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THE Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company throughout Monday night and up to Tuesday afternoon had sixty passengers stationed at the Clayton House, Wilmington, Del., where they were furnished with board at the company's expense. The passengers arrived on Monday afternoon and night, and could proceed southward no further. They left Tuesday afternoon, however. The passengers were favorably impressed with their treatment at the hands of the company.

STORM ELSEWHERE.

Snow From Florida to Canada, and From the Coast to the Alleghanies.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Take a map of the United States, smear it with snow from Florida almost to Canada, and from the Atlantic coast to the Alleghanies, sweep it with gales and reduce its temperature to the average of zero and you will have a fair representation of today's blizzard, the most widely destructive storm ever known in this country. In the North the storm was merely a severe trial; in the South it was unprecedented disaster and ruin. The wind power of the storm was from 35 to 60 miles an hour; the snow fall was from sixteen to more than twenty inches.

Over every telegraph wire that still stands the same reports are coming in—trolley and street car lines stationary; railroads temporarily out of business; mails undelivered; country roads unpassable and markets consequently run short of meat and vegetables; navigation ice blocked; suffering of poor; discomfort for everybody and general wail of longing for the warm wave alleged to be blessing the West. Railroads running out of the city were mostly tied up after noon. Long Island sound was closed to navigation, while not a ship came into the harbor.

Thirty are overdue, including the Paris, Etruria and Labretagne. Several ferry lines were compelled to stop running boats.

In the city street car traffic was partially suspended. The fire department was worked almost to the point of exhaustion fighting fire and cold. Several persons were frozen to death. The poor suffered terribly, but $20,000 was placed in the hands of charity for immediate use.

TWO CROPS ON THE SAME GROUND.

A method of intensive culture which has made some money for me is to plow a lot of ground in the fall, and manure it heavily during the winter, then harrow it in the spring as soon as I can work the ground, and with a one-horse corn planter plant the earliest varieties of peas in rows two and one-half feet apart. I cultivate the peas with a horse and cultivator until some time in May, when I plant early corn with the corn planter between each alternate row of peas, leaving alternate rows vacant, from which to pick the peas. The peas are marketed the last of June, when the vines are removed from the ground. By this time the corn will have made quite a large growth, and the space between the rows can be cultivated and set to celery, cabbage, turnips or potted strawberry plants; or Hubbard squash can be planted in the corn rows the last of May and the vines will occupy the ground between the rows of corn after the peas have been removed. Another profitable combination of crops is to grow early bunch unions from sets, and follow them with a second crop of celery, cabbage or cauliflowers.

What to plant and how to plant depends on one's soil and market. I realize that if I describe methods of culture which are a success under certain conditions, others will try them where the conditions are not the same, and fail to get good results.

The amateur in gardening should be satisfied to go slow, and not plant extensively until he has gained experience by planting small plats. In market gardening, as in other occupations, it is the trained workman who is a "hustler" that "gets there."—W. H. Jenkins, in Vick's Magazine.

"Trixy," a valuable Barvarian Spitz dog, owned by Mrs. S. W. Whitney, a niece of D. Ogden Mills, of New York, is dead.

After its death Mrs. Whitney had the dog placed in a handsome coffin with satin lining. She also had a plate made with "Trixy" inscribed on it.

Mrs. Whitney asked the undertaker to buy a plot for the dog in historic Sleepy Hollow Cemetery, but the superintendent objected, and the remains were buried in the year of Mrs. Whitney's house. On the grave was placed a floral pillow with "Trixy" on it. Mrs. Whitney intends to have the dog disintered and put in a cemetery, if possible.

Lenten Regulations.—*Rules Governing the Members of the Catholic Church During the Holy Season.*—Bishop J. J. Monoghan, of Wilmington Diocese, has issued the following instructions to the members of the Catholic Church, residing in that Diocese, with which they are to conform during the Lenten season, beginning Wednesday last, 15th.

1. All the faithful who have completed their 21st year, unless exempt by dispensation or some other legitimate cause are bound to observe the Fast of Lent.

2. They are to take one meal only a day except on Sundays.

3. The meals permitted on Fast Days is not to be taken till about noon.

4. A small refreshment, commonly called collation, is permitted in the evening.

5. The following persons are exempt from the obligations of fasting: Persons under 21 years of age, the sick, the nursing woman, those who are obliged to do hard labor, and those who through weakness cannot fast without great prejudice to their health.

6. The faithful are reminded that, besides the obligation of fasting imposed by the church, this holy season of Lent should be, in an especial manner, a time of earnest prayer, of sorrow for sin, of seclusion from the world and its amusements, and a general almsgiving.

II.

By virtue of an Indult to the United States, May 25th, 1897, the following special dispensations are granted:

1. The use of flesh meat is permitted at meals on Sundays, and once a day on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, with the exception of the second and last Saturdays of Lent. But flesh meat and fish are not to be used at the same meal during Lent, even on Sundays.

2. The use of butter, cheese, milk and eggs is permitted every day in Lent.

3. It is allowed to take in the morning some warm liquid, such as tea, coffee or thin chocolate, made with water, and with this liquid a mouthful of bread.

4. Those for whom the hour of noon may be an inconvenient time for dinner, may invert the order and take their collation in the morning and their dinner in the evening.

5. The use of hog's lard, or dripping, instead of butter, is authorised in preparing permitted food.

6. Persons exempt from the obligation of fasting are free to take meat more than once on those days when its use is granted by dispensation.

II

The Pascal time extends from the first Sunday in Lent till Trinity Sunday, during which time all Catholics who have attained the proper age are bound to receive worthily the Holy communion. The holy season of Lent is a very proper time also for children to make their first confession, which they ought to do generally at the age of 7 years. Parents should see to this.

ALICE JOYCE, TURKEY QUEEN.

A Texas Girl Who Finds Pleasure and Profit in Her Flocks.

While driving slowly along a lonely mountain road in Western Texas a few days ago my horse suddenly pricked up his ears, and as I looked about for the purpose of discovering the object that had attracted his attention I saw something that rather astonished me, says a writer in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. A large flock of turkeys, led by a dozen or more big black gobblers, was coming slowly over a hill but a short distance away. A few of the birds were picking along the side of the trail, but the bulk of the flock was in the main highway, apparently undisturbed by my presence. I stopped my horse, and, while gazing at them with the admiration of an old hunter and whistling from the bottom of my heart for a good Winchester, a very pretty young girl, mounted on a spirited little mustang, galloped up behind the birds and began survey the country in all directions. I now realized that they were tame turkeys and I drove on to the banks of a little mountain stream that ran through the valley. The young girl met me, and after a courteous salutation, she inquired as to the distance to the next ranch. I answered that it was several miles, still wondering what it al. meant for I considered it rather an unlucky circumstance to meet the young gir. and a big flock of turkeys in that lonely mountain region. She noticed that I was evidently puzzled and, smiling, relieved my mental perturbation by informing me that she was driving a flock of turkeys to San Antonio, in company with her brother, where she expected to sell them or ship them to a larger city.

There were 500 birds in the flock, and during the evening, while talking to the young girl's brother about the campfire, I learned that the lady's name was Alice Joyce, and that she had already made quite a handsome little fortune raising turkeys. Her brother laughingly told me that she was known in the Western country as the Turkey Queen of the Guadaloupe. He said that she had been raising 200 or 300 turkeys every year for the past seven or eight years, and that she got "her start," as she put it, from a setting of wild turkey eggs that she found in the woods. "The birds," he added, "are much bigger and the meat of better flavor than the ordinary tame turkeys." They certainly live in a region of country which is the natural home of the wild turkey, for I do not believe there is another spot on earth where these birds are as abundant as they were a few years ago in the mountains on the headwaters of the Guadaloupes. Even at this time it is doubtful if there is another locality in the United States where big gobblers are more plentiful, but from the fact that the wild birds feed on cedar berries there are only certain seasons when their flesh is fit for the table.

The fetishism of savage Africa makes us shudder, and fills us with disgust. Yet we have fetishes of our own, one of them great, widely-worshipped, and in whose name crimes innumerable are daily perpetrated. The name of that fetish is *Ignorance*.

To that powerful fetish thousands of mothers annually make sacrifice of their daughters. For what is it but a sacrifice to the fetish Ignorance to permit girls to blossom to womanhood, and enter the marriage relation without one helpful hint of the obligations of that relation and its physical perils?

Just the word which the mother fails to speak would turn the young girls' attention to the danger of irregularity. For it is in the ignorance of the necessity for regularity in the periods that the foundation is laid for the debilitating drains, the female weakness, bearing-down pains, inflammation and ulceration that rob marriage of joy and motherhood of happiness.

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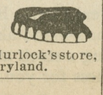

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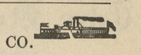

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