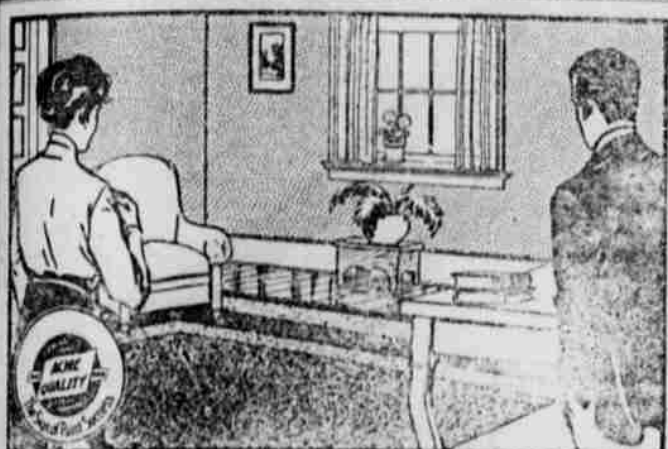


TIDE TABLES FOR MAY, 1916

Date	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	Date	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.
High water	A. M.		P. M.		Low water	A. M.		P. M.	
Monday	12:48	7.3	Monday	1:04	0.4	6:43	2.5		
Tuesday	0:03	9.0	1:30	7.2	Tuesday	2:17	0.6	7:20	2.9
Wednesday	0:53	8.9	2:10	7.0	Wednesday	3:06	0.6	7:55	3.2
Thursday	1:26	8.7	2:48	6.8	Thursday	4:04	0.4	8:30	3.6
Friday	1:57	8.5	3:28	6.6	Friday	5:09	0.2	9:04	3.8
Saturday	2:49	8.2	4:10	6.4	Saturday	6:05	0.1	9:42	3.9
Sunday	3:09	7.9	4:59	6.3	SUNDAY	7:10	0.5	10:30	4.0
Monday	3:55	7.5	5:52	6.3	Monday	8:11	0.8	11:31	4.1
Tuesday	4:46	7.0	6:48	6.5	Tuesday	9:11	0.8	12:12	1.1
Wednesday	5:53	6.6	7:40	6.8	Wednesday	10:04	3.9	1:02	1.4
Thursday	7:13	6.3	8:28	7.3	Thursday	11:56	3.5	1:54	1.7
Friday	8:31	6.2	9:10	7.8	Friday	12:30	2.8	2:45	2.0
Saturday	9:39	6.3	9:50	8.3	Saturday	13:35	1.9	3:34	2.3
Sunday	10:39	6.6	10:29	8.8	SUNDAY	14:48	1.0	4:21	2.6
Monday	11:33	6.8	11:09	9.3	Monday	15:53	0.1	5:06	2.8
Tuesday	12:24	7.0	Tuesday	16:19	0.6	5:55	2.9		
Wednesday	11:50	9.6	Wednesday	17:04	1.2	6:42	3.1		
Thursday	1:13	7.2	Thursday	17:51	1.6	7:33	3.2		
Friday	2:03	9.9	Friday	18:39	1.7	8:26	3.3		
Saturday	2:49	9.9	2:54	7.2	Saturday	19:29	1.6	9:25	3.3
Sunday	2:07	9.7	3:48	7.3	SUNDAY	21:10	1.2	10:30	3.3
Monday	2:18	9.2	4:45	7.3	Monday	22:11	1.4	11:39	3.1
Tuesday	3:56	8.6	5:44	7.4	Tuesday	23:11	0.7	12:09	0.1

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MONEY IN RAISING ARTICHOKE

(M. B. Ellison in Eugene Register.)

The question of producing more and cheaper feed for stock is a subject which confronts would-be successful farmers and stockmen in this part of the country, where the cost of feed is almost prohibitive. And it rests with the people to choose between profitable farming with plenty of cheap feed or unprofitable farming for want of it. The will and the labor only are lacking, for this is certainly a good country for root crops, especially for those grown for feeding stock, and those afford an abundance of cheap feed. We should raise more root crops for feed, and sell more high priced hay and grain. Save all the best straw and feed with roots, then with plenty of ensilage this practice will tip the scales on the profit side. Raising and feeding vegetables is much more work than hay and grain, but the results, the profits instead of loss, are in favor of root crops, and will go far towards putting farmers on Independent street, if not on Easy street.

While we appreciate other vegetables we consider the good, dependable white artichoke by far the best to raise for feeding stock. All kinds of stock are fond of them and horses will leave their grain for them. Many people have no idea even what artichokes are and know absolutely nothing of their great value as stock food. Probably not one farmer in fifty raises artichokes, or even knows much about them. They will stay in the old rut year after year and feed a few head of stock about everything they raise of small yielding crops, when they could double or triple their income by raising artichokes and hogs and poultry to turn them into money.

While the artichoke is best known as a superior food for hogs, it is not generally known that it is also one of the very best foods for poultry. Poultry thrive on them and require but little grain, and hens lay better. We have tried feeding them to hens which were not laying well and, although the weather was very unfavorable they were soon laying nearly twice as many eggs. Those who care to raise poultry for profit would do well to plant them near the poultry run for shade in summer, and also to afford them protection from hawks, and when the tubers mature they should be lifted from the ground as the fowls require them, and they will feed on them until June. Sometimes, if the soil is mellow, the poultry will not wait until the artichokes mature before beginning to help themselves.

They are the most reliable crop we can raise, and about the only one which does not disappoint in yield. Last year we planted half an acre the first of May on hard clay land which has never been enriched and was so dry we could only plow a few inches deep. We have had about one-third of the patch dug and find over 100 bushels tallied. What other crop could give larger returns on such soil?

We have planted them as late as the 20th of May, but it is better to plant them any time in April. The ground should be well prepared the same as for potatoes, but any good corn or vegetable land will yield big crops of artichokes if properly cared for. They should not be planted on low land where the water remains in the soil much of the time in winter, as it will cause them to decay.

But if anyone wishes to raise them, and the fear that they might be somewhat difficult to get rid of keeps them from raising them, they may be planted in a slough where the winter rains will dispose of those left in the ground. Freezing does not harm them, but sunshine soon dries them up, which goes far to make it easy to get rid of them.

They are easy to dig in the fall, as soon as the tops are entirely dead, and may then be stored in bins for winter use. The tops make good feed for cattle and horses, so the whole plant is edible, and they easily yield 1000 bushels of tubers per acre. There is a satisfaction in having an abundance of nourishing feed at hand which is not so valuable that it is like feeding money.

There is money in artichokes, and lack of help with our farm work is all that has prevented us from planting them on a much larger scale, and we wonder there are not more farmers raising them, but it seems that ignorance on the one hand, and prejudice on the other, has prevented their being more generally planted. And we predict that when these two barriers are removed a large percent of farmers and poultry men will give them first place among important crops.

The prejudice we refer to is the idea that they are hard to get rid of. The red artichokes are, but the white ones are very different. We have grown the mammoth white variety seven years on our farm, six miles northwest of Eugene, and so far have had no trouble with them, although

they have been planted in several different places, and we have made no effort to get rid of them. We doubt if one-fourth of a bushel could be found where they were formerly grown.

THE MOVIE SCREEN

Somebody says that if Shakespeare were living now he would be writing motion picture scenarios for Colonel Pelig.—News Item.

"Bill" Shakespeare were he living now, would write for moving pictures; He'd find "Love's Labor Lost" we vow in brewing screen plot mixtures. He'd have to get down to hard work and write stuff that appeals, And dash off "Hamlet," or "King Lear," in three or four tense reels!

"Bill" Shakespeare, were "Bill" living now, might credit on the screen For comedies are in demand and he'd dash off a scream! But Gazooks! Odd Bodkins! and S'death! he'd find all honors taken— Screen and poster credit grabbed by friends of Francis Bacon!

"Bill" Shakespeare, were he living now, could write strong movie plays; That famed Soliloquy of his re-vamped in many ways, And Othello, that realistic Scout, might say sum command As "Uncle Tom," in three strong parts, he'd draw to beat the band

"Bill" Shakespeare, were "Bill" living now, would find film critics "roasters," When "Bill's" immortal name appeared on movie screens and posters!

Mabel Tallafiero, soon to be seen in "Her Great Price," a sensational Metro feature production, began her professional career with Robert Hilliard and Jennie Yeamans just 25 years ago in the play "Blue Jeans." But it must be remembered that Mabel was only two and a half years old then.

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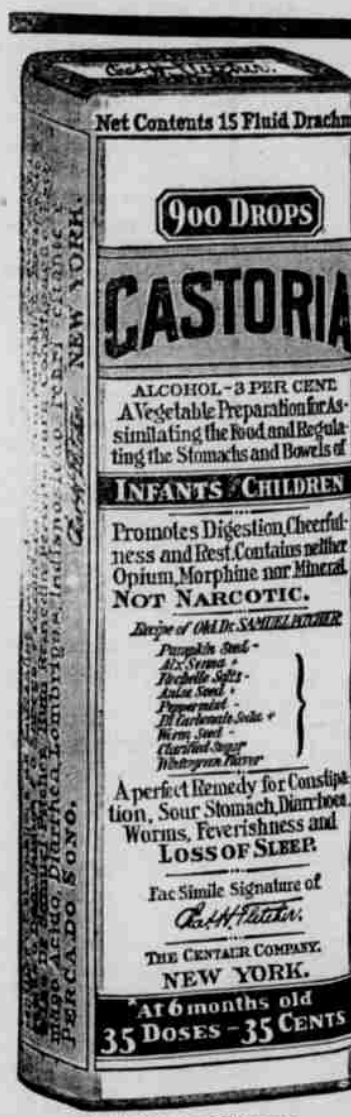
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Abraham Lincoln never had a seat next to the fleshy woman in a movie theatre; never saw the movie heroine converse over the phone; never witnessed an auto chase scene; never

heard a movie pipe-organ; never saw a movie motorcycle cop. Yet, Abraham Lincoln died only fifty years ago!

Thomas J. Carrigan, leading man for little Mary Miles Minter in "Dimples," "Lovely Mary," and other Metro productions, owns a third interest in a factory in Michigan that builds portable houses. This fact has led some of his friends at the Lambs' Club to remark that it is easy for Mr. Carrigan to "bring down the house."



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