

HOW TO TELL IF A DOG HAS RABIES

How long after a dog is bitten is it before he goes mad? What are the first signs? Is there a way of testing the blood to see if one is affected with rabies?

There are no dependable blood tests to determine whether or not a dog is infected with the virus of rabies. The length of time which intervenes from the time a dog has been bitten until the first symptoms of rabies appear varies considerably.

A positive diagnosis of rabies is made by an examination of the brain of the affected animal and, of course, this would be of little or no value until the symptoms have actually developed. The early symptoms of the disease vary to some extent, depending upon weather the dog is developing the dumb or the furious form.

A cooperative shipment of 6,000 pounds of crimson clover seed has just been distributed in Caswell County by the farm agent.

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WATAUGA COUNTY HAS BEGUN KRAUT MAKING

A Co-operative Affair. J. M. Downum in Cherryville Eagle. Out on the west end of Boone there is something new under the sun going on.

Last week the factory made a trial start and ran at intervals during the week making one 25-ton tub of kraut, and all this week a string of wagons and trucks was hauling in cabbage, and this wonderful new plant is shaving it into kraut that looks like a bank of snow.

The cabbage is first trimmed, removing every speck or green or damaged cabbage; then the core is sliced by a little machine made for the purpose; then the cabbage is carried on a conveyor belt to the cutter.

Later the power of this plant will be furnished by a steam engine, but at this time a Fordson tractor is running the thing, and judging from the steady purr that is sent up from the basement it must be tickled over its new job.

An up-to-date steam pressure canning plant is being installed that will put up 15,000 cans per day. This kraut is to be held in tin cans, 80-pound tubs and in barrels, as the market demands.

Will Winkler is acting as salesman and has covered most of the territory with in trucking distance from Boone. Practically every store he has visited has given him a trial order and many have already given repeat orders, even before the first delivery has been made.

There is another side to this business of which grocers are not losing sight. The manufacture of kraut makes it possible for the cabbage growers to grade their cabbage, and put on the market as cabbage, only those heads that are of medium size, hard and without waste.

The farmers of Watauga are very much pleased with this new co-operative industry and many of them are pinning their faith to it, while others are waiting for it to succeed before they lend their efforts to help make it a success.

THOROUGH WORK

How an Asheboro Citizen Found Freedom From Kidney Troubles.

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Mrs. D. C. Bulla, Cox St., Asheboro, says: "About a year ago I began to suffer with kidney complaint. The action of my kidneys was varied and irregular. There was also a steady, dull ache across the small of my back that grew worse when I was on my feet a great deal and I would often have to stop and rest."

ELECTION DAY IS COMING

Election day is coming, friends; A day on which much will depend To make this spot a favored place Where men will rush to find a space To work and earn and educate In Wayneville, in the Old North State.

Let's not forget our bright-eyed boys, Their future welfare and their joys, And we must not, too forget our girls With their ruddy cheeks and pretty curls;

Vote then for schools and better schools; Vote against the knaves and fools; Vote for freedom for your child; Vote against the rude and wild; Vote for home and native land; Vote against the outlaw band; Vote to turn out better men; Vote against the ill and poor.

HOW TO KNOW YOU ARE EDUCATED

When is one educated in the best sense of the word? A professor in the University of Chicago is said to have told his pupils that he should consider them truly educated when they could answer affirmatively these 14 questions.

- 1. Has your education given sympathy with all good causes and made you espouse them? 2. Has it made you public-spirited? 3. Has it made you a brother to the weak? 4. Have you learned how to make friends and keep them? 5. Do you know what it is to be a friend to yourself? 6. Can you look an honest man or a pure woman straight in the eye? 7. Do you see anything to love in a little child? 8. Will a lonely dog follow you in the street? 9. Can you be high-minded and happy in the meaner drudgeries of life? 10. Do you think washing dishes and hoeing corn just as compatible with high thinking as piano playing or golf? 11. Are you good for anything to yourself? Can you be happy alone? 12. Can you look out on the world and see anything except dollars and cents? 13. Can you look into the mud puddle by the wayside and see anything in the mud puddle but mud? 14. Can you look into the sky at night and see beyond the stars? Can your soul claim relationship with the Creator?—The Progressive Farmer.

Oh No'th Ca'lina.

As Soon as you get to No'th Ca'lina The roads and the towns get newah, finah, The people walk with a brisker step, And even your motor has more pep. The hookworm's banished, the country has A lot more energy, pep and jazz; The liveliest northerner couldn't design A livelier state than No'th Ca'lina. The farms look fatter, the hamlets ain't Quite ignorant of the sign of paint, They're building roads, and are not content With sand and clay, but they use cement, And the schools looks good; the mills are busy, And each inhabitant owns a Lizzie, Or a big twin-six, or something finah, As soon as you get to No'th Ca'lina!

This state's not dreaming of the days gone by, There's an modern glint in each mortal's eye, And the village bells and village beaux Are smartly dressed as the crowd which flows On Gotham's streets. You must give 'em credit, Those folks are fully awoken, you said it!

HOW TO KILL COCK ROACHES

Scatter Sodium Fluoride on the shelves or floors of a pantry or in drawers where cock roaches are. This chemical is not expensive and is a deadly poison to the roach but only mildly poisonous to man and, therefore, can be used with safety in the pantry. Care should be taken not to scatter the Sodium Fluoride over food or where children can get it. It can be swept up in a week after scattering but in order to kill other roaches which might have been hatched from eggs should be applied again within two weeks.

PLANT A PASTURE THIS FALL

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 16.—Hundreds of demonstrations made by county agents through the central portion of North Carolina prove the value of grasses and clovers for profitable farming. It is only under very exceptional circumstances that livestock can be successfully grown without grazing and now is the time to get these pastures ready, suggests C. R. Hudson, State Agent for the Extension Division of the State College and Department. Mr. Hudson says that after October 15 will be most too late to plant.

THE HOUSE BESIDE OF THE ROAD

"There are hermit souls that live withdrawn, In the place of their self-content; There are souls like stars that dwell apart, In fallowless firmament; There are pioneer souls that blaze their paths Where the highways never ran; But let me live by the side of the road, And Be A Friend To Man.

"I see from my house by the side of the road, By the side of the highway of life, The men who press on through the ardor of hope, And the men who are faint with the strife; But I turn not away from their smiles or their tears, Both parts of an infinite plan, And live in my house by the side of the road, And Am A Friend To Man.

"I know there are brook-gladdened meadows ahead, And mountains of wearisome height; That the road reaches on through the long afternoon, And stretches far into the night; But still I rejoice when the travellers rejoice, And weep with the strangers that mourn; Nor live in my house by the side of the road, As One Who Lives All Alone.

"Then let me live by the side of the road, Where the race of men go by; They are good, they are bad; they are weak, they are strong, Wise, foolish; so am I; Then why should I sit in the scorners' seat, Or hurt the cynic's ban? Let me live in my house by the side of the road, And be A Friend to Man." —Selected.

Damaged, but Repairable.

Joe Haas tells about a tin roof of a Kansas store that was torn off and rolled into a compact bundle by a cyclone. Having a sense of humor, the owner wrapped a few strands of baling wire around the ruin and shipped it to Henry Ford. In due time came a communication saying: "It will cost you \$45.50 to have your car repaired. For heaven's sake tell us what hit you!"—The Crescent.

There is to be a community fair at Ellerbe Friday, October 24. The editor is in receipt of a thirty-two page pamphlet giving a description of Ellerbe and its school advantages written by County farm demonstrator in cooperation with the local management of the Fair.

HOW AND WHEN AND WHY WE DIE

Statisticians of national reputation, digging into United States Census Reports, coroners' reports, and the experience tables of big insurance companies, in their efforts to learn how and when and why we die, have unearthed these startling facts:

20,000 men in perfect health today will be taken to a hospital-tomorrow. Four out of every 100 employees are absent from duty every day in the year on account of sickness or accident.

Excepting only consumption and pneumonia, a person is more liable to accidental death than from any other cause.

15,000 wage-earners yearly leave work, permanently disabled.

Between suns, every day in the year, automobiles kill 39 persons. 27 are murdered, and 41 commit suicide. Automobiles killed 14,000 people in the United States in 1922, which was one fatality every 38 minutes.

Between the ages of 20 and 60, one death out of every eight is accidental, and for every accidental death there are from 120 to 140 disabling accidents.

Five times as many people are killed and injured every year as die from natural causes.

There are 113 accidents to one fire. 57 automobile accidents every hour; 1,370 every day; 500,000 every year. More than 5,000 people are killed every year by fires and over 50,000 injured; 6,000 drown; 7,000 die in railroad accidents.

One person is accidentally killed every six minutes; 10 every hour; 240 every day; 87,000 every year. This means that at the present rate, 876,000 persons are sentenced to die by accident within the next ten years!

Twenty-three persons are accidentally injured every minute; 1,380 every hour; 33,120 every day; 12,088,800 every year.

Careful and painstaking research has demonstrated, beyond question, that 85 per cent of our fatal and disabling accidents might have been prevented by the exercise of ordinary care and foresight. The past can not be helped, but the future lies ahead, and it is the duty of every citizen to do what he can to make North Carolina safe for life and property.

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The Giant of the South

Mr. Hudson says, "Various mixtures of grasses and clovers grow well but should be varied according to conditions. The following general formula has proven valuable for the central part of the State: Orchard grass Italian rye grass and red top, eight pounds each of seed with four pounds of red clover seed for planting an acre. On the damper and lower soils of the more eastern counties 8 lbs. of Alsike clover seed should be substituted for red clover. In most of the eastern counties, too, Japan and White clover make a valuable addition in the spring.

"Of course this seed bed should be well prepared and well fertilized. In most cases lime is necessary, especially where clover is planted. Only

poor results will be had with seed planted on poor, unfertilized soil. It is not advisable to plant that will make a bale of cotton, or to 40 bushels of corn per acre, or to grow grass successfully. The seed should be inoculated with natural or artificial inoculation. Seed should be sown on top of prepared soil and covered by a harrow or board drag, rather than by a toothed harrow.

"When cotton stalks are plowed up early enough to cut off the supply of boll weevils, such should be sown to pasture grass or some other winter cover. This will prevent washing and leaching of the soil."

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