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SPLINFER MARKS FAR NORTH

Little Peninsula Extending Into Lake of the Woods in Canada is American Territory.

Many Americans have worried about a snubby little peninsula which extends from Canada into the Lake of the Woods north of the forty-ninth parallel, which marks the established boundary between Canada and the United States from the Lake of the Woods to Puget sound.

This small area, chopped off from Canada and surrounded on three sides by the waters of the Lake of the Woods, belongs to the United States. Disregarding Alaska, it is the northernmost land of the American republic. No map shows any town or village in the remote and isolated region. It appears merely as a trackless forest wilderness of the north.

Now it is indicated that there is a village in this forgotten enclave, for a post office has been established at Pennington and a weekly mail service is maintained. During the winter the service will be by horse and sleigh across the ice of the lake.

In the summer a motorboat will be used.

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Luck in Baliva.

The boy dishing spoils on the worm of the hawk spits on the first man taken in the morning; the foxman spits on his hands when he is the first to catch the mouse; the first mouse he passes—also for luck. Others spit to avert bad luck, or spitting is done as a sign of respect, or after passing under a ladder. In Wales, when the devil is mentioned in preaching, all the people present spit. Children used sometimes to spit for luck.

THE STORY OF OUR STATES

By JONATHAN BRACE

(By the Authors of "The Story of the States")

INDIANA

IT WAS the French flag which first floated over Indiana. In the middle of the seventeenth century, La Salle, a French explorer, discovered the territory and brought him through the wooded wilderness of Indiana. Shortly thereafter followed Jesuit missionaries from Quebec and in their trail came adventurous fanners and fur traders. French forts and trading posts were soon established. In 1763 the British took possession of this territory after the French and Indian wars and remained in possession until the Revolution.

One of the boldest campaigns of the Revolution was that of Clark's little army, whose indomitable courage and ability finally defeated the large British garrison at Vincennes and won the Northwest territory for Virginia. However, from the East part of Kentucky made their way into this new territory, and among these was Abraham Lincoln's family. It was in 1816, the year that Indiana became the nineteenth state, that Lincoln attained citizenship in Indiana. With the increase in population by 1840 Indiana Territory was formed, extending from the Ohio border west to the Mississippi and north to Canada. Vincennes was selected as the first capital. In 1800, when the Louisiana Purchase was made, the government of Louisiana was placed in the hands of the Indiana Territory officials, so that for one year the capital of Louisiana was also at Vincennes in Indiana.

William Henry Harrison was governor and it was his victory over the Indians at Tippecanoe which ended the Indian wars in the Indiana region. Later, when running for president, Harrison's slogan was "Tippecanoe and Tyler too." Among the nicknames of the Hoosier State, from the old southern slang for rough backwoods, Indiana, with its 36,274 square miles, its 175th Presidential election, and containing as it does the center of population, is considered of utmost importance politically.

MISSISSIPPI

THE State of Mississippi derives its name from the river which flows through its western boundary. The word itself comes from the Mississippians, the name which means "great river." It is popularly supposed to mean "Father of the Waters," but the interpretation is incorrect. The river is also known as the Bayou State from the many bayous which are formed by the shifting river. In this connection it is interesting to note the course of the Mississippi river. Though the extreme length of the state from the Gulf to Tennessee is 330 miles, the western border of the state, which is the Mississippi river, extends for nearly 500 miles.

The rivers play an important part in this state. They are a conspicuous feature of the country subject to flood that the river bottom covers nearly one-fifth of the area of the entire state. Competition for navigation is keen in the richness of the soil and it is claimed that the Yazoo bottoms form the best cotton lands in the world.

The early history of Mississippi is yoked up with that of Louisiana of which it originally formed a part. Discovered by the Spaniards in 1541, the river La Salle called down the river and claimed this territory, which is named in honor of his French king, Louis XIV, that a permanent settlement was established.

In 1763 the territory east of the Mississippi was ceded by the French to the English. For a while the lower part of the river was in the hands of West Florida. After being captured by the Spanish and later returned to the United States, the Territory of Mississippi was organized in 1790 and its area of 48,985 square miles and in 1817 it was admitted as the twentieth state of the Union. At the time of the Mexican war the territory was divided into two parts, one of which was ceded to Spain and the other to the United States. In 1845 the territory was admitted as the Democratic state except in 1872 when it voted for Grant. It is at present entitled to ten electoral votes for president.

Where Cheese Are Made.
Cheese are generally named for the town or district from which they come. In fact, cheese is the name used for that form of the English cheddar generally liked in this country. Brie, Camembert, Gouda, and Roquefort are French cheeses from different parts of France, and differing in some cases very much in flavor and appearance. Edam and Gouda are from Holland. Gruyere, the cheese of many holes, is from Switzerland, and the strong-smelling Limburger comes from Belgium.

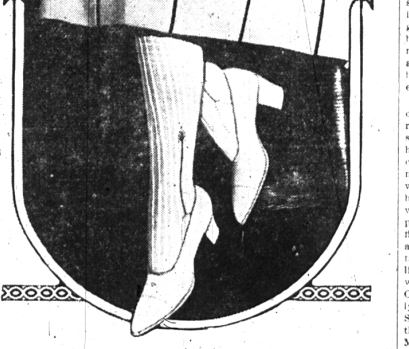
UNDER THE SPELL OF CAPES



ALONG these present in every assemblage of the fashionably clad, there are many that wear capes, and their number seems to increase every day and everywhere. For all sports, for street and travel, for day and evening, there are capes and more capes, so that any woman with an ambition to wear this most desirable of garments would hasten to craft it. Probably the new materials used are partly responsible for its great vogue and street suits that consist of a one-piece dress with cape to match.

But for dressy capes nothing rivals crepe-de-chine and all its sister crepes. There are many of them, too many to remember the various trade names that have been given them, and they make glorious wraps. Fringe is the favorite trimming for them, but applique motifs made of the material are ingeniously used on those with the smooth surfaces and these are wonderfully effective in crepe-de-chine. Many of these crepes reveal two colors in their weave.

The Brief Story of Hosiery



THE plain stocking of silk or cotton continues to occupy the imagination of the great majority of women when the time comes to acquire new hosiery. Beyond an interest in the qualities and prices in this particular variety of hose, they are not concerned, and they can afford to be indifferent, since the plain silk stocking, in good qualities, is not outwitted by any other stock.

It is appropriate for the most formal and the most dignified of costumes. Therefore the story of hosiery is a brief one, dealing chiefly with variations in silk weaves. Among the newcomers there are promising cashmere hose, as shown in the picture above. In the top of the picture are shown the gold-colored drop-knit and finished off with clock-face and with certain extravagances of style and a very few innovations.

These innovations are the only hose that have been illustrated everywhere on exhibition. The navy serge "trout" is being widely featured. One of the many bright colors in working out of the season being leather trimmings in contrasting colors. Bright red is noted on some of the models, and the effect is not as bizarre as might at first be imagined. Moroccan embroideries in brilliant shades of blue, green, red and purple are employed on some models.

The Trouser Frock.
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Hints for the Home.
Tied and dyed work is extremely fashionable and resembles the artistic batik work now in vogue. The rule is to take fabrics in the different tones and hues of the room color scheme and weave them into a subtle harmony. Fabrics like metal gauge, gorette, silk and velvet thus become striking in table runners, piano covers, lamp shades and sofa pillows.

LIVE STOCK FACTS

PARASITES CAUSE BIG LOSS

Injury From Insects is Greatest Among Lambs and Young Sheep—Ways to Prevent Diseases.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Sheep probably suffer more than any other kind of live stock from parasites. They are practically immune to tuberculosis, which is one of the serious ailments of cattle and swine, and among sheep there is nothing comparable to the devastating outbreaks of cholera among swine. Sheep have comparatively few bacterial diseases. Nevertheless, there is a steady loss of sheep in all parts of the country and this loss is mostly due to parasites.

It is the sheep owner's business to prevent disease rather than to attempt to cure it after it has made its appearance. While there are special treatments for the various diseases which makes it advisable to call a competent veterinarian, there are a number of ways to prevent diseases caused by parasites. Among these pasture rotation, use of forage crops, feeding from racks or board floors, draining or filling swamps, and preventing wandering dogs from getting into the flock. Permanent pastures perpetrate parasites, it is stated. The eggs of internal parasites pass from the animals in the manure and thus the pastures become infested. The proper disposal of the manure will aid in preventing this.

Damage from parasites is greatest, as a rule, among lambs and young sheep. Hence, it is important to pay special attention to the care and feeding of lambs and yearlings. Prompt action to ascertain the cause when sheep become unthrifty will often prevent serious loss.

Parasites of sheep are divided into two general groups, external and internal. Among the former, lice, sheep ticks, and scab mites are the most common. One application of sodium fluoride in the form of a powder rubbed into the skin will kill biting lice, but not sucking lice. Both kinds of lice, sheep ticks, and scab mites

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The most common internal parasites of sheep include coccidiosis, roundworms, and a few other forms such as maggots causing grub in the head, the tongue-worm, and the one-celled protozoa. One of the most common of these is the grub infestation with which can be largely prevented by smearing the nose of the sheep with a preparation made of kaffir parts of fat and grease, or tar and fish oil. Other important internal parasites discussed in the bulletin are coccidiosis, the old parasites, hookworms, liver flukes, stomach worms, nodular worms, hookworms, and lungworms. Of these, certain tapeworms are fairly common in the form of a state. In the United States, one tapeworm occurs only in the West; it is most prevalent in Montana; liver flukes are most common in the Gulf states and the Atlantic Coast states; stomach worms and lungworms take a heavy toll in sheep in almost every state in the Union, and roundworms and hookworms are common in the South and East.

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The greatest or full value of buttermilk is obtained when it is secured only when fed in connection with other feeds. Buttermilk fed alone to pigs does not give the results it does when fed in connection with corn.

Best Practice With Manure.
Hauling manure direct from the barn and spreading it on the field at once is the best practice in handling manure.

Get Collar to Fit.
Get a collar that fits the horse. A collar costs money but a horse with a sore shoulder will cost money also.

Self-Feed Young Pigs.
It is possible to self-feed young pigs that are being developed for breeding purposes, providing the ration contains feeds that will not cause over-fatening.

Big Value of Skim Milk.
One hundred pounds of skim milk is estimated to have a feeding value of a bushel of corn for pigs.

Don't Be Sluggish.
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TOO REALISTIC FOR MOTHER

"Snowman" Produced at Expense of Good Feather Bed Went Beyond Limits of Patience.

The anniversary of the death of Napoleon Bonaparte, which France celebrated May 6, was observed in a striking way by three little brothers who live not far from London.

Their ages ranged from five to eight, and the oldest had heard from his school teacher of the approaching centenary. So he arranged to have a game with his brothers at "Napoleon Crossing the Alps."

To make the thing realistic they thought they would like some snow, but as the meteorological conditions were not favorable they decided to manufacture some. So when mother was nicely out of the way they emptied the contents of a feather bed into the garden.

When mother returned with father half an hour later there was worse than a snowstorm—London 710-B.

Robert and Aunt Mary.
Robert Denmore of Franklin, age three, received a number of Easter baskets and bunnies, and one aunt had delighted him by hiding colored eggs in her yard and letting him hunt for them. His mother in talking to him at night said:

"And do you know, Robert, it made Aunt Mary just as happy you, for she loves you so much." Robert replied:

"Yes, and I think Aunt Mary is the whole cheese, mother." The parents are still wondering where he heard it.—Indianapolis News.

Century's Coming of Age.
The present century does not come of age until January 1, 1922. It began on January 1, 1901, and not on the first day of 1900, as so many people imagine. The first century was completed in 100 years. The second began with the year 101, and, of course, the analogy follows through all succeeding centuries.

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