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"No, I never heard that before," said the barber, bearing a tattoo on the strip with his razor; "but I know there's a spot on the back of your head where the hair wouldn't grow as much as that in a million years."

Willing to Help the Cause.
Philanthropic Person (with subscription paper)—We are raising a fund to prosecute the white slavers. Can you assist us?

Baseball Magnate—Sure! I've just disposed of two of my players and got a good cash price for them. Hundred dollars be enough—Chicago Tribune.

Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.

His Time to Be Alone.
"Come away, children," said their mother. "Run out in the yard and play the carpet, mamma," they answered.

"I know it, but he's going to lay it around the bend in the stairway pretty soon, and I don't want you to hear the language he will use."—Chicago Tribune.

Conventional Opportunities.
"So your wife is a suffragette? Why does she want to vote?"
"She doesn't want to vote," answered M. Meekton. "She wants to make speeches."—Washington Star.

Little children are suffering every day in the year with sprains, bruises, cuts, bumps and burns. Hamlin's Wizard Oil is banishing these aches and pains every day in the year, the world over.

Chronicle.
"Away down in her heart," said the boarding house philosopher, "every woman is a pessimist. When any calamity happens she always wants to know the worst, and isn't happy until she hears it."

Proof Conclusive.
Lawyer (cross examining)—You testified that Miss Smythe was walking in her sleep. How do you know she was asleep?

Witness—Well, a mouse ran across the floor right in front of her and she never even batted an eye.—Chicago Tribune.

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Get the Ax!
"Yes," said the retired auctioneer, "this boy of mine is a chip off the old block, with all the original bark on him; he's a splinter for a 5-cent theater."—Chicago Tribune.

How the Trouble Started.
Estelle—I don't suppose you have heard of it, but George and I are going to be married some time next June.
Maybelle—Glad to know it, dear. Has George heard of it yet?

Why, Sure!
Tommy—Paw, what is concentrated?
Mr. Tucker—It's the short and an ugly word, Tommy. Don't bother me."

Vacation Days.
"You say Grindler worked last summer just for fun?"
"Oh, no; just for funds!"—Harvard Extension.

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WASHINGTON LEADS

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LOUISIANA HOLDS SECOND PLACE

United States Produced 17 Per Cent Less in 1908 as Result of Financial Panic.

Washington, June 22.—During the year 1908 31,231 sawmills in the United States manufactured 33,239,369,000 feet of lumber, according to a preliminary report just issued by the bureau of the census. These mills also cut 12,106,483,000 shingles and 2,986,684,000 lath. Lumber manufacturing, like every other industry, felt the effects of the business depression which began in October, 1907. Consequently the production in 1908 was below that of the previous year. In 1907 the cut of 28,850 sawmills was 40,256,154,000 feet, the highest production ever recorded. Notwithstanding, therefore, that in 1908 reports were received from 8 per cent more mills than in 1907, the decrease in lumber cut reported by them was slightly over 17 per cent.

Washington, as for several years past, still ranks first among the states in lumber production, its cut in 1908 being 2,915,928,000 feet—a decrease of 22.8 per cent from the cut in 1907. Louisiana ranks second, with 2,722,421,000 feet, a decrease of 250,000,000 feet, or 8.4 per cent from the cut in 1907.

Mississippi was the third state in lumber production in 1908, with a total of 1,861,016,000 feet—a decrease of 11 per cent from the cut in 1907.

Arkansas ranked fourth, with 1,656,991,000 feet, a decrease of nearly 17 per cent, and Wisconsin fifth, with 1,613,315,000 feet against 2,003,279,000 feet in 1907.

In Texas, where the lumber industry is confined almost exclusively to yellow pine, the falling off was very heavy. The total cut of the state in 1908 was 1,524,008,000 feet—a decrease of 31.6 per cent from the cut in 1907.

Eight other states manufactured more than 1,000,000,000 feet each of lumber last year. In the order of importance they were: Michigan, Oregon, Minnesota, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Alabama, North Carolina and West Virginia. California and Maine, other states which reported more than 1,000,000,000 feet each in 1907, went just below that figure in 1908.

DRY FARM EXPERIMENTS.

Nevada Will Have Exhibit for Coming Dry Farming Congress.

Billings, Mont., June 22.—Dry farming experiments will be carried on under the supervision of the state authorities in the northeastern part of Nevada and when the Fourth Dry Farming congress meets at Billings next October 26-28 it is expected that the delegates will hear of great advances in the reclamation of non-irrigable lands in that state. A commission just appointed by the governor has just selected a site for a dry farm experiment station in Pleasant valley, 16 or 18 miles south of Elko, where the ranch of John W. Thompson, containing 160 acres, has been secured by the state. The quarter is fenced and about 30 acres are under cultivation. There is an orchard of about 150 trees, including apples, pears, plums and cherries, and a two acre patch of berries are on the place. The soil is rich and of great depth and is considered excellently adapted to dry farming operations. It is reported that Mr. Thompson last year raised 1,000 sacks of potatoes, and that all kinds of vegetables gave good returns, cabbage heads running as high as 18 pounds.

It is the purpose of the Nevada Experimental association to demonstrate on this farm that dry farming methods can be applied on the millions of acres of bench lands in the state.

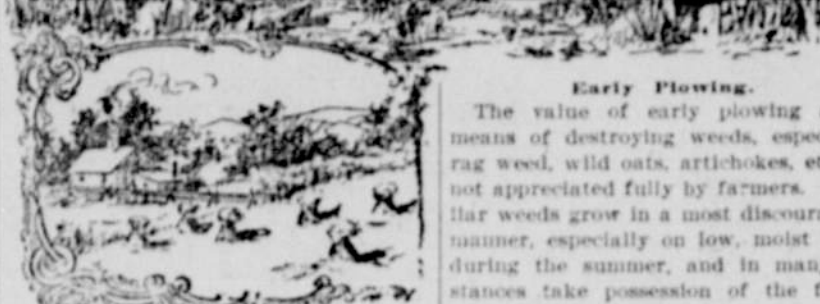
Taft and Diaz May Meet.
Mexico City, June 22.—The Medical Herald says: Replying to a communication from the White House at Washington, through the Mexican ambassador today, President Diaz has expressed his desire to meet President Taft for a personal interview, which will take place at one of the points on the boundary line between Mexico and the United States some time during the latter part of the year. The announcement of the preliminary negotiations looking toward this interview were made yesterday.

Yale Teaches Immorality.
New York, June 22.—Harvard, Princeton and Yale are teaching immorality and disrespect for all mankind is being taught at these colleges, said Bishop James A. McGaul, of Trenton, N. J., in his address tonight to the graduating class of St. Francis Xavier college. He condemned what he said was the desire of Catholic parents to get their children into society through their associates in the great non-sectarian universities.

Strikebreakers Go Far.
New Orleans, June 22.—Seventy-five laborers from sugar plantations of Porto Rico passed through New Orleans today en route to Hawaii, where they will take the places of striking plantation laborers. Similar parties, it is said, will follow.

Worms in Colts.
For intestinal worms in colts the following mixture is used by some veterinarians: Mix together as a base 1 pound each of salt and granulated sugar; in this mix 1/2 pound of tobacco dust of fine cut tobacco, 4 ounces of sulphate of iron powder, 6 ounces of powdered worm seed. Give a heaping teaspoonful in the feed at first once a day, then twice a day, and keep up for three weeks.

AGRICULTURAL



Early Plowing.

The value of early plowing as a means of destroying weeds, especially rag weed, wild oats, artichokes, etc., is not appreciated fully by farmers. Similar weeds grow in a most discouraging manner, especially on low, moist land, during the summer, and in many instances take possession of the fields. They will appear on the scene next year, in multiplied numbers, if an effort is not made to destroy them this summer, which can best be done by early plowing.

Inoculation of Clover.

Clovers do not always grow as readily or as vigorously as might be expected from the richness of the soil. In recent years it has been discovered by scientists that the growth of plants of this class (clovers, peas and beans) is dependent to some extent on the presence of small nodules or bunches on the roots. These nodules contain bacteria which in some mysterious way assist the roots in taking up food from the soil. If these bacteria are not present in the soil the clovers will be likely to make poor growth—indeed, alfalfa may not make any growth. If the proper kind of bacteria are supplied and the inoculation of soil and root is successful the plants will show extra vitality.

Swiss Farm Profits.

There has been recently made an interesting report of investigations carried on co-operatively between the Department of Agriculture and farmers in Switzerland as to the gross and net returns derived from farms operated under different systems of management in 1906, the returns being compared with those secured during the preceding five years. The average profits as ascertained from 230 holdings were: On farms up to 12 1/2 acres in size, \$21.50; from 12 1/2 to 25 acres, \$21.50; from 25 to 37 1/2 acres, \$17; from 37 1/2 to 75 acres, \$18, and from farms of more than 75 acres, \$10.25 per acre. Nearly 80 per cent of the products raised on Swiss farms consisted of animal, dairy and poultry products, an enormous quantity of such products being annually exported. This shows the result of cultivating a small amount of land well.

New Method of Keeping Potatoes.

A German publication, the Practical Adviser in Fruit Raising and Gardening, states that a new method for keeping potatoes and preventing sprouting consists in placing them on a layer of coke. Dr. Schiller, of Brunswick, who has published the method, is of the opinion that the improved ventilation by means of coke is not alone responsible for the result, but believes that it is due to the oxidation of the coke, which, however, is a very slow one. Coke always contains sulphur, and it is very possible that the minute quantities of oxides of carbon and sulphur, which result from the oxidation, mixing with the air and penetrating among the potatoes are sufficient to greatly retard sprouting. Potatoes so treated are said to keep in good condition until the following July.

Soil Temperature and Seed Germination.

Scientists have discovered that the lowest soil temperature at which the process of growth begins in most cultivated crops is 45 to 48 degrees Fahrenheit, but the maximum results are attained only after the soil has reached a temperature of 68 to 70 degrees. The germination of wheat, rye, oats and flax go forward most rapidly at 77 to 87.8, and corn and pumpkins germinate best at 92 to 101. Corn will grow at a temperature of 51, requiring eleven days to come through, while it will germinate in three days at 65.3 degrees. Oats require seven days to germinate at 41, whereas they will germinate in two days at 65 degrees.

Guinea Fowls.

The flesh of guinea fowls is generally dark colored, tender, juicy and in flavor equal to the ring-neck English pheasant. Many think it more palatable, for the flavor is not so pronounced, and there is considerably more of it. The flesh of the white guinea is light in color, and if they are crossed with the pearl variety the meat of the latter will become nearly as light.

Don't Pasture Too Early

There is always a temptation to turn the stock on pasture before the grass has had a chance to get a start. At this time the animals will get little good from the pasture, and they are likely to do much damage in trampling the wet soil. Let the ground get solid and the grass a good start before they go on it.

Hastening Seed Germination.

The germination of seeds with hard coverings, such as canna, eucalyptus, and even morning glories, can be hastened by soaking them in warm water for two to twelve hours. Sow the seeds at once upon removing them from the water. If given this treatment, morning glories will bloom in six weeks from sowing.

Feeding Lambs.

Farmers' Bulletin No. 49 of the United States Department of Agriculture says that a mixture of two parts of cornmeal and one part cottonseed meal for ten weeks to lambs, with pasture, gave a weekly gain of 2.95 pounds per head. The lambs were fed about 3 1/2 pounds each per week of the mixture.

Advance in Eggs.

The farm price for eggs has rapidly advanced in the last few years. In 1899 the average farm price for eggs for the United States was 11.15 cents a dozen; in 1902, 12.37 cents a dozen; in 1904, 17.2 cents; in 1905, 17.7 cents, and the price for 1908 will be in advance of that.

Queen Bees.

It is said that bees usually supersede their queens before they are too old for service; and when an apary is once stocked with a good grade of queens the bees can, as a rule, be depended upon to supersede their queens at the proper time.

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Accommodating.
First Passenger—Pardon me, but would you mind loaning me your spectacles a moment?
Second Passenger—With pleasure, sir.

First Passenger—Thanks, awfully, and now, as you can no longer read your newspaper, would you kindly pass it over to me?

More Urgently Needed.
Salesman (at bookstore)—Perhaps this is what you are looking for. It's a work entitled "Housekeeping Made Easy." Tells you all about—
Anxious Customer—No; we've got that. Haven't you a book called "Moving Made Easy"?—Chicago Tribune.

No Objection to Telling.
"Do tell me, Patsy," begged the girl under the inverted waste basket, "the secret of that wonderful blonde hair of yours. It defies detection."
"I will," said the girl under the inverted coal scuttle, "if you won't tell anybody else. I selected for my grandmother and mother two women who had hair just like mine."

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