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## Of Interest to Farmers.

Hampton's Magazine.  
Near Whiteland, in Johnson county, Indiana, lives a farmer. His farm consists of 130 acres, and he gets up at five o'clock every morning, and has holes in his overalls. His name is Leonard B. Clore. He is the Corn King of the World. A dozen years ago Mr. Clore began to specialize in corn. Today he sets the world's pace in this cereal. He has taken corn prizes all the way from the Johnson county fair, through Indianapolis and Omaha, to national competitions. With ten ears of White Dent at the Chicago corn show in 1907 he took the sweepstakes.

The Clore family very nearly keeps house with father's corn prizes. In the list is everything from a manure-spreader to a piano, including watch, clock, stove, mandolin, lawn swing, an automobile, a quarter section of land in Texas, and a \$1,000 cash prize. One of the incidentals is a silver loving cup valued at \$1,000.

Mr. Clore is just on the edge of the middle west corn belt. He has his own theories on raising corn. He decided a few years ago that instead of spending so much time in improving their land the corn growers should give more thought to improving their breed of corn. All his efforts have been in that direction. In a specially built barn he germinates the corn in boxes of earth kept at the right temperature in early spring by gasoline stoves. Thus he knows before planting what percentage of the grains will germinate. Two ears of corn may look alike, but the vitality of one may be much higher than that of the other. Mr. Clore is also a judge of what it takes to make a perfect ear; selecting the best ears each fall and planting the hardiest grains in the spring, he has in a great way eliminated chance in corn growing. So great a judge of corn is he that this December he is to superintend the judging and awarding of \$60,000 in premiums at different corn shows. He usually averages 100 bushels of corn per acre. The average this year is 90 bushels. This is about twenty bushels more than before he began his experiments, but in addition the quality of his corn has greatly improved. What he has done for Indiana, where his methods are followed, may be seen by the fact that the average yield for the past ten years is thirty-five bushels, while over the corn belt of the United States for the same period it is only twenty-five. It is through scientific breeding that this has been brought about—the selecting of only tested ears.

Through his example and by his talks at fairs and corn institutes the standard of corn in his state is much higher, and Mr. Clore in his quiet way is teaching a national lesson in the science of corn growing. Experiment stations all over the United States are sending to him for his high bred seed corn, and are using his methods of breeding and planting. Leonard Clore was born in the county in which he now lives forty-two years ago, on a farm not three miles from where he now resides. The czar has offered him a position in the Russian department of agriculture, but he has always been a Hosiery, and always expects to be.

No man has ever been able to convince his mother in law that he knows it all.  
But the modest philanthropist lets the recording angel act as his press agent.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They do the work whenever you require their aid. These tablets change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, gloom into joyousness. Their action is so gentle one don't realize they have taken a purgative. Sold by C. C. Sanford Son Co.

## Poor Old Cook Gone Wrong.

Poor old Cook—he for whom we yelled and shed big tears, has departed hence—gone where the whangdoodle mourneth for her departed offspring, and we are left to hold the sack. It now turns out that poor old Fredrick did not get to the north pole, or even near it, although it is conceded by some of his enemies that he got as far north as Portland, Maine. We wouldn't have thought that Dr. Fredrick was guilty of such deception, but the following dispatch from Copenhagen made The Record man open his eyes:

"The report of the special committee of scientists which the University of Copenhagen appointed to scrutinize Dr. Frederick Cook's claims that he had discovered the North Pole was submitted to the consistory of the university, endorsed by that body and given to the public. The report shatters completely, almost contemptuously, the great American explorer's title to such a discovery, and fills the officials and people of Denmark with chagrin at the figure Denmark is made to assume in the eyes of the scientific world. The public was prepared for a verdict of 'not proven,' but did not expect its recent hero to be branded as an impostor. Many still cling to the belief that Cook acted in good faith, but harbored a delusion. Explorers and scientists almost unanimously have lost faith in Cook's honesty, while one of his warmest supporters, Knud Rasmussen, the explorer, helped to frame the report. The evening papers attack Cook and severely reprove him for hiding, which they regard as a sign of a guilty conscience. The rector of the university, Dr. Salomonsen, when questioned as to the possibility of the university canceling the degree which it conferred on Dr. Cook, said that no decision had been reached, but he thought that the degree could be withdrawn in the same way as a government could deprive a person of an order obtained under false pretenses."

We are just mean enough to say that we don't believe Peary got any nearer to that pole than Cook. 'Tis a pity that others did not get busy and make a good thing out of that graft. It is said that Cook 'skiddooed' with at least a hundred thousand plunks.

## The Sabbath Day Abused.

There seems to be growing a stronger sentiment against breaking the Sabbath, and while we don't aim to preach, we call attention to the fact that observance of Sunday is a matter of vast importance to any people, because trouble always follows that town, county, state or nation that does not give heed to the Lord's day. There isn't much Sunday in the United States, and we have heard it said that west of the Mississippi there isn't any at all. It is also claimed that there is more respect for the day in the South than in any other section of the union. However these things may be, Sunday is Sunday and it ought to be observed. Not by blue laws that rile folks and do little good and perhaps much harm, but by proper action on the part of the people. A land without Sunday does not appeal to us as a desirable place to live in. If people do not care for the seventh day and turn it into a day of frolic, they do not care for anything else that is worth while. The movement of which we see evidences here and there having for its object a more profound respect for the Sabbath has our most cordial support—Exchange.

Many a young man has become engaged without knowing exactly how it happened. And yet they tell us that women do not understand diplomacy.—Farm Journal.

## The Doctors And Their Dues.

The Baltimore Sun says: Few communities ever realize how much they owe the doctors—and few people who do realize how much they owe, ever pay up. If every doctor could collect his full fee for all the work he does each could have his own automobile and town and country houses. But the doctor goes along his way and uncomplainingly bears the sorrows, burdens and distress of a large part of the population. He knows that he is a very present help "in time of trouble; he knows that he is performing a very real and practical service to humanity, and that is one of the greatest rewards of a profession that receives more honor and appreciation than it does material compensation.

[Most of the doctors in this part of the woods own their own palatial homes and travel almost exclusively in their own automobiles. They perform a great service to humanity, but the majority of 'em get mighty good pay for it. ED.]

## A Unique Check.

The Biblical Recorder says: A unique idea reaches us in the following check printed in due form and attractive colors: "Charles Alexander Gard Thomas, pastor Lenoir Baptist church, Lenoir, N. C., November 21, 1909, will pay to the order of every attendant at the Lenoir Baptist church the best sermons and services he is able to render at all times without protest. 'Silver and gold have I none, but such as I have give I thee: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk'—to every service. To the people of Caldwell county, N. C., Chas. A. G. Thomas, pastor.

## "Please Stop My--"

"Times are hard, money scarce, business is dull, retrenchment is duty—please stop my—whiskey! Oh, no, times are not hard enough for that. But there is something else that costs me a large amount every year which I wish to have. Please stop my—ribbons, jewelry, ornaments and trinkets! No, no, not those, but I must retrench somewhere. Please stop my—tobacco, snuff, cigars! No, not these at all, but I believe I can see a way to effect quite a saving in another direction. Please stop my—tea, coffee and unhealthy luxuries! No, not these. I must think of something else. Ah! I have it, now. My paper costs a dollar a year. Please stop my paper. This will carry me through the winter easily. I believe in retrenchment and economy, especially in brains."—Exchange.

Have you a weak throat? If so, you cannot be too careful. You cannot begin treatment too early. Each cold makes you more liable to another and the last is always the harder to cure. If you will take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at the outset you will be saved much trouble. Sold by C. C. Sanford Sons Co.

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Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is not a common, every-day cough mixture. It is a meritorious remedy for all the troublesome and dangerous complications resulting from cold in the head, throat, chest or lungs. Sold by C. C. Sanford Sons Co.

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## Notice.

Having qualified as Executor of Casper Sain, Sr. dec'd, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them duly verified to the undersigned for payment on or before the 3rd day of January, 1911, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment. This Jan. 3rd, 1909. E. L. GAITHER, Exr. Casper Sain, Sr., Dec'd.

In the Superior Court, Spring Term, 1910.

AMANDA CALL vs. WESLEY CALL.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Davie County for the purpose of getting a divorce by the plaintiff from said defendant upon the grounds of abandonment and adultery; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of said County to be held on the fourth Monday after the first Monday in March, 1910, at the Court House in said County in Mocksville, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This the 29th day of November, 1909. A. T. GRANT, Clerk Superior Court.

## Notice.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Davie County, the undersigned as Commissioner, will sell at public auction at the Court House in Mocksville, N. C., on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1910, the following real estate, viz: 1st tract on Dutchman creek, bounded on the north by the lands of Mrs. Casper Sain, Jr., on the east by the lands of J. M. Summers and others, on the south by the lands of Casper Sain, Jr., containing 230 acres more or less, and known as the "Lanier place," 2nd tract, bounded on the north by the lands of J. M. Summers and others, on the east by the lands of John A. Davis and others, on the south by the lands of J. A. Davis and J. M. Summers, and on the west by the lands of J. M. Summers, containing 150 acres more or less, and known as the "Home place" of W. J. Atkinson. Also 3rd tract, adjoining the 1st tract above and the lands of J. M. Summers, Mrs. Malinda Saunders and others, containing 8 acres, more or less and known as the "Meadow place," on Cedar creek. Said lands will be sold for partition and subject to the dower of Margaret F. Atkinson, widow of W. J. Atkinson, dec'd, which has been allotted therein. Terms: One-third cash, one-third in six months, and one-third in twelve months, or all cash at the option of the purchaser, notes for deferred payments bearing interest from day of sale and title reserved until the whole purchase money is paid. This Jan. 3, 1910. E. L. GAITHER, Commissioner.



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