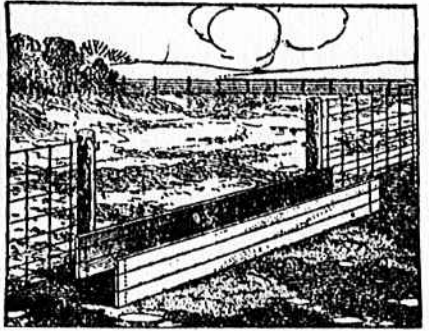


HOG-PROOF GATE IS HANDY ARRANGEMENT

Cattle and Horses Permitted to Pass at Will.

Two Low Fences, About 18 Inches High, Serve to Keep Swine in Their Own Pasture—Other Animals Can Step Over.

A farmer uses this arrangement to keep the hogs in one lot, while allowing his cattle and horses to pass unrestrained into another pasture. The gate was removed from the hinges, and the space from post to post was boarded up solidly to a height of 18 inches from the ground. About 18



Two Low Fences Across the Gateway Will Stop the Hogs, but Allow Horses and Cattle to Pass.

inches from each gatepost, inside the lot where the hogs were confined, a short post was driven. Long boards nailed from one to the other of these posts made another panel of board fence, 18 inches high and parallel with the boarded-up gate, with an 18-inch space between the two low walls. When a hog comes to this detached panel, it will go to the end and pass round into the narrow passage between the two board walls, continuing on through and out at the other end till it tires of the performance. One that is short enough to turn in the 18-inch passage is too small to jump or climb over the boards before it, and one that cannot turn is unable to face the wall and make the attempt to climb.

All other stock, except small calves or colts, will step over the low walls. No wide cracks, offering footholds, should be left between the boards.—H. F. Grinstead, Columbia, Mo., in Popular Mechanics Magazine.

FARM SELECTION PERPLEXING

Study of Several Intricate Points Called For—Knowledge of Basic Principles Needed.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

In choosing a farm one has the options of buying with the intention of operating the place as his entire business, buying a small farm and renting enough additional land to meet his needs, or renting a farm either on the share or cash basis. One's choice in the matter is usually determined by the funds available.

If one has only a small amount of capital and wishes to undertake farming as a business from which to derive his entire income, he should, in nearly all cases, begin as a renter. However, if he wishes to buy a farm on which to live, deriving a part of his income from other sources, then, possibly, purchasing is desirable, even if capital is limited.

Whatever course is followed, it is highly desirable that one thoroughly understand the basic principles governing the farm business before deciding some of the finer points. A disregard of these basic principles is responsible for a large proportion of farm failures.

A man may unconsciously work all his life against some economic barrier when success would have been comparatively easy if he had selected a farm where the economic principle would aid him instead of working against him.

AGRICULTURE A NATIONAL PROBLEM

A sober national thought with regard to the importance, the absolute necessity, of a sustained agriculture in this country is imperative. There is, perhaps, no single solution for the situation which the farmers are now facing, but there are many steps which can be and should be taken to place our agriculture on a more satisfactory basis and to stabilize the business of farming, not in the interest of the farmers alone but in the interest of the nation as a whole. The matter is of such tremendous importance to our entire population that it should be recognized everywhere as a national problem and dealt with as such.—Annual Report of the Secretary of Agriculture.

DRY PLACE FOR SEED BEANS

Molds Will Quickly Attack Crop If Moisture Gets to Them, Killing Germinating Qualities.

Beans for seed should be kept in a dry place or molds will readily attack them. Beans will heat if the least bit of moisture gets to them and destroys their germinating qualities. Shoveling them over will help keep them dry.

HONOR ROLL.

Picket Post School.
Following is the honor roll of the Picket Post school for the month of January:
First Grade—Dora Hutchins, Irene Powell.
Advanced First Grade—Rhoda Duckett, Katie Vaughn.
Second Grade—Luelle Lee, Myra Alexander, Maggie Hamby, Samille Pickens, Frank Rankin, Obie Galloway, Reese Hubbard.
Mrs. E. C. Pickens, Teacher.
Third Grade—Bernice Garrison.
Fourth Grade—Laura Cowan, Ethel Davis.
Sixth Grade—Frank Cowan, William Chalmers, Mae Hutchins.
Seventh Grade—Omega Alexander, Annie Powell.
Eighth Grade—Pauline Todd.
Ninth Grade—Annie Lay, Cornelia Orr, Gladys Alexander.
E. C. Pickens, Principal.

To Stop a Cough Quick

take HAYES' HEALING HONEY, a cough medicine which stops the cough by healing the inflamed and irritated tissues.

A box of GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE SALVE for Chest Colds, Head Colds and Croup is enclosed with every bottle of HAYES' HEALING HONEY. The salve should be rubbed on the chest and throat of children suffering from a Cold or Croup.

The healing effect of Hayes' Healing Honey inside the throat combined with the healing effect of Grove's O-Pen-Trate Salve through the pores of the skin soon stops a cough.

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Just ask your druggist for HAYES' HEALING HONEY.

OLD MASONIC TEMPLE, SPARED

By Sherman, was Destroyed by Fire in Georgia Last Week.

A dispatch from Sandersville, Ga., under date of Feb. 14, says:

Sandersville, located just twelve miles from the scene of the disastrous tornado which recently laid waste the town of Oconee and the Gardner mill district, was visited by a fire early to-day, when the brick Masonic building and four wooden structures were completely destroyed, entailing a loss of approximately \$60,000.

The Masonic building is reported to have been the oldest building of its kind in Georgia, having been put up in 1856. It was an old landmark, and had much history attached to it. When Gen. Sherman made his famous march to the sea, in 1864, his soldiers broke into the building and looted it, it is stated, but when Sherman arrived on the scene he was requested by older Masons to spare the building, and, being a member of the order, he granted their petition.

While the actual loss is estimated at \$60,000, there were over 7,000 books in the Masonic building, many of them being very old and considered as beyond price. The monetary loss is well covered by insurance.

QUESTION CLEARED UP

Walhalla Readers Can No Longer Doubt the Evidence.

Again and again we have read of strangers in distant towns who have been cured by this or that medicine. But Walhalla's pertinent question has always been "Has anyone here in Walhalla been cured?" The word of a stranger living a hundred miles away may be true, but it cannot have the same weight with us as the word of our own citizens, whom we know and respect, and whose evidence we can so easily prove.

Mrs. C. H. White, Broad St., Walhalla, says: "A few years ago I had backache and other symptoms of kidney trouble. I had sharp pains shoot through my kidneys and I was in pretty bad shape. I was feeling quite miserable when I was told to try Doan's Kidney Pills and one box entirely cured me. I advise anyone suffering from kidney complaint to give Doan's a trial."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. White had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Center Singing Association.

The Center Township Singing Association will meet with Return church on the fourth Sunday in February, the 27th. All good singers and lovers of music are invited to be present.

J. W. S. King,
Secretary and Treasurer.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative power of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Propagandists

By REV. JOHN C. PAGE

Teacher of Bible Doctrine, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

TEXT.—They that were scattered abroad went everywhere preaching the word.—Acts 8:4.

Propagandists for the Christian faith are greatly needed now. A distinguished and trustworthy writer on "The Effects of the War on World Religions" presents evidence to prove that Shintoism, Buddhism, Mohammedanism, Hinduism, and Confucianism stimulated by the war have already inaugurated worldwide campaigns, especially for Europe and America. These are to be largely promoted by preaching and by the printed page.

There is also a propaganda of lawlessness preached on the street corners of our cities, and pushed by the distribution of printed matter, with the caption "Read and pass it on." The advocates of false religious doctrines and false social theories are going everywhere proclaiming their teachings. Our Lord planned that the Word of Life should be proclaimed everywhere by earnest propagandists. This is implied in His parting words: "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature." The power to do this was promised and the promise was fulfilled on the Day of Pentecost. The power of the Holy Spirit has been and is available for all who determine to be witnesses unto Him. The early Christians accepted this work and became propagandists of the most urgent type. They "went everywhere preaching the Word."

The message of Christ has not changed, nor has the meaning of His command. Christians are called to be propagandists. He is still saying, "Go." The Christians of the New Testament time went everywhere preaching the Word.

There are many ways in which we can follow their example:

1. By living lives that illustrate the redeeming power of God's grace. Next to the direct power of God is the power of a holy life. It preaches and witnesses everywhere.

2. By an unflinching testimony, unshaken and without apology. To maintain this, one must have the strong convictions that issue from a vital Christian experience and fellowship with God in His Word. The man on the fence leads us nowhere, but the man of strong convictions is always recognized as the commander of the day. The men and women who are doing the most for the salvation of the world are those who are unashamed of the gospel and unafraid to say where they stand.

3. Personal soul winning. In this matter the one who takes the offensive wins the day. Henry Clay Trumbull said that when he had the opportunity of shaping the conversation he always directed it toward Christ and His salvation. By this method of personal soul winning he gained more lives for Christ than in all his public preaching and teaching.

4. Christian efforts and enterprise. This calls for the expenditure of time and effort and money, but the true Christian propagandist does not hesitate to spend both himself and all that he has in the work of making Christ known.

The work of the Christian propagandist calls for courage and devotion of the highest order. It involves much more than church membership and regular attendance at church services. It demands an abandonment of one's self to the orders of the Commander with perfect trust in him concerning the consequences.

"Beware" said an old Christian warrior, "lest you lose your enthusiasm." This quality is absolutely essential in the work of the Christian propagandist. When our government called for men to serve in the hour of our country's need, the men responded. When the Red Cross asked for millions to take care of the sick and wounded, they were given more even than they asked for. When the cry for help came from the desolated countries across the sea, the response was liberal and generous. What shall be our response to the call of Christ? The early Christians went everywhere preaching the Word. You too can do the same either in your own person or by the hearty support of the task through money and prayer.

A mere lad in the army overseas was rather hard to manage because of his failure to respond readily to discipline, but when the call for actual service came he developed into a man. On one of the closing days of the war he had to go out twice in the face of the enemy's fire but both times came back and saluted with these words: "Captain, your message was delivered." We are entrusted with the great message. It requires courage and sacrifice to deliver it. At the end of our day it will be a glorious achievement if we, looking into the face of our Lord, can say to Him, as the Captain of our Salvation, "Your message was delivered."

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PHONE 34.

And Al Jennings Beat It Quick.

New York, Feb. 17.—Al Jennings, reformed train robber and bandit, admitted that he had been victimized here by "an inconsiderate, discourteous" member of his forsaken profession.

Returning to his hotel from Brooklyn, Jennings was accosted by a shabbily dressed individual, and found himself at the unfamiliar end of a "six-shooter." He obeyed with celerity the usual "hands up" command, then sought immunity by divulging his identity.

"Oh, come on, now," he pleaded in a friendly manner; "I'm Al Jennings."

"Never mind the guff," returned the other, lifting a jewel and a roll of bills from Jennings' pocket; "I'm President Wilson."

"Here, now," he continued; "I'm leaving you a dime—beat it!"

and Jennings did.

A TONIC

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value. Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is simply Iron and Quinine suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs QUININE to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. Destroys Malarial germs and Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.

Population Center in Indiana.

Washington, Feb. 18.—The "center of population," as disclosed by the 1920 census, is located in the extreme southeast corner of Owen county, Indiana, eight and three-tenths miles southeast of the town of Spencer, the census bureau has officially announced.

During the last decade the center of population continued to move to the westward, advancing 9.8 miles in that direction, about one-fifth of a mile north of Bloomington, Ind., where it was located by the census of 1910.

The bureau attributed the westward movement in the last decade "principally to the increase of more than 1,000,000 in the population in the State of California."

MOTHER'S FRIEND

For Expectant Mothers

USED BY THREE GENERATIONS

WRITE FOR BOOKLET ON MOTHERHOOD AND THE BABY, FREE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., DEPT. 5-D, ATLANTA, GA.

Three-Story House Is Stolen.

A dispatch from Chicago says: J. Van Wichele has appealed to the police to help him seek his three-story frame residence, which some one kidnaped from its foundations.

"I think they must be holding it for ransom," he told the officers. "I value the house at \$5,000. I'm glad they didn't take the lot, too."

Van Wichele discovered his loss when he took a prospective buyer out to look at the property. All that remained was the foundation and the cement sidewalk running around to where the back door used to be.

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Parksville Man Shot Seriously.

McCormick, S. C., Feb. 12.—A. S. Wilson, of Parksville, this county, was shot and seriously wounded, according to news reaching McCormick to-day, by his partner and brother-in-law, J. Pres Blackwell. Mrs. Wilson was a Miss Blackwell. The cause of the shooting could not be ascertained. Three bullets, it is said, passed through the body of Wilson. He was rushed to a Greenwood hospital, but physicians, it is said, declared that there is little hope of his recovery.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets) It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 30c.

Local Notes from Salem.

Salem, Feb. 12.—Special: The weather has been very unsettled the past week, and the roads are so bad that the mail can hardly get through from Seneca.

Our school is progressing nicely with Mr. Jones as principal. Mr. Jones is also pastor of the Baptist church and is doing an excellent work in this community.

The good people of this community packed and shipped a large box of cloth and ready-made clothing to the Near East Relief. We feel sure the Lord will bless all those who took part in this worthy undertaking of helping the poor and needy sufferers. The people of Salem also helped Miss Lillie Stoddard send a much-needed box of clothing to the Oconee Orphanage. Mr. and Mrs. Whitman, who have the orphanage in charge, wrote a letter of thanks to Miss Stoddard and expressed their appreciation of the help the Salem people had given them.

We all wish to thank Elijah Littleton for his kindness in carrying the box of clothing for the European sufferers to the Walhalla depot and having it shipped. The boys and men of our community also contributed the sum of \$5.72 to the Near East Relief fund.

STOMACH TROUBLE,

GASES, INDIGESTION.

"Pape's Diapepsin" is the quickest, surest relief for indigestion, gases, flatulence, heartburn, sourness, fermentation or stomach distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief, and shortly the stomach is corrected so you can eat favorite foods without fear. Large case costs only few cents at drug store. Millions helped annually.—adv.

An Odd Accident.

A dispatch from Greenville says: Mud on a city street, very heavily charged with electricity by a broken are lamp wire, caused the instant death of a horse and its rider Geo. Croft, aged 65, here this morning.

The Red Sea is so named because of its red or muddy appearance.

Hester Attacks Senator Smith.

New Orleans, Feb. 11—Col. Henry G. Hester, secretary of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, and internationally known as a cotton statistician, to-day telegraphed Senator E. D. Smith, of South Carolina, vigorously protesting statements made on the floor of the Senate yesterday to the effect that misleading cotton statistics were issued here.

Col. Hester in his telegram demanded that Senator Smith retract his statements, particularly so far as they relate to the secretary of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange was concerned. Failure to make retraction, according to the telegram, will result in court action.

Senator Smith in his speech yesterday urged adoption of a resolution which would provide for investigation by the committee of agriculture of the statistics issued by the Liverpool and New Orleans exchanges.



"Pape's Cold Compound" is Quickest Relief Known

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffing! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken, usually breaks any cold right up.

The very first dose opens clogged nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose-running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness. "Pape's Cold Compound" costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine. Insist on Pape's—adv.

Prisoner Marries, Then Escapes.

Aiken, Feb. 12.—Dalton Hall, a white man, who was serving ten years for the killing of Foster Kale in Horse Creek Valley, escaped from the chain gang in Aiken last night. Recently he was secretly married to the daughter of a citizen of Aiken county, and she, too, has disappeared from the vicinity, it is said. A reward has been offered for his apprehension.

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Rheumatism Comes

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First of all, get it firmly fixed in your mind that all the liniments in the world have no effect whatever on Rheumatism.

A very common form of Rheumatism is caused by millions of tiny disease germs which infect the blood. The one and only sensible treatment, therefore, is one which cleanses the blood of these germs, and routs them entirely out of the circulation.

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