

VITAMIN E TO HELP SETTLE SEX PROBLEM

Chicago, Jan. 21 (AP)—Science, the Illinois state medical society announced today, may soon provide a means of predetermining sex.

The secret is in vitamin E, lesser known brother of vitamin A, B, C and D, the society's journal reported.

The vitamin, plentiful in the oily substance of wheat, appears from "the most ethical laboratory experiments" to have strange powers of telling whether an unborn child will be a boy or a girl, the journal said.

"Research suggests emphatically that this sex vitamin has an important clinical role in the predetermination of sex," the article asserted.

It predicted that when experiments have been completed the shaft of wheat, long a barometer of world trade, may be the means of permitting parents to select the sex of their children in advance.

Experiments with rats, the journal said, showed that mother rats give birth to males and females in direct ratio to the sparse or overabundant supply of vitamin E in the diet.

"Apparently hypo-vitaminosis, or a sparse supply, in the case of vitamin E tends to produce male offspring, just as hyper-vitaminosis, or an abundant supply, tends to produce females," said the journal.

It reported an experiment in England in which two women, previously unable to bear children, were treated with the vitamin and each gave birth to a child.

Incidentally, the journal said, research showed that children treated with the vitamin are more intelligent than other children.

MASS SUICIDES PUZZLE SCIENCE

Ottawa, Ont. (AP)—One of the strangest and inexplicable stories in natural history—the "suicide march" of the lemming, Arctic mouse—was told by Dr. R. M. Anderson, of the Victor Memorial Museum here.

Every four years, Anderson revealed, millions of tiny white Arctic mice voluntarily march into the sea and drown. They never migrate inland, always towards the sea. Scientists cannot explain why.

The mice are so numerous that it sometimes takes a whole week for one band to pass a given point. Eskimos believe that the mice fall with the snow of Arctic blizzards.

Texas Game Warden Gets Quail Crows

Beaumont, Tex. (AP)—Collecting crows of quail killed in this section is the new hobby of District Game Warden Keller Hines. He wants to study the feeding habits of quail in various counties of the state.

Guns, shells, a game bag, no longer complete a hunter's outfit in this section. He also takes along an envelope addressed to Hines, cuts the crow from each quail he kills, and sends it to the game warden by first class mail.

Mrs. Neil Hostess

West Stayton—Mrs. Eva Neil at Silverton entertained at dinner for her mother, Mrs. T. Y. McClellan, on her 73rd birthday. Mrs. Rub. Martin of Amosville, a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McClellan of North Santiam and Paul McClellan were present at the dinner. T. Y. McClellan was unable to attend, he is recovering from the flu.

TEA IS POSTPONED

Liberty—The Liberty Woman's club scholarship tea which is an annual affair and scheduled to have been held Thursday, January 24 at Liberty hall has been indefinitely postponed. Mrs. W. R. Dallas, chairman of the education committee is in charge.

Silver—Mrs. Otto Hike, who underwent a major operation at the Deaconess hospital recently was able to be brought home Thursday.

Rebekah Assembly President To Call

Stayton—Mrs. Grace Christiansen, president of the Rebekah assembly of Oregon will pay her official visit to Eva Rebekah lodge of Stayton on Tuesday evening.

CHINOOK PUTS SNOW ON RUN

The howl of the chinook replaced that of the coyote over the weekend, ridding the streets of snow which fell Sunday all day, and causing an almost 100 per cent fatality among snow men.

A light snow, held in check by low temperature, started to fall early Sunday morning and continued throughout the day and early evening, sticking to the pavement and highways as it fell until nearly two inches covered the ground.

Tobogganing proved popular but brought two victims, both of them seriously injured. Otto White, of Salem, was painfully injured when a sled hit a stump near the Illahee Country club, causing a large splinter to pierce his hip. Harlan Nelson, 16, of Woodburn, was taken to the Salem General hospital Sunday with a fractured hip as a result of a coasting accident near Woodburn.

Motor accidents were kept at a minimum, both because of decreased traffic and extra precautions taken by motorists.

The lowest temperature recorded at the airport was 15 degrees Saturday morning at 7:42 o'clock. The temperature Sunday hovered around the 20 degree mark all day until 8:42 o'clock at night when it rose one degree. From that time on the increase in temperature was caused by a strong south wind, was constant and at 9 o'clock Monday morning the mercury was standing at 42 degrees.

OHIO ANNUAL FARM IS NOT SUCCESS

Norwalk, O. (AP)—Ohio's effort to increase her game supply by raising rabbits and raccoons wholesale at two big farms near here, evidently has met with failure.

The state conservation department had hoped that within a few years, thousands of raccoons and rabbits could be loosed in various parts of the state, from the ranches.

The first year's experiments at the rabbit ranch failed to such extent that no effort was made to stock the big enclosure this year. At the raccoon ranch, a year ago, about 750 fine 'coons, mostly black, were in the pens, and at the outset, it appeared the birth rate would be high.

Propagation has been disappointing and heavy losses within the last month have reduced the animals to a great extent. There is even talk of turning loose the remainder.

100-YEAR-OLD MILL RUNS

Canton, O. (AP)—The Magnolia Flour mill at Magnolia, near here, is operating in the huge frame building that Richard Elson erected when he founded the business 100 years ago. The Elson family still controls the mill.

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This prediction was made today by railroad traffic officials in announcing the novel excursions, which are now scheduled to leave El Paso and Tucson every Monday. Connections from the east and south are made at El Paso or Tucson, and from the west at Tucson.

The itinerary of the tour has been mapped with great care, and in addition to Mexico City, includes Uruapan, Patzcuaro, Guanajuato, Guadalajara, and Mazatlan. Entering Mexico at Nogales and returning via El Paso, the land cruise takes about three weeks, including eight days in Mexico City, or a longer stay may be made in the capital city.

The tourist makes his home in the Pullman "hotel on wheels." It was explained. The air-conditioned cars have berths, kitchen, dining room and lounge, and a Pullman conductor who speaks English and Spanish, to smooth the way, giving the traveler maximum comfort.

The tour has been planned at very reasonable cost, it was stated, and at all over-night stops, except in Mexico City, passengers may sleep and have their meals in the Pullman car instead of going to a hotel.

SURVEY SOLD SKINS

Boise, Idaho (AP)—Fur buyers from east and west coasts attended a sale of nearly a thousand "skins" here. The sale was conducted by the biological survey and included hides from bobcats, coyotes, cougars, badgers and skunks. They represent the catch of veteran trappers operating in southwestern Idaho under supervision of the biological survey.

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