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A young artist unversed in financial matters returned home from a business trip to find his mother had invested her savings in a promotion enterprise which offered a very tempting 9%.

"It's no good," he said.

"But you don't know about it yet," said the mother.

"I know that any 'outside' investment wherein anyone with small capital can buy stock and which offers more than 6% has an element of risk in it which you can ill afford," he replied.

Two years later events forced the mother to sell—and after all the "special clauses" had been observed, the interest she received on her money was less than 2½%.

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The latest labor saving device for the farm is an auto truck attachment which automatically bores holes for posts. It consists of a huge earth boring auger attached on the front of the chassis of an ordinary auto truck. The power of the truck is used to operate the boring apparatus which does the work of twenty men.

**Community Service****FOSTERING CLOSER RELATIONSHIP FOR FARM AND TOWN**

By SAMUEL H. HOURVITCH.

EDITOR'S NOTE—Samuel H. Hourvitch, a world traveler, lecturer and writer, has explored practically every section of the civilized world. As an expert on farm problems, the following article will be read with interest.

When our forefathers the Pioneer Farmers penetrated into the Western parts of our great country their main object in life was to acquire as much land as they could put a claim on.

**BAREFOOT GOLF THE LATEST CRAZE**

Miss Margaret Young has set the pace for barefoot golf and now the blase society set of the East can be seen out a-mornings seeking health, barelegged on the links, believing the early dew is the keynote of continued vigor and the foe of wrinkles.

The object of these farm-pioneers was to get away from outside influence and remain the builders of their own destiny. Present conditions have fully justified the vision of these upbuilders of our great West. By managing their own affairs without interruption from foreign influence these farm-pioneers were able not only to revolutionize farming at large, but also to build up a superior class of manhood and womanhood.

Times have changed and with them the economical conditions as well. It is not enough for the farmer to breed live stock that hold the world record in the production of milk, pork and on the racing tracks. The modern American Farmer does not feel satisfied with his ability to produce better farm produce at a price that enables the American exporter to compete successfully with the products of many a distant country in their own land.

It is a well known fact that it is the farmer that won the World's War for democracy. It is also the American Farmer that "saved starving humanity from hunger after the war."

Having thus ascertained his economical and class position, the farmer came to the conclusion that by keeping aloft from other humanity, he is not only missing many an advantage offered to the average citizen of the other classes but he also deprives the community at large of many an important factor that helps make our country the best place to live in.

While our men farmers have distinguished themselves in producing better crops and farm produce, our lady-farmers in the meantime have accomplished more than any other class of people on the field in which they are best fitted by nature, inclination and personal superiority.

Thanks to our lady-farmers, our supply of "leaders" in the fields of industry, commerce, statesmanship and most of the learned professions is being kept up with the increased demands for such super men.

It's thanks to these "Mothers" that our nation leads in the per cent of human beings, superior in brain, superior in physical endurance, in perfect beauty and the charm of its women folk; also intellect and the higher standards of our children at large.

This may be the reason why the farmer is one of the leading supporters of our better church-movement, our moral improvement campaign and the real cause of many a legislative measure to brighten our task

of living and improve our conditions.

"MA-FARMERS."

Under the leadership of "Ma-Farmer" our rural population soon became the leading user of telephones, motor cars, labor-saving devices and of the better class publications. Improved transportation facilities, better marketing systems and easier ways to purchase farm supplies does not satisfy the modern farmer.

As soon as they have a chance Mr. and Mrs. Farmer prefer to settle among their friends. Unfortunately present conditions of farming do not permit the agriculturist to live among his friends without sacrificing his farm for the benefit of social improvement. Many a time when the farmer has to decide between the isolated farm and the opportunities offered for the success of his children in larger communities the farm mostly gets the worst of it. The homestead of the family goes to the first "renter" while future leaders of the nation, needing the leadership of "Ma-Farmer" settles in the city and thus deprives the farm of a most useful element.

It seems to me that a community would solve this problem most successfully. The towns-people need the farmer as much as the big city, the manufacturer.

It is the farmer that keeps up the stores, the offices, theater, banks and business of the smaller towns on a paying basis. It's thanks to the farmer that the small towns-people are enabled to keep up their duties toward the church, the school and other institutions. It's the farmer that supplies work to the superfluous hands of the town. It's the farmer that keeps our small communities free from the evil of crooked politics, dishonest public finances and internal troubles so well known in our industrial and cosmopolitan districts.

ADVANCEMENT OF EDUCATION.

Our farmers could greatly increase the educational value of most of our country schools by inducing the teachers, who, by the way, are mostly born and raised on the farm themselves, to improve the program of the schools by incorporating in its program the teaching of domestic art and science, gardening and farm economics, social manners and the ways of keeping the good will of prospective customers and business friends. Principles of self-government based upon the constitution of the U. S. and the state involved. The laws and definitions of our local state and national institutions and the rights and privileges we enjoy as members of our great republic. The ways and means and requirements necessary in applying and keeping your job as well as to gain the confidence and respect of your fellow citizens as employer and public institution. How to size up human beings and put them in the proper place of work without hurting their personal feelings. How to conduct

**20 YEARS FAITHFUL, NOW SUPERINTENDENT**

Miss Harriet de Kraft, after 20 years of faithful service, has been appointed Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds for the Congressional Library. She has the honor of being the first woman ever to hold this position.

**Poem by Uncle John****"VOX POPULI"**

I've noticed this "Vox Populi" that's on the court house dome,—but it's only here right lately, that I've thought about it some. Of course, we practice dignity, sometimes its overdid, when we speechify in furrin tongues to keep our meanin' hid.

A Populi is noted for the Voice that it contains—You never hear it mentioned in connection with its brains. . . . There needn't be no virtue in the object of its choice,—for the Populi of nations rests entirely on its voice

From the beller of the bull-ring to

the warble of the donk,—or the growlin' of the tiger to the chatter of the monk, here swells the noise of bedlam that could crack the azure sky, and that's the sort of chorus that we call "Vox Populi"

I haf to shudder, sometimes, to anticipate the day when we're all amalgamated with the alien an' the stray. . . . It ain't a pleasant outlook to contemplate the hour when everything is "People" and the "Populi" is power.

From Uncle John

**Uncle John's Josh****THE EXCAVATIONS FOR NEW BUILDINGS ARE THE FIRST-LINE TRENCHES OF PROSPERITY**

and assist in a proper manner public affairs without depending upon foolish sensational mediocrity that make our politics the laughing stock of everybody.

A few farmers added on the Board of the town council as trustees of the Church and Schools means sometimes a good way to reduce friction, induce honesty and straight business in the management of a town. By inducing the farmer to settle in town many a small village would thus be enabled to reduce its amount of tax- es per capita to improve its police and fire protecting devices, to increase the valuation to its assessable property and thus increase the market ability of its lands.

Many a small village which now depends upon outside help to keep up their public utilities could with the addition of only one hundred farmers to their population utilize their rights to grant franchises and thus save quite a bit on their utilities.

COMMUNITY CENTERS.

Many a farm industry which at present is dependent upon outside capital could be successfully utilized by the farmers themselves personally if congregated together. I don't understand why for example a town of 1,500 population located within the dairy belt has to purchase manufactured milk from a factory while the neighboring farmers sell their real milk at a price of \$1.30 per cwt.

Consider how much of an opportunity such farm communities would offer for the construction and maintenance of creameries, milk conden-

series, casein-plants, community

slaughter houses, soap factories, tailoring establishments, toy plants, cold storage warehouses, ice cream plants, tanneries, brush factories, grain elevators, fruit storage houses, etc. The last item above named would save millions to the farmers. He could sell his produce at the proper time, buy his stuff when he needs it from the local market thus eliminating transportation and paying interest to different middlemen for the privilege of taking his produce to and from the central markets.

By moving to the village our farmer would be enabled to enjoy their school, the library, etc. Ma Farmer could exchange her present "Woman's work is never done" with an efficient system of labor-saving devices and devote her extra time thus gained to social work or self-improvement, etc.

The good road problem could easily help the farmer to a ride to and from his field, in time while his chickens and cattle would be well protected from increased activity of some speed maniacs who try to compete with each other in the amount of damage they impose upon the farmer.

One hundred additional farmers would add to the average town about 25 square miles of land, considering the holdings of the average farmer to be about one hundred sixty acres of land. Thus the farthest distance for the farmer to travel from his house to the field would be not more than five miles. With modern roads such a distance could be easily traversed by auto within fifteen minutes. Time enough for the average farmer to accomplish his work without hurry and giving his wife and children an opportunity to enjoy the advantages of the farm and town combined.

**HEMSTITCHING.**

I have installed a hemstitching machine at my apartment in the Gilman building and will give all orders for work in that line my best attention. Your patronage is solicited. a6-1f. Mrs. C. C. PATTERSON.

Robert Young returned to his home at Yakima on Monday, after spending several days in Heppner at the bedside of his brother, Ray, whom he feels is well on the road to recovery.

STRAYED—One bay horse, white strip on face, nose and hind leg; brand BO on shoulder, XN on front feet. Liberal reward. Notify Geo. L. Wurster, R. F. D., Echo, Oregon.

**Punchettes**by  
**Rev. M. A. MATTHEWS**  
D.D., LL. D.**The Shorter Bible**

The heretical, rationalistic forces do not seem to be satisfied with the wicked they have produced. They are responsible for the late war. They are also responsible for the crime wave sweeping this country and Europe. The orgy of sin and crime can be traced directly to false teachings. Like the vultures they make a feast of the decaying carcass. Not satisfied with the murder, expense, wreck, and ruin produced, they have written a shorter Bible which will perpetuate the orgy.

The astonishing thing is that there are leaders connected with the Y. M. C. A., and the Y. W. C. A., who have lent their names and their influence to the infamous, hell-born production called the Shorter Bible. If the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. organizations permit their names and the names of their leaders to be attached to this abortion, then the

righteous, orthodox Christian forces of America should crush the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. Our boys and girls cannot be entrusted to the leadership or to the educational and club features of institutions drawing their sustenance from the churches of the living Christ, to have the faith of those children undermined by such infamous attacks upon God's infallible Word.

The Shorter Bible, so called, is one of the most blasphemous attacks that has been made upon God's Holy Bible. Let the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. repudiate their leaders or suffer the consequences.

Orthodox, self-respecting, consecrated men and women will not be insulted by such attacks of the rationalistic forces.

M. A. Matthews

