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A GOOD WORD FOR THE CROW.

Despite the Damage He Does He is a Good Scavenger.

In spite of the crow's instinct to feed on the eggs and young of other species (which he shares in common with several other birds), who would really wish to see him quite exterminated, even if it were possible to exterminate so resourceful a fellow?

His destruction to crops is certainly far less than that of the bobolink in the southern rice fields. He is an efficient scavenger, and his destruction of white grubs, cutworms, wireworms and grasshoppers is of great value. Above all, however, his place in our landscape is such that his passing would leave a dreary void.

Winter or summer we are conscious of him against the sky, against the fields or sentinel on a patriarch pine. In the misty mornings of summer when the sun has not yet rolled up the curtains of cloud from the mountains we hear his voice far off in the woods, rousing us from slumber, and when autumn has come and our sugar groves are a glory of crimson he is still there, his distant call floating down sweetly from the upland woods and testifying in some strange way the height of the peaks beyond.—Harper's Magazine.

LAY OF THE NIGHTINGALE.

Why It Stops When the Little Birds Come Out of the Shell.

It is generally assumed that a bird sings because he is happy, but science goes deeper for an explanation of the why and wherefore of the bird's song. Nature's optimistic joy in constructive progress is expressed in the singing of the male birds who charm their mates to further their wooing and continue after eggs are laid to encourage the fulfillment of hatching.

The song stops when the little birds come out of the shell. The nightingale for weeks during the period of nest building and hatching charms his mate and human ears near him with the beautiful music of his love song. But as soon as the little nightingales come from the eggs the song changes to a sort of guttural croak, implying anxiety and sense of responsibility.

If the nest and contents were destroyed the nightingale would at once resume his beautiful song to inspire his mate to help him build another nest and start all over again the loving work of being fruitful and multiplying.—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

Economizing Labor.

Two laborers were engaged to deepen a well which had become dry. One of them sent his mate down into the well while he sat at the top and directed the work. He first ordered the other man to "dig a bit on this side," then "dig a little more on that side," until the latter, tired of both the work and the orders, exclaimed, "You sit up there and use your tongue, while I have to do all the work!" "One man here giving directions," said the man at the top, "can do as much as ten men down there." Thereupon his mate threw down his pick and climbed up beside the other man. "What are you doing here?" inquired the latter. "Two men up here," answered his mate, "can do as much as twenty men down there!"—London Strand.

Skating on the Water.

The ski is recommended as both a life saving device and a pleasure craft, combining safety with novelty. It cannot sink, makes better speed than a swimmer and does not tire the rider as swimming does. It is more practicable for long distances and can go through water where there is a heavy undertow, as it sits so high in the water that it is not caught in the grip of the undercurrent as the legs of the swimmer are. It doesn't take a long time to master, as the surf board does; requires no skill in balancing and sticking on and has the great advantage of being equipped with a motive power, whereas the ordinary surf board must be pushed and paddled out to sea before it can be ridden in.—Outing.

Where Art Ceases.

All art is a matter of nature or life acted upon by man; a part taken out of its accidental surroundings and given artistic form. At either side of the field of true art is a waste place where art ceases to have beauty. And the waste on the one side is reached when the artist becomes so enamored of life that he forgets to interpret, to give artistic form, and only brings forth a photographic image, while the waste on the other side is reached when the artist perfects his form but forgets to put life into it.—Sheldon Cheney.

The Outdoor Life.

"The doctor says I don't take enough interest in outdoor pastimes."
"Are you going to profit by his suggestion?"
"Yes, I'm going to sit down and read every word on the sporting page."
—Washington Star.

Cause of the Pessimism.

Orator—On the surface things are often right, but it is when we explore the depths of things that we see the deceptions of our fellow creatures. One of the Crowd—Guvnor, you've been buying a barrel of apples, haven't you?—London Tit-Bits.

The Real Need.

Book Agent—This book will teach you how to economize. The Victim—That's no good to me. What I need is a book to teach me how to live without economizing.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The song that nerves a nation's heart is in itself a deed.—Tennyson.

WILDWOOD.

Ed. Hull visited at E. Mason's Friday evening.

Henry McCoy went to Corvallis last week.

Mr. Miles and Mr. Yates were seen on Upper Luckiamute Friday.

One of Ira Green's horses accidentally got down in a small stream near his home and was unable to get up. With the help of some neighbors he managed to get it out, but it could not stand alone, but it is able to walk now.

L. D. Fry will cut his clover hay in a few days, if the weather stays good.

T. V. Mason, who has been staying with his brother for the past six months, is going away Saturday.

Elmer Fry went to Kings Valley Saturday.

K. of P.'s Elect Officers.

Marmion Lodge, No. 96, elected the following officers last night: C. C., D. P. Patterson; V. C., Thos. E. Campbell; Master of Work, Dr. B. F. Butler; Prelate, Jno. H. Allgood; M. at A., J. E. Bloom; J. G., R. Y. Morrison; O. G., G. C. Burch. The hold-overs are: K. of R. and S., J. T. Ford; M. of E., Wm. A. Himes; M. of F., Lef S. Pinseth.

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Cancer of the womb is one of the most fatal diseases from which countless women die, simply because it is not diagnosed in time. If recognized in time it is as curable as other forms of cancer. There are two forms: Cancer of the body of the womb, which is a comparatively rare disease, and cancer of the neck and mouth of the womb, which is very frequent.

Cancer of the neck and mouth of the womb usually appears about the time of change of life. The bloody discharge, which is one of the first symptoms, is frequently mistaken for a reappearance of the monthly flow. Later on severe pains call the attention of the patient to her womb, while the extremely ill smelling discharge that appears in the later stages finally induces the woman to seek medical help. While in the first stages there appears at the mouth of the womb a cauliflower like growth which bleeds at the slightest touch; in the later stages this becomes necrotic and ulcerated away causing the ill smelling discharge, and a large ulceration eating deep into the womb and often into the bladder and rectum, causing a horrible death.

While usually cancer of the womb appears after the middle of life, cases are known where it appeared far earlier. Dr. Toel having seen a well defined case in a woman of only 27 years.

In most cases of cancer of the womb all kinds of patent suppositories and ointment are used for a long time, the cancer meanwhile growing on undisturbed. Later on a physician may be called in who may possibly apply caustics. Later on a surgeon may be seen who will advise cutting out the cancerous growth from the womb or cutting out the entire womb.

The caustic applications have the danger of all such remedies of irritating the cancer germs and cells and driving them into the lymphatic glands, thus starting new cancers. Aside of this the long continued pain, hours or days, is often unbearable. The cutting operations have the danger of inoculating the fresh cut surfaces with cancer germs and cells and in addition surgical shock and loss of blood combined with the danger of blood poisoning hard to avoid in such a locality. Aside of this the woman is unsexed if the entire womb is removed.

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When there is a cauliflower growth this can be quickly removed with the low voltage current operation without the loss of a single drop of blood and with so little pain that the use of ether or chloroform is not necessary. In cancerous ulcerations these are destroyed with the very high voltage current, while when these extend into the vagina he uses a new method-invented by himself with alternating medium voltage.

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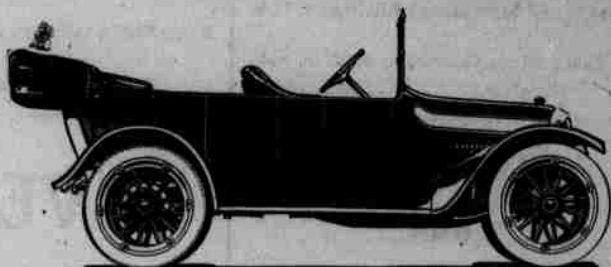
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