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NEXT SPRING'S BERRY CROP.

Moisture Conditions of the Soil Ma-terially Affect the Yields. Berries of all kinds, like other cultivated crops, require the right kind of soil and preparation for the best results, says a contributor to the Farm ss. Big and profitable crops of berries grow from soil that is well fertilized and thoroughly worked before the plants are set out in the hills or

rows.

Mosture conditions of the soil affect the yield of all kinds of berries wonderfully. In years when the soil is moist during fruiting season the crops are usually large, while at other seasons when the soil is dry when the fruit is setting and ripening the crops are usually light and often an entire failure. Other things considered, to



BARNYARD MANURE FOR BERRISS.

regulate the soil moisture of the berry patch means practically regulating the

y harvest.

e humus supply in the soil deteres to a large degree the length of
moisture will be held during a dry ime moisture will be held during a dry spell during the growing season. The more humus the longer moisture will be held; the less humus the quicker the soil will dry out and the plants suffer. Due of the best ways to supply humus to the soil and at the same time furnish extra fertility is to apply stable manure. Land that is to be planted to berries this coming spring should be tovered heavily with manure this winder, the scoper the letter.

tovered heavily with manure this win-ler, the sooner the better.

If the berry patch sell is covered early in the winter any kind of fresh stable manure may be used liberally with safety. During the winter and with safety. During the winter and sarly apring it will have time to leach, secompose and become mild, to be turned under when the soil is plowed it is not safe to apply and plow under fresh manure for berries, because the fresh manure has a tendency through fermentation and decay to dry the soil and injure the roots of the young plants. If berry soil is treated in late winter or early spring the manure should be reasonably well decomposed and mild. That from cow stables is

plants. If berry soil is treated in late winter or early spring the manure should be reasonably well decomposed and mild. That from cow stables is milder than that from horse stables.

For winter treatment of berry soil any kind of manure of home produced fertilizer may be used. A variety is better than a single kind. That from the poultry house is excellent, but must be scattered thinly over the ground, as it is strong. That from hog and sheep houses is good, but is rich and must be used sparingly. The different kinds may be mixed together for use. Wood ashes are excellent fertilizer for all kinds of fruits and especially good for small fruits. They may be applied to the soil any time during the winter and sarly spring.

early spring.

One of the best ways to use poultry One of the best ways to use poultry droppings on small fruit soil is to use coal askes or dry soil to mix with and to serve as moisture and oder absorbent for the perch droppings. In this way the full value of the droppings is saved, and when the fertilizer is applied with the absorbent it is disintegrated and mild for use. More surface can be covered with the same amount of fertilizer. Do not however, new

can be covered with the same amount of feriblizer. Do not, however, use wood ashes in the poultry house as an absorbent for poultry droppings, as the ashes decompose the droppings.

Ground rock phosphate, either acidulated or raw, may be applied to the herry soil with good results. If the acidulated is used apply it only just before planting time, or even later, working it lato the soil between rowsthrough cultivation, as it acts quickly. Raw rock phosphate may be applied any time before preparing the soil because it dissolves very slowly in the soil, acting slowly, but a longer time. One of the best ways to use raw rock hosphate on berry soil is to sprinkle t in the cow stable as an absorbent, hen applying it mixed with the stable assume.

CIVIC PROBLEMS

One might with good reason One might with good reason # question wherein a city profits # through its improvements if # they injuriously react upon the # home life of its people. In our # american communities there is # an enlarging group of citizens # who are finding their environment growing adverse, their # homes growing smaller and the # free space surrounding such # where their children may play # under parental oversight more restricted. Our cities are themselves growing larger. The census of 1910 shows an urban increase in population of 34.8 per cent as contrasted with a per cent as contrasted with a survey increase of only 11.2 per such that the survey cent. In keeping with this survey crease in urban wealth with surlarged municipal appropriations for mubile impropriations for mubile impropriations for mubile impropriations.

tions for public improvements it that steadily force up taxes, it both because of the cost of such it improvements and their reac-tion on social welfare. Various reasons have been assigned for this. Undoubtedly there should be a greater centralization of authority in the management of municipal affairs which would bring about a better co-ordination of the subdepart-ments and produce greater ad-ministrative efficiency. — Carl Aronovici in Town Development

CITY AND RURAL MARKETS.

The advantages of co-operation in the

marketing of farm products are em phasized in the annual report of the office of markets and rural organization of the department of agriculture, which has just been published. "The conclusion seems & arranted," says the report, "that in communities where coation is practically applied to the farmer's business the results obtained are far more satisfactory than those secured by individual methods." It is estimated that farmers' co-operative marketing and purchasing organiza-tions will transact this year a total tions will transact this year a total business amounting to more than \$1.400,000.00. Agricultural co-operation in the United States is therefore far more prevalent than is generally believed, but it is not yet upon a sufficiently strong business basis. For this reason the office of markets has studied the various methods employed by these associations and has worked to devise means by which these methods can be perfected. The studies also have in cluded the prevailing methods of marketing perishable products—grain, cotton seed, live stock and animal products.

sarrees and, on the other hand, to keep dealers informed of shipments from the important producing sections. Strawberries, peaches, tomatoes and cantaloupes were the crops covered in this way during the past season. There is evidence, says the report, that as a result of this service distribution has been imported cluttle markets have result of this service distribution has been improved, glutted markets have been prevented to some extent, total shipments from several districts have been greater than they would have been otherwise, and large bodies of growers have received accurate and disinterested information concerning prevailing conditions in competing producing areas and in distant markets. Several important newspapers have cooperated in this work by publishing these reports.

The work of encouraging the proper preparation of products for market has

preparation of products for market has been continued. The ultimate aim of this campaign of education is the na tional standardization of market grades and also packages or containers. Investigation into the problems of

Investigation into the problems of transportation and storage has been continued with a view to determining the causes of the great loss of food-stuffs between the producer and the consumer. Experimental shipments by parcel post and express were made during the year with many kinds of fruits and berries, lettuce, milk, butter, eggs, sirup and vegetables. In nearly every case it was found that the success of the shipment depended upon cess of the suppment depended upon the judgment used in selecting the quality of the product and the type of container.

its rural organization investigations and in particular its study of the prob-lems of rural credit and insurance



Monroe Doctrine In Entire Harmony With Pan-Americanism

By ROBERT LANSING, Secretary of State

IF I have correctly interpreted pan-Americanism from the standpoint of the relations of our government with those beyond the seas it is in entire harmony with the Monroe doctrine. The Monroe doctrine is a national policy of the United States; pan-Americanism is an international policy of the Americas. The motives are to an extent different; the ends sought are the same. Both can exist without impairing the force of either. And both do exist and, I trust, will ever exist in all their vigor.

BUT PAN-AMERICANISM EXTENDS BEYOND THE SPHERE OF POLITICS AND FINDS ITS APPLICATION IN THE VARIED FIELDS OF HUMAN ENTERPRISE. BEARING IN MIND THAT THE ESSENTIAL IDEA MANIFESTS ITSELF IN CO-OPERATION, IT BECOMES NECES-SARY FOR EFFECTIVE CO-OPERATION THAT WE SHOULD KNOW EACH OTHER BETTER THAN WE DO NOW. WE MUST NOT ONLY BE NEIGHBORS, BUT FRIENDS; NOT ONLY FRIENDS, BUT INTIMATES. WE MUST UNDERSTAND ONE ANOTHER. WE MUST COMPREHEND OUR SEVERAL NEEDS. WE MUST STUDY THE PHASES OF MATERIAL AND INTELLECTUAL DEVELOPMENTS WHICH ENTER INTO THE VARIED PROBLEMS OF NATIONAL PROGRESS. WE SHOULD, THERE-FORE, WHEN OPPORTUNITY OFFERS, COME TOGETHER AND FA-MILIARIZE OURSELVES WITH EACH OTHER'S PROCESSES OF THOUGHT IN DEALING WITH LEGAL, ECONOMIC AND EDUCATIONAL QUESTIONS.

Commerce and industry, science and art, public and private law, govcommerce and industry, science and art, puone and private law, government and education, all those great fields which invite the intellectual thought of man, fall within the province of the deliberations of this congress. In the exchange of ideas and comparison of experiences we will come to know one another and to carry to the nations which we represent a better and truer knowledge of our neighbors than we have had in the past. I believe that from that wider knowledge a mutual esteem and trust will spring which will unite these republics more closely politically, commercially and intellectually and will give to the pan-American spirit an impulse and power which it has never known before.

We Need Merchant Ships as Delivery Wagons of Commercial America

By WILLIAM HALE THOMPSON, Mayor of Chicago

THIS nation is a great department store and the nations of the world Its nation is a great department store and the nations of the world its customers. As business men, you know the success of any enterprise depends upon the ability to get goods to the customer when the customer wants them. It ought to be apparent to anybody that if we would maintain our standing as a commercial nation WE MUST FIND AN OUTLET FOR THE INCREASING SURPLUS OF MANUFACTURES. It ought to be equally discernible that if we are to hold our position in the markets of the world we must insure our ability to make deliveries at any and all times.

THE WAY TO DO THIS IS TO ENCOURAGE THE AMERICAN REG-ISTRY OF MERCHANT SHIPS, AND THEN, THROUGH PROPER LAWS, TO MAKE IT WORTH WHILE FOR THEM TO CATER TO AMERICAN SHIPPING. WE ARE NO WISER THAN THE OSTRICH WHEN WE DE-PEND UPON OUR COMPETITORS TO DELIVER OUR GOODS FOR US. WHAT WOULD BE THOUGHT OF A DEPARTMENT STORE IN NEW YORK CITY WHICH WOULD ABOLISH ITS DELIVERY SYSTEM AND DE-PEND UPON A COMPETITOR TO DELIVER ITS WARES? IT DOES NOT REQUIRE MUCH STUDY TO FORETELL WHAT WOULD BECOME OF THE BUSINESS. SHIPS ARE THE DELIVERY WAGONS OF COMMER-CIAL AMERICA. LET US SEE THAT WE HAVE PLENTY OF THEM, SO THAT WE SHALL BE ABLE AT ALL TIMES TO GET OUR GOODS TO

If the farmers and merchants of this country have available a fleet If the farmers and merchants of this country have available a fleet of American merchant vessels adequate to handle the water borne commerce of our country, it would not only give confidence and stability to our foreign trade, but WOULD ENHANCE THE VALUE OF EVERY SINGLE PRODUCT OF FARM AND FACTORY PRODUCED IN THIS COUNTRY AND SOLD IN THE MARKETS OF THE WORLD. Such a fleet of vessels could be obtained, I am sure, if this government would encourage American registration by providing a reduction in import duties where the goods are carried in American bottoms or, if necessary, by a direct subsidy.

If War Were Waged on Sea, American Commerce Would Be Paralyzed

By Dr. EMORY R. JOHNSON, Professor Transportation, University of Pennsylvania

ton, cotton seed, live stock and animal products.

Studies have also been made of city markets in order to secure in this way information which may open up outlets for farm products. In this connection the report calls attention to the experimental work in distributing time by market information concerning per ishable products. An effort has been made to keep producers informed of arrivals and conditions in the large markets and, on the other hand, to keep dealers informed of shipments belligerent that has thus limited the theater of marine warfare happens to be the flag under which more than two-fifth of the total deep sea tonnage of the world is operated, and in spite of the destruction of shipping that has occurred during the last year and of the withdrawal of merchant vessels for military and naval uses, the commerce of the world is able to employ a large tonnage of vessels under the flag of belligerent nations. If the European war were being waged upon the sea as widely as it is being fought upon land AMERICAN FOREIGN COMMERCE WOULD BE PRACTICALLY PARALYZED AT THE PRESENT

> NO ONE WILL SERIOUSLY QUESTION THE ECONOMIC NECESSITY OF HAVING A LARGE MERCHANT MARINE UNDER THE NATIONAL FLAG DURING SUCH A WAR AS IS NOW IN PROGRESS, BUT THERE ARE MANY WHO STILL DOUBT THAT THERE IS ANY SPECIAL NEED OTHER THAN A NAVAL ONE FOR HAVING A LARGE MERCHANT MA-RINE UNDER THE NATIONAL FLAG. IT IS ARGUED THAT THE MERCHANT VESSELS OF ALL NATIONS COMPETE WITH EACH OTHER FREIGHT RATES, BEING CONTROLLED BY THIS COMPETITION, IT MATTERS NOT TO THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES WHETHER THEIR COMMERCE BE HANDLED IN SHIPS OF AMERICAN OR FOR-EIGN REGISTRY. THE ARGUMENT, HOWEVER IS NOT CONVINCING.

More Farm Cattle in U. S.

The department of agriculture's annual estimate of farm cattle in the country on January 1, just issued, shows 21,988,000 Mik cows an increase of 3.4 per cent over 1915; 39,453,000 other cattle, an increase of 6.4 per cent; 49,162,000 sheep, decrease of 1.5 per cent, and 68,017,000 swine, an increase of 5.3 per cent.

Teutons' Captives 3,000,000. An Amsterdam despatch to the London Central News says that London Central News says that the total booty of the Teutonic allies during seventeen months of war is summed up in Vienna as follows: Nearly 3,000,000 prisoners, 10,000 guns, 40,000 machine guns, while 183, 000 square miles of enemy territory has been occupied.

The Rhodum Sidus.

An amusing story told by Hood describes how a country nurseryman made a large sum out of sales of a der the name of the Rhodum sidus This charming name proved quite an attraction to the ladies, and the flower became the rage of the season. It was one of those freaks of fashion for which there is no accounting. At length a botanist who found that the plant was not an uncommon weed re-quested to know where the nursery-man got the name from. He elicited the following reply: "I found this flower in the road beside us, so christer it the Rhodum sidus."

A compass, once the property of John Brown, which played a part in early history, is in the museum of the Kan-sas State Historical society in Topeka, John Brown used the instrument when he was living in Osawatomic, in the years between 1855 and 1858. During the Missourt Kayasa booker \$100—Dr. B. Detchon's Anti-Diuretic may be worth more to you more to you than \$100 if you have a child who soils the bedding from incontinence of water during sleep. Cures old and young alike. It arrests the trouble at once, \$1.00. Sold by Graham Drug Company.

Church Dynamited; Dogs on Trail, John Brown used the instrument when he was living in Osawatomic. In the years between 1855 and 1858. During the Missouri-Kansas border warfare in those days, the story goes, the abolt those days, the story goes are stored by the congression of the Church below the many long the congression of the church below the story goes are stored by the story goes are stored by the story goes are stored by the stored by the stored by the story goes are stored by the stored by the stored by the stored by

Wisconsin has from time to time er Ohio was admitted to the union, Wisconsin from 1805 to 1806 formed a part of Indiana territory. From 1802 to 1818 Wisconsin was embraced in the territory of Illinois. When Illinois became a state all the country north of it, including Wisconsin, was joined to Michigan. After more than forty years of shifting, Wisconsin was admitted into the Union with her present boundaries in 1848—St. Louis Post-Dispater. er .Ohio was admitted to the union,

"Nobody Home," In Two Acts. Act 1.—Opportunity knocks. "Who's that?" asked the wife of her husband. "Nobody. Maybe a beggar. Let him knock. Nobody home," replied the lag-gard husband.

Twenty years have elapsed.

Act 2.—"What's that noise?" asked

the old man of his old wife. The noise is repeated. "There it again. Go to the window and s

what it is," said the old husband. Wife goes to window and peers through the tattered curtains. Comes back. "It is the wolf," she says. "It won't go, as did the other visitor we turned away."—Richmond Times-Dis-

Arabian Laughing Deve.

An extremely strange bird is the singing pigeon, or Arabian laughing dove. In color these pigeons are usually red, motified or checkered, though they are sometimes found of a bluish color. Their voice baffles all description between temperature and broken with tion, being tremulous and broken, with gurgling notes, like the noise of water poured from a bottle. The utterance is varied, and, though there is a resemis varied, and, though there is a resem-blance at times to the drumming of a true trumpeter, it is not so sonorous. It is frequently interrupted by one or more of the inspiratory "ahs," which no doubt gives them the name of laughers. Their cooing is soft and me-lodious, and both sexes take part in

Money In Poultry. In making up an egg ration do not forget a liberal allowance of sunshine. But remember also that it takes more than aunshine to produce eggs. It needs pure solid grains, and lots of them. The positryman who can make his hens lay eggs in the winter, when they bring the highest prices, is the one that shows his ability.

Young Men For Civic Work.
For the purpose of utilizing the energy and enthusiasm of the young men of New Orleans, La., in behalf of the development of the community a young men's branch of the New Orleans, Acceptation of Community. Orleans Association of Commerce has been organized. The efforts of this branch of the association will be directed to the training of men at an earlier period than has formerly been the practice in the work of co-operating for the civic and commercial. advancement of the community. Op-erating for the civic and commercial advancement of the community. Op-erating under a plan which has been worked out with great care, it is an-ticipated that by this means many trained leaders and workers will be produced within the association.

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An order has been issued by the adjutant general to disband the Hertford division of Naval Reserves. The officers of the division failed to measure up to the

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strength of middle life we too often forget that neglected colds, or careless treatment of slight aches and pains, simply undermine strength and bring chronic weakness for later, years, w

To be stronger when older, keep your blood pure and rich and active with the strength-building and blood-nourishing properties of Scott's Ramalson which is a lood, a tonic and a medicine to keep your blood rich, alleviate, rheumatiam and swold sickness. No alcohol in Scott's, Scott & Bowne, Bloomfetd, S. J.

First Colonial Assembly.

The first legislative assembly that ever met in America was at Jamestown, Va. Governor Yeardley, feeling that the colonists should "have a hand in the governing of themselves," to use his own language, called the assembly togetier at Jamestown July 30, 1619. It consisted of the governor, council and "burgesses," as they were called, chosen from the various plantations. The laws passed by this body had to be ratified in England: but, in turn, the orders from Loudon were not by fing unless ratified by the colonial assembly. In 1621 these privileges were embodied in a written constitution, the first of the kind in America. New York American.

Gypsies And Death.

The custom of placing the property of the dead in their graves has always been followed by the true Romany gypsies. It is due to some old tradition of Ill luck attending the prosperty is buried in this belief. There is also a sentiment among gypsies against the possession of anything that has belonged to a dead person, because it serves to remind the living of the death. The custom of burght been followed by the true Romany of an article whose former owner is gone, and much valuable property is buried in this belief. There is also a sentiment among gypsies against the possession of anything that has belonged to a dead person, because it serves to remind the living of the dead in their graves has always been followed by the true Romany gypsies. It is due to some old tradition of Ill luck attending the prosperty is buried in this belief. There is also a sentiment among gypsies against the possession of anything that has belonged to a dead person, because it serves to remind the living of the dead in their graves has always been followed by the dead in their graves has always been followed by the true Romany gypsies. It is due to some old tradition of Ill luck attending the prosperty is been followed by the close prolification of Ill luck attending the property is been followed by the selection of Ill luck attending the property is g

Sufficient Proof.

A citizen was standing on a street corner looking a bit depressed when a friend sauntered along.

"What seems to be the trouble, old man?" solicitously quefied the latter.

"I have just had something of a joit," answered the sad one. "I was bequeathed a silver service as the solid thing a few weeks ago, and now it know that it is only plated ware."

"Sorry to hear that, old fellow," returned the friend. "But you may be mistaken."

"Oh, no, I'm not!" was the mournful.

"Oh, no, I'm not!" was the mournful rejoinder of the sad one. "The service was on the sideboard the other night when burglars broke in, but they never touched it."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Animal Peculiarities cultarities, and to obtain the best re sults in working with them we mustake this fact into consideration. No enly is it true that each class of animals has its peculiarities, but individnals in the same class have their dis-tinctive traits. To illustrate this take for example two horses. One is to example two norses. One is a heavy work horse, and when you speak to him it is quite awhile before he obeys. Yet he may be as willing and obedient as the other horse, which is of driving stock and quick in its thoughts and actions. In fact, it is wrong to both to drive such horses together.—Farm and Fireside.

What Held Her.

Dinah Snow was a colored cook in
the home of Smith. One morning or
going to the kitchen Mrs. Smith noticed
that Dinah looked as if she had beer
tangled up with a road roller.

"Why. Dinah," exclaimed she, "what
in the would has hanned to vor?"

"Why, Dinah," exclaimed she, "what in the world has shappened to you?"
"Was me husban," explained Dinah "He done went an beat me ag'in, an jes' fo' nothin' too."
"Again!" cried Mrs. Smith, with increasing wonder. "Is he in the habit of beating you? Why don't you have him arrested?"
"Been thinkin' of it seberal times.

him arrested?"

"Been thinkin' of it seberal times missy," was the startling rejoinder of Dinah, "but I hain't nebah had no money to pay his fine."—Exchange.

Bethlehem Dividend \$30.

The Bethlehem Steel corporation de clared a dividend of \$30 a share on its common stock, out of earnings of

its common stock, out of earnings of the year 1915, payable in quarterly instalments.

The corporation also announced an increase in wages of ten per cent for its unskilled labor, which went into effect, it was said, on January 16.

The dividend represents a distribu-tion of approximately \$4,500,000.

Wall street estimates as to the tmpany's earnings have ranged from 15 to 150 per cent.

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You never can tell. Many a mai is afflicted with a big head who isn't broad minded. The woman who keeps her moin her stocking surely ought wear hole-proof hosiery.

The only way you could get some men to the front would be by kicking them in the rear.

Southern California report snow-storms, which the natives quite properly refuse to recognize.

At least the year just past may claim to have been strictly neutral. It did not start anything and did not finish anything.

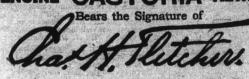
The self-made man is proud of his success, but the self-made wo-man is stuck on her shape.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

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The Chinese junk is to most wester eyes a curious not to say outlands type of vessel. Yet a nautical autho type of vessel. Yet a manifest state ity in picturing and describing a famous craft of this kind which visited Europe and America as long ago as 1848 says that she proved herself at excellent sea boat, with powers of weathering a storm equal if not superior to vessels of western build. This junk, the Keying, is also declared to have made a run "equal to the time of the best packet ships of the period.' Information of this kind about foreign methods is often truly educative Americans inclined to be boastful

Bad Cold Quickly Broken Up.

Had Cold Quickly Broken Up.

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You can't tell anything about a woman. Even the lady lion tamer would probably yell for help if she should see a mouse. The people most willing to lend a hand are those who have noth-

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