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FUNGUS DISEASE TO KILL CANADA THISTLE

Corvallis, Ore., July 21.—"Can science kill Canadian thistle with artificially propagated disease germs?" This is the problem plant pathologists of the O. A. C. experiment station have set themselves to answer. Large areas of this weed pest have been found in Lane and Polk counties dead and dying apparently from an attack of a fungus disease that strikes the stalks a little way above and below the surface of the ground. Under this attack the plants wilt, die and shrivel up. Cultures of the fungus have been made for H. P. Burns of the station and when properly identified will be used to inoculate healthy thistles with a view to wholesale destruction. Farmers are asked to assist in these investigations by sending specimens of plants suffering from disease, should they be able to find any. Applications for cultures should not be made until their worth is tested.

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Lord Ribblesdale, the most picturesque peer in England, who has married Mrs. Ava Wiffing Astor, mother of Vincent Astor and divorced wife of Col. John Jacob Astor, who was lost in the Titanic disaster.

Essay on a Cow.

A little boy wrote an essay about cows and read it in the Connecticut school society. The essay reads as follows: "A cow is an animal with four legs on the under side. The tail is no longer than the legs but is not used to stand on. The cow kills flies with her tail. A cow has big ears that wiggle on hinges, so does her tail. A cow is bigger than a calf but not as big as an elephant. She is made small so she can go in a barn when no one is looking. Some cows are black and some can hook. A dog got hooked. She tossed the dog that worried the cat that caught the rat that lived in the house that Jack built. Black cows give white milk; so do other cows. Milkmen sell milk to buy little girls dresses which they put water in and chalk. Cows chew cuds and each cow furnishes her own chew. That is all there is about cows."

Ruskin's Eloquent Plea.

I do not understand the feeling which would arch our own gates and pave our own thresholds, and leave the church with its narrow door and foot-worn sill; the feeling which encircles our own chambers with all manner of ostentation, and endures the bare wall and mean compass of the temple. I say this, emphatically, that the tenth part of the expense which is sacrificed in domestic discomforts and encumbrances, would, if collectively offered and wisely employed, build a marble church for every town in England; such a church as it should be a joy and a blessing even to pass near in our daily ways and walks, and as it would bring the light into the eyes to see from afar, lifting its fair height above the purple crowd of humble roofs.—Ruskin.

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