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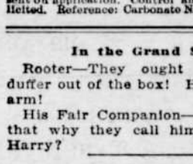

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SOIL FERTILITY IS WANING.

United States Agricultural Expert Predicts Exhaustion of Farm Land of Western Prairies.

The agricultural department at Washington is concerned about the exhaustion of the soil of the United States. On the prairies of the west fertility is beginning to wane. In many of the older communities fertility has been reduced below the point of profitable production. How to store and maintain productivity of soil is a most important phase of the conservation problem.

These observations are set forth in a farmers' bulletin prepared by W. J Spillman, agriculturist in charge of the office of farm management of the agricultural department. Mr. Spillman says that in order that the prairie country may not follow the descent of the east and south it is necessary that intelligent and vigorous effort be made to farm correctly.

Renting of land on short leases for the purpose of growing grain for the market is one of the surest means of reducing the productive power of the soil. Well managed pastures and rational systems of crop rotation are necessary to the development of permanent systems of profitable farming.

Land owners must realize this, and must take steps to improve renting methods by stocking their farms with a full complement of domestic animals, in case the renter is not able to do this for himself, and by giving longer leases whereby the renter may reap the reward of intelligent management.

In view of the soil waste that has occurred, Mr. Spillman asserts, it is not surprising that values of farm products have risen to a marked degree in the last few years.

POTATO BUGS ARE AT WORK.

War Must Be Commenced Early and Continued With Vigilance—Paris Green Recommended.

Potato bugs are at work. They are an enemy to be poisoned by the potato grower. War must be commenced early and continued with vigilance. Paris green is the most highly recommended. It may be used as a spray, with a sprinkler, mixed with air slaked lime, flour, or fine, dry road dust, sifted over the potato plants when covered with dew or rain. In any form of application at least one pound of Paris green should be used per acre, but when the plants are large a greater amount may be required. The Minnesota Experiment station prefers to use Paris green mixed into a thin paste with water and then stirred in the larger volume of water to be used in a sprayer. Very good results, however, have been obtained by the use of a common sprinkler. Where the crop is large and it is possible to procure one, a power sprayer is advised and regarded as almost indispensable. Milk of lime, made by slaking two pounds of stone lime in water to each pound of Paris green, should be carefully strained into the poisonous mixture to prevent burning of the plants. Arsenate of lead may be used as a potato bug poison, but it is more expensive than Paris green. Paris green may be mixed with bordeaux mixture, when the mixture is used as a disease destroyer. In this case no additional lime need be added.

The Colony House.

The permanent colony house is not as good as the portable. The portable house is usually built upon runners similar to the common stone boat. In the spring and summer they are drawn upon the range, and in winter may be brought up near the feed house and arranged in rows, so it is almost as easy to care for the birds as if they were in a single continuous house. The colony-house system is in general use in England, and is practically the only system employed, says a writer in Baltimore American. These colony houses have wheels at each corner and no floors. I would advise those who contemplate going into the poultry business, no matter on what scale, to start with the colony system. It takes a little more work, but it is best in the end, and the chances of success are much greater than where the other plans are followed.

The Modern Farmer.

The modern farmer is working toward a well-defined purpose. His constant aim is to do less work that requires muscle and brawn, but more brain work. He purposes to purchase machines that will do the drudgery and irksome tasks while he himself can find time to solve the problems of farm management. A little headwork, properly applied to the management of a farm, will often turn loss into profit.

Food For Chicks.

A handful of grain dug into an ant hill will bring the chickens to it, and then good-by to the insects.

A plant of Swiss chard sown adjoining the poultry yard will supply greens all summer provided the fowls are not allowed to eat it more than an hour a day.

To Maintain Nitrogen.

Nitrogen must be maintained by legume crops, and the best legume for the corn belt is clover. The clover crop should be left on the ground. If removed, not much, if any, nitrogen is added to the soil. If the crop is removed and fed to average live stock and the manure given average care and hauled back to the field, the loss is nearly one-half of the plant food and three-fourths of the organic matter. If a good crop of clover is left on the ground once every three or four years, only the seeds being removed, it will supply sufficient nitrogen for quite large grain crops.

Milking.

Milking with wet hands is a filthy practise. The clean milker uses clean hands and is sure before he begins that the cow's udder is clean and that no falling dirt can get into the milk. Using lard on the hands to make milking easy will aid in making hard milkers. It will also help to keep the cow's teat very tender. Dampening the teats with milk also has the same effect.

REPARTEE ENDS IN DISASTER

Fresh Young Man In Quick Lunch Room Is Unexpectedly Showered With Oatmeal.

The young man with the iron cheek entered the quick lunch room and seated himself at the third table.

"Belinda," he called familiarly, "you look fresh this morning."

"Not half as fresh as some others," retorted the pretty waitress with an elevation of her nose.

"Well! Well! Have you calf brains?"

"If I did you wouldn't order them, for you have an oversupply now."

"My, but you are getting good for the matinee. With the high price of meats, eggs come in handy these days don't they?"

"No; they come in crates."

"Wow! Did you ever hear the story of the incubator chick? It's not out yet?"

"That will do, sonny. Did you ever hear the story of the cold porridge? Well, it's on you!"

There was an unexpected tilting of a dish and the young man with the iron cheek was showered with oatmeal.

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Sordid Philosophy.

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Clara—Married beneath her socially, I suppose?

Maude—Oh, no; but her friends all predicted the alliance would turn out unhappily, and it didn't.

As Corrected.

"Young man," said the home-grown philosopher, "it is always best to begin at the beginning."

"No, if you want to go up a river, it isn't," answered the wise youth.

He Got Another Job.

"We make it a rule here," said the warden to the new prisoner, "to assign prisoners to the trades with which they are most familiar and will make no exception in your case. What is your occupation?"

"I'm an aeroplane chauffeur," replied the new boarder, as he grinned a gruesome grin.

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The man scowled darkly.

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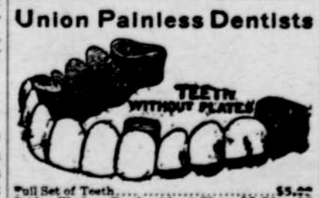

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COLUMBUS, OHIO, POLICE BALK

Rioters Are Ruling City In Streetcar Strike.

Efforts Are Made to Dynamite Car Barns—Innocent Strikebreakers Are Arrested.

Columbus, O.—Rioting in a mild form was resumed early Sunday with the efforts of the traction company to move its cars. The police, while not displaying any energy in suppressing the disorder, were especially active in their treatment of the strikebreakers.

One woman, brought here as cook for the strikebreakers, was arrested on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. She had in her possession a revolver, but insisted she would not use it unless necessary to protect her life. She was subjected to torrents of vile abuse by the strikers and "sympathizers" as the police took her to the station with more ceremony than the occasion called for.

In early morning riots, one man was shot and five others were badly beaten by the strikers. In each case the police arrived too late to do more than arrest some strikebreakers, whose chief offense was that they had been spectators or had been beaten by thugs.

The electric lines between this city and Dayton are tied up, the company withdrawing its car fearing their destruction and probable loss of life in attacks under cover of darkness. A few cars were operated in the mornings by clerks and train dispatchers, but their experiences on one trip usually sufficed for the day.

Following two attempts to dynamite the carbarns, closer guard was established around these suburbs. Mayor Marshall has made no call for the return of troops, but the Fourth Regiment is held in readiness. The mayor expects to resume the guarding of cars by the automobile system, having the policemen who refuse to ride on the cars drive alongside them in automobiles, thus preserving the dignity of the police, and affording the cars and their patrons a show of protection. The mayor also hopes that 2000 citizens will volunteer for guard duty, thus avoiding the "disgrace" of calling for troops.

The traction company is firm in its stand, and says it will not yield to the demands of the demagogues, even to make political capital for the mayor and those backing him. The public generally is disgusted with the actions of the police, and there is an insistent demand that every man who had sworn to do his duty in protecting life and property, and who refused to do either, be immediately dismissed from the force.

It is altogether likely, after the strike is ended, that the mayor will be forced by public opinion to take some radical steps along this line, as the taxpayers have lost faith in the police force.

Strikers continue their activities, and the police were kept busy responding to riot calls. A woman was hit by a stone and seriously injured while riding on an East Side car. Eight more policemen joined the police mutiny against riding on cars. The strike was extended at Springfield, because the company officials refused to reinstate nine out of thirteen men recently discharged.

BIG WORLD'S FAIR BURNS.

Loss at Brussels May Reach $100,000,000—Nothing Saved.

Brussels—One of the costliest conflagrations in European history wiped out the Belgian exposition Sunday night, entailing an enormous loss, estimated at $100,000,000. So far as known only two persons are dead and two score injured.

The White City of the world's fair, as the Belgians have called their 1910 exposition, early in the evening was a mass of flames and now is smouldering ruins. A spark falling into inflammable material in the telegraph building, burst into flames, which, driven by a high wind, swept rapidly in all directions.

Soon the Belgian, English and French sections were destroyed. The firemen and detachments of soldiers, called to the scene, found themselves baffled by the gale, which carried the burning embers to all parts of the grounds.

To the left of the main building arose the picturesque roofs and spires of "Bruxelles Kermesz," a Belgian Coney Island, with water chutes, toboggan slides and scores of side shows.

Boy Work Not Military.

Vancouver, B. C.—General R. S. Baden-Powell, hero of the siege of Mafeking in the Boer war, arrived here Saturday on a world tour of the boys' scout companies, having organized that movement in Great Britain several years ago. Commenting on the recent spread of the movement to the United States, he said: "With the usual energy the American people display, they have taken up the question splendidly; but are inclined to give it too much of a military tinge; the subject is not so much military as to make boys good citizens."

Miners' Scandal Hinted.

Indianapolis—John H. Walker, president of the Illinois miners, at a caucus of the Illinois delegates, confessed that a number of delegates had been offered international offices if they would change their position in regard to the strike in Illinois. Walker did not name the men, whom he said had been approached, nor did he say who made the offer. T. L. Lewis, president of the international organization of miners, when seen, denied any such offer had been made. The convention voted unanimously to indorse the Illinois strike.

Rate Increase Wanted.

Topeka, Kan.—A movement was started here by railway employes to secure an increase in the freight rates. Petitions are being drawn up, and these will be sent out over all the railway lines in the United States for the signatures of employes.

These are directed not only to the state legislatures, but to the interstate commerce commission. The plan is to get thousands of signatures in every state.

Thirty-two Die in Train Crash.

Royan, France—An excursion train from Bordeaux with 1200 passengers and running at a speed of 50 miles an hour, crashed into a freight train at Saujon. Thirty-two persons were killed and 100 injured. Many of the victims were school girls. Several of the passenger cars were torn to splinters. A split switch caused the accident.

LATE INVENTIONS.

A draining rack for wet dishes, to be hung on one side of a dishpan, is a new convenience for the housewife.

It is claimed for a new electrical melting pot for glue that it keeps its contents at a perfectly even temperature.

An improved cover for street manholes, recently patented, screws into its socket so that wagons cannot knock it out of place.

A new tool for painters consists of a reservoir for paint, which is fed out upon an embossed roller to stripe flat surfaces or to apply ornamental designs.

For thawing dynamite a metal kettle has been invented in which the explosive is placed in an inner compartment, which is surrounded by hot water.

About the size of a lawn mower is a new machine designed to sow lawn grass seed, disks cutting into the earth receive the seed, which is covered by a following roller.

A single turn of the handle of a new letter stamping machine cuts a stamp from a strip, moistens, and affixes it, registers the transaction, and ejects the stamped letter.

A double frying pan, hinged in the center, has been patented by an Iowa man, so that two articles can be cooked at once and to save space by folding it when not in use.

To test the speed of projectiles driven by modern high power explosives British scientists have perfected a chronoscope which measures time to the millionth of a second.

A new range employs both electricity and steam, a current of the former, used to cook food on the top of the range, also heating water to produce steam to operate the oven economically.

A new shoe salesman's stool is provided with small mirrors on each side of the foot rest, to enable the customer to get side views of a shoe he is trying on and also to afford a degree of privacy.

FASHION HINTS

A dainty little dress, and a practical dress when it comes to the question of ironing, is the style sketched here. It buttons under the arms, which can be made a decorative as well as a practical feature if the edges are buttonholed.

Lawn or dimity are good materials to use if it is to be a "best dress."

SPARKS ELECTRIC.

New York boasts an electrically lighted hearse.

The quarter-in-the-slot electric meter has made its appearance.

A cent's worth of electricity will drive a 12-inch fan for ninety minutes.

An electric light of four billion candle-power would be necessary to signal to Mars.

Thomas A. Edison's royalties for moving picture patents total nearly $7,000 a week.

The average number of passengers carried daily on the elevated railways of Chicago is 419,897.

Eight thousand passenger elevators in New York carry more than six million passengers in a day.

The express elevators in the Board of Trade building, Chicago, are the fastest in the world, having a speed of 570 feet a minute.

Plans for a $16,000,000 tunnel between the North and South stations of the New Haven railroad in Boston are about to be approved.

An electromagnet is being used to recover sunken iron cargoes such as nails, steel strips and rolls of wire, in the Mississippi river.

Television is the latest. You talk with a friend a hundred miles away and you see him as plainly as though you were in the same room.

Officers of the new battleship South Dakota, which is equipped with Curtis turbine engines, say there is absolutely no vibration of the fire control masts, a difficulty always found in the reciprocating engine-driven vessels.

Throwing It Up to Her.

"I have been singing my exercise, in the key of C all morning," said the young lady from the flat below.

"Yes," piped up little Johnny from the flat above, "an' pa said about an hour ago he never was so C sick in his life as he was this morning."—St. Louis Star.

As a rule, there is altogether too much competition for the consolation prize

Deceivers Ever.

They were arguing about the alleged inborn strain of deceitfulness in woman, and she retaliated by citing the instances of men deceiving their wives.

"I suppose" said he "that you hold that a man should never deceive his wife."

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The Elevator Man's Joke.

Hobbs—I guess the elevator is out of order. What is that sign on the door?

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Brassy Benson—Not on your life! She might try to work the John Alden racket on me.

Works Both Ways.

"The clarinet," remarked the amateur as he paused to get his second wind, "is the hardest instrument to play."

"Anyway," rejoined his one-man audience, "it can't be any harder to play than it is to listen to."

As Represented.

"See here," growled the irate man as he entered the jewelry store. "I bought this watch of you last week and paid you $2 in cash for it. You said it would work like a charm—and it doesn't keep time at all."

"That's all right, my friend," replied the jeweler calmly. "Neither does a charm."

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"Yes."

"And 4,000,000 miles long."

"Well?"

"I wonder if we couldn't rig up some kind of a suction engine and tap it?"

Latest Role.

"Why do you save those old rubber shoes?"

"They are for hungry arctic explorers," replied Mrs. Housekeep. "Been a good many of 'em along this route."

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"Your novel is evidently the result of inspiration."

"Yes; I didn't start it until after reading the advertising notice my publishers got up."—Washington Herald.

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