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Useless. Once there was an old hen that dwelt in the yard back of a cold storage warehouse.

But she never laid any eggs. "What would be the use?" she clucked. "Nobody would believe it."

Secret of this value. "You said that price of holding of you, for \$4,000, did you? What is there about a building that could possibly make his worth as much money as that?"

More than that. "The fact that somebody thinks he's worth \$4,000."

More than that. "The society of the Black Hand is very rude is it not?"

"In what respect?" "Its members seem to have such an unaccountable dread of cutting their acquaintances dead."—Baltimore American.

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Hard to smile. "Physicians," remarked the thoughtful thinker, "are hard to smile."

"How's that?" queried the party at whom the remark had been aimed. "If their patients get well," explained the t. t., "they lose them, and if they die they also lose them."

Whereupon the party of the second part dashed around the corner.

Omissions of History. Hercules had slain the Erymanthean bear.

"I hated to do it," he said, "but it was an actual necessity. We are absolutely out of meat."

Still, his stern features relaxed with a smile as he reflected that by doing his own slaughtering he had escaped the payment of tribute to the meat trust.

Under a Different Name. "Variety," quoth the man with the bulging brow, "is the spice of life."

"Yes," assented the man with the bulbous nose, "but that isn't the name of it now. It's 'variety'."

Final Obedience. "Harold," she murmured in his ear, "mamma says I mustn't encourage you if you come here so often, and I have to do as she tells me, of course, but you don't need an encouragement—do you, dear?"

Between Friends. Na—Look at the youthful she who sits out! She's 15 years older than I am, isn't she a day!

Fan—You wouldn't tear under the ring yourself, would you, dear?

In Doubt About One Point. "But I have talked long enough, my friends," said the long-winded orator, "before I sit down, however, I am willing to answer any questions you would like to ask as to points I may have failed to cover in my discourse."

A brief pause followed. Then a timid looking man in the audience rose.

"Is a motion to adjourn in order?" he asked.—Chicago Tribune.

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Horses and Mules.

There has been a rapid increase in the number and value of the horses and mules in the United States.

In 1900 there were 15,624,000 horses and mules in the United States. During the next five years there was an increase of 27.7 per cent, so that on January 1, 1905, the number of horses and mules had increased to 19,946,000, and the increase did not stop at that rate.

On the first of January, 1907, there were no less than 23,564,000 horses and mules, showing an increase of 18 per cent during the two years subsequent to 1905.

Those who are inclined to talk overproduction at the present are confronted with the indisputable fact that during the seven years when the increase in numbers amounted to 50 per cent there was also an increase in price per head amounting to over 50 per cent. Thus on January 1, 1900, our horses and mules were valued at \$715,688,000, while on January 1, 1905, they were valued at \$2,274,942,000.

This is a phenomenal record and yet, notwithstanding this extraordinary increase in number and value, horses are in greater demand to-day than they have ever been before in the history of the United States.

Keeping Hogs in Bounds. Here is an easy plan of keeping hogs from going from hog pastures to cow pastures, and at the same time allowing the cattle to go from one pasture to the other at will. As shown in the sketch, the opening in the fence may be as wide as desired. Two by twelve inch planks are nailed to the fence posts about four or six inches from the ground, and two extra posts are set out from the fence about a foot. The plank is nailed to the inside of these posts, and this plank should be about four feet longer than the one fastened to the fence so as to go by the opening at each end about two feet. The hogs

cannot jump the two planks, and small jump over, as they are lengthwise of the opening. The cattle will readily step over. The same plan may be used for sheep, only three planks may be necessary to retain them, although the writer uses only two for them also.—Farmers.

Mulching Helps. A very intelligent and observing farmer says: The importance of a mulch to counteract a drought was presented to me in a rather forcible manner last spring. We had planted a few rows of early beans and after they had come up we had a cold spell, and in order to save the beans from frost, they were covered with planks. After the danger from frost had passed, at one end of the rows the planks were laid between the rows and left for about two weeks, which was a dry season. At the other end the planks were moved clear away. The part where the planks were between the rows made double the growth of the others. The growth was evidently due to the moisture saved by the planks.

Loss of Manure. An authority claims that fully one-third of the manure voided on the farms of the United States is lost. The fermentation of manure is caused by the action of heat which requires an abundance of oxygen and dies when exposed to it. The farmer tries to get the outside of the heap and the latter in the interior. The latter's office seems to break up the more complex particles and prepare them for the action of the former. If the action of the former is too rapid a great deal of the nitrogen passes off into the air in the form of ammonia or free nitrogen, and is lost to the soil from whence it came.

The Up-to-Date Cow. The improved cow, says the American Farmer, is the cow that continually improves in her milking qualities. She is not the only improved cow, for the product of good beef stock and of the improved steer is an improved cow. It is not only necessary to have the improved dam, but the sire should also be improved, if the improvement is made that is necessary. Keep up the improvement lest there be a retrogression.

Merino in Vermont. The merino sheep industry in Vermont is again entering an era of prosperity that presages a boom. While by no means approaching the palmy days of thirty years ago, the industry is reviving and each year for a decade past has shown an increase in shipments of fancy strains of merino-breeding sheep to Africa and Australia.

Rock Salt for Horses. For cattle and horses, rock salt placed in boxes or troughs in winter and scattered about the pastures on the grass in summer is preferable to any other way. Hains have little effect upon it and this will be found both convenient and economical. For sheep, however, this plan does not work so well. The rock salt is so slow to dissolve that they are not able to get a sufficient quantity of it to satisfy their wants, hence it is necessary to use the loose salt for them.

Missouri Sheep. A new breed of sheep is said to have been developed by William Beckman near Clapper, Mo. The new breed has all the best points of Ramboulllets, Shropshires and Cotswolds, with the best twenty Shropshire ewes and crossed them with a Ramboulliet buck and the ewes secured from the cross were then crossed with a Cotswold buck. It is claimed that they inherit the hairy traits of the Ramboulliets, the mutton qualities of the Shropshires and the heavy fleeces of the Cotswolds.

Nail Wounds in Horses' Feet.

It has long been known that nail pricks and other similar injuries in the horse's hoof may lead to an infection followed by the formation of a serious general disease of the horse, or at least the loss of the hoof.

In a bulletin of the South Dakota Station, Mr. Moore recently reported results obtained in a number of cases from applying a strict antiseptic treatment to injuries of this sort. The method consists in paring away the horn until the hoof comes out. The foot is then thoroughly washed in a solution of bichloride of mercury, in the proportion of one part to 500 parts of water, after which absorbent cotton, saturated in a solution of the same strength, is applied to the wound, and the whole hoof is packed in cotton, surrounded by a bandage and well coated with tar. This prevents any further filth from coming in contact with the wound.

The operation must usually be done by a qualified veterinarian. Subsequent treatment, however, can be applied by the average farmer, since all that is necessary is to pour a little of the solution of bichloride of mercury upon the cotton which projects from the upper part of the bandage. The cotton will absorb enough of the solution to keep the wound moistened and hasten the healing process. If a remedy of this sort is not adopted in the case of a foot wound in the horse, the owner runs considerable risk of serious infection either of blood poisoning or lockjaw.

Corn Land for the Bean Crop. Beans may be planted late and mature before a probably frost. For several years beans have borne a good price, and if the wheat crop proves to be as short as threatened at this writing the consumption of them is likely to be larger than usual. The planting, harvesting and thrashing of beans may be done by machinery now, which removes a former serious objection to their culture; and if the crop area on a farm has been made smaller than desired, by reason of the cold spring, a field of beans might be advantageously used in extending the season's crops. Good corn land is excellent for beans, and their cultivation does not differ materially from that of corn, hence it does not require any special instruction or skill to grow them successfully.

No Nurse Crop for Alfalfa. Some people still think alfalfa should be sown with a nurse crop. Those who have had experience with it know better. A recent publication of the Arizona Experiment Station sums up the facts as follows:

Nurse crops hinder the development of tops and roots of alfalfa, especially when by reason of a thick stand or rank growth shading effects are excessive. After the removal of the nurse crop the weakened and undeveloped alfalfa plants are poorly fitted to withstand drought and the stand may be lost. In the average instance the loss in yield of alfalfa due to a nurse crop probably more than offsets return from the nurse crop itself.

Transportation Charges. The freight and transportation charges on a full car of strawberries from southern points are often from \$200 to \$300, while on a car of southern peaches the cost of refrigeration and the high priced packages that have to be used run the cost up above \$500 on each car that comes into the State; \$100 of this would be profit or increased income to the local grower.

The local grower can often sell direct to consumer; there are no heavy or refrigerator charges to pay, and these two items alone often eat up over one-half to two-thirds of the gross sales of fruit brought from a distance. While the local grower saves it—J. H. Hale, Connecticut, in American Cultivator.

Fruit Picking Basket. This basket is made from an ordinary Delaware fruit basket. A strap goes over the shoulder of the picker and leaves both hands free for gathering the fruit. It is bad practice to shake any kind of fruit from the tree. It should always be picked by hand and carefully placed in the package in which it is sent to market. By this method injury to the extent of 10 to 25 per cent may be avoided.

Wintering Bees. D. H. Stovall says a neighbor who makes a good living from his apitary successfully winters his bees through the cold months in a cellar provided for the purpose. He states that bees may be successfully wintered in cellars provided the cellar is given over entirely to the bees and used for no other purpose. There is always an uncertainty odor, that is as disastrous to bees as anything else, emitted from decayed fruits, vegetables and such things as are usually stored in cellars. These are usually stored in cellars, and disturbed any more than is absolutely necessary; it should be made a quiet, unmoistened home for the little honey makers.

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"Mr. Smith frowned. 'Living beyond his means, is he?' he said. 'Dear me, that won't do. Send him here to me at once. I'll have to raise his salary.'"

A Famous Ball. Elmer Stricklett, the "split ball" pitcher, had been listening a long while in a New York club to the boasting of a rival.

"Well," he said, exhausted at last, "you are pretty good, Mike; but out in Mountain View there is a young fellow who can beat you. You'll hear from him next season. His speciality is the slow ball. This young fellow has such a slow ball that, when he pitches it and sees that it is going to be hit, he can run after it and fetch it back again."

Ingratitude. "Women," remarked the young man with the sorry look, "are delusions and snares."

"So?" queried the innocent bystander. "Yes, verily," rejoined the y. m. "Not many moons ago I cut out cigars and lived on free lunch two weeks in order to blow myself on an opera and a supper for a young woman. After supper I asked her to marry me, and what kind of an answer do you suppose she handed me?"

"Give it up," rejoined the l. b. "She said she was very sorry," continued the y. m., "but I was entirely too extravagant to make a good husband."

Problems. The American theatrical manager, said recently after his annual London business season was over: "Two-thirds of the communication in London that two or three years ago was settled by correspondence or talks is now done by telephone. The result is a man's work is more concentrated and he gets more time. In perhaps 100 or more engagements I might have during the day, half are settled by telephone, even to engaging actors and listing stage questions. I have decided many stage questions this year this way than by correspondence or personal meetings. In fact, I have engaged two star actors and made agreements with three authors for plays without having ever met them."

Too Much for Him. It was the closing hour of the long weary trial. The courtroom was packed to suffocation to hear the venerable Judge's charge to the jury. There was a minute's silence before he cleared his throat and began to speak.

"Gentlemen of the jury," he said in part, "in arriving at a verdict in this case you must take the testimony of the witnesses for the defense into consideration and give them full weight."

At the words "full weight" one of the Jurymen fainting. He was a coal dealer.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Remediation of Luxury. "Mildred, why did you lie about 11 o'clock? I called you at 7, as you told me to do."

"I know it, mamma. I only wanted the pleasure of knowing that I was going to sleep two hours longer."

Social Triumph. "Did you attend Mrs. Skimmerhorn's also?" she asked the other night?"

"How was it?" "Complete success. It rained cats and dogs the whole evening."

His Mild Kick. "Theoretically," muttered the professor, pocketing the small amount of change that had been handed back to him, "all the products of nature ought to be free, but some of them cost like brass."

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Division of Labor. "Yes, sir," said "Buffalo Knutt," "me an' another feller wuzt run a Swiss cheese factory up in Wisconsin."

"A Swiss cheese factory?" said Edith Jorgalung. "What part of the work did you do, you old snooter?"

"I made the holes in the cheese."

Not Worth While. Anstere Person—"I can't tip you, young man, unless you have change for a tenor."

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"That's Sirius, too, dear."—Chicago Tribune.

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A Financial Pessimist. Gaye—Yes, is what you might term a financial pessimist? Myer—What's a financial pessimist? Gaye—A man who is afraid to look pleasant for fear his friends will want to borrow something.

Getting Square. He—I'm going to bring Joit home with me to dinner to-night. She—Oh, mercy, dear, don't! It's the cook's day out, and I'll have to cook dinner. He—Never mind; I owe Joit one, anyway! —Yonkers Statesman.

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