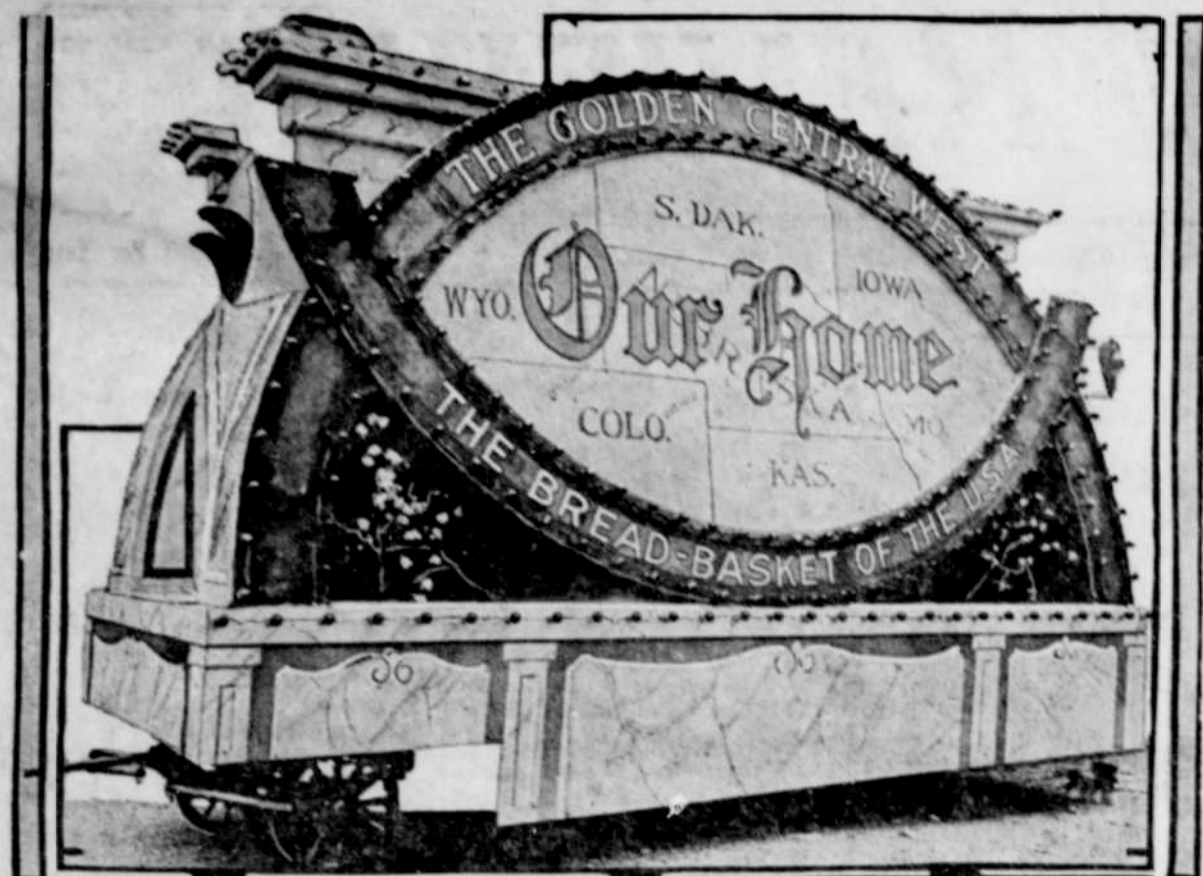
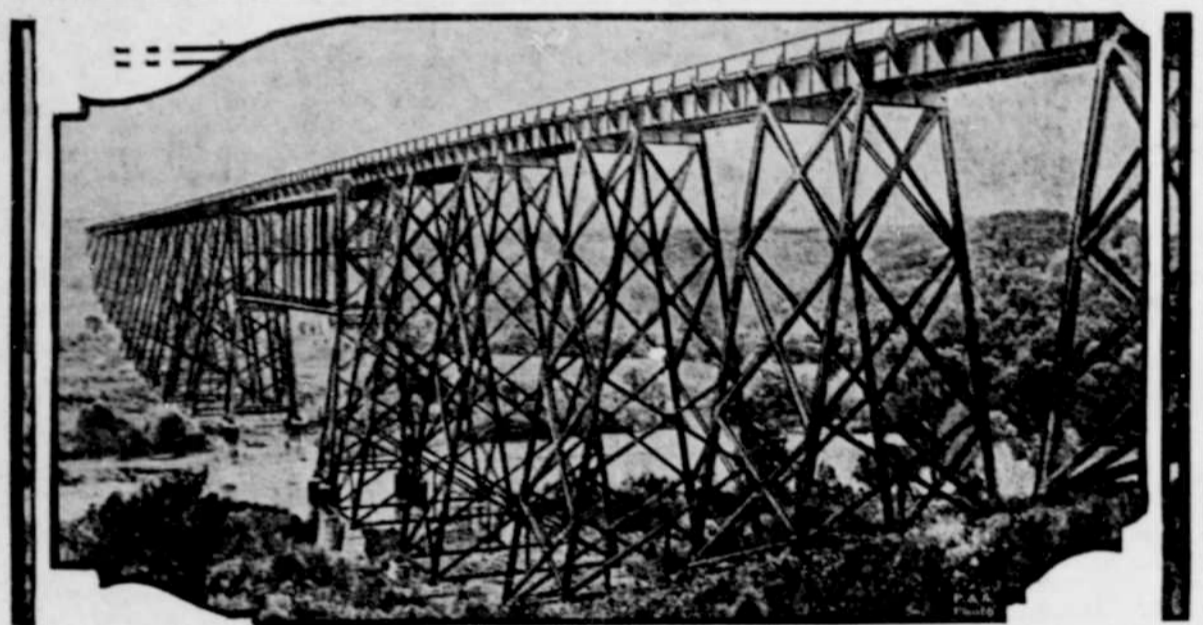


Title Float in Harvest Pageant Parade at Omaha



The grain-growing states of the Central West, the bread-basket of the nation, for the thirty-second successive year celebrated the close of the harvest season with an elaborate fall festival pageant at Omaha under the auspices of Ak-Sar-Ben. The big events were the electric parade on Wednesday night, September 23, and the great costume ball on Friday evening, October 1. That pictured above is the title float of the harvest pageant parade. Other floats pictured in elaborate detail the agricultural resources of the central western states. The pageant is the occasion of one of the big annual gatherings of the states of which Omaha is a central point.

Girl Heroine Honored in Naming of This New Bridge



The Chicago & Northwestern railroad has just completed and dedicated this new steel bridge over the Des Moines river, between Boone and Ogden, Iowa. It has been christened the "Kate Shelley" bridge in memory of the heroine who, in 1881, then a girl of fifteen, risked her life by crossing the old long trestle structure to warn an approaching train that the bridge was about to go down. A violent storm was raging. Her daring deed gave her national fame and a rich reward. She died in 1912.

Showing Her Trophies From Jungle



Laden with approximately 2,000 trophies and specimens of Brazilian jungle life, Mrs. Marshall Field III returned to Chicago and declared that her three months in South America with the Field museum explorers equalled for thrills and fascination anything she had found in civilized life. Mrs. Field is the only American woman known to have shot a jaguar. She is seen above exhibiting some of her trophies.

Hampton Beach Gets a Big Whale



The residents of Hampton Beach, N. H., were greatly excited the other day when a forty-foot whale was found marooned on the rocks of Great Bear's Head. It was the first whale to go ashore there in twenty years. When discovered he was alive, but he died during the day, presumably of exposure and chagrin.

THINGS YOU MAY NOT KNOW

The scent of a flower is due to volatile oils in the plant. Airplane pictures taken obliquely show the ground in perspective. Potash now is cheaper in the United States than before the war. In summer the Washington monument expands five and one-half inches in height. There are about 100 landing fields suitable for airplanes in the United States, which have gas and oil available and a caretaker present.

GRAND ARMY HEAD



Frank A. Walsh, retired manufacturer of Milwaukee, Wis., was elected the new commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic at the encampment in Des Moines, Iowa.

MRS. EMILY TOMPKINS



Mrs. Emily Tompkins of New York, who is the newly elected national president of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Author's Severe Handicap

When a young man, Francis Parkman spent a summer living a life of exposure and hardships among the Indians. This brought on a wasting illness, which permanently impaired his health. His sight was also seriously affected. At the best, the doctors allowed him but a brief working day. Sometimes he had but three or four isolated half hours in which to work. At times months passed without his being able to continue study and dictation.

The Kitchen Cabinet

Who does not do some creative work with brain or hands lives a mendicant, dies a pauper, is buried in the potter's field, no matter what mausoleum marks his tomb.—Dallas Lore Sharp.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS

Melt all bits of laundry soap and use for dishwashing, so that none is wasted. A soap shaker is liked by many housewives as it uses the small bits of soap otherwise wasted. Save the safety razor blades to use for ripping seams, cutting corns and scraping paint from windows. Many other uses will be found for them. Embroidered pillow slips will last much longer if they are turned at night for sleeping on the wrong side. Many prefer a small pillow at night using plain slips, then the day pillows are always fresh. Often the ends of pillow cases where embroidery and lace is used, may be cut off and hem-stitched on a new case. Trimming of all kinds will usually outwear two sets of pillow cases.

When using a fat-topped oven on the gas stove keep a pan of hot water heating for various uses and warm all the dishes for the meal on top the oven. Save any left-over fruit juice. It is good for drinks, jellies, and added to a cornstarch mixture makes a good pie filling. For an emergency, cover with a meringue and it will make a most appetizing pie. Use egg, milk and thickening of cornstarch with a cupful of juice. Water with butter may take the place of milk if that is not at hand.

A few sprays of cedar are fine for cleaning old irons when ironing. They are also good to wrap in with furs to keep the moths from troubling them. Rolled crackers make good thickening for soups. They should be saved for all dishes using buttered crumbs. They are good for cake, especially graham crackers.

Now that wild duck is in season, for those who have never dressed any it will be well to remind them after picking off the coarser feathers and any down that is wanted for pillows, to dip them into a basin of melted paraffin, not too hot, seeing that all is well covered, then hang to cool and harden. The paraffin may be peeled off, taking with it every tiny pinfeather, leaving the flesh clean.

Good Things to Eat. When serving consommé or light soup the following is especially good: Great Rings.—Cut bread into rings with a doughnut cutter, after cutting the slices one inch in thickness. Brush each with butter, sprinkle with grated cheese seasoned with cayenne. Put into a moderate oven to melt the cheese and brown the rings. Serve on lace-paper covered plates.

Almond Cakes.—Cream one-fourth of a cupful of butter, add one-half cupful of sugar gradually, beating well, then add the yolks of four eggs, well beaten, one-fourth of a cupful of milk and seven-eighths of a cupful of flour mixed and sifted with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Beat thoroughly and fill small paper cases two-thirds full of the mixture; sprinkle with shredded almonds and powdered sugar, place in a shallow baking pan and bake until brown.

Apricot Coupe.—Drain a can of apricots and cut into small pieces. To the syrup add one-half cupful of sugar and let simmer three minutes. Add apricots and cook until the syrup is thick. Half-fill glasses with vanilla ice cream, put in a teaspoonful of apricots, cover with ice cream and garnish with strips of angelica and a few bar le due currants.

Coconut Macaroons.—Take one tablespoonful of butter, add one beaten egg, one and one-half cupfuls of oatmeal, put through the meat grinder, browned and ground, one-half cupful of sugar and one-half cupful of coconut. Mix well, drop by spoonfuls on buttered sheets and bake in a moderate oven.

Liver With Onion Sauce.—Dredge thin slices of liver with seasoned flour and fry brown in pork fat. Place the liver on a hot platter. Fry a cupful of chopped onions in the fat until a light brown. Add a tablespoonful of vinegar and pour over the liver. Cold boiled rice served with sliced bananas and cream makes a good and simple dessert. Hot rice served with a hot chocolate sauce is another dish well liked.

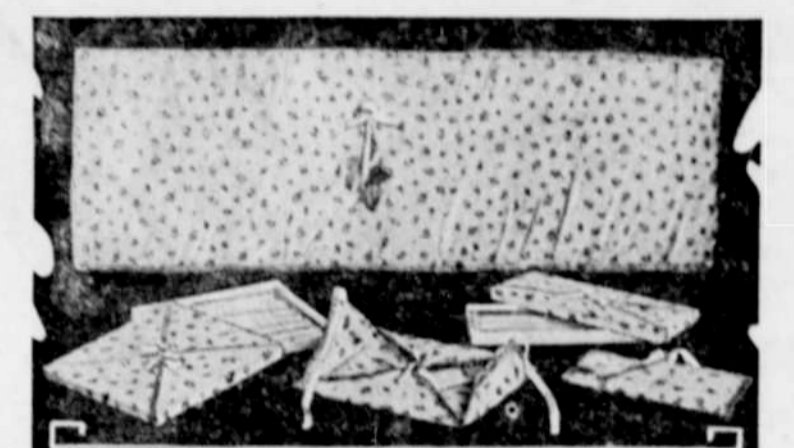
Poppcorn Macaroons.—Take one cupful of freshly popped corn, put through the meat grinder, add one cupful of walnut meats also ground. Beat until stiff the whites of three eggs, add gradually one cupful of powdered sugar, beat well, add the nuts and corn and a little salt. Drop by spoonfuls on baking sheet and bake in a moderate oven.

Banana Salad.—Cut nice ripe fruit into halves lengthwise. Lay on lettuce, cut-side down, cover with finely chopped nut meats and serve with a good rich salad dressing.

Early Royal Signature. Who was the first British king to sign his name as distinguished from the mere marks formerly used?—The earliest record is a letter signed by King Richard II, granting to a prisoner near Bristol a tun of red wine every Christmas! Reassuring. "Your former parlor maid has come to us, dear. But don't be alarmed—we don't believe half what she says about you."—Sydney Bulletin.

Pretty Things that are Made at Home

I'M GOING to make one just like it!—is not that the way the picture of this lovely dresser set makes one feel? It is certainly a well worthwhile ambition, for seldom does anything in the way of fancywork yield such handsome returns at so little cost as does this charming ensemble of fittings for one's top dresser drawer. Wouldn't you just love to have your own dresser drawer lined with a perfumed flower-strewn cushion matching in which are cunning receptacles for handkerchiefs, gloves and various knick-knacks? Of course you would, likewise your friends who will exult over a Christmas gift of this sort. All the material this dainty dresser ensemble requires is: one roll rosebud patterned crepe tissue paper, two sheets of layer cotton, one skein of



LOVELY DRESSER SET

raffa straw, two shallow pasteboard boxes (one square, one oblong), a bit of ribbon, a trifle of pink paper for lining, and a tube of paste. Cut the cotton sheeting to exactly fit the bottom of the dresser drawer. Cover this pad top and bottom with the rosebud crepe paper. Use the silk raffa straw exactly as you would silk floss to buttonhole-stitch around the edges of this padded quilt or cushion. Form a square handkerchief case and an oblong glove case in the same way. Tie together as shown in the picture with narrow ribbon. Cover both boxes with the rosebud paper. Line them by crinkling the paper or rather puffing. The inside edges are finished with a pink tissue heading formed by twisting very narrow strips at every half inch. Make each article radiant with sweet odor by attaching cunning little sachets which consist of wee colorful paper packs which contain the powder, tied tight at one end, then opening into flower petals which look like unfold-



BLOUSE TREATMENT FOR AUTUMN COATS

ing morning glories. A cluster of these sachets are caught with ribbons to the center of the dresser-drawer pad. Sachet powder is also sprinkled under the pasted paper linings of the boxes. When a coat is bloused at the back, as it so persistently is in the newer models, it may or may not be bloused all around. Bloused, however, it must be at some point in its design, for so reads fashion's rules and bylaws for now and the coming winter months. There are ways and ways of acquiring the new bloused fashioning. Sometimes the feat is accomplished by triple box plaits which begin at the neckline and stop at waistline, in a

Wood Tones Much in Vogue. Wood tones, as the new shades of brown are called, are much in vogue for fall. One frock of decided chic features a combination of three different shades. The effect is unusual and exceedingly smart. Rose and Blue. An attractive frock for fall is made of navy blue kasha with a very wide belt of rose-colored suede, and a vest of silk in the same shade. Give Dash of Color. Fascinating little handkerchiefs of striped chiffon come in any number of different combinations, with stripes of varying width. They give a charming accent of color when tucked into the pocket or draped up the sleeve. For Gipped Parties. The very large leghorn hat is often trimmed with a single flower or with a bow of velvet ribbon in pink, blue or orchid tones.



A PRIMITIVE COMMUNITY

"Have there been any improvements in Crimston Gulch since I was last here?" "Yes," answered Three-fingered Sam. "We sent away two of the worst men in the place." "Did you send them to jail?" "No, we didn't have any jail, so we had to elect 'em to the state legislature."—Washington Star.

Knocking Ball for Fido

The small white golf ball rolled over the green and was promptly seized by Fido, the old lady's pet terrier. The next moment a golfer came over the crest of the hill and began waving his arms and shouting. "Put it down, Fido," exclaimed the old lady; "here comes the gentleman to knock it for you again."

JUNGLE TALK



First Monk—My brother is going to open a store. Second Monk—More monkey business, eh?

Called Anyway

Weep and you're called a baby. Laugh and you're called a fool. Yield and you're called a coward. Kick and you're called a mule.

Auto Chatter

Old Speedster's Limousine (going 60 miles an hour)—Say, neighbor, do you believe in this here transmigration theory? Young Speedster's Roadster (going around him at 70)—Sure do. I think I'm gonna turn turtle in a minute.—American Legion Weekly.

HARD TO GET



"A diamond is the hardest stone, isn't it?" "Yes—to get."

Flowers for Oscar

The gates were down, but Oscar Shay decided to his sorrow. To speed across the right of way. His funeral is tomorrow.

Its Identity

"Pa," asked little Lester Livermore, "what is eloquence?" "It is a form of gas on the stomach," replied Mr. Livermore, "which must be expelled or it will burst the person afflicted with it."

The Royal Road

"I hear you made your money out of the oil business," remarked Welch. "You bet," answered Stewart. "Been out of it all my life!"—American Legion Weekly.

Her Narrow Escape

Indignant Customer—This bathing suit I bought here won't do. I was in the water only an hour and it shrunk five inches. Modest Clerk (carefully examining the garment)—Lady, it is a good thing you came out when you did.

Well Pleased

Doctor—What you need is a change of climate. Patient—Good! I was afraid you would want me to leave Boston.

The Worm Turns

"A woman has no sense of humor," said Mr. Meekton. "How do you know?" Inquired Henrietta. "If she had any, her looking-glass would make her laugh so much that she'd spoil her make-up."

Appropriate

"How come you all call your man Adenoid?" "Why, jest cause he's always down in de mouf?"

Overtaxed

"I gave you," said the discharged employee, "the best five years of my life." "Were those your best?" answered the merchant, in surprise.—Progressive Grocer.

Still in Danger

Doctor—Yes, you ought to walk to your store every day. Hardware Merchant—You think that will restore me to health? "It will if you don't get run over."