

GINSENG

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Prof. Howard of the Missouri State Agricultural College says: "I advise American farmers to cultivate Ginseng. Big profits are realized. It is easily grown." A bulletin by the Pennsylvania State College says: "The supply of Ginseng Root is rapidly diminishing and the price per pound is correspondingly increasing, while the constant demand for the drug in China stands as a guarantee of a steady market for Ginseng in the future." American Consul General Wildman at Hong Kong writes: "There will be little difficulty in disposing on this coast of all the Ginseng that is grown in America.

Ginseng is a staple on the market the same as corn, wheat and cotton. The present market prices vary from \$6 to \$8 per pound, while the cost of production is less than \$1.50. There is room in one's garden to grow several hundred dollars worth each year. The plant can be grown throughout the United States and Canada in any soil or climate that will grow ordinary garden vegetables. There are two planting seasons, spring and fall.

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SOLD FOR SONG.

WITH few exceptions the men who made the first quartz locations in the Butte district did not make much money out of their property. In the early history of mining here, placer was considered lead and shoulders above quartz and for this reason quartz claims did not call for much in the opinion of mining men. As an evidence of this it may be stated that a half interest in the Lexington mine, a similar interest in the Annie and Ida and a half in the Transit were sold by the original locator to Andrew J. Davis, who already owned the other half of the properties, for a bay mare and \$150 in cash. The Annie and Ida proved one of the valuable claims of the townsite of Walkerville and is good not only for mining but building purposes as well. About 1874 Davis sold the Lexington for \$1,000,000 in cash and a lot of stock in the Lexington company organized by the purchasers to work the property.

Just how much money has been taken from the Lexington can only be conjectured. For almost 20 years it was worked on an extensive scale and then closed down with the exception of some leasing carried on in the upper levels. While this was going on, copper ore was discovered in the property. The ore lay beside the main vein of silver-gold ore and is not a continuation of it, as generally supposed. The property is now in the hands of F. Augustus Heinze. Since work was stopped in the lower levels, almost 13 years ago, no one has seen the bottom workings for water gradually came into the openings and continued to rise until it is now 950 feet deep. This will eventually be pumped out as the ground below is needed. Between the water and the surface some good copper ore is being extracted and it is said that ore bodies not previously known to exist in the east levels have been opened up recently.—Journal.

THE YELLOW FEVER GERM.

Has recently been discovered. It bears a close resemblance to the malaria germ. To free the system from disease germs, the most effective remedy is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed to cure all diseases due to malaria poison and constipation. 25c at Benson's Pharmacy.

The Southern Pacific Co. unloaded four cars of local merchandise here on Monday. The freight men say they don't like Cottage Grove for it does entirely too much business for so small a place to suit them. All the freight trains have a lot of work at this point, switching, unloading, etc. and the boys are like all the rest of us, they don't like to work.

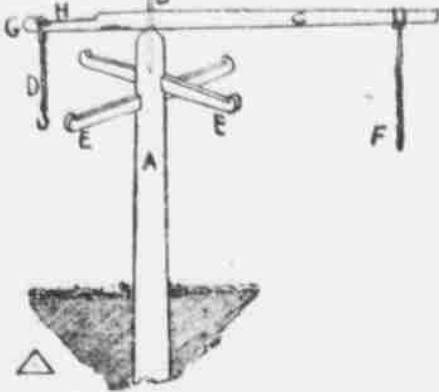
Here and there throughout the United States are boulders or large masses of angular rock that show that they have been transported to a distance from their original mountains by the action of ice during the Glacial period. These rocks or boulders are known in geology as "erratics."



HANGING HOGS.

How to Make a Hog Hanger That is Highly Recommended.

This plan of a hog hanger was originally given in Ohio Farmer. A correspondent asserts that he has never seen any other so good, and he gives the following directions for its construction: The post (A) should set four feet in the ground, and the height above ground should be about five feet six inches to the cross arms (E). The arms are of 2 by 4 stuff forty-eight to fifty-six inches long. The top of the post is eighteen inches above the upper



arms. The hole for the rod (B) is drilled eighteen inches deep from the top of the post. The lever (C) is of any desirable length, but the short end (D) must extend out beyond the end of the arm. F is a rope attached to the long end. D is the stay chain of a wagon, fastened by a clevis to the lever, and slips back and forth in the cut out at H. The end of the lever (G) is lowered; the lower hook of D is hooked on to a gambrel stick, the carcass raised up until the gambrel is a little higher than the arm, when it is easy to slide it over on to the arm.

SKIM MILK CALVES.

Large, Strong Calves Raised on Skim Milk and Dry Grains.

The increased use of milk separators in the dairy sections of the country has resulted in greater attention being paid to raising calves on skim milk. It is well settled at this time that practically all large, strong and vigorous calves can be grown on skim milk, supplemented by some suitable grain feed, as on whole milk, provided they are properly fed and cared for. There is no question but that whole milk is the normal food for calves, and when the cream or butter fat is removed it becomes necessary to replace it in the calf ration with some equivalent but cheaper form of feed. A number of the stations have made experiments with different feeds to learn which is most efficient for this purpose. Cornmeal has been found the cheapest and best supplemental grain for this purpose at the Iowa station. Whole corn and Kafir corn meal have given good results at the Kansas station. At the Nebraska station germ oil meal and linseed meal have proved efficient substitutes, and in a recent bulletin of the Idaho station good gains with oats are reported.

The Kansas Method.

The method of procedure in rearing the skim milk calf at the Kansas station was about as follows: The calf was allowed to run with its mother the first four or five days of its life. It was then removed and left twenty-four hours without food, when it became hungry and was easily taught to drink. For a week thereafter it was fed whole milk at the rate of four pounds in the morning, two pounds at noon and four pounds at night. The second week about the same amount of milk was given in two feeds, morning and night. Within two or three weeks after removal from the cow skim milk was gradually substituted for whole milk at the rate of a half pint per feed until the entire amount was skim milk. About a month after the calf was taken from the cow it was receiving twelve to fourteen pounds of skim milk; at two months, eighteen pounds, and finally reached twenty-two to twenty-four pounds per day.

How Grain is Fed.

The grain added to the ration was fed dry in boxes. The calves began to eat grain when ten days to two weeks old. At first a handful was put in the calf's mouth as soon as it had finished drinking its milk, and it soon learned to eat with a relish from the feed boxes. The Kafir corn meal or other grain was never mixed with the milk. The calves were fed what grain they would eat up clean.

Where to Keep Honey.

When I first commenced to keep bees nearly every one stored his honey in the cellar, considering such to be the place that would keep it best, for it was thought a cool or cold place was needed to preserve this product. Even now it is hard work to get this notion out of the heads of many who buy honey. However, it was soon found out that if kept for any length of time in a cool, damp place honey commences to sweat or ooze out of the unsealed cells and sour, while if left in such a place for two or three months the cell-cappings acquire a watery appearance and finally burst. Every beekeeper of any experience now recommends a room whose temperature can be kept at 80 to 90 degrees as the only place in which honey should be kept. By thus storing the product it grows thicker and of better quality as time advances, says a New England Homestead correspondent.

Frank Peckham Drops Dead at San Francisco.

San Francisco, Feb. 10.—A wire carrying thousands of volts of electricity killed Frank Peckham, at the corner of Bush and Stockton streets, at 11 o'clock this morning, as he was walking beneath a temporary structure erected over the sidewalk for the protection of passers-by. The wire was dangling from a new building being erected there. Through some one's carelessness it had been allowed to remain unprotected and a menace to every person that happened to pass.

Peckham was carrying an umbrella, the framework of which bruised the exposed wire. Peckham dropped in his tracks and died without a word. There were a number of people near him at the time. Mrs. F. Fallon of 926 Bush street had just passed the dangerous place, and also narrowly escaped death.

Peckham tramped up the hill without premonition of danger. He passed under the temporary structure erected over the sidewalk with his umbrella still open. One of the steel rods caught up the current and in a moment Peckham was dead.

William Koehnig, a contractor, who is superintending the building witnessed the accident. He says that he realized the danger of the wire but did not take the precaution to station a man there to warn people away.

Field's Last Act in Finance.

The last act of Marshall Field in the world of local finance, in which he had become a dominant figure in recent years, was in connection with the impending failure of the Walsh bank, says a Chicago dispatch. It was through his influence and at his suggestion that the clearing house committee adopted the plan of liquidation which was put into effect when the institution closed. Mr. Field prevented a financial crash and a panic that might have dragged down a score of local banks. The committee had been in session with Comptroller of Currency Ridgely for hours, vainly striving to agree on a solution of the impending disaster. It was late at night before Mr. Field was appealed to. He went from his residence to where the Chicago financiers were in session.

The situation was briefly outlined and he immediately proposed the solution. Several of the committee demurred to accepting the responsibility for the deposits of the Walsh banks. Mr. Field pointed out the shock to Chicago's financial credit if the banks should be permitted to fail and insisted that his plan be adopted. It has been stated that he even declared he would go ahead himself if the banks would not.

The committee and the comptroller adopted the plan and the financial credit of the city and thousands of dollars of deposits were saved. "We had divided up into groups and gone into separate rooms to discuss possible solutions," said James H. Eckles yesterday. "Every hour we seemed to be getting further from an agreement. Finally Mr. Field arrived, proposed the only solution possible, and the affair of millions was settled in a few minutes."—Oregon Tradesman.

LUCKEST MAN IN ARKANSAS.

"I'm the luckiest man in Arkansas," writes H. L. Stanley, of Bruno's health after five years of continuous coughing and bleeding from the lungs, and I owe my good fortune to the world's greatest medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which I know from experience will cure consumption if taken in time. My wife improved with first bottle and twelve bottles completed the cure." Cures the worst coughs and colds or money refunded. At Benson's Pharmacy druggist. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

New York is to have a theater to be called the National, for which ground has already been purchased for some \$770,000. Conried will be at the head of the enterprise, and the theatre will be called the National theatre. The plays presented will be of the highest standard of art and will represent the best of all nations. In the theatre will be 30 boxes arranged in the shape of a horseshoe. The owner of each box will pay \$100,000 for it, and it will be the property of the buyers in perpetuity. At the price of 25 cents at each performance 600 seats will be reserved for students.

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Beaver Pelts Confiscated.

Game warden Baker has some of the finest beaver skins to be seen, that were confiscated by a justice of the peace, from a man arrested for killing the animals. The warden does not know exactly what he can do with them, but wants to sell them to put them to the game fund.

He is very anxious to see the legislature pass a law making a small license fee on professional anglers and men that do much fishing, but not on the small boy that cuts a willow and goes fishing. He would want the fund to be applicable to the furthering of the protection of the fish, and the establishment of more hatcheries.

Deflection of the compass is said to have been responsible for many wrecks on the upper lakes last season. In the iron ore regions of Lake Superior there are places where the compass deflects one and one half points, and the sailor not skillful enough to make allowances and correct his course accordingly not infrequently lands on the rocks.

There is quite a little lumber being shipped out of town these days, and it will grow steadily from this time on.

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The Rev. J. V. Warren, pastor of Sharon Baptist Church, Beloit, Wis., says of Electric Bitters: "It is a Godsend to mankind. It cured me of lame back, stiff joints, and complete physical collapse. I was so weak I took me half an hour to walk a mile. Two bottles of Electric Bitters have made me as strong as I have just walked three miles in one day. It is a new era of the greatest remedy for weakness and all Stomach, Liver and Kidney complaints. Sold under guarantee at Benson's Pharmacy. Price 50c."

Reduced Rates Announced.

The tide of immigration is expected to renew its flow westward shortly after Feb. 15, on which day reduced rates of fare to Pacific coast points will be put into effect by the railroads. In connection with these reduced rates, the Southern Pacific Co. announces the following fares to points in Oregon lines, from Feb. 15 to April 17, and from Sept. 15 to Oct. 31:
From Chicago, Ill., \$45.
Bloomington, Ill., \$37.50.
From Peoria, Ill., \$31.
From St. Louis, Mo., \$30.
From Memphis, Tenn., \$37.50.
From Omaha, Kansas City, St. Paul and Denver \$25.

The future Empress of Germany, Crown Princess Cecilie is said to be with incipient consumption, say the doctors, and now every precaution is being taken to give her strength and health.

FRIGHTFULLY BURNED.

Chas. W. Moore, a merchant of Ford City, Pa., had his hand frightfully burned in an electric furnace. He applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve with the usual result: "A quick and perfect cure. Greatest healer on earth for Burns, Wounds, Sores, Eczema and Piles. 25c at Benson's Pharmacy Druggist."

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NOTICE.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roseburg, Ore., Jan. 19, 1906. Notice is hereby given that the approved plat of survey of Township No. 27 South, Range No. 1 West of the Willamette Meridian, Oregon, has been received from the Surveyor General for Oregon, and on Tuesday the 6th day of March, 1906, at 9 o'clock a. m., the said township plat will be filed in this office, and on and after said day we will be prepared to receive applications for the entry of the unappropriated and unreserved lands in said township.
BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.
J. M. LAWRENCE, Receiver.
Note: This township was withdrawn from entry on August 3, 1903.

NOTICE.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roseburg, Ore., Jan. 19, 1906. Notice is hereby given that the approved supplemental plat of additions to Sections 12 and 13, Township No. 28 South, Range No. 1 West of the Willamette Meridian, Oregon, has been received from the Surveyor General for Oregon, and on Tuesday the 6th day of March, 1906, at 9 o'clock a. m., the said supplemental plat will be filed in this office, and on and after said day we will be prepared to receive applications for the entry of lands in the portions of said township covered by said supplemental plat.
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