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In thousands of homes, for more than thirty years, Hood's Sarsaparilla has been taken, as a Spring Medicine, by every member of the family. Peculiar to itself in what it is and what it does, it combines the best blood purifiers, appetizers and tonics, and effects complete cures of Spring Ailments—all blood diseases, pimples, eruptions, eczema, scrofula, all stomach, liver and kidney complaints, loss of appetite, that tired feeling, all low or run-down conditions of the system.

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Explanatory.
The great ocean liner was limping into port. "You see," lamely explained the captain, "the injury is in the ship's fore-foot. It got on the wrong tack."
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The Exceptional Equipment

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A knowledge of the above facts enables one to decline imitations or to return them if, upon viewing the package, the full name of the California Fig Syrup Co. is not found printed on the front thereof.

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Per Salszer's catalog page 120.
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FARMS AND FARMERS



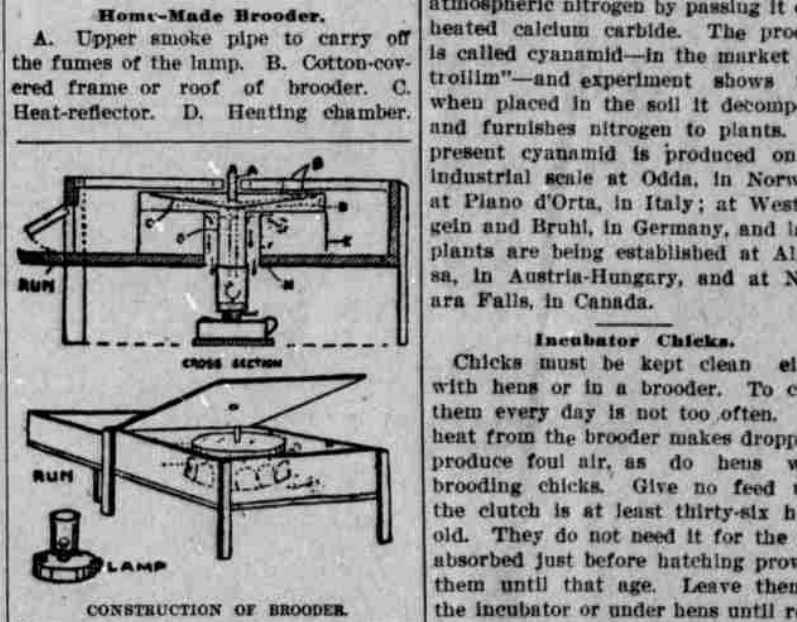
Be a "New Farmer."

The farm problem of America is not in bursting barns nor high bred stock, nor soil fertility, nor even in the rural school, but in the farmer himself. Its solution is in the individual known as the new farmer. The dreary drudgery of the old farm existence is fast passing away, and in its place is coming a broad, rich, free livelihood, never known before—"the new country life." The new farmer lives the new country life; the new farmer builds for his wife and children a modern, sanitary, attractive home; the new farmer makes hard roads. He installs a telephone, receives his mail by free delivery and encourages interurban service, supports a thriving rural church and demands an efficient consolidated school with a high school course for his sons and daughters at home. The new farmer reads and thinks; he studies his own environment, sees his opportunity and limitations; improves the one and removes the other. The new farmer is not only a scientist, but a sociologist. He works in harmony with his neighbors for the general good and uplift of his immediate community, and above all else he realizes the dignity and importance of his own profession and individuality in the permanent and national welfare.

Carry the Cows.
It is profitable to groom cows, especially in the spring. This is done in the same manner that a horse is carried and brushed, and the work as thoroughly done as if grooming a good horse. The cows are curried with a sharp currying comb until the loose hairs are combed off and the dandruff on the skin is loosened. They are then rubbed down with straw and afterward with a rub rag until the coat is smooth and glossy. This opens up the pores in the skin, sets up a healthy action in the small blood vessels just under the skin and helps a great deal in a direct way in putting the cows in good condition.

Give the cows plenty of outdoor air as soon as the weather moderates, but do not compel them to stand out in the rain. Keep them in the yard until the grass is well started, for the first blades are too watery to furnish nutrition, and it is false economy to turn stock on pasture until it is well started. Any saving of forage made in this way will be paid for later by the shortness of the grass when it is most needed.

Home-Made Brooder.
A. Upper smoke pipe to carry off the fumes of the lamp. B. Cotton-covered frame or roof of brooder. C. Heat-reflector. D. Heating chamber.



E. Two-ply flannel to form the warm hover for the chicks. F. Fresh air chamber. G. Lower smoke pipe. H. Galvanized iron rim on which the heater rests. I. Warm fresh air entering the hover.

Cotton-Picking Machine.
A cotton-picking machine has been devised, on lines similar to the vacuum process cleaning machines, by J. S. Thurman. The vacuum-producing apparatus, driven by a gasoline engine, is mounted on a wide-wheel truck which is drawn about the cotton field by mules. Each operator has 100 feet of hose with the picker suction-tip at the end. It is claimed that each operator can gather 700 pounds of seed cotton per day of ten hours at a total cost of from \$2.45 to \$3.10 per operation per day.

Mulches of Manure.
During January and February heavy mulches of stable manure may be placed about perennial fruits and vegetables. The manure will act as a protection to the plants, some of its richness will soak into the soil and weathering will cause the manure to become mild, so that it may be safely used for any of the garden crops next spring. There is little danger of scattering too much manure in our gardens and orchards.

Government Experiment.
The farmers of the country surrounding Shreveport will this year plant 250 acres in peanuts, at the instigation of government officials, who have recently come south for the purpose of testing the value of the peanut as a producer of fine oils. The cotton-seed oil mills, which are usually during the spring and summer months, will be equipped for the experiment.—Beaumont Journal.

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