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"How do you make that out?"
"Bal

"He's a paperhanger."-Baltime American.

A Candidate.

Here's an aritcle says China wants more boring effort." 'Why don't Sis suggest to that tire some fellow that calls on her; it would be such a nice opening or him there?" -Exchange.

Rad Marksman. "What is the chief aim of Jobling's

existence?"
Making money." "But he's always hard up." "Quite true. His aim is poor, Birmingham Age-Herald.

Sure Sign.

"Why are you so sure the man isn't her husband?"
"Because," replied Miss Cayenne, "he referred to her bathing suit as 'stunning." If he were her husband he'd have said 'shocking." "--Ex.

Not His Fault. Mamma - Why, Harry, what's the

matter? Harry-My new shoes hurt my feet. Mamma-No wonder, dear; you have them on the wrong feet.

Harry-Well, I can't belp it. I

KIII All Flies! They Spread



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# The Better Impulse

By Cecille Langdon

"Lonesome today, I suppose?" ques oned Melvin Waite, as he came he

"Indeed?" spoke Melvin. "Yes. It seems that our neighbors

next door have three children—two boys and the sweetest cherub of a little girl you ever saw. The three of them trooped into the yard shyly and after vast secret confab, the tiny miss ap proached and asked me if I would make a belt for each of the brothers, as they had wooden swords and she a flag and they were going to war." "I declare!" commented Melvin, smli-ing in his usual good-natured way. "They got hold of a broad leathe

strap," went on Arline, "Well, to make the story short I cut it in two and found some buckles in your fishing "Um!" muttered Melvin under his

breath, "of course, the silver ones! She'd be sure to pick out the prettiest."

"I sewed the buckles on and fitted up the little ones nicely," Arline pro-ceeded with her narration. "Then the delighted tots played soldier to their hearts' content. It was a very pleasant break in the monotony, for, dear, you know I count every minute until you

Which compliment of adoration and hug and a kiss won Melvin over to forget his cherished buckles. Soon, nowever, his brow clouded anew.

"The scissors wouldn't cut the tough leather," prattled on Arline breezlly, but oh! your razor was so sharp



"Who Do You Think Turned Up

Why, I snipped those belts out in jiffy. Why, what is the matter,

For Melvin had uttered a groan, deep, dismal, foreboding. Deftly, how-He allowed the episode to pass, but he took the first opportunity he could to inspect his razor case.

"It's good there's two of them," he solfloquized, and none too happily. 'Did a man ever see such artless ness-and destructiveness? I won't scold, though. She will mend as time

But Arline did not mend. A week later Melvin came home to find Arline tubilantly excited as she held up to his view a fancy vest.

"Isn't it cleaned just beautiful?" shdemanded, with sparkling eyes. "You know how it was spotted. Well, I got your tooth brush and your hat brush and some gasoline, and rubbed, and rubbed, and rubbed, and-why, how glum you look, dearle!"

"Only amazed at the fine job you have done," observed Melvin craftly, "It's the limit," he muttered, once alone. "I'll have to consult mother and see what can be done."

But mother was kindly indulgent. She smiled in her gentle, patient way. "My boy," she said, "don't forget that Arline is young and inexperienced And remember one thing—all these re markable experiments of hers are actuated by the very best impulses in the world. She means well, and I wouldn't try to subdue the kindly spirit for worlds, if I were you."

So Melvin bore his burden patiently. Then came a final move on the part of Arline that very nearly drove him frantic. He searched the wardrobe one evening for a light summer coat he had not worn for some time, to find it

"Oh, yes, I remember," spoke Arline quickly. "I gave it away, dear. One leeve was torn and patched and I decided it wasn't good enough for you." Melvin said no more, but he looked pretty serious. He recalled having left ome papers in the pocket of the old They were of no particular ralue to an outsider, but they referred to some private business matters of his own which had caused him a good deal Popular Mechanics Magazine. of anxiety.

"Who was the man you gave the cont to?" inquired Melvin, controlling the feelings that were surging within him and endeavoring to speak cas-

with I suppose he was a tramp," replied Arline, "but he acted real respectable and polite. He said he was tramping through the village, and, as he had lived here once, many years ago, it seemed good to see the old town. He said he was quite rich once, and owned property here, but had lest which they were based.

by Roger Bacon, the great scientist of the try is certain to expand, but the development will be slower than in Argentina because Chile is not receiving a ment, but added that the making of the spectacles was carried out by certain Italians. The scientific physicians of those days, however, advised their patients not to have them because they and the chances for improvement in the near future are not bright.

everything through drink, although he had given that up now."
"They all say that," observed Mei-

vin. He made some inquiries the next day as to the tramp, for he would have liked to recover the papers, and then forget the circumstance.

The documents in question constiopinion of an attorney as to the title to Wellington Heights. That was a large tract of fertile farmland which had been willed to Melvin by his uncle. When he married, Melvin planned to sell the place and employ new capital in his business and build for them-

He met with severe disappointment. It seemed that his uncle had purchased from work to be greeted with the the property from an estate and had usual warm and welcome kisses. taken the deed to it minus the signa-"Why, not so much as usual, dear," ture of one heir, who could not be lo-replied bright and lovely Arline, the bride of a month. "Of course it is ley. His interest in the estate was dreadfully horrid here without you, ridiculously small, but the lack of his but I had company nearly half of the signature clouded the title to Wellington Heights, and no one would buy or ionn on the property on that account "Oh, Melvin! who do you think turned up again today?" inquired Ar-

line a week later, as Melvin returne from the village. "I can't guess," said Melvin.

"The tramp I gave your coat to." "After another one!" suggested Mel-in in an acrid tone.

"Not at all. He was very anxio to see you. He left these papers, which he found in the co. He said he had discovered and read them, and that they interested him, and that he must see you to explain about something important."

"As what, for instance?" questioned Melvin skeptically. "He wouldn't say. He'll be here

again about seven o'clock," he said. "Humph! to ask a reward for re-turning the papers, I'll warrant!" de-

ciared Melvin. There was a ring at the front door ell just as husband and wife had finished their evening meal. Melvin answered the summons to greet the tramp Arline had told him about. "This is Mr. Waite?" inquited his

visitor. "Yes, what is it?" asked Melvin, rather crisply.
"I brought back some papers."

"I know you did."

"I happened to read them—lucky for you! It seems that you are troubled about a cloud on the title of Weilington Heights. To clear it a quit-claim deed from Jasper Kingsley is neces

"That is true," answered Melvin. "Well, I'm Jasper Kingsley, and your weet little wife treated me so cleverly tramped it back here ten miles to sign the deed."

"I've made arrangements with Jasper to hire him around the new home we're going to build," Melvin advised his wife a few days later, "and I have provided for him handsomely outside of that. I shall never try to curb an impulse of your kindly heart, Arline, dear, for your charity in giving away that old cost has mended all our for

Lost Picture Found.
A long lost Raphael was recently found in London. How it has been brought to light is one of the curiosi ties of picture dealing. A few months ago, a London picture dealer bought copy of the picture in the Uffizi gallery of Florence, known as Raphael's "Madonna del Pozzo" (the Madonna of the Well). For a long time past this Florence picture had been known to be not actually by Raphael, but a copy of a picture presumably lost. The Lon-don picture dealer sold his "copy of a city merchant. It was sent to be cleaned. Cleaning off of some appar- problems of transportations, storage existence of another picture under-neath and actually of the same subject. When all the top picture was taken off there was revealed a remarkable piece of work, which has been declared by many experts to be unmis takably the work of Raphael himselfin fact, the picture from which the Florence gallery painting may have been copied.

His Prescription.

He had been out the night before, during a Zeppelin raid. The shock to his system was so great that he had had to sit up with a friend and finish two bottles of restorative, and start on

In the morning he naturally felt III. so he hied himself unto the man of One glance was sufficient for the doc-

or to diagnose his case.
"Ah, yes! Any special symptom?" Yes, doctor. Every now and then I come over so funny. Something inside me keeps coming up and then set-

tling down again." "Ah, yes," replied the unsympathetic brute. "I know what's the matter with you. You've swallowed a lift. Here's bottle of my elevating toulc. hoist it right up through the skylight. Half a guinea, please. Thank you."-London Matt

Erect Lanterns for Drowned Suspended from tall poles that are found on the banks of rivers in China are quaint lanterns that sway back and forth in the wind, adding picturesque touch to the landscape by day and welrd illumination by night. by relatives of some person who has been drowned in the nearby stream In the hope that the spirit of the de ceased may see the light as it journeys poor to erect these supports and so, by paying a suitable sum, are permit-

Our Eyequases.

The suggestion for the use of lenses lines the Chilean market in the suggestion for the use of lenses sibilities, states the report. The country is certain to expand, but the development will be slower than in Argen

# **49 FOOD ITEMS ON LIST FOR SOLDIERS**

tuted some letters and the written Uncle Sam Has Great Task in **Buying Supplies for Million** Men for Year.

#### FROM BEEF TO SHOE STRINGS

Quartermaster General Must Purchase Equipment and Look After Its Transportation, Storage and Delivery.

Supplies for a million men-a year's needs of everything from beef to shoe strings, and from cots to candy—is a measure of the task which Quarter-master General Sharpe's office has in

providing for America's new armies. Nearly 200,000 tons of fresh beef (397,638,240 pounds) is one item, and besides that there is canned corned and canned roast beef, totaling nearly 8,000,000 pounds more, without in-cluding the canned corned beef hash

also among the items.

All told, 348 different items of supplies appear in the quartermaster general's list of rations for issue and sale of clothing and of equipage. The fig ures given here are on the basis of supplying soldiers located in the United States, so give no help in computing additional needs of this country result ing from military participation in the

Regular rations of Uncle Sam's sol diers call for a list of 49 items. In it are more than 29,600,000 pounds of coffee, four kinds of ten, and over 25,-000 tons of granulated sugar; over 886,000 gallons of cucumber pickles; over 8,800,000 cans of black pepper and cinnamon, cloves, ginger and nutmeg, totaling 372,000 cans; over 480,700,000 pounds of potatoes; over 55,200,000 pounds of onlons; over 300,000,000 pounds of flour, besides hard bread; nearly 1,000,000 gallons of cane sirup; lemon and vanilla flavoring extracts; over 8,200,000 pounds of lard, and over 7,800,000 pounds of butter; canned and dried fish, canned vegetables, evap-

orated apples and peaches, etc.

The variety of fare possible in regular rations is increased by a list of items for sale to soldiers at cost. The sale list totals 165 items, largely foodstuffs, but including also shaving mugs, pencils, pins, pens, shoe polish, letter paper (22,320 quires), 48,300 pipes, 22,-820 razors, tollet articles (among which are 148,800 cans of talcum powder and 3,720 bottles of tollet water), 11,160

spools of thread, etc.

The foodstuffs in the sale list in The foodstuffs in the sale list in-clude canned mushrooms, a variety of canned fruits, vegetables, fish and meats, pickles, maple sirup, ginger ale, sauces, sausage, 305,000 pints of ef-fervescent water, etc.

Regular articles of clothing are 29 in number. These are figured on initial

requirements and upkeep for the first nine months. Here are a few of the tems: Belts, 2,000,000; coats, cotton, 2,400,000; coats, woolen, 1,270,000; service hats, 1,825,000; shoe laces, 7,200,000; overcoats, 1,675,000.
Equipage include 90 articles, Among

them are 130,500 axes, 3,450,000 blank ets, 23,000 bugles, 1,900,000 cots, 1,440, 250 tents of seven kinds, over 1,000,000 gross of buttons, 39,000,000 yards of cotton cloth, etc.
Estimating quantities needed is only

don picture dealer sold his "copy of a step in the task of supplying an army. Things must be bought—quality clients, a well-known and well-to-do city merchant. It was sent to be

This shows a part of the country's great war work, on which thousands people are daily working.

## LITTLE SALT IS IMPORTED

Practically All of 45,720,860 Barrel Consumed in Country in 1916 Pro-duced at Home.

1916 was 45,720,860 barrels of 280 pounds each, an increase of more than 7,000,000 barrels over the consumption of 1915. According to statis tics compiled under the direction of R. W. Stone of Uncle Sam's geological survey, the domestic production of sait in 1916 was 45,449,329 barrels, the imports were 871,992 barrels, and the exports 600,481 barrels. This was an increase of 15 per cent in the quantity produced. The total value of the salt was \$13,645,947.

Michigan, as usual, was the largest producer, and New York was a close cond. The production, in barrels, by the leading states ,was as follows: Michigan, 14,918,278; New York, 14,087,750; Ohio, 6,706,193; Kansas, 4,584,

798; California, 1,124,236. Perhaps the most marked feature in the salt industry in 1916 was the great increase in quantity of brine sold as such or used by chemical works, the in-crease being 37 per cent and the total production over 18,000,000 barrels. The roduction of rock salt increased over 17 per cent and amounted to 9,973,950 barrels, valued at \$2,665,270. On the other hand, the production of evapo rated salt increased only 5 per cent, to 17,575,629 barrels, but the value was \$10,149,412, an increase of nearly

Markets for Farm Machinery. That the steady development of the agricultural resources of Chile and Peru means a growing market for American farm machinery, is the conclusion reached in a report made pub-lie by Uncle Sam's bureau of foreign

and domestic commerce.

In several agricultural-equ

#### POULTRY MANURE IN GARDEN

Mixed With Equal Amount of Dry Earth and Spread Broadcast Will

A common way of using hen man for garden purposes is to mix it with an equal amount of dry earth, crush it, and then spread it by hand. The amount necessary, of course, depends upon the condition of the garden soll. A liberal application spread broad-cast, however, will be beneficial in most all cases.

Usually the dust is applied on the dropping boards in the coop, as it helps to keep the coop sanitary, and absorbs the moisture, also prevents the nitrogen in the manure from es-

For a complete fertilizer containing hen manure, the following is good: Four hundred pounds of hen manure, 200 pounds of dissolved bone, 100 pounds muriate of potash, 150 pounds of plaster and 100 pounds of nitrate

At present you would probably have some difficulty in getting the muriate of potash and nitrate of sods, and therefore 300 pounds of dissolved bone and 150 pounds of plaster added to the manure would be the best combination under present circumstances.

#### FIXING VALUE OF SKIM MILK

Result Given of Experiments Made by Dean Henry at Wisconsin Experiment Station.

Dean W. A. Henry, who for many years was in charge of the feeding experiments at the Wisconsin station, concluded after a great many experiper bushel the value of skim milk is cents per hundred pounds, and when corn is worth 84 cents per bush-el, skim milk is worth 46 cents per

Gov. W. D. Hoard, for many years a leading dairyman in Wisconsin, sug-gested the following rule for finding the money value of skim milk: "Multiply the market value of live hogs in cents per pound by five when skim milk is fed alone, but when fed with corn or barley, multiply the price by six." This gives the money value of skim milk per hundred pounds.

The Gurler rule is that skim milk is worth half as much per hundred pounds as corn is worth per bushel. Dollar corn would therefore mean 50 cents as the price for skim milk.

#### HANDY TRANSFER AND OILER

Tilting of Door of Device Causes Oi or Disinfectant to Run on Back of Hog

The door of this transfer has a can of oil or disinfectant on the upper side



Transfer and Oller,

When the door is tilted the oil or dis infectant flows from an opening, near the upper end of the can, to the felt and thence on the back of the next hog that passes through.

#### TREATMENT FOR ACID SOILS

Ground Limestone, Air-Slaked, Water-

Lime is the one remedy used for acid soils, and it is very easily applied. Ground limestone, air-slaked lime, or water-slaked lime, or lump lime can be used. A peck of quicklime will be about right for a square rod of garden, and double the amount of slaked lime or ground limestone will give about the same results. The ground stone or the slaked lime can be scattered easily, but the quicklime will have to be piled in small piles and allowed to slake before it can be distributed. In slaking with water do not use much, just enough so the stone will slake quickly and will make a dry powder when through.

#### **DUST BLANKET SAVES WATER**

Evaporation Can Be Prevented by Cultivating, Raking and Hoeing, Thus Forming Mulch.

Saving soil water is better than pouring it on by the barrel after it has been wasted by evaporation. This saving is made by cultivating, hoeing and raking the surface soil till it is fine. A fine dust blanket is spread ver the garden in this way and the soll water kept from evaporating. lows the water to escape into the

## HEN CONFINED WITH CHICKS

sidered Good Manag Allow Unrestricted Range for First Few Weeks.

It is not good poultry manageme to allow the mother hen to range un-restricted with her chicks the first weeks. With such freedom the ben frequently takes her brood through wet grass, and as a result some are chilled and die, especially the weaker ones, which are likely to be left be-

## ANCONA LAYS LARGEST EGGS

Popular Belief That Bulky Fawls Lay Large Eggs Is Disproved by Weight Test.

The popular belief that the larger birds lay large eggs has been dis-proved in tests. Where all eggs were weighed, it was found, that the An-coua, which is smaller than the Legorn, laid the largest egg of all bree

Uncle Sam's Food Experts Advocate New Industry.

Greater Production Would Reduce Drain on Ordinary Supply of Country, It is Urged.

Rabbits, which have proved a valuhabbits, which have proved a valuable source of food in Europe during the present war, may well be raised more extensively in America by way of reducing the drain on the ordinary meat supply, according to biologists of Uncle Sam's department of agriculture. The business of growing rabbits, the speciality point out can be carried on specialists point out, can be carried on by youths and adults not engaged in military or other national service, or in regular industrial employment. The animals may be raised in back yards of cities and towns as well as on

farms.
The Belgian hare, says a statement by the United States department of spriculture, breeds rapidly, matures quickly, and produces a palatable and highly nutritious meat. The cost of production is less than that of any other meat, not excepting poultry. The supply can be greatly increased within a few months without requiring space that may be needed for the production of crops. Practical experience has demonstrated that rabbit meat can be produced in unlimited quantities at a cost of about six cents a pound; and by utilizing lawn cuttings and other vegetation that would otherwise be wasted, the cost can be made even lower.

The Belgian and Flemish giant rabbits are recommended for meat production, as the ordinary tame rabbit is smaller and develops more slowly. agriculture, breeds rapidly, matures

smaller and develops more slowly. Stock of Belgian hares may be bought from breeders in nearly all the states at \$1 to \$3 each. They may occasionally be had from pet stock dealers Fancy pedigreed stock is not required at production.

Rabbits are easily kept. They eat hay, grass, lawn cuttings, and green vegetation of many kinds. Females should be allowed to breed when eight or ten months old, and during the year should raise four litters of about six young each. Well fed, the young reach marketable size when three to four months old, and average from five to six pounds live weight.

#### \*\*\* \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* **Newly Discovered Ruin** Preserved by Uncle Sam

Upon the recommendation of Secretary Lane, President Wilson, by proclamation, has added 80 acres to El Morro national monument in western central New Mexico. This was done to preserve a ruin recently discov-ered by a field agent of the department of the interior in the near vicinity of Inscription rock.

This ruin may prove to have unusual historical value. The spot, doubtless on account of its spring of fine water, was a camping place for the Spanish explorers of the sixteenth, seventeenth and eighteenth centu-ries, many of whom left records carved upon the face of Inscription rock. The newly found ruin expected to throw further light upon these early explora-

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IS MONUMENT TO EXPLORERS National Reservation Created to Com memorate First Visit by White Men to Great Northwest.

Upon the recommendation of Secre tary of the Interior Lane President Wilson has created by proclamation near Sanith, North Dakota. This resnear Sanith, North Dakota. This reservation, which embraces two hundred and fifty acres, surrounds a lofty emilit's hereditary.—London Punch. nence locally known as Crowhigh Butte the second in height in North Da-It rises from the left bank of the Missouri river at Old Crossing, one of the most important fords of the Missouri, over which hunters, trappers and explorers have passed from the earlies

that it marks the first recorded visit of white men to the vast territory which includes North Dakota. Verendrye, the celebrated French explorer, starting from the north shore of Lake Superior, passed westward and south-westward into the unknown regions of the great plains and Rocky Mountains about 1740. The records of the journeys made by him and his two some are the subject of conflicting interpre-tations, but there is no question that the Verendrye party was the first to enter North Dakota and to look upon the Missouri at this point. This was the butte from which they gazed into the unknown lands west and south; and they were the first white men to cross the Missouri at the ford which afterward became the highway of exploration and early trade. This was sixty years before the Lewis and Clark

The creation of the Verendryo Na The creation of the verentry Na-tional Monument follows the historical precedent set by the creation of the Cabrillo National Monument at the spot where the Spanish navigator Ca-brillo first sighted the coast of Call-fornia in 1542, and of the Steur de Monts National Monument at the spot where Champiain first sighted the coast of Maine in 1809.

Uses for Licerice Root Several thousands of tons of lic-orice root, which is considered a pest and worse than worthless by the natives generally, are annually gath in Turkey for exportation to Ann for use in the manufacture of cheming gum and smoking tobacco as well as for flavoring confectionery and beer.

A father in New York has been or ered to pay \$7 a week for a boy bose appellie is so ravenous that he whose appetite is so ravenous that fis-eats as much as three average adults.



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## YES! MAGICALLY! **CORNS LIFT OUT** WITH FINGERS

Pacifism at Home. "Bobbie, run over to the next door

neighbor and take what eggs and but-ter you find in the refrigerator."
"But isn't that stealing."
"Certainly not. They are pacifiats and expect it."—Life. The Tested

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Ethel has the gift of graphic descrip-tion. Until recently she was a little country girl; now she lives in a large town. The first letter she wrote back to her old home began like this: "This is a queer place. Next door is fastened on to our house."—Balti-

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The Real Thing. "Our boys in the army are chivalrous, aren't they?"
"Chivalrous! Who can doubt it?
Aren't they going to wear all the
sweaters and socks our girls are knitting for' em this winter?—Exchango.

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