

U.S. GUARDS AGAINST INVASION OF INSECTS

Imported Pests Sometimes Prove to be Veritable Pests in Numbers of Great Portion.

GYPSY MOTH BROUGHT IN FOR SCIENTIFIC PURPOSE

Mongoose Catches Rats Also Chickens, Young Pigs, and Certain Kinds of Vegetables.

By Burton K. Standish.

Washington, May 2.—Uncle Sam is keeping continuous guard against invasion. The enemies against which a trained corps of men are fighting are animal, bird, insect and vegetable pests.

The most destructive pest ever introduced into the United States is the gypsy moth. It was in 1869 that Trouvelot, an astronomer at Harvard University and an amateur entomologist of note, conceived the idea of breeding a hairy worm which would revolutionize the silk industry.

At this point Trouvelot's experiments ceased. But their results did not. They are still with us and have cost the country millions of dollars.

A great many people innocently bring home curia, plants and animals that are active agents of mischief.

The Gypsy Moth is another creature which individuals persist in trying to import.

manured creature. The mulla, he is valuable because he kills snakes. But he is also partial to chickens, young pigs, kids, lambs, puppies, kittens and certain vegetables and fruits.

Jamaica is alive with the pest, introduced by some misguided individual who thought they would rid the island of rats which caused havoc in the sugar cane fields.

Environment Changes Nature. The great danger about importing any kind of animal or bird or insect is that environment may change them completely.

One notable exception, however, is the pheasant, a game bird disease, introduced in France in 1859, which has devastated vineyards there.

Secretary Bryan found himself confronted with the quarantine rule when customs officials barred his llama.

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MAY SAVE MONEY BY CARE IN PLANNING

Real Problem in Home Cooking Is Preparation of Proper Foods for Table.

MEAL SHOULD BE WELL BALANCED IN ALL PROPERTIES

By Figuring Ahead Delectable Combinations Can Be Made with Little Waste.

St. Louis, May 2.—The real problem of home cooking is the preparing of appetizing and wholesome meals, with due regard to expenditure of time and money.

Perfect Balance Not Necessary. It is not necessary to spend much time figuring perfect balance of food principles in family meals but it is necessary to have a general idea of composition of foods and to be careful that not too much protein, fat, sugar, or starch be served in a meal.

The following examples, often served in poorly "balanced" meals, will illustrate this point:

Beef, macaroni and cheese, peas—too high in protein.

Appetite the Best Sauce. The good digestion depends to a considerable extent on pleasurable taste in eating, has been proven scientifically, as well as by experience of the ages.

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News of the Churches

Castle Chapel United Brethren.

Corner Seventeenth and Nebraska, H. B. Dykes, minister. Bible School, 10 a. m.; morning worship, 11 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. anniversary program, 7:30.

United Evangelical Church. North Cottage street, near Center, A. A. Winter, minister.

Jason Lee Memorial Methodist Church. North Winter and Jefferson streets, J. H. Levine, pastor.

International Bible Students' Association. The Salem class of the International Bible Students' Association will hold their regular weekly study at 435 Court street, upstairs, at 10:00 a. m.

Women's Christian Temperance Union. P. A. Shipley will deliver the Gospel temperance address at the Ramp memorial hall, Sunday, at 4:30 o'clock.

Highland Friends Church. Corner of Highland and Elm, Josephine Hackett, pastor.

Christian Science. First Church of Christ, Scientist, 440 Chemeketa street.—Service Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m.; subject of Bible lesson: "Everlasting Punishment"; Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8.

First Baptist Church. Corner Marion and Liberty streets.—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning sermon, 11 o'clock, sermon subject, "Take Ye Away the Stone"; evening sermon, 7:45; sermon subject, "Rainbows"; Ministry of music under direction of Miss Minetta Magers.

First Congregational Church. Corner of Liberty and Center streets, Percy Frederick Schrock, minister.—Bible school at 10 a. m.; morning worship at 11 a. m., subject of sermon, "The Bible's Greatest Lesson"; evening worship at 7:30 o'clock.

First Christian Church. Corner High and Center streets, F. T. Carter, minister.—Bible School, 9:45 a. m., Dr. H. C. Epley, director; worship and sermon, 11 a. m., subject, "The Restoration"; C. E., 7 p. m., Elizabeth Jones, leader; evening sermon, 8 o'clock, subject, "The Far Country"; Good music.

Unitarian Church. Corner of Chemeketa and Cottage streets, Richard P. Fischer, minister.—Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Sunday service, 11 a. m., subject, "Turn on the Light"; music by Miss Ada Miller.

First Methodist Episcopal Church. State and Church streets, Richard N. Avison, minister.—Sabbath School, 9:45 a. m., Mr. H. C. Tillman, superintendent; sermon, 11 a. m., subject, "Invitation and Promise; class meetings, 12:30 p. m. Messrs Cummings and Stone will welcome all their members.

Closing Meeting. Monday at 2:30 p. m., in the Y. M. C. A. building, the last regular meeting of the Ministerial Union for the season is to be held.

dance is earnestly desired.—Thos. J. Woodcock, secretary.

Central Congregational Church. Corner Perry and South Nineteenth streets.—Graded Bible School, 10:00 a. m.; public worship, 11:00 a. m., subject, "Glimpses of the World Sunday School Movement"; Christian Endeavor, 7:00 p. m.; Song Services, 7:45 p. m.; public worship, 8:00 p. m., subject, "A Proud Citizenship."

WOULD LICENSE TRAVELING PEDDLERS IN THIS STATE. J. W. Marksbury, of Eugene, president, and G. H. Sellers, of Salem, secretary of the Retail Traveling Men's Association of Oregon, today submitted to Secretary of State Orcutt for approval, as to form, a bill which will be introduced at the coming election providing for the licensing by counties of itinerant peddlers.

In counties having a population of 10,000 and not exceeding 18,000—Maximum, \$25; minimum, \$10. In counties having a population of 18,000—Maximum, \$50; minimum, \$20. It is provided that persons violating the law shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and be subject to a fine of not less than \$5 nor more than \$100, and in default of payment shall be subject to imprisonment in jail for one day for each \$2 of the fine and costs not to exceed 60 days.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury. A mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces.

FOREST NOTES. Nearly 4,000 acres were reforested in Montana and northern Idaho during 1913, at an average cost of \$7.50 an acre. The best forested area of China is in Manchuria. The principal tree varieties are pine, cedar, larch, fir, yew, oak, ash, elm, walnut and birch.

Two forest officers, in Washington and Oregon, are writing popular descriptions of the trees on the Grater and Mt. Rainier national parks, for the use of visitors to the parks.

Gannett Peak, Wyoming, nearly 14,000 feet in elevation, and the highest mountain in the state, is on the divide between the Bonneville and Bridger national forests.

In northern Arizona, Utah, Nevada, southern Idaho and western Wyoming, the fires on national forests set by campers have decreased in four years from nearly a third to approximately one-fifth.

PRUNES ARE DAMAGED MORE THAN CHERRIES. J. D. Waring, who has charge of the sales department for the Quaker Nurseries, is one of the best posted men on fruit conditions in the county.

ON LOOKOUT FOR HORSE THIEF. Sheriff William Esch received notice yesterday from Sheriff A. Gellatly, of Benton county, that a man who was dressed in brown overalls and a brown shirt had stolen a horse at Corvallis and started toward this city.

Poor Holston; Jaynu will remain neutral.

HENRY CLEWS WRITES OF MEXICAN WAR AND FINANCIAL

New York, April 30.—The long-dreaded clash with Mexico has come. What the end will be is at present beyond human foresight. A costly war may result, but there is still hope that it may be averted. The effect of such a calamity upon domestic business should not be particularly serious. Temporarily it will act as a stimulus upon certain industries. Its effect in local financial circles has already been largely discounted.

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Such as the Mexican outbreak is to be deplored, it will have the effect of starting new activities and diverting public attention from ills upon which it has been brooding far too long.

Never held a state or county elective office. Cut this out and take it to the polls on May 15th, and vote for me. If nominated and elected, I will in return faithfully endeavor to secure such legislation as will result in—

1st.—Reduction of taxes. 2nd.—Fewer expensive commissions and office holders. 3rd.—Enactment of better laws. 4th.—Revision of voters registration laws. 5th.—Semi-annual payment of taxes without penalty.

"THE OLD RELIABLE" PLANTER'S BLACK CAPSULES REMEDY FOR MEN. AT DRUGGISTS OR TRIAL BOX BY MAIL \$3. FROM PLANTER'S BLACK CAPSULES, BROOKLYN, N. Y. BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

SISTER: READ MY FREE OFFER!

I am a woman. I know a woman's trials. I know her need of sympathy and help. If you, my sister, are unhappy because of ill-health, if you feel unfit for household duties, social pleasures, or daily employment, write and tell me just how you suffer, and ask for my free ten days' trial of a home treatment suited to your needs.

I INVITE YOU TO SEND TODAY FOR MY FREE TEN DAYS' TREATMENT and learn how these ailments can be easily and surely conquered at home without the dangers and expense of an operation.

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It's a sure indicator of the condition of your Stomach, Liver and Bowels. If it is poor, you should try

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

It creates a healthy appetite, aids digestion and keeps the bowels regular. Start today.

Join me in a cup of refreshing Ridgways Tea. England's favorite for over 70 years.

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B. J. MILES Republican Candidate for State Senator from Marion County Occupation Fruit Grower. R. F. D. 3, Salem, Ore.



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An Indispensable and Delightful Toilet Requisite for Fashionable Women.

A daily necessity for the ladies' toilet whether at home or while traveling, protects the skin from injurious effects of the elements, gives a wonderfully effective beauty to the complexion. It is a perfect non-greasy Toilet Cream and positively will not cause or encourage the growth of hair which all ladies should guard against when selecting a toilet preparation. When dancing, bowling or other exertions heat the skin, it prevents a greasy appearance.

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