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USE NO RAW MILK

Possible Saving Lives of 125,000 Babies A Year.

Berlin, Sept. 14.—Nathan Straus of New York told the third International Congress for the Protection of Infants that in the United States plans are being worked out to save the lives of 125,000 babies a year.

Mr. Straus, as the official delegate of his country, reported that in the United States in 1909 280,000 babies under one year died, 113,000 of them of intestinal disorders.

Praising the work of the public health service, he quoted from Surgeon-General Dr. Walter Wyman, "Pasteurization prevents much sickness and saves many lives."

Mr. Straus said that in three years the number of cities having infant milk depots had increased from twenty-one to forty.

After citing the result of ten years' study of tuberculosis by the British Royal Commission Mr. Straus quoted Dr. Schroeder, one of the experts of the American Department of Agriculture, to show that a great part of the tuberculosis among infants and youthful persons was due to drinking milk from cows that had tuberculosis.

In closing Mr. Straus quoted from Dr. Jacobus of New York:

"The most important thing in the care of infants is just this: Use no raw milk."

Phone us your order and residence number and we will send it to any part of the city. J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co.

Will Visit Northern Schools.

A party consisting of Prof. H. B. Craven, Misses Mollie Heath, Mamie Hay, Eleanor Marshall, Nina Basnight, Fannie Hoyt and Ruth Berry and Mrs. Howard, Mr. Cook, Miss Annie Chadwick and Miss Edna Spright will leave this morning enroute to Boston, Mass., New York and other northern cities, where they will spend ten days observing the work in the public schools in those cities and making notes for use in the public schools of this city.

McCall-Godley.

Mr. H. B. McCall, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Bettie Godley, of this city, were quietly married at the residence of the bride's parents on Hancock street Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. McCall came here several weeks ago as a representative of the International Correspondence School and since that time has made many friends who wish him and his bride a happy journey through the matrimonial seas.

A Treat For The Children.

Mr. Haag, owner of the MIGHTY HAAG RAILROAD SHOWS, which exhibit at New Bern on September 27, has decided this year all children attending the afternoon performance of THE MIGHTY HAAG RAILROAD SHOWS will be treated "FREE" to a ride on the ponies after the performance careful attendants attending the ponies.

A Busy Man Has Just Arrived.

Good news brings to New Bern, a large stock of all kinds of sawed Shingles on hand. He can and will please you. See Big Hill for lowest prices.—The Old Reliable.

Spark and the Ode.

Every boy who has struck flints together to make sparks knows the typical odor that arises from the clash. He also knows that the whiter the flints the more smell they emit. This phenomenon has been observed for centuries, but scientific men have been at a loss to account for it. Many explanations have been given, but experiment has proved all of these to be erroneous. Recently, however, two Italian scientists, the brothers Piccardi, demonstrated that the smell of sparks emitting flints is due solely to the minute quantities of organic matter that are upon the stone and that are burned by the sparks. This organic matter, which is in only the most minute quantity, such as may be left by water in which lichen, weeds or water plants have decomposed, for the olfactory nerves are so exquisitely sensitive that they can detect the burning of almost infinitesimal bits of matter. The delicacy of these nerves is proved by the fact that even when the flints have been washed in lye the smell of burning can still be detected. And if the sparks struck together at points that the flints have not touched there is absolutely no odor at all.—New York World.

Plans for a new railway line from Canada to the Gulf are announced.

KILLS HIMSELF WITH SHOT GUN

Half Witted White Man Fires a Load of No. 8 Shot Through His Throat at James City Yesterday Afternoon.

Claud Coker, a white man about 30 years of age, killed himself yesterday afternoon at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Levi Jones, at James City by shooting himself through the throat with a shot gun loaded with number 8 shot.

Several weeks ago Mr. Coker, who was half-witted, attempted to end his life by cutting his throat with a razor. His attempt, however, proved to be a failure, and since that time the family have kept a close watch on his movements. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Jones and his wife went out on the river for the purpose of catching a few fish for supper. Upon their return they found the dead body of Mr. Coker lying on the floor with the gun he had committed suicide with clasped in one hand. The coroner was notified, but he did not think it necessary to hold an inquest over the remains of the dead man.

Buck Stoves and Ranges for your kitchen for best results. J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co.

Death of an Infant.

Died in this city at the home on Guilford street, Thursday Sept. 14th, Walter R., the infant son of David R. and Rena Bell Batt, The remains were taken to Havelock for burial.

Physician Would Kill Incurables.

Philadelphia, Sept. 15.—Dr. Henry Golden, of 710 Pine street, declared yesterday that he favored putting to death persons who were in the last stage of incurable diseases. He was discussing the Kinsimnee (Fla.) case, where two members of the Shaker colony have been arrested for administering opiates and chloroform to a woman in the last stages of tuberculosis, causing her death. A majority of physicians of this city refused to discuss the case.

"I hold advanced ideas on this question," said Dr. Golden. "I may be criticised by members of my profession, but I believe that all persons afflicted with organic cancer and in the last stages of that dreaded disease should be put to death with the use of opium." "Not very long ago there was a case at St. Agnes' Hospital of a woman suffering with cancer." "There was a consultation of physicians, and I advanced the idea that the woman should be put to death. I believed that it was the best way to end her agony. It was not done, and she was taken to her home, where she soon died."

Library Tables.

School time is fast approaching. You will need a good strong Library Table for the children to study around at night. I have them in quartered oak, mahogany and waned oak. Prices ranging from \$5.00 up. J. S. MILLER.

Negro Man Badly Burned.

The bursting of a blow-off pipe at Blades' mill at James City yesterday afternoon, caused William Martin, a colored fireman, to be so badly scalded by escaping steam that it was necessary to carry him to Stewart's sanatorium where he is now under the care of a physician. When the pipe bursted the negro was standing directly in front of the large boiler and he got the full benefit of the scalding steam as it rushed out. His injuries are serious and may prove fatal.

Cholera Scourge Spreads.

Constantinople, Sept. 16.—The cholera scourge has spread from Constantinople to Mecca and Medina, and threatens to prevent the great annual pilgrimage of Mohammedans to the Holy Shrine at Mecca this year. There were 17 deaths from cholera and 55 new cases reported in this city for the past 24 hours.

The Sign on the Stone. Maggie is a willing but rather stupid domestic in a Chicago family. She suffered from toothache for some time, and the creosote that had been prescribed proving ineffectual, her mistress procured another remedy at the drug store. Thinking to impress the girl with the necessity of being careful in the use of it, she said: "Now, Maggie, do you see the skull and crossbones on this label? Do you know what they mean?" "Yes, ma'am," Maggie promptly replied: "they mean that the medicine is good for the tooth."

JACK FROST IN NEW ENGLAND

Does Damage To Crops That is Estimated at More Than Half Million Dollars.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 15.—Damage of more than half a million dollars was done to New England crops by a heavy frost during the early hours of Thursday. With the weather forecaster predicting continued cold weather, farmers in this section are discouraged. A disastrous spring drought, then prolonged rains, too late to benefit the product, and now unexpected frosts, have made this a particularly hard year.

The tobacco crop in the Connecticut valley received a severe blow from the frost, growers announcing the loss on this product alone in Massachusetts and Connecticut will be approximately \$400,000.

Cranberry bogs along Cape Cod received the full force of the biting cold and in many cases the ripe berries were destroyed.

Garden truck of all kinds were severely damaged.

Washington, Sept. 15.—The weather bureau promises an equalization of temperature, which during the past 36 hours have ranged from 102 in Concordia, Kan., to 25 in Northfield, Vt., and at Greenville, Maine. The change to cooler weather in the Plains State promised was indicated in the maximum of 96 recorded in Concordia and Wichita, Kan., St. Joseph Mo., and Oklahoma City Okla. In St. Louis and Kansas City the maximum yesterday was 94, with 82 recorded in Des Moines. Relief was also promised for the middle Mississippi and Ohio valleys.

The premature chill which has held New England and the Atlantic States in its grasp was likewise giving way and a rising temperature is predicted for this entire region, the Lake region and the upper Ohio valley.

The National capital shivered yesterday with the coldest September 14th, on record in 49 years, the minimum being 46 degrees.

FOR SALE.

I will sell all of my real estate on the corner of Hancock and Queen Sts. I will sell each piece separately or collectively. Terms cash. (Signed) ISAAC H. SMITH.

Great Damage in Ohio.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 16.—Train schedules are demoralized, fields are inundated and creeks are booming raging rivers. Much damage is sustained in eastern and northern Ohio as the result of a cloudburst. The damage to crops are hundreds of thousands of dollars.

The Only Southern Show.

The Mighty Haag Railroad Shows which exhibit at New Bern on Sept. 27, are the only shows backed by southern capital, owned by a southern gentleman and managed by southern brains. Mr. Ernest Haag, owner of the show, lives in Shreveport, La., where the winter quarters of the show are, and the pass-word in Shreveport is "Let us go out to the Haag Show's headquarters."

Remember when attending the Mighty Haag Shows you are patronizing the only Southern show. Remember the day and date.

Maybe you will need one or two Fruit Jars this season. We have them. J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co.

Taft on His Tour.

Syracuse, Sept. 16.—Taft arrived here making his first stop. There were hearty greetings from the big crowd despite the early hour. He left on the train at eight thirty for Onondaga hotel where he was the guest of the Chamber of Commerce at breakfast.

Demented Woman Routs Drummers.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 16.—Great excitement was caused here at one of the leading hotels when a lady guest, who registered as "Mrs. J. C. Bell North Carolina," suddenly appeared in the hotel office and walking out in front covered several drummers with a pistol and demanded to know something unintelligible. The knights of the grip hastily hiked out of pistol range, and the lady apparently a woman of refinement was dismissed and forcibly taken to her room. Physicians who were summoned quickly pronounced her insane, and she is being cared for at the hotel. She is in such a state of excitement that her real identity is not fully established, but one, who saw her, states that she is from New Bern.

BOARD HOLDS RECESS MEETING

Bids For Boiler and Belting For Electric Light Plant and Pipe On National Avenue Opened Last Night.

The Board of Aldermen held a recess meeting at the city hall last night for the purpose of opening the bids and awarding the contract for a new boiler and eighty feet of belting for the Electric Light Plant and for laying a section of east iron-pipe along National Avenue for a water main.

In the bids for the boiler the Henry Voght Machine Company, of Louisville Ky., put in the lowest bid, \$1215. There were a number of other bids, however several of which were near this amount and a committee of three of the aldermen was appointed to go over the specifications and report at the next meeting.

The Charlotte Leather Belt Company were lowest bidders on the belting, their price being \$4.32 for 80 or more feet. This was also referred to the same committee to be investigated and reported upon at the next meeting.

There were four bidders on the laying of pipe along National Avenue. Mr. D. W. Hart's price was 94 cents per foot. This was the lowest bid and the contract was awarded to him with the stipulation that he give a justifiable bond of \$100 within 5 days. Failing to do this the contract was given to the next lowest bidder.

Mr. Wm. Dunn, Jr., appeared before the Board in behalf of the A. C. L. Railway Company and asked that the ordinance in regard to that company shifting trains along Queen street be reconsidered. He offered to draw up an ordinance by the time of the next meeting of the Board and that would be satisfactory to all concerned if they would do this. Motion was carried to repeal the ordinance upon that condition.

The Board ordered that the two down town horses be placed under the supervision of the chief of police.

Death of a Child

Died, yesterday morning at the home of its parents, No. 7 Metcalf street, Helen, the one-year-old daughter of Iweed and Vida Grantham. The remains were taken to Mount Olive, N. C., for interment.

If it's Hardware or Builders Supplies, let us know what and how much. J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co

Death of Mrs. Hanrahan.

Mrs. Susan Hanrahan died at her home near Grifton, Friday night, at the age of 89 years. Mrs. Hanrahan was formerly a resident of this city and will be remembered by some of the older citizens. The remains will arrive on this morning's train and the funeral will be held at Cedar Grove cemetery at 9:30 o'clock, where the interment will be made. Rev. B. F. Heiske officiating.

Wanted an Even Start.

"Pa, you know you told me to count twenty before I punched another boy?" "Yes." "Well, in order to make it work out right you have got to go around the neighborhood and make the other boys promise to count twenty before they take a punch at me."—Houston Post.

The Largest Restaurant.

In the Berlin zoological garden restaurant, the largest in the world, 10,000 persons can sit down simultaneously on the same roof. Open all terraces for use in summer will accommodate another 10,000 diners. There are 1,000 waiters, and the kitchen staff exceeds 500.

Clean Up Your Stomach

And Gas, Sourness, Dizziness, Headaches and Bad Dreams Will Go.

If you really want a clean, sweet, pure stomach, free from gas, sourness and distress, go to Brachman's Drug Co., today and get a 50-cent box of M-I-O-N-A Stomach Tablets. Take these little tablets according to directions, and if at the end of a week you are not brighter, at once r and more vigorous, just say so and get your money back. For heaviness after eating, eructation, heartburn and that distressed feeling, M-I-O-N-A Stomach Tablets will give relief in five minutes. Large box of M-I-O-N-A STOMACH TABLETS, 50 cents at Brachman Drug Co., and druggist everywhere.

CANADIANS ALL STIRRED UP

Reciprocity Campaign is Now Raging in Canada at Fever Heat.

Toronto, Sept. 15.—Nominations took place in Ontario for the election on September 21st. There are contests in every constituency in the province but one. In the county of Welland, W. M. German, Liberal, but opposed to reciprocity, was selected by acclamation. In east Toronto two conservatives are in the field, but opposing reciprocity. The antis therefore start out with a lead of two in Ontario.

A proof of the thoroughness of the fight is shown by the fact that in previous elections several candidates of each party have been elected without opposition instead of only one as today. Several electoral districts in the province heretofore, have enjoyed the reputation of being impervious to new political views for the returning their candidates by majorities of from 700 to 800. For instance, Wellington, South, Thunder Russell, South Renfrew, South Essex and Prescott have always gone Liberal.

On the other hand East Grey, Dufferin, South Leeds, South Lanark and East Hastings have been regarded as impregnable Tory strongholds.

In this contest, however, strong candidates were nominated today by both parties and the result of the reciprocity issue will be awaited with interest.

The political fight in Canada, which is now at fever heat, is without question the most keenly contested that has been seen in the dominion since Confederation. For the first time since the Liberal victory in 1896 the conservatives have a chance of once more controlling the policy of the country. While it was a foregone conclusion a few days after the election was announced that Sir Wilfrid Laurier would be returned with as large or perhaps larger majority, it is now frankly admitted by Liberals that the issue is doubtful, while conservatives claim that victory for their cause is assured.

NOTICE.

The School Committee of No. 1 Township will hold their regular meeting at Vanceboro High School Building Wednesday October 11th, 2 o'clock. All teachers desiring schools in said Township will please be present. C. J. Heath Chairman.

What Others Say of Haag's Shows

Without doubt Gulfport never has seen such a crowd of people as were here to see the Mighty Haag Railroad Shows. Both in the afternoon and evenings the tents were crowded with people, and in the afternoon hundreds could not secure tickets as the ticket wagon was closed long before 2 o'clock. Every train during the day brought in people to see the show, and long before time for the parade to make its appearance on the streets they were crowded with people anxiously awaiting it, and not one was disappointed, as Mr. Haag has spent plenty of time and money on his parade, making it second to none. Never in the history of Gulfport have there been as many pretty girls, funny clowns and good music in one parade. The Gulfport Times is sure it voices the sentiment of the people when it says, give us more shows like Haag.—(Gulfport Times)

WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS

Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent a desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you at Druggist, Price 50c. Williams' M'fg. Co., Props., Cleveland, O.

His Vulgarity.

Mrs. Finefeather—Are you taking your husband abroad this year? Mrs. Bonton—No. I decided last year when he insisted upon speaking of the Venetian gondolas as canals that the real charm of Europe is lost upon him.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Women's Tears.

Mark—So when you got home from the club last night your wife was weeping? Parks—I said nothing of the sort. I said she was crying. It's when a woman is sad she weeps; when she cries she's hopping mad.—Boston Transcript.

Even.

Borrow—Until now I have never had to ask you for a small loan. Money—And till now I have never been obliged to refuse you.

The Governors' Conference at Spring Lake, N. J., adjourned after Harmon called a meeting of the "States Rights Committee."

AEROPLANE MAIL ROUTE

To be Established Between Brooklyn and Long Island—An Aviation Feature.

Washington, Sept. 16th.—Not to be outdone by the British postal authorities in the carrying of mails through the air, the latest method of letter transportation. Postmaster General Hitchcock gave his consent to the establishment of an experimental airplane mail route between one of the outlying branches of the Brooklyn (N. Y.) postoffice and the aerodrome at Nassau Boulevard, Long Island during the international aviation meet which will be held here from September 23d to October 1.

Aviators and their employes, who will be stationed on the field throughout the meet, will be able thereby to receive their mail almost as quickly as though they were in one of the large cities.

It is probable that a special postal station will be established at the aviation field and temporary postmaster appointed by the department to receive and dispatch mails and sell postage stamps.

The first successful official aeroplane letter route was that opened last Saturday by the British postal administration, which began a series of experiments in the carrying of mails by aeroplanes from Hendon, England, to Windsor Castle, a distance of almost twenty miles. Four aviators, with two biplanes and two monoplanes, were engaged in the work and about 100,000 letters constituted the first delivery. United States postal authorities are of the opinion that the day when letters will be forwarded from city to city by airship is not far distant.

Pictures Just Arrived.

Notice my windows, Fall is coming on, what can you buy for the small sum of two or three dollars that will brighten up the home so much as pictures. We have them for dining room, hall, parlor and living room. J. S. MILLER, The Fur Man.

"My Heart Goes Bump Inside."

That's the name of the great song hit of the musical show. "The Kiss Waltz," that will be a feature of next Sunday's New York World. In the Magazine Section of this greatest of all Sunday newspapers will be found a score of exclusive articles such as: "The American girl who won Lord Kitchener," "Note Paper for Sentimental Lovers," "Pittsburgh and New York," by Mrs. Mary C. Thaw, "Suffragettes of Darkest Siberia," "Beauty Measurements," "Magnetism Making the Earth Slow Down," "Photographs of the New Campanile at Venice," &c.

The Sunday World should be ordered in advance.

NOTICE.

The Bridgeton public school will open Monday Oct. 2d. All pupils are requested to be present at the opening, by order of the committee.

Creator and His Band Masonic Opera House Oct. 9th.

The treat of the season, as far as musical attractions are concerned, will be Creator and His Band of fifty musicians which will appear here under the auspices of J. Leon Williams Monday Oct. 9, 1911. Those who have been fortunate enough to hear this band are sending in their application for tickets and many others have been added to the list.

Signor Creator, as usual, has been holding large audiences under his wonderful spell enroute to New Bern. From the reports received at times his audiences are all but moved to tears, roused by the tender sympathetic strains, while at other times they seem ready to stand on their feet and shout to relieve the pent up something produced by the thrills from the wonderful crescendos which pass forth from his band.

During one of the band's sojourns in New York the "Herald" gave the following as part of a very lengthy notice: "Seldom has such enthusiasm been seen in a New York theatre. After the sextette from 'Lusia,' the applause was deafening, and the people climbed upon their chairs to cheer. The 'Tannhauser' evoked and several other numbers evoked equally exuberant signs of approval."

All seats on the first floor will sell for \$1.50. By putting your name on a subscription list now at Waters you can get those same seats for \$1.00. This offer will expire Monday October 2nd when the seats will go on sale. This subscription list will be closed just as soon as 370 seats have been subscribed for.

A mere madman, to live like a watch and die rich.—Burton.

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF

Premier Stolypin May Live Through To Be General Plot.

Kieve, Russia, Sept. 16.—Premier Stolypin, who was shot down in the municipal theatre here in the presence of Emperor Nicholas, the heir apparent and the grand duchess, in all probability will survive his wounds. Late last night the surgeons after consultation announced that the premier's condition was satisfactory. They declared that no complications were feared and that there were hopes for his recovery.

Details that have thus far come concerning the attempted assassination of Premier Stolypin, throw no light on the question whether the deed was the work of the revolutionary organization or the act of an individual bearing personal malice for the premier.

Bogroff, the man who shot M. Stolypin, is between 67 and 68 years of age. He was exceedingly well dressed. The details of the attack resembles somewhat those of the assassination of President McKinley, at Buffalo. During the first intermission of the opera, many members of the audience went forward to shake hands with M. Stolypin. Among them were persons unknown to the premier but whom, nevertheless he met.

During the second intermission the same informality was in progress and when Bogroff approached M. Stolypin the latter interrupted a conversation with Minister of War Sukhomlinoff and faced the new comer. The next moment pistol shots broke the comparative silence of the audience. Bogroff, after firing point blank at the premier, rushed out into the aisle still clutching the weapon. He had reached a side exit in his effort to escape, when an officer intercepted him. The next moment the would be assassin was felled and trodden under foot by angry spectators of his crime. The officer unseathed his sabre and endeavored to drive back the people, but before he was able to accomplish this Bogroff had been trampled into insensibility.

A great deal is made by royalists of the fact that the Czar himself, who was present in the opera house, was not attacked.

The truth is, however, that the Czar was so carefully guarded in the imperial box as to render it impossible for an assassin to reach him, while the audience, made up almost wholly of the aristocracy and its dependents, could hardly have been expected to have any sympathy with a revolutionary demonstration.

In Kiev the general belief is that terrorists were in the audience on the lookout for the Czar and other high officials, but that Bogroff was the only one who had the chance to carry out his plans.

At first it was thought the Czar had been assassinated, but cries from the Premier's box of "M. Stolypin has been shot!" undeceived the audience.

The moment the first shot was fired the Secret Service men, who swarmed the theatre, closed around the Czar's box, keeping everyone at a distance.

Sentence was suspended on Rodney J. Diegle, who was convicted of bribery in Ohio.

Editor Whichard's Mother Dead.

Greenville, N. C., Sept. 18th.—Mrs. Violet Whichard, the aged mother of the editor of the Greenville Reflector, died about seven o'clock Saturday morning at her home here. She was in her 77th year, and is survived by 4 children, J. R. Whichard, of Atlanta, Ga., D. J. Whichard and C. B. Whichard, of Greenville, and Mrs. A. F. Kennedy, of Littleton.

During the civil war and for several years after, she taught school here and was recognized as one of the best and most thorough teachers of that day.

LUZIANNE COFFEE

Its double strength cuts the coffee bill in two; its superior quality gives it a value double its price.

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