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The very time to be pleasant is when the other people are cross.

A soft answer turneth away wrath but has no effect on a book agent.

The parcel post will do most anything but darn socks and rock the baby.

An exchange says that gossips have motor cars beaten to a frazzle when it comes to running people down.

A man doesn't discover that there is a boundry line between his own lot and his neighbor's until the first snow falls and he has to clean the walks.

It is remarked that the mail order houses have not relaxed their efforts to get business just because a few dull months in the year appear. They everlastingly keep at the advertising end of their business.

If you have made up your mind to live in a town, then stand up for it, and if you know positively no good, then silence is golden. Do all you can to help along every man who is engaged in legitimate business. Do not send away for everything nice you want and still expect the home man to suit the whim of one or two possible purchasers. The success of your fellow townsman will be your success. No man liveth to himself and no man does business independent of his fellow business man. Take your home paper. Do not imagine that the big dailies fill up all this space. There are many little crevices of good cheer, social sunshine, personal mention, in the home paper that the big dailies do not print. Then do not abuse your neighbor. The main difference in the number of his faults and your own is that you see through a magnifying glass as a critic. The ill-omened, the croaker, can do more harm in a minute than two good citizens can repair in a month.

**Applied Sociology.**

The sole function of science is not to give college professors an excuse to putter about in expensive laboratories and pose as savants to an admiring and uncomprehending world. The function of science is to study the process of nature in order to discover laws which may be turned to the uses of man. Science justifies itself only when it produces results applicable to practical life. Otherwise it is little more than a hobby for harmless old gentlemen with side-whiskers and bachelor degrees.

It is in its application that science justifies itself. The justification of astronomy lies in the rules of navigation; the justification of chemistry lies in the cyanide mill; physics finds its excuse in a steam engine, the dynamo, the wireless telegraph; mathematics in the Brooklyn bridge, psychology in education; and other sciences likewise. If the sciences had not been able to produce practical results they would have been little more than a set of answers to idle questions.

One of the latest of the sciences, in fact the latest great division of science, is sociology. It is the study of the associated life of humanity. Being a very abstract, though highly interesting science it might not be expected to produce any very startling results. But it has. It has produced at least one result of very great practical importance. Out of the study of sociology grew a great idea which is spreading all over the country and is creating some remarkable changes. That is the idea of community development.

A great many towns in this country have undertaken plans for self-development. They are doing it in the belief that the destiny of communities may be consciously and purposefully shaped by man according to the same laws which have unconsciously and blindly shaped them in the past. Sociology made a study of those laws and revealed them to the world. Now it is the business of man to employ his knowledge of them and work them to his advantage.

To believe that the social and economic forces operating in a community can be controlled by man is no vague fancy. Those fancies are created by man, and it is well within his power to control them, provided he goes about it with a foresight based in knowledge. When all, or even a majority of the towns of this country go about shaping their own destinies then will the millennium be several strides nearer.

**ADVICE TO YOUNG MEN.**

Young men, you are the architects of your own fortunes. Rely upon your own strength of body and soul. Take for your star self reliance, faith, honesty and industry. Inscribe on your banner, "Luck is a fool; pluck is a hero." Don't take too much advice. Keep at your helm and steer your own ship and remember that the great art of commanding is to take a fair share of the work. Don't practice too much humanity. Think well of yourself. Strike out. Assume your own position. Put potatoes in your cart over a rough road and small ones go to the bottom. Rise above the envious and jealous. Fire above the mark you intend to hit. Energy, invincible determination, with a right motive, are the levers that move the world. Don't drink. Don't chew. Don't smoke. Don't swear. Don't deceive. Don't marry until you can support a wife. Be in earnest. Be self reliant. Be generous. Be civil. Read the papers. Advertise your business. Make money and do good with it. Love your God and fellow men. Love truth and virtue. Love your country and obey its laws. If this advice be implicitly followed by the young men of the country the millennium is at hand.—Noah Porter.



Sam Parkins, of Gales Creek, visited local merchants Monday. William Stevens, of Dilley, greeted friends in this city Monday.

Nick Bothman and daughter, of Gales Creek, were Grove visitors Monday.

We give you the highest class meal in the city at the lowest price. Forest Grove Oyster House. 17tf

J. F. Hayden, of Gales Creek, has been wearing a pronounced smile the past week, created by a present from Mrs. Hayden last Thursday of a handsome ten pound baby girl.

Mrs. Everett Hall, who has been a guest at the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hall, of Oak Hill, left Monday for Buhl, Idaho, where Mr. Hall is at present located.

No one would think of "hag-gling about the prices" of an article in a store that advertises, Newspaper advertising—wide publicity of prices has made the "one-price-to-all" store a reality.

**The Press Poultry Department**

Conducted by H. S. Canon, Magalia, Calif.

Send questions for this department direct to Mr. Canon to insure prompt answers.

**Mating Fancy Fowls.**

If the breeding pens for the coming season have not already been mated up, it should be done as soon as possible. And they should be mated at least ten days before eggs are saved for hatching. And if the young are to show an advance in quality over the parent stock, care must be exercised in selecting the breeders.

First of all, do not tolerate in the breeding pen any bird which is not strong and vigorous, and well grown. A weak, undersized bird will produce undersized young which are lacking in vigor which is so necessary to proper development.

If you haven't a copy of the Standard of Perfection, you should by all means secure one before trying to mate up your breeding pens.

Raising Standard bred poultry without a copy of the Standard, is simply working in the dark; unless you are thoroughly familiar with what the Standard requires in the breed you are handling.

If you have a number of fowls to choose from, first select the male and build the pen on his qualities. Bear in mind that the male is half the flock, and every chick raised from the pen will bear the stamp of his individuality. So select a male as nearly perfect as possible, and if you are buying, I advise putting half the money in the purchase of the male and divide the remainder among the females.

Study the male carefully, and note every quality and every defect. In selecting the hens, have them particularly strong in any points in which the male is weak, and of course they should have as many good points in common with him as possible.

The basic principle underlying the mating of fancy fowls is the law of nature that like begets like. Not however in the same degree in all instances, for one chick may bear a close resemblance to one parent, and another to the other. One may have the good qualities of both parents, and none of the defects, while another may have the defects of both parents and none of the good points. Still another may have qualities or defects that neither parent shows, but which can be traced back to

some former generation. This shows the importance of always selecting the best birds obtainable.

Remember that breeding together two birds with a common defect will serve to intensify that defect in most of their progeny, and the defect is liable to crop out for several generations after the mating which fixed or intensified it. However, since there has never been a perfect specimen of any breed or variety, it is necessary to use birds with some defects. It is only by persistent selection of the best that we are able to show any advance.

Excellent results are often secured by mating an extra good male with as good hens as are obtainable with the funds available, and the following season mate the best of the pullets back to the cock. While many people have a horror of inbreeding, there is little danger in it if it is not carried to extremes, and if all fowls used are strong and vigorous. Of-course mating together two weaklings is certain to produce weaklings with the weakness intensified.

The novice should, if possible secure the services or advice of some person who is familiar with the variety he is taking up, or study the Standard until he knows the points to look for. There are many little points which he is apt to overlook which an experienced breeder would notice at first sight. And it is the little points that count. Any one can breed stock scoring eighty points, but each additional point is harder to secure, and the value of stock increases rapidly in proportion as each point is added.

Often a beginner will buy eggs for hatching from an experienced breeder and will produce stock which will win, and will keep what he considers the best of these birds for breeders the following season, and will not produce a single winner. Naturally he is discouraged and thinks he has been treated unfairly by the judge, but the trouble lies in the fact that he mated together birds having defects in common which he overlooked, and which has come out in the young stock in an aggravated form.

So if you would breed stock that will win, study your Standard and study your birds.

Dick Holscher, from David's hill, was in the Grove Monday.

John Matthews and Lloyd McNutt are painting the N. J. Baker residence at Hillsboro.

J. M. Umchede and wife, of Gales Creek, were visiting friends in the Grove Monday.

February 18, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Simpson, of Hillsboro, were presented with a handsome 10 pound boy.

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