000, whereas, because of the cow, the property had been given a farm classification, and had been taxed during the period only $1,600.—Wall Street Journal.

Railroads Ask Repeal of Burdensome Law

SO-CALLED FULL CREW REGULATION IS COSTLY TO THE PUBLIC

TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND:

The undersigned Railroad Companies, all operating in the State of Maryland, join in a petition to your honorable body to act favorably on Senate Bill No. 74 introduced by Hon. Walter Mitchell which repeals the so-called full crew law enacted in 1908. This burdensome and wholly unnecessary law requires railroads to man all freight trains of 30 or more cars with crews of six men; viz: 1 Engineer, 1 Fireman, 1 Conductor and 2 Brakemen and 1 Flagman (3 Brakemen). This crew comprises one more Brakeman than the railroads need.

The petitioners respectfully urge the abolition of this extra Brakeman

BECAUSE, the employment of this useless Brakeman is an unnecessary burden on the railroads, and therefore, on the public, which after all "pays the bill." In 1919 the cost was $514,904, in 1920 $496,890, in 1921 (a year of business depression) $367,282, a total, during the past three years, of $1,179,076. During the last ten years this law has cost the Railroads operating in Maryland approximately TWO AND ONE-HALF MILLION DOLLARS, without a single cent in return compensation.

BECAUSE, the extra Brakeman is not needed in the operation of trains. The Federal Government requires automatic couplers and air brakes on all cars and prohibits the use of hand brakes on trains. Two brakemen are sufficient. Then why a third Brakeman?

BECAUSE, the railroads are vitally interested in the safe and economic operation of trains, and are fully qualified to decide upon the size of the crews.

BECAUSE, this law places an unnecessary burden on the railroads and leads to high passenger and freight rates, in which the public is vitally interested. Industry and trade must be revived, which is possible only by removing unnecessary burdens and lessening of overhead charges. The stringency of the times will be partially relieved by the repeal of this law. This repeal does not mean more unemployment; it does mean the transfer of men from useless to useful occupations in other departments, where the money paid them will be more profitably expended in repairing locomotives, cars, tracks, etc.

BECAUSE, Pennsylvania and other states have repealed similar laws. The West Virginia Legislature refused to pass a bill enacting such a law. Virginia and Delaware are without such a law. Therefore, Maryland, alone in this group of States, is hampered by a full crew law.

We, therefore, appeal to your honorable body to repeal this burdensome and unnecessary law.

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