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Garden of Eden.

The idea and imagery of a Garden of Eden, as the aridie of a race, came from the Sumerians, who had far more imagination than the Semites...

In the Face of Science.

Here is a "how to" recipe for seeking peace of mind. Other people, in real life or on the stage, better in real life, of course, because there one has to talk back...

ADVANTAGES OF GOOD ROADS

Energy of Farmer's Teams Conserved by Pulling Heavy Loads Over Comparatively Smooth Surfaces.

There is no doubt that good roads tend to prosperity to the farmer who lives on them. Their teams are not worn out with the effort to pull a light load over a bad road...

Everybody Benefited.

Good roads help not only the farmer by enabling him to market his produce when the market is highest...

IS IDENTIFIED BY A SIGN

Pennsylvania Woman Thus Establishes Her Right to Share in Estate.

Waynesboro, Pa.—When an effort was made recently to settle the estate of Mrs. Barbara Hess of this county, proceedings were begun in the Orphans' court to declare Mrs. Alice Kohler Hooper, formerly of Highfield, and a legatee, dead...

Regularly in Feeding.

It is equally as bad to overfeed as it is to underfeed poultry. There should be regular hours for feeding, and never a feast today and a famine tomorrow be allowed.

No Use to Try and Wear Out Your

Cold It Will Wear You Out Instead Thousands Weep for suffering Coughs and Colds through neglect and delay. Why make yourself an easy prey to serious ailments and epidemics as the result of a neglected Cold?

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HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT

GOOD ROADS WILL PAY WELL

In Nine Years Increase in Amount Paid for Improving Highways Has Been Over 250 Per Cent.

(By H. B. HOUSE, Colorado Experiment Station.)

The following is clipped from the Reclamation Record: Approximately \$206,000,000 was spent last year on public roads in the United States, according to statistics prepared by the United States department of agriculture.

Of the 2,226,842 miles of roads in the United States, 223,774 miles, or approximately 10 per cent are classed as improved.



Gravel Road.

States department of agriculture, it is now possible to prove not only that good roads are profitable investments, but to determine exactly what dividends they pay.

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FOR BETTER ROADS

ROAD BUILDING IN OKLAHOMA

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Takes Steps to Teach Boys Art of Construction.

"Not to be outdone by Missouri and Kansas, the state of Oklahoma is to take up educational work in road-building," said R. E. House of Muskogee, while in Washington recently.

"When the federal government had spent thousands of dollars to encourage scientific farming and when so few farmers adopted the methods advanced, the officials changed their plans and went after the boys in the schools.

"If the farmers were made to realize the advantages of better farming methods through their boys in the schools, it seems to me there is little doubt they can be brought to appreciate the great advantages that will result from improved roads.



An Improved Southern Road.

advantageous. Education in the benefits of good roads perhaps would be more profitably undertaken in the public schools of the big cities. It is the state legislatures and the federal government that have failed to appreciate the profits that will accrue from good roads.

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Dodson's Live Tone is just as sure in results and always safe pleasant in taste and has no bad after-effects. As a remedy for a torpid liver calomel has more than met its match in Dodson's Live Tone.

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SOME SWEET-POTATO DON'TS

Among Other Things Do Not Place All Your Eggs in One Basket—Several Small Hills Are Best.

Ten good rules for the care of the sweet potato crop, clipped from an exchange, are as follows:

- 1. Don't dig 'em green; wait till the milk will not turn black when potato is cut.
2. Don't dig 'em when the ground is wet; this is frequent cause of rot, we believe.
3. Don't let sour sap reach 'em; cut off vines the morning of first frost.
4. Let them dry before hilling—in as far as possible.
5. Let them dry more after hilling; cover lightly and have vent for moisture to escape.
6. Don't bruise them; carry to hills in cloth lined boxes.
7. Don't pour them; remove each time with the hands.
8. Don't bed cut potatoes; feed them to the porkers.
9. Don't let the rats destroy them; break up their runs and beds.
10. Don't put all your eggs in one basket; several small hills are best.

DAIRY NOTES

Filth breeds disease. Keep the udder hair cut short. Never buy a calf from a grade sire.

Use vaseline on the short-tailed strippers. Isn't it time to burn the wash rag? Use a brush.

The dairy cow is the surest milk-maker on the farm. Feeding cows are not content if they can't do their best.

The only way is to test and weigh; then you know if ship's a good cow. It is not necessary to let the calf suck the cow more than a few days.

DAIRY NOTES

Kindness counts. Make beef of every grade bull. More cows will be fed on allage this winter than ever before.

This is the time to pick up good heifer calves to re-enforce the dairy. The most economical method of growing calves depends largely upon conditions on individual farms.

Unclean flanks and udders are the most common sources of contamination in milk. No matter how good the cow, the chances are ten to one that the calf from the grade sire will nowhere equal the cow.

Pigs After Weaning. For pigs after weaning that have the run of alfalfa nothing will help them and satisfy them so well as a good fill-up made of shorts and about one-tenth of cottonseed meal.

Records Help Farmers. If farmers kept books there would be a great many better ones than there are today.

SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months. I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles.

Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me.

At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and I had nothing to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing.

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CONSTRUCTING A PLANK DRAG

Road Implement Often Made of Lumber Instead of Logs—Two Horses Sufficient to Haul Device.

Drags are often constructed of planks instead of logs. The plank should be strengthened along the middle line by a 2x6 inch strip.

Usually two horses are enough to pull a drag over an ordinary earth road. The team should be driven with one horse on either side of the right-hand wheel track the full length of the portion to be dragged and the return made over the other half of the roadway.

Don't whip the horse if he is afraid. Talk gently to him. Don't forget his salt. Don't put a rough, dirty bit in his mouth, nor a frosty one.

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MAKING PROFIT IN POULTRY

Fowl Gives Good Account of Herself When Brought to Block—Barred Rock Hens of Two Barred Rock Hens.

In the poultry raising department of the Farm and Fireside, B. F. W. Thorpe, associate editor of that publication, writes a little article in which he tells us follows what two hens earn in the course of a lifetime and what they were worth when killed:

"The dual-purpose hen gives a good account of herself when she comes to the block. Two Barred Rock hens recently used for Sunday dinners realized me \$1.32 and \$1.20 respectively, when sold direct to the consumer for 24 cents a pound.

"One of these hens was two and one-third years old, and the other five and one-third years old when killed." The younger hen laid \$4.50 worth eggs (18 dozen reckoned at 25 cents a dozen from November, 1912, to November, 1913. The older hen, during her last two years laying, produced \$8.31 worth of eggs (23 1/2 dozen at 25 cents per dozen).

"The younger hen, after thorough careful roasting, was said to be tender and toothsome with flavor to match. In addition to the returns obtained above mentioned from these two hens was fully a pint of oil, in value equal to a pound of lard for shortening purposes."

PROPOSE MONUMENT TO CAT

Residents of Old English Town Would Remember Felina That Saved Soldier's Life.

London.—The residents of the quaint old Pembrokeshire town of Newport (in England) are discussing a proposal to erect in the grounds of its feudal castle a monument to the French cat which saved the life of Lieutenant Lloyd of the Grenadier Guards.

After becoming detached from his regiment near the French frontier the officer found refuge in an out-house, where he remained in an exhausted condition for three days. When he was found a cat was curled round his neck, and his rescuers say that but for this cat he would have perished from the cold.

Wearing a Colt.

To keep the foal growing well after it is taken from the mare, means that it must be taught to eat long before it is weaned from its mother. It is a very simple matter to teach a colt to eat from the mother's feed box. If it is low enough for the small colt to reach. When it has learned to eat a little grain, nibble at the hay in the manger and pick green grass from the pasture, the mare's milk may be taken from it with very little trouble.

Fresh Blood.

Fresh blood in your flocks is necessary if you expect to raise strong chicks next year. Inbreeding will soon ruin a flock.

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and the man you buy it from

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In a Russian Church. The interior of a Russian church is so uniquely oriental, for it consists merely of a gorgeous hall and a sanctuary, without any seats, as that is the custom in other temples. There is neither an organ nor a pulpit in the Russian church and the temple ceremony is one mostly of music chanting and spectacular observations which remind one of ancient Egyptian dancing in their temples. For music there is a choir of boys and men in all the Russian services.

Force the Dominant Factor. In a speech delivered in 1898, Lord Dufferin said: "One conviction has been borne in upon me during my long contact with the outside world—that in spite of Christianity, civilization, of humanitarian philosophies, of the lessons of history and the bitter experience of the more recent past, force and not right is the dominant factor in human affairs." It would be madness on our part to be so misled and deluded by that kind of amiable optimism which always prevails among people who have had no personal experience of the real, hard, cruel conditions of national existence, as not to maintain in full vigor, by sea and land, the preparations necessary for our own preservation.