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150 Spark St., Brockton, Mass.

TRICK WAS COSTLY TO HIM

Conjuror Who "Found" Coins on Carpet Floor Forced by Conductor to Turn Over Money.

A conjuror performing at a local theater got on a strict car with two members of his company, and after a while, moved by some sudden impulse, as pretended to find money quarters, dropping her and there, and producing them from under the seats, on the car or anywhere, to the amusement of the passengers, says the Toronto Mail.

His two friends laughed heartily at the joke. Not so, however, the conductor, who came forward and sternly demanded the twelve 25-cent pieces he had "picked up," in order that he might hand them over in accordance with the regulations governing lost property found in the cars.

In vain did the "finder" protest that it was only a conjuring trick. The conductor obviously did not believe him, and in the end, in order to avoid a compulsory visit to the police station, he had to give up the coins.

Matches Illuminated Town.

In a Midland town a number of persons were fined for striking matches in the streets on a dark night, and an air raid. The offense may appear to be a trivial one on the face of it, but it is really not so, says a writer in Flight.

In a recent series of light it was noted that on a dark night the light of an ordinary match was easily visible at a distance of a mile. Hostile aircraft do so, as a rule, fly at as low an altitude as a mile, and on the basis of the test just noted the striking of a single match would be without import.

According to the evidence of a police superintendent, although the street lamps were all extinguished during the raid, there was almost as much light as though they had been lit, owing to people striking matches to light pipes and cigarettes.

BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP

Panacea of the Home the World Over.

Why will you allow a cold to advance to your system and thus excite some serious malady, such as pneumonia or lung trouble, when by the timely use of a few doses of Boschee's German Syrup you can get relief. This medicine has stood the test of fifty years. It induces a good night's sleep with easy expectoration in the morning. For sale by druggists in all parts of the civilized world in 25 and 75 cent bottles.—Adv.

One Nurse to Ten Patients.

One nurse to every 200 soldiers is the requirement in modern conflict, as the war in Europe has demonstrated. The proportion of sick and wounded to the entire army is about 50 per cent. That is, if we throw 1,000,000 soldiers against an enemy, at least 500,000 of them will be in the hospitals continually. In a war hospital the average proportion of patients to nurses is ten to one.—Red Cross Magazine.

Important to Mothers

Examining carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Ayer* in the Use of Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

Signature of *Dr. J. C. Ayer*

"The circles has cut throats." "Couldn't compete with the mother's milk." "Don't boast of your blood—you may need a purifier this spring."

Canadian Farmers Profit From Wheat

The war's devastation of European crops has caused an unusual demand for grain from the American continent. The people of the world must be fed and wheat near \$2 a bushel offers great profits to the farmer. Canada's invitation is therefore especially attractive. She wants settled and makes money and happy prosperous farmers for themselves by helping her raise immense wheat crops.

You can get a considerable amount of 1400 acres FREE and other lands at remarkably low prices. During many years a farmer has been able to acquire the size many yields as much as 40 bushels to the acre. Wonderful crops.

Wheat farming as profitable as any industry as grain rate. The green grass type of nutrition is the only food required for the most successful success.

There is no income tax on the land. The Government is willing to give an advance on the railway rates to help of transportation. Ontario, Canada, is the best place to settle.

W. V. McNEIL
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Canadian Government Agent

HOME BEAUTIFUL

Flowers and Shrubbery

Their Care and Cultivation

A Fine Example of Artistic Planting of the Home Grounds.

ENHANCE THE BEAUTY OF HOME-GROUNDS

By E. VAN BENTHUYSEN.

Copy nature by sowing seeds of perennials as they ripen. Provide some sort of shade for the seedling. A screen made of lath or one of unbleached muslin will answer.

The robust-growing plants will need some sort of support. Let the support be painted green or oiled to bring out the grain of the wood, and you will find them more pleasing than rough sticks and far more satisfactory. Drive the stakes fast into the earth a little lower than the plants, so that they are inconspicuous.

The plants needing supports are such hardy perennials as delphiniums, giant foxglove, and snapdragons. Do not overlook giving roses to dahlias, cosmos, hydrangeas and gladioli.

To maintain continuous blooming, make a habit of cutting flowers freely, and remove all the fading blossoms, and nature will reward you with a lavish hand.

If you want your bed of canna or border of calladiums to use the grand tropical showing, give them a frost-like covering of bonemeal, then stir the soil, water thoroughly, and mulch with lawn clippings. Be sure to remove the fading flowers.

NOTES ON GARDEN WORK

It is just as important to rotate garden crops as field crops, and it is certainly a great mistake to plant the same crop on the same ground three or four seasons in succession.

A tight-seve fence around your garden will do more to promote harmony between neighbors who keep chickens than anything else.

Cut out the market man when you market your garden stuff. You can always get full retail prices, and if selling vegetables is regarded as an honorable business for the grower, why not for you?

It's the early vegetable that brings the big price, and the man who sticks to his hothouse and makes use of all ways gets to market first.

GET RID OF THE FLY

Sprinkle the fresh manure pile with common borax at the rate of one ounce to the bushel. It has always been a serious question with the amateur gardener as to how he was to have a permanent manure pile for the good of his plants and not have it a breeding place for the horse fly. The above is an answer to the question.

ABOUT COSMOS

If you want to get some satisfaction out of the cosmos, sow it early and push it along as fast as you can. It does not transplant easily, therefore grow it in pots. Shift it along until it is growing in a 9-inch pot. Then sink the pot in a border and from the time the plants are 6 inches high until the end of July the shoots should be pinched off. This will keep the plants low and stocky. Long after severe frosts, your cosmos will be giving you your beautiful flowers for the winter.

NEELIE MAXWELL

Found Not Wanting.

Hades, as they say, is paved with good intentions. Evidently these have proved to be a superior sort of material for paving purposes, as it wouldn't do, you know, to have the streets of that place torn up all the time.—Exchange.

Loyalty.

When any party of an organization spends any part of its time criticizing and knocking the rest of the organization, the whole intent and purposes of that firm will suffer.—The Enthusiast.

The KITCHEN

SEASONABLE DISHES.

Eggs are again becoming more plentiful, so that we need not feel extravagant to serve them occasionally in a place of meat.

Cheese Eggs.—Take three-fourths of a cupful of grated American cheese, six eggs, a tablespoonful of butter, a few grains of paprika, a teaspoonful of salt, a fourth of a cupful of crumbs and milk or cream to moisten. Butter a baking dish or individual tins; spread half of the cheese in the bottom and dip in six eggs, being careful not to break the yolks; dust with salt and pepper; add the remaining cheese and crumbs well buttered, then barely cover with cream. Set in a pan of hot water and bake slowly until the eggs are set and the cream is brown.

Chicken Croquette.—Take two cupfuls of chopped cold chicken, a half cupful of chopped English walnut meats, a fourth of a teaspoonful each of salt and celery salt, a few grains of cayenne, a few grains of nutmeg, a teaspoonful of lemon juice, a few drops of onion juice, a teaspoonful of chopped parsley and a cupful of thick white sauce. Mix the ingredients in the order given and mold in cork-shaped croquettes, using a tablespoonful of the mixture for each croquette. Roll in crumbs, dip in egg white diluted with a tablespoonful of water, then roll in crumbs. Fry in deep fat and drain on brown paper. Serve with white sauce or mushroom sauce.

Duck en Casserole.—Clean, singe and cut up a five-pound duck, roll each piece in seasoned flour and brown in beef drippings. Place in a large casserole in layers, alternating a mixture of half a can of peas and a cupful of mushrooms mixed; cover with a quart of stock. Simmer for an hour and a half; pour off the stock and add a half-teaspoonful of onion juice and a teaspoonful of powdered nut. Bake slowly for three hours in a moderately hot oven.

Queen Victoria's Favorite Soup.—Heat a cupful of minced roast chicken in a pint of chicken broth, well-seasoned; add a cupful of cream and thicken with three hard-cooked eggs yolk stirred fine.

A dish of asparagus in alternate layers with grated cheese and white sauce, thickened with buttered crumbs, makes a most nourishing and delicious dish. If cheese is not desired hard-cooked eggs may be substituted.

Without virtue and without integrity the finest talents and the most brilliant careers cannot be sustained. The respect and confidence can never gain of the truly valuable part of mankind.—George Washington.

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Is Your Back Stiff, Lame and Achy?

Do Weak Kidneys Keep You Sick, Tired and All Worn Out?

If YOU have a constant, dull ache, or sharp pains whenever you bend or twist your back, and the kidney secretions seem disordered, too, don't waste time plastering or rubbing the back. It's likely that the cause is kidney weakness, and delay in treating the kidneys may invite uric acid poisoning, gravel, dropsy or fatal Bright's disease.

Get Doan's Kidney Pills, a special remedy for weak kidneys, used around the world and publicly recommended by 50,000 people in the U. S. A.

Personal Reports of Real Cases

DOAN'S MADE HIM WELL.

Ambrose Hatfield, Brook St., Easton Rapids, Mich., says: "When I was twenty-five years old, I began to suffer from rheumatic pains and as a grow older, the trouble got worse. I became very nervous and discouraged and didn't know what to do. The best doctors were unable to help me. My kidneys were badly affected and the sections turned terrible in passage. The pain was mostly in my limbs and shoulders and often it had to be helped around. I had awful dizzy spells, too. Finally I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they made me feel better. I tried everything else but failed."

IN GOOD HEALTH NOW.

Mrs. Lottie Brown, 418 Alice St., Flint, Mich., says: "I was helpless with kidney trouble and unable to walk without taking hold of something. For weeks, I couldn't stand and my back ached terribly. Spitting blood came up with my urine. I was getting worse and all the doctor's medicine didn't help me. I gave up hope. A friend urged me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I did. Gradually the blood went out of my urine. I am happy to say I have been in good health since I had the 40 pills."

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A dull, yellow, lifeless skin, or pimples and eruptions, are twin brookers to constipation. Bile, nature's own laxative, is getting into your blood instead of passing out of your system at its outlet. This is the treatment, careful use for 50 years — one pill daily (more, only when necessary).

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For Constipation

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