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If you know or hear of an interesting item in the community, it will be duly appreciated if you will see that it finds a place in the News. Anything which tends to better or brighten the news service of a paper makes it of so much more value to the community and the subscribers are the ones mostly benefited thereby.

The newspaper is the great industrial educator of the age and is the channel of communication between the producer and the consumer; it brings the city to the farm and the farm to the city, gives information of the markets, etc., and reading the paper should be as much a part of the work of the farmer as feeding his stock.

It would seem that the feeling of apprehension regarding the danger of American intervention in Mexico is even keener down there than it is here, in view of the semi-official threat that if intervention does take place, every American in Mexico would be assassinated. That's a bad threat; but think of the retribution which in time would overtake the assassins. However, there's no desire on the part of this country to get embroiled with Mexico, and if such a thing should happen, it would happen regardless of threats or fear of consequences.

Sure; we all knew the Colonel couldn't stay out of the fray, and it all adds to the gayety of nations. Already the sight of his hat in the ring has incited all of the other political camps to intense activity. Such a cannonading as is going on from all the campaign headquarters in Washington. Now the Colonel's voice will be added to the din. With so many candidates in the field on both sides it really looks as if it were a very open season for huntsmen in the Presidential preserves. It is hinted that the woods are simply full of dark horses which will emerge at the first sign of a deadlock in either convention, ready to run around the bunch and get under the wire first. Some of the best guessers among the politically wise think, however, that no dark horse will win out in either convention.

Country life has its drawbacks, but it has its great advantages which overcome them. True, those who live in the country are "Rubes" and "Farmers" and "hayseds" to the cigarette

smokers in town, but the boast of the business men in the world today is that they were born on a farm. Take away the surrounding evils that beset the young men or women on the threshold of life's journey in the city, and substitute the helpful influence of nature, and you fortify them for the sterner walks in life. The few things which they do not know about table etiquette and when it is proper to leave two visiting cards and when but one, they will catch on to much quicker than city boys and girls will learn to properly stroke the furnace or make good bread. No boy or girl need be ashamed of living on the farm, for if they have taken advantage of what it has offered they are well fortified for after life.

China seems to have presented an admirable example to such countries as Mexico and others where revolution seems to be a growing diversion. Under the inspired leadership of a Sun Yat Sen China broke away from a condition of intolerable tyranny and already is practically on a sound basis. With an enlightenment that is remarkable in the eyes of the Western world, the royal dynasty was allowed to withdraw from power with honor and dignity. President Sun Yat Sen, himself perhaps the most remarkable man of modern times and already widely compared to George Washington, America's greatest popular idol, surrendered the high office which had but just been conferred on him, and with nothing but his country's good at heart, laid down the scepter that peace might the sooner come, and with less bloodshed. The whole effort of the government is now being put forth to bring about peace and order and prosperity, founded on high ideals and stable conditions. The future of China can not be otherwise but great with such principles guiding those at the helm and with the great powers guaranteeing the integrity of the nation.

One of our leading metropolitan papers was kind enough to publish the following which contains more or less "poetry": Our state is dotted with small villages in each of which one or more small newspapers are published. They do not make any claim to being a review of the entire world, even though they do not carry feature articles of a general nature, nor do they boast that their circulation is something prodigious. Yet these country newspapers appearing faithfully week after week, recording the happenings of the neighborhood, lending assistance to the unfortunate, extending sympathy and consolation to the bereaved, chronicling with pardonable pride any improvements in the town and bringing to the fireside a record of those apparently trifling happenings that are really of more importance to the readers than the crowning of George the Fifth as Emperor of India, meet a demand in our rural life. The country newspaper is of inesti-

mable value in maintaining the moral and financial standards of the community. It is something in which the entire neighborhood can feel a common interest. It is deserving of the steady support, not only of the homefolks, but also of those who look back with cherished memories to their life in the little town.

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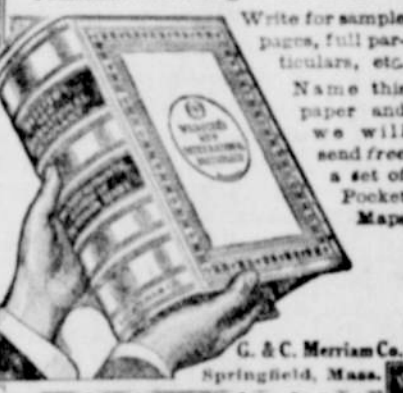
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