AFTER A TEST OF 26 YEARS

Klinois Woman Tells of the Good Results She Has Obtained From Her Consistent Use of Cardui.

St. Joseph, Ill.—"I have used Cardui at intervals for 26 years," recently said Mrs. Asa G. Ollis of St. Joseph. Shortly after my marriage, I had my first course of this splendid medicine. My . . . were irregular and I suffered with cramps and a . . . pain in my side and back. I took Cardui and it helped me. I could see I was better after my first bottle.

"I used Cardul for weakness and nervous troubles before and after childbirth. It is a splendid tonic, and, after two or three bottles, I would be streagthened.

"I am the mother of eleven children, seven girls and four boys. I don't believe I would ever have been able to do for them as I have, had I not found a good tonic that helped my nerves, gave me an appetite and strength. I feel like I couldn't have gotten along without it. I used it for change and got along real well."

Twenty-six years' use, when needed -Mrs. Ollis certainly should know what she is talking about after having put Cardui to such a long test. One of Cardui's chief ingredients, however, has been tested by use and recommended by medical authorities in the treatment of female troubles for over six hundred years. Have you tried it?



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A zealous but untrained reformer had obtained permission to speak at the county jail.

"Brothers," he pleaded with them. "lose no time in turning to the pathway of righteousness. Remember we are here today and gone tomorrow.". Gloomy voice from the rear: "I've got eighteen years here yet."

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

Applicants for Insurance Should Use Swamp-Root

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that in succession to Alexandra Millerand, has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success.

An examining physician for one of the prominent Life Insurance Companies, in an interview of the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation, send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing, be sure and mention this paper .- Advertisement.

No Short Cut to Success

There is no easy road or short cut to success. It means constant hard work and saving, and many sacrifices. However, the ultimate satisfaction of having accomplished something or having succeeded is greater than all the so-called pleasures indulged in by the lazy man or the spendthrift .-Secretary of the Treasury Mellon.

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ROBBERS HOLD UP

SEARCH FOR SCIENTIFIC HOLDUP MEN EXTENDED OVER

COUNTRY.

Chicago.-Search for four automobile loads of bandits who held up a crack mail train of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad a few miles out of Chicago, forced mail clerks from their cars with gas bombs and escaped with more than 40 pouches of registered mail, was extended throughout the country.

Postal officials expressed the opinion that bandits had temporarily eluded the cordon of posses spread about

the scene of the robbery. The value of the loot obtained still was undetermined, estimates ranging all the way from \$100,000 to more than \$2,000,000. A. E. Germer, chief postal inspector, said he did not believe the bandits secured more than \$100,000, but an official of the federal reserve bank at Minneapolis declared liberty bonds valued at \$150,00 consigned to that institution, were missing and federal bank officials here said the loot included about \$75,000 consigned by the Chicago banks to national banks in the northwest. Some investigators said they believed the robbers obtained cash and bonds valued at more than \$2,000,000 basing their opinion on the fact that much eastern mail is usually on the train.

Acting on a tip that the perpetrators of the robbery would be found in a restaurant, detectives raided the place and arrested a dezen men, including Dean O'Brannion, Orlando Horton, Louis Alterie and Eearl Weiss, alleged beer runners. O'Brannon and Alterie and Weiss were arrested a few weeks ago in a raid on a breawery here. Horton was arersted as A suspect in the slaying a few menths ago of John Duffy and his wife, but was later released. All those arrested were taken to the federal building for questioning and a few minutes later attorneys representing several of them asked for writs of habeas corpus for their release.

In addition to the dozen seized in the raid ,four other suspects were under arrest here and one man was being held at Waukegan, while deputy sheriffs and detectives continued to scour the country for miles around Chicago.

Elect Doumergue President of France. Marseilles, France.—Gaston Doumergue, president of the senate, was elected president of the republic of France who resigned on Wednesday because

of the opposition to him in parliament. The boombing of cannon announced the solution by the senate and the chamber of deputies, gathered together in national assembly of one of the grave political crises arising from

the May elections. The choosing of M. Doumergue as chief executive took place in the presence of the usual throng of invited notables, who bruised one another's ribs in the main galleries of the Varsallles palace in an endeavor to obtain points of vantage from which to witness the historic scene. There were also present a score of uninvited persons, admitted to prove that the ceremony of electing a chief executive was really a public function.

Secret Service Head is Guilty.

Philadelphia.-Matthew F. Griffin, former secret service head for this district with seven others was convicted of conspiracy to defraud the government through an alleged "5,000,000 water-for-whiskey" substitution scheme. The case was a retial, a conviction at the first trial having been set aside by the circuit court of ap-

Tells About Gun and Kills Himself. San Diego, Calif. - While demonstrating how a revolver could have been used by the defendant on trial in a shooting case, Judge D. F. Sotomayer, of the Tia Juana, Lower California, court, shot himself behind the left ear, and died in an hour. Under the impression that court attaches had removed the cartridges from the revolver, Judge Sotomayer is said to have placed the muzzle of the revolver under the left ear and pulled the trigger.

New Lethal Gas Discovered. London.-Discovery of a new poison gas that will persist for seven or eight days after its discharge is reported by F. N. Pickett, who has directed the breaking up of thousands of gas cylinders and shells in France since the World War.

The new gas is described by Pickett as a "lethal gas persistent," and he states he has offered the entire discovery to the British War Office.

Lives With Shrapnel in Lungs. Salisbury.-Joseph Nicholas, a Salisbury boy who was wounded in service in France, is now in the Walter Reed hospital, Washington, and Mrs. Nicholas has gone there to be with him. Mr. Nicholas still bears in his lungs portions of shrapnel and the wound is giving him considerable trouble. Recently he has been in this Oteen hospital, but some days ago was transferred to the Walter Reed insti-

Repairing Damage Done Shade Trees

Farmers' Bulletin Outlines Methods to Be Followed in Mending Breaks.

Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The extensive injury and destruction of trees of all kinds during recent storms has brought many injulies to the United States Department of Agriculture regarding the proper methods to be followed in repairing the damage done. The following suggestions are made by the department.

The first thing that should be done is to remove such large broken branches as are now, or may become, a menace to life and property; this is usually best done by cutting at the point where broken. Attention should then be given to injuries on the main trunk. If limbs have been split, or partially split, from the main trunk, all splintered wood about the wound should be removed with a sharp gouge and mallet, if not so situated that it can be sawed off. The scar should be smoothed in the manner indicated in Farmers' Bulletin 1178, Tree Surgery, and treated as an open cavity, or as a large surface wound, as the case may necessitate.

Attention to Branches.

Attention should next be given to repairing the injuries on the larger branches in a similar manner, and last of all to the smaller branches. Sometimes when a limb is broken away the tree is so weakened at the point of breakage that it may again break in a severe wind, and to obviate this the top must be pruned back more or less severely. In case of split crotches, the advice given in Farmers' Bulletin 1178 should be followed regarding the general treatment, including bolting through and above the crack.

In cases of estates where a great amount of injury has occurred, and only a comparatively small force is available for repairing the damage, the final cutting of long stubs can be conveniently left for a time, but wounds or breaks on the main trunk, or close to it, should be attended to promptly, in any case before warm weather arrives.

It is not necessary to fill cavities: It is better in most cases to leave them open. All final cuts should be immediately covered with some good antiseptic and waterproof paint. It will not be necessary to specially treat the ends of long stubs that are to be removed close to the trunk later in the season.

Avoid Climbing Spurs.

In no part of repair work should climbing spurs be used on a tree. Spur marks cause injuries through which it is possible for disease and decay germs to enter and cause damage, in some cases more severe than would have developed from the original simple break. For details of treatment of all scars and wounds send for a copy of Farmers' Bulletin 1178, which can be obtained from the office of publications, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Remember that prevention is better than cure. The open wound of today becomes the decayed spot of next year and the deep rotten cavity of ten years from now. It is better to spend a few days or dollars in careful repair work now than hundreds of dollars for extensive tree surgery in 1930.

Sweet Clover of Great Value as Pasture Crop

The advantages of sweet clover are: It is easily grown, does well on poor, low, washed land; improves soil; withstands drought; yields big first year; starts up early second year; provides pasture throughout the season; is high in protein; does not bloat; and does not winterkill readily.

The disadvantages of sweet clover are that it encroaches on and reduces yield of the grain nurse crop, and that it produces rather coarse hay in second year.

Where a finer quality of hay is desired, one should cut the sweet clover with the grain the first year. It is comparable to first cutting of alfalfa with respect to quality at that stage. However, we have found sweet clover of greatest value to us as pasture because of its earliness and because of the fact that it remains sweet and green when blue grass falls, says a writer in an exchange. In contrast to other years we have practically not etouched our hay supply during summer or fall, as twenty-five acres of splendid sweet clover were available to the cows at the close of the grain harvest.

Burning Cornstalks and

Straw Is Wasting Humus Gradually farming prosperity has moved from east to west. No soll can long stand such wasteful methods as burning cornstalks and straw. Ash is a good fertilizer, to be sure, especially for potato land, but humus is wasted when plant substance is burned. Soils are more in need of humus than of ash, especially in the old farming sections.

One can buy fertilizer to supply the soil with the elements found in ashes, but one cannot afford to buy humus. That must be grown and worked into the soil. Humus makes the soil retain its proper working consistency. It helps hold moisture in a drought. It helps take off surplus water in a flood. It prevents soil from baking hard. Nothing can take the place of humus. Work the straw and cornstalks into

Reduce Heavy Apple Loss by Wrapping

Early Picked Fruit Very Susceptible to Scald.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Heavy losses to the apple industry from apple scald can be reduced very materially, according to the United States Department of Agriculture, if certain practices in preparing the fruit for storage and market are followed. Apple scald is one of the most serious storage and market diseases of the apple and has an Important bearing on all market operations during the latter half of the storage sea-Susceptibility to scald varies with the season and with orchard conditions and management. Early-picked and poorly-colored fruit is extremely susceptible to scald, while well-colored, well-matured apples are more resistant to the disease.

A summary of the practical results obtained on scald control in a series of experiments conducted by the department is given in a new bulletin just issued as Farmers' Bulletin No. 1380. It includes brief descriptions of the effect of maturity of the fruit, soil moisture, temperature, delayed storage, aeration, oiled wrappers, and the direct application of oils and waxes to the apple, and states the relative merits of these different treatments in the control of scald.

Oiled wrappers are the most complete preventive of scald that has been found. They have eliminated the disease as a market factor in all but two of the eighty commercial tests that have been made. Low temperature and prompt cooling of the fruit are of first importance in delaying the development of scald.

A copy of the bulletin may be secured, as long as the supply lasts, from the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Losses of Butterfat

Losses of butterfat in separating skim milk from cream on the farm may be traced to one or more of the following causes, according to C. A. Iverson of the department of dairying at Iowa State college.

Low Speed of the Separator-Always run the separator at least as fast as the speed which is given on the handle of the machine. Cold Milk-Milk should be at

a temperature of 90 degrees Fahrenheit.

Dirty Bowl-The separator must be washed every time it is used, not only because of economy, but also because it is impossible to produce a good quality of cream with a dirty separator. Worn Bearings-Loose disks and other mechanical defects often cause losses of butterfat. The machine should be kept clean and well oiled.

Feasible Plan Outlined

for Seeding Grass Plot

Where it is desired to seed timothy, red clover and redtop with oats, the following seed mixture per acre has proved satisfactory: Timothy, eight pounds; red clover, seven pounds, and redtop, five pounds. This mixture may be seeded with the oats, provided the drill is equipped to seed both grain and grass at the same time. It is not well to seed more than two bushels per acre of oats, and better results may be expected if not more than six pecks of oats are used. Heavier seeding of oats tends to injure the young grass plants. Unless it is known that red clover will give good results on your land, it might be well to add two pounds of alsike clover to the mixture.-R. J. Garber, West Virginia College of Agriculture.

The protein content of sudan grass hay is not high and for that reason it is not very satisfactory for a dairy

A pint of formalin on the seed oats may mean a gain of 500 pints of grain.

Home gardening pays in health as well as produce.

No legume-growing farmer is likely to go bankrupt, for he is constantly adding to his bank account; that is, his soil reserves.

Oats raised in the United States constitute one-third of the total crop of that grain grown in six leading grain-growing countries in the world.

The lettuce patch may be utilized for root crops as it is a leaf crop and into the lettuce patch may go early turnips, a second or third planting of carrots, beets or swiss chard.

Watch for bugs, spray current and gooseberry bushes for lice and worms. Keep an eye out for cabbage butterflies and dig for cutworms where a small plant is wilted with no visible

Orchard grass obtains its name from the fact that it is capable of growing beneath trees. It is not as desirable a grass as blue grass but finds its place in the shady orchard and pas-



THE MOTHER EGRET

The little Egres birds had all been

begging their mother to talk to them. She had told them this story before, but they wanted to hear It again. they had And been told that Nancy, who had a

> bird club, wanted to have the story told once more. Nancy and her friends had ail agreed that they would never wear the feathers of birds in their hats where the birds had to be killed.

The Boys Photoand where there graphed Birds. was suffering and

sleep for the night.

sorrow as a result. And Nick, too, had started a bird club in which the boys photographed birds and fed birds during the winter, but in which club the first rule was a promise that never would a bird's egg he stolen.

Now, these birds were in a beautiful bird home belonging to a zoo. It was very large and very comfortable, and they were all so safe.

It was almost time for the younger members of the family to put their heads under their wings and go to

They were not so very young, but they were not so old as the lear old Mother Egret-the oldest on: of the family in the zoo.

She was also known an Snowy Egret and Snowy Heron.

This is the story she had told often before, but which they all wanted to hear again. "Tell it any way you like," they said, "as long as you tell For Mother Egret told her story sometimes so that it was longer than at other times, and now and again she used the same words and now and again different words. But the story itself was the same.

"We're known as the most beautiful white birds in the world," commenced Mother Egret sadly. "We do not become so beautiful until we are full grown. Then it is that our plumage is at its best and our white feathers look so well. "But, children, our beauty has been

a sorrow to us. Here you are safe. The keeper is good to you. And we hear good news. 'We hear of children who will never

be cruel when they grow up-who will never wear our feathers. "When we are full-grown, and just at the time when the birdlings are born, our white plumage is at its best. We want to look our best for the wee little Lirds who come forth from the eggs in our nests in their rookeries, and we cannot change this

habit. "But alas! Ladles, yes, ladles, like to wear fine hats, and they often care more for their hats than they do for

"Because of them, and because they pay lots of money for aigrettes, as our plumage is called when on their hats, hunters kill the mother birds just after the little birds are born.

"The little birds are left to starve and die with no dear mother bird to look after them. "Just think, birdlings! There are

people who care more for a certain kind of feather on a hat than they do for the lives of little birds! "It is hard to

believe, but it is true, and if only they knew, if only they really knew (for I can't believe they all do know or they wouldn't be so cruel) what suffering they cause by wearing such plumage, I don't think they could ever wear al-



Snowy Egret.

grettes again. "For wearing aigrettes means that Snowy Egret or Heror mothers are killed and that their little ones are left to starve.

"But, ah, we're safe! And there is Nancy's club, of which we have heard, and more clubs, too, in which there is a faithful promise made that none of these girls will ever wear a feather or a plume which causes suffering."

The birds wanted Mother Egret to tell this story every once in awhile, so it would become known.

Pioneer Is Defined "Charles," queried the teacher, "can

you tell me what an old settler is sometimes called?" "Yes, ma'am; a 'ploneer,' " was the

"Now, Lester," said the teacher to another pupil, "what is a 'pioneer'?" Lester-An old man who pays his

debts. Left the Ache With It Paul-Does your tooth still burt? Albert-I don't know. Paul-What do you mean by I don't

know? Albert-I left it at the dentist's.

HEADACHES GONE, TIRED NO MORE

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have taken three begin to tell you what it has already done for me. I do all my work now and keep up the whole day long without lying down. I have no more headaches nor tired feelings. I hope every woman who takes the Vegetable Compound will get as much benefit out of it as I have." -Mrs. PERCY W. RICHARDSON, R.F.D. No. 2, Skowhegan, Maine.

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"My client," declared the first "is willing to do the right lawver. thing."

"So is mine," said the second lawyer. "In that case, the matter ought to be

"I don't know. The next quesion is, What is the right thing?"

"Well?" "And I fear it will take a long lawsuit to settle that."

Gave Himself Away

Agent-Is the head of the house in? Man-Just a moment. (Calling loudly): Sophie! (No answer.) Yes, what was it you wanted with me?-London

The Same Old Backache!

Does every day bring the same old backache? Do you drag along with your back a dull, unceasing ache? Eve-ning find you "all played out"? Don't be discouraged! Realize it is merely a sign you haven't taken good care of yourself. This has probably strained your kidneys. Take things easier for a while and help your kidneys with Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. Doan's have helped thousands and should help you. Ask your

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