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The best kind of advertising is the praise of a pleased customer, and here are hundreds in Grants Pass today praising Mi-o-na because it does what it is advertised to do. A few months ago they could eat nothing without wondering what the result would be. Since using Mi-o-na they eat what they want and when they want, with no fear of suffering.

Men Who Fear Opportunity.
In the American Magazine Hugh S. Fullerton says:

"Thousands of us who are making fairly comfortable livings for families pass plain turning points, refusing to turn or to attack the opening, through sheer timidity. There is no class so timid as the man with a family, who refuses to change because he fears he will risk the small sum he has accumulated to educate the children and provide for the family in case of his death. Ninety-nine out of a hundred men in this class keep straight ahead when they see a turning point clearly."

Not Easy to Explain.
"That boy of mine is always asking questions."

"Oh, well, perhaps he wants to learn something."

"Maybe so, but his inquisitiveness is rather distressing to me at times."

"Yes?"

"He insists on being told what his mother means when she calls me a 'jelly fish,' a 'matrimonial misfit' and a 'human tank.'"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Keep in Harness Until You Drop.
A prominent Canadian financier in his sixty-fifth year went to England to take a physical examination by a great physician. "You're as sound as a nut," said the doctor. "There's no reason why you shouldn't live to be a hundred—if only you don't stop working."

Woman's Home Companion.

Making Himself Solid.
Miss Hunter—Weren't you surprised when you heard about my horse running away with me?

Mr. Jollier—Not very. I'd do the same thing myself if I got the chance.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Feminine Suggestion.
Hub—Things were awfully dull in the stock market today. Absolutely nothing doing.

Wife—Why don't you mark some of the stock down and advertise a bargain sale?—Boston Transcript.

Substituted.
"So you have taken to carrying around a monkey? This is going too far."

"Well, you never go anywhere with me," was his wife's somewhat ambiguous retort.—Pittsburgh Post.

Get the Direction.
"The wise thing to do nowadays is to invest your money in a going concern."

"Yes, and it's also a wise thing to first find out which way the concern is going."—Judge.

CO-OPERATIVE EFFICIENCY.

Co-operative efficiency is the keystone of the successful commercial organization. When the business men of a city give their time and money to promote the welfare of their city and community they expect results. Unfortunately most of the things which the commercial organizations working for the general benefit of the community must do are of a general rather than a directly peculiarly beneficial character. Therefore for the best interests and advancement of commercial organizations it is practical that they incorporate departments that will produce definite, direct, pecuniary benefits for their proprietor members.

For the past decade the tendency in this direction has been very noticeable. Chambers of commerce, commercial clubs, boards of trade and retail merchants' associations whose original purpose was to promote industry and enhance the value of real estate have created departments and bureaus which produce definite and tangible results. The organization of the credit bureau as a department of activity is an example of this changing order in commercial organization progress.—Town Development Magazine.

IMPROVING WESTCHESTER.

New York's Beautiful County Has a Planning Commission.

A commission, the first body of its kind ever constituted by law of the United States, has been organized for the development and beautifying of Westchester county, N. Y. It is headed by James G. Cannon.

The appointment of this commission was largely due to the activities of the Westchester county chamber of commerce, and the commissioners, who are men of wealth and deeply interested in the development of the county, will serve without salary. They were selected by the board of supervisors and have authority to employ landscape architects, surveyors, engineers and other experts.

They will submit to the supervisors a survey of the county, with a map showing the proposed improvements, and they may recommend changes in the width or route of highways, the construction of new trunk line roads and the acquisition of public lands for parks and playgrounds. They may also suggest the subdivision of the county into drainage areas and alterations in the system of water supply.

Westchester's growth in the past few years both in the matter of population and of estates and country houses has caused the leading citizens to take serious thought as to the best manner in which its natural beauties may be preserved.

"Several of the towns," said Mr. Cannon, "already have systems of street planning and are seeking to make their part of the county as pleasing to the eye as possible, and one of the first things the commission will do will be to take these efforts into account and to correlate them. It is necessary that the rapidly growing communities should have adequate park space and that their streets and principal highways should be considered with reference to the appearance of the entire county. Westchester is a pioneer in this line.

"Then there are in the county many reservoirs, and it is proposed that they should be approached by suitable roads and that picturesque and convenient paths be built about them. The great Kensico reservoir is one of the finest bodies of water in the country.

"The new Bronx River parkway, of the cost of which New York city pays three-fourths and this county one-fourth, will naturally become part of the general plan. It runs for fifteen

miles on either side of the Bronx river.

"The county also contains much forest land, and the commission will consider how its natural appearance may be retained as much as possible, and while there is yet time the provision of park spaces will be considered with reference to those already existing.

"Such towns as Dobbs Ferry and White Plains have already done much in laying out municipal parks and in making their surroundings pleasing. To obtain the co-operation of every town in the county is part of the general scheme."

Citizens of Westchester are enthusiastic over the project to make their county a "garden of the gods." Parks and lawns will be established at the railroad stations, steps will be taken to destroy unsightly structures, and the traveler will see about him everywhere the natural beauties of the woods and the fields preserved by the skill of landscape architects.

There are many beautiful country homes in the county, especially along the Hudson. The commission hopes that its efforts will increase the pride of all Westchester property owners in the adornment of their grounds and in the appearance of their homes.

Recreation in Cleveland.

A complete survey of the recreational facilities of Cleveland, O., will be made by the public recreation committee of the chamber of commerce to precede the mapping out of a five year recreation program. Recreation for Sundays, Saturdays and holidays will receive special consideration.

Nomination petitions at the Courier office.

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