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Bottle-Raised Apple

Tree Something New

Milk-fed chickens and even milk-fed porkers are no novelty, but did you ever sink your teeth into a milk-fed apple? It seems that a Brockton matron was about to set out a young apple tree and sought the advice of a nearby storekeeper as to how it should be planted.

He advised digging a hole large enough to hold the roots. Then a short section of garden hose should be put in place, reaching from the surface to the roots, before the hole was filled in. Milk, poured down the tubing every day, would give the baby tree nourishment until it got strong enough to take care of itself.

Some time afterward he inquired of the lady how the tree was getting on. "It is doing finely," she replied. "I give it milk every day, as you advised." The storekeeper looked stunned, then raised his hands in despair.

"My Lord!" he gasped. "Didn't you know I was only joking about that?" The bottle-raised apple tree no longer gets its daily ration from contented cows, but maybe when it begins to develop apples they will have a creamy flavor.—Montreal Family Herald.

Remarkable Work of

Hindu Stone Carvers

The majestic stone carvings to be found on all ancient buildings in India, gigantic Buddhas, the bulls and the marvelous bas-reliefs are among the wonders of the world. Equally marvelous are the fretted walls of old Mogul palaces, Fatehpore Sikri, and the forts at Agra and Delhi. Wonderful artists and craftsmen have worked on this hard sandstone and left us a world's heritage. We stand amazed at their skill and patience. They do not work like that in this our day.

But the humble craft of stone cutting thrives, says a writer in the Statesman, of Calcutta, wherever stone quarries are found. The red hills of Rajputana send masses of stone to Agra, and these on the outskirts of the city are the factories of the patient toilers who chip and cut by hand, contriving grinding stones and dishes and bowls with the same instruments that cut the stones for the Taj, and carved and fretted the screen in that far-famed tomb and the deserted palaces of the fort.

What Are Vermin?

Just what is meant by the term "vermin" is usually a matter of considerable doubt in most peoples' minds. According to Forest and Stream Magazine the word applies to any wild animal that preys on other game. Vermin, it says, may be undesirable in some parts of the country and beneficial in others. In Connecticut, for instance, the following animals and birds are vermin to the authorities: Cooper hawks, sharp-shinned hawks, goshawks, great horned owls, barred owls, starlings, crows, red squirrels, house cats, bobcats, lynx, weasels, foxes, mink, European hares, raccoon, and skunk.

(Morgan Items Con't'd.)

those he got were the turkeys of Ball, Pettyjohn, Eckieberry and Troedson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harbison attend ed church in Ione, Sunday.

Mrs. Martin Bau. en end returned from Portland on the Saturday stage.

H. G. Hardesty was calling on Mr. Hutche o't, Tuesday.

Mr. Peterson of Ione purchased some cattle and boss of Geo. Mahoney, last week.

Miss Allen and "Red" Ship Snipley were the dinner guests of Mrs. Ted Smith, Sunday evening.

Quite a number of our Morgan people attended the dance at Rhea Siding, Saturday night.

The Rhea Siding Grange has been trying to make arrangements to hold their business sessions in the I. O. O. F. hall at Morgan.

Mr. William Gaston and Richard Logan were the dinner guests of the Nashes, Sunday.

Mrs. John N. was a business visitor in Ione, last Friday.

Morgan and vicinity received a fine rain, Sunday night and Monday morning.

Alvin Ely commenced to work for Mr. Krebs of Cecil, Tuesday.

County Agent Smith was in Morgan, last week, on business.

Harvey Medlock and Stanley Seely have returned home from the road camp as the work has shut down till the freezing weather is over.

Mrs. Mack, who held another meeting at the Morgan I. O. O. F. Hall, drove, in the evening, with the County Agent, to Heppner junction where she took the stage for Portland.

Miss Gladys Breshers spent Wednesday evening with Beulah and Geneva Pettyjohn.

Miss Elsie Allen and Mr. Roy Lindstrom were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adkins, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Noah Pettyjohn is quite sick at the Heppner hospital.

This Christmas, Give everlasting happiness. The "Orthopedic Victrola"; the Gift that Keeps on Giving.

—Bullard's Pharmacy

Festival Cakes

Though we have dropped the custom of the funeral cake, we have kept the happier one of the special cakes at birthday anniversaries, weddings and holidays. At first just a better sort of bread to which honey and sweet meats were added, cakes have had a long history in which a peak of extravagance and mysterious variation was reached and passed, with present-day return to simplicity, if fine quality, of ingredients.

For style, price and quality try Star Brand Shoes.—Bristow and Johnson.

Basket Social Dance & School Program

Given in

CECIL HALL

Dec. 22.



Mimics

A Londoner was hurrying along the embankment to keep an appointment for which he was already late. He was stopped by a party of Americans, one of whom asked courteously if he would point out Cleopatra's Needle. "Why, certainly," responded the Londoner; "It's just here." He indicated the famous obelisk, and at the same time removed his hat to wipe his brow. Whereupon the Americans also uncovered and gazed at the needle with reverence.

Biology Om's This

A Chicago boy was visiting on a farm in Indiana for the first time. He was particularly interested in the animals and fowls of the barnyard, although his knowledge of them was scant.

Seeing some ducks and geese in a mixed flock, he inquired: "How long does it take ducks to become geese?"

Church Directory

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School at 10:00 A. M.
Prayer Meeting, Thur., 7:30 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. W. W. HEAD, Pastor

Services

11:00 A. M.; C. E. at 6:45, P. M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed., 7:30

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.

Prayer Meeting Thurs. Evening
Services

C. E.; 6:30; Preaching Service,
at 7:30 P. M.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Ione, Oregon

Official Announcement

Mass every second Sunday in Ione during Nov., Dec., Jan., Feb., Mar. April and May at 10:30 A. M. in the home of Mr. J. P. O'Meara.

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Let It Pass By

House centipedes are not such pests as many people think. They do not feed on household goods, but on flies, roaches and other household pests. They are ugly things, but really helpful, so if you see one in your home shudder a bit if you feel like it, but let it go peacefully on its way.

Just Wait!

If she thinks he is perfect she hasn't lived with him long enough yet to hear his remarks when he is reminded for the third time the screens will have to come down and he taken up to the attic.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Blondes in Minority

Some enterprising individual recently discovered that only one blonde has been wife of a President and she was the famous Dolly Madison. Harriet Lane, niece of Buchanan, first lady during her uncle's regime, was blonde, too.

Master of One's Fate

Everywhere and at all times it is in thy power pliously to acquiesce in thy present condition, and to behave justly to those who are about thee.—Marcus Antoninus.

Osprey Was Pirate

Attempts were once made to train the fish-hawk or osprey to catch fish for its master's table, but as this bird could not be persuaded to relinquish its habit of flying to the top of the nearest tall tree with its catch, these attempts soon ended.

Before contracting or selling your wheat it will pay you to see L. Balsiger representing B. G. and Co.

Ione, Oregon

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