REARS FAMILY OF 23 ON S4 A WEEK

Laborer Wins Prize Offered by Lincolnshire Agricultural Society.

GIVES HIS WIFE CREDIT

Turned Over to Her Every Penny of His Wages and Allowed Her to Do All the

Buying.

LONDON, Aug. 10.—"I have had 23 children, and have come to the conclusion that a man is much happier and better off with a family than without one." Such was the opinion expressed by George Farmery, a hale and hearty Lincolnshire man who, in spite of his 67 years, was actively engaged in haymaking near his home at Hemswell, near Gainsborough. Gainsborough.

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Farmery was awarded the first prize of \$20 offered by the Lincoinshire Agricultural Society to the farm laborer who has brought up and placed out the greatest number of children without having received parochial relief.

"I have never earned more than \$4.12 a week," Farmery continued, "and my average wage is only half a crown a day, so that I can only reckon on \$3.75.

"Sometimes I have only had 55 cents a day, but I have always been happy and contented with my wife and children.

"I have been twice married. By my first wife I had ten children, and by my second one I have had eight boys and "Has it been a hard struggle to bring them all up? Well, we have had our trials, but on looking back I do not re-

Never Smokes Nor Drinks.

"I do not smoke and I do not drink, and I have always given my wife every penny of my wages, and she has done

the buying.
"I have never had a cottage rent free,
like some men, and have not had a great deal of garden either, but still enough just to grow a few potatoes and vege-

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"Our staple food has been bacon, and bread, with, perhaps, a little fresh meat once a week, but I have never been much struck on butchers' meat.

"Then I have had to pay as much as ninepence and tenpence a week in years gone by for my children's schooling; now I do not pay anything.

"No, I have never spent anything on amusement at all. It accurs to me that that is where young people in big towns waste their money.

"The only places I have ever been to outside Hemswell and Faldingsworth, the place where I was born, are Galinsborough, Lincoln, Manchester, Market Rasen, Thorncastic, and Guiseley, near Leeds. ough, Lincoln, Manchester, Market Rasen, Thorncastie, and Guiseley, near Leeds.

"I have lived in Hemswell about 30 years, and have never had a halfpenny from the parish. When the children got old enough, of course, they all went out to work and brought a little home, and that helped us to get along."

Mrs. Farmery then told how she had made both ends meet on the modest wage which her husband brought home.

Lesson in Domestic Economy.

"Well, we pay \$23.75 a year for our "Well, we pay \$13.55 a year for our cottage." she said. "Then, every week I buy two stone of flour, which comes to 76 cents; a quarter of a pound of tea. 10 cents; five pounds of sugar, 13 cents; one pound of lard. 12 cents; one pound rice, 4 cents; one pound currants, 8 cents; coal, 36 cents. That accounts for about \$2.30 a week.

"We keep a pig, so I am not counting the bacon. Then there are the clothes and other things to pay for, so that there

is not much left out of 15s.
"I have always had some little children at home, generally about six. "My advice to young people is, do not get married until you are both well between 20 and 30 years of age."

Farmery said that although he was

married rather young, he thought that nowadays 30 was a good age for a man nowadays so was a good age to a line to marry and 26 for a girl.
"But," said he, with a wise shake of the head as he leaned on his hayfork.
"they might start earlier if they knew other well. It all depends on how they get on."

MUSICIANS WILL CONFER

Theater Orchestra Question May Be Settled Tomorrow.

Officials of the Musicians Mutual Asrow morning to discuss the recent action of local theatrical managers in de-ciding to dispense with orchestras during the coming season. It is not known whether representatives of the man-agerial association will confer with

No definite action has been decided upon by either faction since the ruling of the managerial association. It yet remains to be seen whether the musi-cians will submit to being summarily dismissed or will make good their threats of further trouble.

At the Grand last night police interfered and ordered away the crowds that blocked the sisles. It was consid-ered, since the publication of the Council's idea of the affair, that crowds too Is too the di Con- Idaho. large imperil the public eafety. sequently policemen refused to permit the blocking of the alsies. The management of the Grand is

Council's requirements, but there has beeen no time in which to perfect any contemplated changes.

CONCERT AT CITY PARK

De Caprio's Band Will Play at 2:30 o'Clock This Afternoon.

There will be a concert at the City Park at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon by De Caprio'e Municipal Band. The pro-

Livestock Burned to Death.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 15.-Fire which broke out early today in the sheep sheds the New York Central stockyards at East Buffalo destroyed all of them and some of the adjoining buildings. Between 1500 and 2000 sheep and calves were burned. Loss, \$100,000.



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166-170 THIRD STREET

15,000 Acres in Idaho, Along O. S. L., to Be Ready October 12.

LAND BOARD TO HOLD SALE

Improvement Work Will Be Finished in Time to Permit Immediate Cultivation.

BOISE, Idaho., Aug. 15.—(Special.)— Close to 15,000 acres of new land, segregated by the Carey act, is about to be thrown open for settlement between the towns of King Hill and Glenu's Ferry. Idaho. This tract lies along the main line of the Oregon Short Line and borders the Snake River for a distance of 20 miles. It lies in a cove, surrounded by hills vary-ing from 1000 to 1500 feet higher. The opening days has been set for October 12 and the sale of the lands will be under direction of the State Land Board of

The owners of the land, Kings Hill Irrigation & Power Company, acquired the project from the old Glenns Ferry Land perfectly willing to meet all of the & Irrigation Company, obtained new contracts from the state last May, under the Carey act, segregating the 15,000 acres and allowing an additional 6000 acres of private holdings to be watered. The land includes the towns of King Hill and

includes the towns of King Hill and Glenns Ferry.

The company has acquired the Malad River water rights, providing a minimum flow of 1100 second feet, sufficient to give splendid irrigation for over 100,000 acres. The water is exceptionally pure and adaptable alike for irrigation and domestic purposes. The waters of this river are conveyed over the Snake by means of an inverted siphon pipe, six feet in diameter, on a steel truss bridge, supported by concrete piers.

time after establishing their rights.

The opening of the tract promises to be an event in the history of the Snake

seph, Mo., will visit Portland about August 25 and will spend two days here. Both of these gentiemen are prominent in the horticultural field and are making a six weeks trip through the oremard regions of Colorado, Idaho, Utah, Montana, Oregon and Washington to study the methods of Western fruitgrowers and to be-come better acquainted with them.

TRAP-DOOR USED IN RAID

Officers Enter Through Ceiling and Arrest 17 Gamblers.

Detective Kay and Patrolman Keinlein, known in months gone by in police circles as the moral squad, 'dropped in" on Chinatown last night, or as much of Chinatown as could comfortably squeeze into the gambling rooms in the rear of the first floor of 67 Second street, four doors from the police station. They not only from the police station. They not only visited this resort, now famous among the followers of chance in Chinatown, but literally "dropped in" on the players. Having found it impossible to gain access from the first floor, they located a trap door in the ceiling and let themselves down among the astonished Orientals with a suddenness that pre-cluded the possibility of their hiding the \$145.65 which lay upon the tables awaiting the official count of the fan-

Caught red-handed, the slant-eyed players for the first time in police his-tory lost their composure. They were unable to understand how the officers had managed to invade their resort. "It doesn't make any difference how we got in," roared Kay, "we're in here and so are you and you can't get out." Whereupon he and Keinlein surrounded the players and marched them into

the police station. There were 17 of the youths, and they gave the name of Ah with re-markable regularity. The honor of the Ah family was upheld by the double Ah family was upheld by the double sets of twins, Ah Jim and Ah Jim, and Ah Sing and Ah Sing together with Ah Lee, Ah Louie, Ah Gow, Ah Charley, Ah Yen, Ah Bum, Ah Joe, Ah Gong, Ah Chung, Ah Sam, Ah John and their two comrades Bah Yea and Chin Jim. They were all bailed out by the unknown proprietor, who feigned ignorance of questions put to him in English.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. E. J. Thomas left on Wednesday to visit friends in Lima, O. She will return September 1.

The opening of the tract promises to be an event in the history of the Snake River country.

Dr. C. A. Duniway, president of the Montana State University, who has been in Portland for the last two weeks, left last night with his family for their new home at Missoula.

W. P. Stark, president of the Missouri State Board of Horticulture, accompanied by James M. Irvine, editor of the Western Fruitgrower, of St. Jocadia, Linn County, for a two weeks' tion 1.

experience in the hills, many home-steaders having fine crops of each when there are light crops in the valleys and plains. These lands also raise the best Burbank potatoes to be found

feet in diameter, on a steel truss bridge, supported by concrete piers.

C. H. Hammet, president of the company, formerly of Kamsas City, states that by opening day the greater part of the construction work will be completed and water will be on the land. This will enable settlers this Fall to prepare their land for the following Spring, losing no their way home from Seaside, where they their way home from Seaside, where they the support of the construction work will be completed and water will be on the land. This will enable settlers this Fall to prepare their state Senator and Mrs. J. N. Smith, of Salem, were in Portland yesterday on their way home from Seaside, where they the construction work will be completed and family returned from a six-months' visit to Friday evening. The large concert hall was filled with saliors from ships in port. The programme follows: Plano solo, Mrs. Hampson; solos, Mrs. Hampson; solos, Mrs. Larowe; solo, Mrs. Hampson; solos, Mrs. Larowe; solo, Mrs. Hampson.

MAIL ORDERS WILL RECEIVE OUR CAREFUL AND PROMPT ATTENTION

COOKING DEMONSTRATION OF THE "NEW PROCESS" GAS RANGES COMMENCING

Such an event as this is always looked forward to and appreciated by enthusiastic housewives-those who never overlook the opportunity of acquainting themselves with the many improvements constantly being made in the modern cooking apparatus. This twoweeks' practical cooking event, which commences tomorrow, should prove both interesting and instructive to those who contemplate buying a gas range. During the demonstration, it will be our pleasure to serve HOT BISCUITS AND DELICIOUS COFFEE free to all visitors. The many superior qualities of the "New Process"—its efficiency in cooking and baking, its economy of fuel and the ease and safety with which it can be operated, will be demonstrated on this occasion. Plan to spend a few minutes with us and witness this modern range in operation. We offer to place any size or style of the "New Process" in your home on liberal terms of payment.





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SALE OF DINNER SETS TOMORROW AND TUESDAY

For tomorrow's and Tuesday's special selling, the Basement Crockery Department places on sale seven patterns in fancy decorated Dinner Sets, comprised of 50 pieces and 56 pieces, in the semi-porcelain and Haviland. An opportunity for completing your stock of dinnerware. 56-piece set in semi-porcelain, "Allerton Blue" decoration; special \$6.00 50-piece set in semi-porcelain, "Newport Apple Green" decoration; ... \$7.25

50-piece set in semi-porcelain, blue and gold decoration; special \$8.75 56-piece set in semi-porcelain, "Elite" white and gold

50-piece set in Haviland, pink and gold decoration; special\$22.00 50-piece set in Haviland, green and gold decoration;

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cutor Goldenberg is only moral. He can-

not remove him from office on his failure to enforce the laws. Only the Legislature could reach the prosecutor by impeach-

It is unlikely that Governor Fort will

remain passive under a situation where his own appointees, prosecutor and judge,

say it is impossible to enforce the bishops' law. That would be unlike the Governor. He is likely to explode a bomb in the Prosecutor's office on general

principles, and especially as the naming of Clarence Goldenberg Prosecutor of At-

Apparently the hopes of those who would like to see Atlantic City obey the bishops' law and other statutes lies in the hands of Justice Trenchard, who might keep the grand jury in Atlantic Courts are seen grand jury in Atlantic

County in session for many weeks from October 2, the date on which they organ-

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CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—(Special.)—Arthur J. Gram, of Portland, is registered at the Great Northern.

FINE APPLES ON HILL SOIL Fruit Never Fails on Washington

County Uplands.

HILLSBORO, Aug. 15 .- (Special.)-Analyses from the Oregon Agricultural College go to show that the soil on Washington County's hill lands is especially adapted for apple and pruneraising. This is borne out by actual in the market, and always get a better price in the San Francisco market than potatoes raised on lower ground.

There are yet thousands upon thou-sands of acres of good hill lands cov-ered with virgin timber.

Many Sailors at Concert. An excellent concert was given at the Institute of the Portland Seaman's Friend

BLUE LAW TO BE ENFORCED

ment, and everyone knows how politics would be against any such proceeding. Besides, the Prosecutor procisims that there have been arrests and cases taken to the grand juries, and the grand juries SUNDAY SALOONS IN ATLANTIC CITY_ARE DOOMED.

New Jersey Governor Will Compel Grand Juries to Indict Rumsellers.

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 10 .- Although no one can say surely at the present time what steps will be taken to compe time what steps will be taken to compute the officials of Atlantic County to enforce the bishops' law and other excise statutes, it is a certainty that Governor Fort will make some recommendations to the end that Atlantic City be not left to the county of the county o in the position of nullifying the will of the Legislature.

the Legislature.

Atlantic City saloon problem is similar to the conditions which existed in Monmouth County when Justice John J. Fort was in office and the grand juries would not indict for gambling.

Justice Fort met the difficulty by ordering the grand jury to stay in session until they had indicted gamblers. It is possible for the Presiding Justice in a county to for the Presiding Justice in a county to keep the grand jury in session as long as he believes there is business to be done. And he can make life very unpleasant for members of grand juries by compelling long sessions. In this way Justice Fort broke down the forces that were keeping grand juries from indicting gamblers, and he drove gambling out of Long Branch. There were whispers here that Justice Trenchard might follow the example of Justice Fort, but of course no one can Hague conference in his address on "Limpredict anything of this kind with certain of Armament" referred at some tainty. Certain it is that Governor Fort, length to the proposal that the nations has not forgotten how he drove the grand juries of Monmouth County to indict gamblers, and maybe he might suggest to some of his legal brothers that they might succeed to higher things if they followed his example.

Speakers at Peace Union Meeting Condemn Large Army.

MYSTIC, Conn., Aug. 15.—President Roosevelt and some of his policies were severely criticised because of the "bar-racks policy," as it is known in Europe, which requires the enlargement of the Army and the building of a big Navy, by the speakers at the forty-second annual meeting of the Universal Peace Union at Peace Grove here yesterday, Dr. William I, Hull, of Swarthmore, Pa., who at-tended all of the sessions of the second samolers, and maybe he might suggest to some of his legal brothers that they might succeed to higher things if they followed his example.

The power of the Governor over Prose
Byans and President Roosevelt to the effect that a large Army and Navy are necessary to preserve peace, and indignantly denied that this was so.

The power of the Governor over Prose
Rev. Scott F. Horsey, of Newcastic, Pa., and Main 2028.

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Second floor Failing bidg. Third and Washington streets Office hours, S. A. M. to 8 P. M. Sandays, 9 to 1 P. M. Paintess A. and Main 2028. come together and appoint an interna-tional board. Dr. Hull quoted Admiral Evans and President Roosevelt to the effect that a large Army and Navy are

having to go to war with Japan, and criticised Congressman Hobson for "going up and down the country disturbance about this matter."

Naval Apprentices Sent West.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15 .- Under orders received from the War Department 247 naval apprentices have been detached for service on the warships now on the sea-coasts. The apprentices will sail to Nor-folk, Va. and go overland to San Fran-



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