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## WENT UP WITH A BOOM.

THE MUCH TALKED OF OHNGWATANA DAM—BLOWN UP WITH DYNAMITE MONDAY EVENING AT ABOUT 11:30. THE JOB SHOWS THE WORK OF UNEXPERIENCED HANDS.

At about 1:30 o'clock on Monday morning the cabin of the dam watchers was broken into by about 30 of the grieved farmers and the watchers ordered to hold up their hands which was done at once. They were marched out of the cabin onto the bridge below which the crowd was engaged in putting in 200 pounds of the explosive.

During the attack on the watchmen, Frank Madden was struck in the face with a revolver which inflicted a severe wound and Tom O'Brien was checked so hard that he could hardly regain his breath. The watchmen's cabin was rifled and two rifles and a revolver taken, the latter was not returned. The watchmen requested that before the fuse he lit that they go and give Henry Kruse's family time to get out of the house, but this was not done and they were not alarmed until about the time the explosion took place.

The mob marched the two watchmen, O'Brien and Madden, down the Government road, and when in the vicinity of D. Greely's residence, tried to make them swear allegiance, but they would not, whereupon one of the party attempted to strike them with his gun uttering threats of what would be done if the watchmen told who they were, and no doubt would have struck them had it not been for a friend in the crowd who prevented it. After this proceedings they were told to get out as fast as possible which they did in short order, only returning after the mob had departed, and put up guard rails to prevent teams from crossing the dam until the damage could be ascertained. At daylight it was found that the sluic gate was gone altogether while two of the other ones were somewhat damaged although not as bad. The exact damage can not be determined until the water has reached its lowest stage, and still it is thought that only the gates and piers are damaged.

Mr. Munch, the proprietor of the dam, was wired and came to Pine City as soon as possible, and upon his arrival went to see the extent of the damage. When he returned to town, he said that those who could be identified and all others found out would be dealt with to the fullest extent of the law.

It is true that the farmers had a grievance but there is no reason why men should put masks on their faces, arm themselves with guns, and make an attack on private property in the manner done by these men. As we have said before in these columns, if the dam is unlawful there is a way to bring the owner to time without laying anyone liable to a crime which is punishable in this state. Had the dam watchers made any resistance, there is no doubt but what they never would have lived to tell the tale as six men with cocked guns guarded every avenue of escape.

What course Mr. Munch will pursue we cannot tell, but by the manner he expressed himself, will not leave a stone unturned to bring the guilty to justice.

**Class of '03 Graduates From Pine City High.**

With the hall and stage profusely and beautifully decorated with flowers, bunting and their class colors, the "Pioneer Class" of the Pine City high school held their Commencement exercises last Monday evening. The program had been prepared with much attention to every detail and this helped to make it one of the best if not the best that has been our pleasure to listen to in Pine City, and every one of the large number of friends and relatives of the class present seemed highly pleased with every number on the program.

The president of the school board, D. Greely opened the exercises

with a short address of welcome and announced the first number on the program, which was a piano solo, "Mendelssohn's Spring Song," which was very well rendered by Miss Jessamine Allen. Rev. Buschler then offered invocation after which the salutatory and an oration entitled, "What Next" was delivered by Ben Hurley. This was Ben's maiden speech, and though it showed that he had received no training in oratory it nevertheless caught his listeners as a very well thought out essay, as was manifested all during his talk. Miss Nellie Madden next sang a solo entitled "The Quaker's Daughter" in a very pleasing manner. The "Class History" was assigned to Miss Anna Voss who gave a small part of each of her classmates past history to the expectant listeners. Many of her remarks were very witty, and were all at the expense of her schoolmates. Miss Marie Kibbler next delivered an oration on "Memorials" which was very good and showed some very deep thought, and her delivery was good. "Go Pretty Rose," was the title of a very old vocal duet which was very well rendered by the Misses Hattie and Sadie Pennington. Undoubtedly the best oration of the evening was the one delivered by Martin Hurley, on "Patriotism in Politics." Martin's stage presence and voice is well suited to a speaker and combined with the essay which he had selected, it was really a treat to hear him. The quartette consisting of Miss Bessie Lambert, Mrs. Albrecht, Messrs. Barum and Olsen then rendered a vocal selection entitled "Anchored," which was well rendered. One must be inspired to write good poetry, and therefore Miss Jessamine Allen was given this rather difficult task, which she wrote very creditably. Her subject had a wide field to be taken from and the "Class Prophecy" was placed in able hands. A vocal selection entitled "Oh Restless Sea" was well rendered by Miss Bessie Lambert, and her round, full voice, at times, filled every portion of the hall. The one to receive the highest marks in class work and therefore the highest honors was Mayme Pennington, who delivered the valedictory and an oration in a very pleasing manner, and her remarks were well selected. After she had finished in her remarks, the quartet as mentioned above with the exception of Miss Lambert whose place was filled by Miss Madden, sang "Come Where the Lilies Bloom," in a way that was pleasing to everyone in the audience.

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**MADDEN-HARGAN.**

St. Mary's Catholic church was the scene of a very quiet wedding at 9 o'clock on Tuesday, at which time Father Buschler pronounced Miss Margaret Madden, of Duluth, man and wife. The bride was supported by her sister, Miss Nellie, and the groom by his brother, Mike. Only the families of the contracting parties were present to witness the ceremonies.

Miss Madden has resided in this village for the past few years and has made a host of friends who wish her a long and happy journey through life. While the groom is a danger to most of our residents, his appearance is genial and there is no doubt much happiness in store for the newly wedded couple.

Among those from out of town who attended the wedding were Mrs. O'Donnell and two children, and Miss Hargan, all of Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. Hargan departed on the noon train the same day for eastern points where they will spend their honeymoon, and after July 1st will beat their home in Duluth where Mr. Hargan is located in business. Congratulations are extended by the Pioneer together with friends.



















# THE STORY TELLER

## PEACE WITHIN THE SOUL

I fled to Horsey's mount—  
Care-worn, perplexed—  
O'er a passion torn my soul,  
Pleas'd, confidant,  
I fled to be alone, and hide apart  
From man the storm that tore my weary heart.

I heard the whistling rush,  
And felt the power  
Of Nature's mighty breath  
In my lone hour.  
But it was sought to that tempestuous  
Of frenzied storm that stirred my inmost  
And deep.

The seabirds rent the hills,  
The mountain  
Earth moaned in agony,  
Lest and shudder,  
But fiercer than the earthquake's mighty  
The inward conflict that my bosom tore.

I saw from riven rock  
The flames arise,  
And Heaven's blinding flash  
Fall from the skies.  
More stronger than the lightning's blazing  
Mined my own surging heart with furious  
Fire.

These words passed from view,  
And then I heard  
The "still, small voice" of Love,  
And knew my God.  
Upon my ear the gentle accents stole—  
I bowed in awe, and Peace came to my  
soul.

—Elias D. Smith, in N. Y. Observer.

# The Fraser Millions

By G. W. Burgin.

CONFIDENCE, I call it," said the fair young widow Marston, "when you know I start for London to-morrow. Marry you, Sim Parker? You! Why, I may be a ladyship before I come back with all that money."

"You may. Some folks loves as you mayn't," said Mr. Sim Parker, totally unmoved by Celinda's scorn. "You've sold up everything, you've sold everything," said Celinda, decidedly. "Everything, even the cow and the pig—Chub cried for the pig, but the cow and the pig were sold in one lot because they're such friends."

"But 'sposen," delicately hinted Sim, "when you gets to London there ain't nothin' in this yer year about them millions."

"I can't suppose anything of the sort. No one but a groundhog like you, Sim, would think of such a thing."

"I may be a groundhog—groundhogs is very good eatin' when you can't get nothin' else, and you've spendin' all the money you've got, after you've paid off the late lamented's mortgage, jus' to fetch these yer millions. How do you know they're yours?"

"How do I know? Sim Parker, you make me tired. I—feel I tell you. Wasn't my maternal great-grandfather a Fraser; and haven't I all the papers proving my descent from the Frasers of Ochiltree?"

"There's a matter of four millions waiting for me. Pounds, mind you, not paltry dollars. All I have to do is to go over to London, walk into the Bank of England, and there you'll get the money, and they'll give it to me straight off, or I'll know the reason why. I reckon to stay just two days in London, and then come again. I want to buy the judge's place when I come back."

"You're going to take the baby with you?"

"Chub? Of course I take the darling with me. You don't suppose I'd go without him?"

"And you won't take me?"

"To London, or marry you?"

"Both."

"Neither, thank you. I don't think you could live up to the Fraser millions."

"You've sarter set folks' backs up," delicately hinted Sim, "with these yer high-falutin' notions of yours. They're glad you're gone."

The youthful widow turned upon him with a glorious light in her beautiful black eyes. "And you, Sim? You're—you're not?"

"See that tree?" asked Sim, pointing to an ancient oak which leaned crookedly against the side of Celinda's pretty little house—the house she had just sold.

"Of course I do? What has that got to do with it?"

"You'll find me here again if when you come back—that's all." The young fellow's blue eyes impressed her with a sense of power. Her own fell beneath his masterful gaze.

"I'll be back," she said, scornfully. "If I need you when I come back I'll ask for your forgiveness."

"That'll do me," said the imperious Sim. "That'll do me, your ladyship."

"Her ladyship" made him a pretty courtesy, and held the infant Chub, aged two and a half, close to her. "You'll be a lord when we get the money," she said ecstatically to that sleeping cherub, "and I'll dress you up with a gold pipe, and—"

"Take my advice, sonny," said Sim to the interesting infant, "and don't have nothin' to do with it. You'll be washed him a-purpose yesterday." He laboriously produced a document from his pocket. "I've brought you a letter."

"What for?"

"It's for a big Canadian lawyer settled in London—Biram Gould. I've

sent him fifty dollars and told him to give you a show for the money."

"You dared to do that?"

"Of course. I reckoned you wouldn't take me along. Somebody's got to take you round and give you a good time."

Celinda was touched. "You mean well, but you're so ignorant, Sim."

"You ain't no ignorant to know you're the prettiest girl in the Ottawa valley."

"You ain't, I'm not a girl, Sim. I'm a widow."

"If wishin' could have made you a widow, you wouldn't have waited all this time. He was a bad lot."

"You're a wicked, cruel, unfeeling Celinda. Most men are. That is why I want the money to be independent of them. I wonder who bought my house, Sim?"

"I wonder."

"If you're very good, when I come back I'll get you to manage things for me."

"I'd rather manage you," said the fervent Sim.

"I'd be so familiar. Remember, I'm a great lady."

"Sim, you've shaken his shoulders. 'No use sayin' nothin'?"

"Sim's lips worked a little. 'Celinda, you're layin' up a heap of trouble for yourself.'"

"When I want you to get me out of it, I'll tell you," she said, haughtily, and went into the house. There was a big but unimpaired attention to Celinda's start from the wharf next day. Four Corners vaguely recalled Celinda's airs and graces, and rather resented Sim's accompanying her to Montreal.

But when the boat was slowly "tugged" out from the wharf, and she saw Sim's handsome face receding in the distance, Celinda, conscious of certain misgivings, took the radiant Chub down to her cabin and cried over him all the story of her being the heiress to the Fraser millions was noised about all over the ship. For the last two years Celinda had industriously studied up the family pedigree, and there was not a flaw in the evidence. As far back as the Fraser of Ochiltree's eldest son had emigrated to Canada. When Fraser of Ochiltree died his son had never claimed his money, which presently came to accumulate. One of the Montreal papers said it amounted to four millions. All Celinda had to do was to prove her identity, and she had the money. She wanted to settle down in the Judge's house, and show people what she thought of them. But when the vessel set out for Quebec, Celinda would have given all the Fraser millions to be back at Four Corners.

But in time she recovered. Chub the declining child made a most reluctant loan to the captain, whom he persisted in looking upon as a parent, greatly to that worthy's embarrassment. He was ordered to look down on him, because he's out of it—married. Now, if the widow comes back with the five for the return trip, he can go on his composing until she gets a tired out and takes one of us. It looked at first as if the old man had the bulge on us, but you just wait until he goes home and tells his wife all about it."

When Celinda reached Liverpool the captain obtained permission from the owners to take her up to town, and leave his first officer in charge. Celinda had refused to marry the first officer four times, the second officer twice, the third officer three, but it was now their own business, except to pity the captain for being a married man. "You see," said the first officer to his companion in misfortune, "we can't afford to look down on him, because he's out of it—married. Now, if the widow comes back with the five for the return trip, he can go on his composing until she gets a tired out and takes one of us. It looked at first as if the old man had the bulge on us, but you just wait until he goes home and tells his wife all about it."

Sim Parker went into what had once been Celinda's pretty house, and gazed at it with an air of satisfaction. Everything was just as it had been before Celinda went away to fetch the hypothetical four millions. Chub's cradle, already aired, stood in one corner. Sim gave it a thoughtful push with his foot, and set it rocking. Some interesting works of art on the wall shone in fresh frames. The rooms had been repaired, and the kitchen ceiling whitewashed. At the side of the bed had been the only place for five photographs of the late lamented Dick Marston. With a certain delicacy he took them into the bedroom and put them in the closet, as if he thought they would thus rejoin the person whom they portrayed. The "third girl" wore a new frock presented to her by Sim. Celinda's little pig, no longer an outcast, in spite of his piteous entreaties, had been scrubbed by Sim into a state of pinky perfection. In a case that wanted to "love him." The black and white cow looked out from her stall and loved to a pretty little black and white calf which had mysteriously appeared upon the scene. The cat wore a collar with the word "Chub" in brass letters.

"So far, that's all right," said Sim, as he went around the veranda, and noticed a belated humming bird hovering over the big fuchsia in its green tub. "Now, if parson and his wife will all come along in time, Celinda'll get her just after dark, and nobody will see the wiser."

He looked at a telegram from his agent in Montreal, and smiled. Then he "for"ed."

"I dunno," he uttered. "I dunno as it's fair to Celinda to force her into

it. Reckon she'll be feelin' pretty bad."

He heard the whistle of the night boat as she tossed up the long wharf. "I'd like to wring the neck of that white-poor-will!" mused Sim, taking his position against the tree he had mentioned to Celinda. "Makes me feel that lonesome, it gives me the chills."

The inhabitants of Four Corners were all in doors enjoying their evening meal, and the stage, after vainly waiting at the wharf to bring up passengers, crawled empty into Four Corners.

"Jus' so," said Sim, proudly, contemplating to smoke. "Jus' so. She ain't goin' to come up in the stage, and have half the place rushin' out to jere at her. Not much. No sir. Not much. By and large, Celinda's pretty cute."

"Are you there, Sim?" asked a pleasant voice, as the parson's wife approached a tree.

"You bet I'm here, Mrs. Clarke," said Sim, with a smile; "but it's sort of lonesome."

"You've been here with your wife," he heated the minister's pretty wife. "You'll be very gentle with her, Sim. True love is never harsh or unkind."

Sim nodded cheerfully. "You bet I'll be gentle, minister in there?" He pointed to the little girl, in which the lamp shone brightly.

"My husband? Yes; he's very hungry. Sim. Don't be longer than you can help a tree."

"I've got a deputation of our leading citizens' hiding behind the barn," grinned Sim. "Had to pay old Parker five dollars to come, and he's got a parson's son; but they've learned their speech."

"You're a good man, Sim," said the little lady, who had tripped away to join her husband.

Presently, as Sim stood leaning against a tree, a slight figure slipped through the bushes. A sob rose to its lips as it looked at the cosy little house. Then it turned sadly away. Chub, who was weary, began to cry.

"I wouldn't go if I were you, you," said Sim, softly.

Celinda gave a little sob also, then choked it back. "I wanted, I might have known you'd be here, Sim. Of course," said Sim, quietly.

"Didn't I say so?"

"They laughed at me," faltered Celinda. "I went to the Bank of England with Mr. Gould, and they were quite satisfied with my proof, but only difficulty was that there wasn't any money. It had never been lodged at the bank at all, and no one knew what had become of it."

"She turned away bitterly.

"Where are you going to put up, Celinda?"

"Anywhere—anywhere. I'm going into the bush," she said fiercely. "I haven't a friend left here. It serves me right—I'm only grieving for Chub's sake."

"I wouldn't do that if I were you, Celinda. Here's your own house waiting for you all fixed up comfortable."

"My own house?"

"Of course," said Sim, took Chub from her tired arms. "Your own house Celinda. Shall I carry the little fellow in for you?"

"But I sold it."

"Well, I bought it back for you. You've no call to thank me," said Sim.

"You! You!" She knelt at his feet, and raised her with the other. "I'll go away if you don't want me," he whispered brokenly. "Only, there's a deputation waitin' to welcome you back, and parson's in the parlor. Brace up, Celinda. Brace up!"

"Sim, dear, will you forgive me?" she whispered, and kissed him with a heart and a half. "I've been wicked, so unkind, so brutal to you."

"You've kissed me," said Sim. "Kissed me! That answers everything."

He led her promptly to the house as she wiped away her tears. Once inside Celinda "braced up" and received the greetings of the parson and his wife with shy cordiality. "Would you please marry us, and then we'll have supper," she said, with characteristic decision; and the parson understood. "The deputation" staggered in as the brief ceremony finished. "You kin get out agin," said Sim. "You've been asleep behind the barn."

"Ain't sleep a wink. Wash earn ten dollars," hiccupped old Parker. "We, the undersigned—" He looked helplessly round.

"Citizens," hiccupped Jimmerson.

"We, the undersigned—" "We, the undersigned—do you see and shine somewhere else," said Sim. "I'm a married man, I am, and I can't have two cranes like you foolin' round."

"But making three successful attempts to find the door the deputation withdrew.

"We'll take them home," said the parson, making a sign to the wife. And they followed the devious footsteps of the deputation.

Outside, the river murmured at its own sweet will. All the happy souls who had ever loved alone down upon them with radiant, starry eyes as Sim placed sleepy Chub within the empty cradle. Slowly, slowly Celinda turned and hid her face upon his breast—Black and White.

Bubbles.

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# STARTING A REVOLUTION.

A Very Easy Thing to Do Down in South America Where They Are of Daily Occurrence.

We are always reading about the outbreak of revolutions in the countries to the south of Mexico. Our Latin-American neighbors are never entirely free from them. There are two or three in Central America now, one in Santo Domingo, and one in Venezuela. The disastrous revolution recently ended in Colombia killed more men than the South African war.

How do these revolutions start? What leads up to them? How are they carried out?

From the brief paragraphs sent to America, one would imagine that they were military movements, but as a matter of fact they are very small and sordid affairs, says the Chicago Inter Ocean.

A disappointed local politician in an obscure hamlet at the back of beyond finds he cannot get an easy job under the present administration. He turns to the party in power want all the jobs for themselves. In America he would agitate the free and independent voters and win the next election. In most of the Latin-American republics he cannot do that because the party in power governs the voters. Naturally the politician always gets a good mark.

So the disconsolate politician has nothing to do but to organize a party for a living. The latter alternative is too horrible even to contemplate, so he fights.

It is usually easy enough to collect 20 or 30 men and boys for adventure and loot, and with these he overpowers the police of his native village and the neighborhood. Then he declares in a series of lurid proclamations, that the misdeeds of the state administration cry aloud to heaven for vengeance. He is intensely loyal to the federal government and the constitution, and has only taken arms in order to give the electors a chance to express their real opinion.

The federal government cannot interfere at this stage, as it would be trampling on the independence of the neighborhood. It sends out troops cheerfully, and captures her a village and there a town, until his army grows like a snowball and he is master of the country. He collects the revenues, levies forced "donals," buys rifles, and impresses all the Indians he can find on the roadside or in the fields into his army. As soon as he feels himself strong enough, he issues a proclamation declaring that the federal government has debilitated the country, and he feels it his duty to come forward as the saviour of the republic. Thus the revolution becomes national in character, and the consequences are army advances on the national capital.

Of course, the federal government sends out troops and there are a few more or less of the revolutionaries by the name of battles in the calendars. But the revolutionary army sweeps on, its numbers being swelled by all the malcontents, which are dignified by the name of battles in the calendars. But the revolutionary army sweeps on, its numbers being swelled by all the malcontents, which are dignified by the name of battles in the calendars. But the revolutionary army sweeps on, its numbers being swelled by all the malcontents, which are dignified by the name of battles in the calendars.



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"I am recommending your medicine to many of my friends, and I assure you that you have my hearty thanks for your valuable preparation which has done so much good. I trust all suffering women will use your Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. MINNIE THEZ, 630 First Ave., Eau Claire, Wis. (May 28, 1901).

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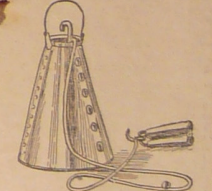


# THE DAIRY

NEW MILKING DEVICE.

As an Object of Curiosity It is of Interest, Whatever Its Practical Value May Be.

The latest milking machine is here shown in outline. It requires an engine or other power to drive it in order to work the vacuum air pump located at some convenient point. From this a line of iron gas pipe is run above the stalls in the milking shed. This pipe is used only to exhaust the air in the milk buckets. No liquid passes through it. A small branch pipe terminating in a hook is fitted to the main pipe and hangs over the stall about two feet above the cow's back. The bucket is shown, the gauge and is air tight, the top being closed



with a lid, clamped securely in place by simply raising the handle to lift the bucket. All that is needed to make connection is the mere hanging of the bucket on the pipe above the cow by a hook ready to receive the mail for that purpose, as shown in the cut. This is an ordinary pair with a tight lid and glass peepholes down the sides so that the milk can be seen. A rubber tube runs to the cups attached to the cow's teats. Between the cups is a valve and chamber about the size of a hen's egg which really constitutes the effective part of the machine.

The machine is set to work by a simple turn of the valve and the suction holds it in place until the milking is finished. The valves and the cups weigh about two pounds and one man can use four or five of them to advantage in a large dairy. The machine is cleaned by passing cold water through the hose and tubes a few moments. All parts of the bucket may be cleaned with brush. The cups are new and novel in their action. They are so constructed that they collapse at the top first and then compress the base of the teat and strip the milk, as by hand. It requires from two and one-half to ten minutes to milk a cow. With a proper equipment one man can readily handle 20. The makers claim a cow may be milked perfectly clean and there is no tendency to dry up or flow of milk. —Orange Journal.

## ESTABLISHED FACTS.

Eight Points Concerning Milk That Have Been Established by Exhaustive Experiments.

1. Some things may be said to have been well established concerning milk by long and exhaustive experiments, which we will summarize as follows:
1. If milk rich in butter fat is desired we must breed for it. It is entirely dependent upon the individuality of the cow, so that men have finally established that individuality into a breed characteristic, as with the Jersey and Guernsey breeds.
2. A bull belonging to a better breed will impart this quality to his heifers if he has sufficient progeny. Also a bull belonging to a breed which gives milk in percentage of butter fat will impart that quality to his heifers.
3. It is not possible to increase the percentage of butter fat in milk by feeding food rich in fat, although that is the general idea with hosts of farmers.
4. A food rich in protein increases the quantity but not the quality of the milk. But by inducing the cow to give a larger quantity we may also induce her to yield more butter fat in 24 hours than she otherwise would have done.
5. Sudden changes in the time of feeding or character of the food, or exposure of the cow to cold rains or to a draught of wind, will all affect the percentage of butter fat in milk. It may be mentioned also that some milkers affect cows favorably or unfavorably in this respect.
6. The milk of a cow does not, as a rule, reach its highest richness until after she has had her calf.
7. Milking three times in 24 hours has been found to increase by 10 per cent the amount of butter fat production.
8. For the consumption of infants the milk of a herd of cows is safer and more digestible than that of a single cow, for the reason that it is less liable to variation from nervousness and other causes. —Hoard's Dairyman.

**What Its Irrigation Does.**  
In some parts of the west box irrigation is practiced as a cheap method of saving fruit trees, vines and gardens from drought. The boxes are made of rough planks, usually about six inches in length and inserted in holes two feet or more in depth, a few inches from the tree or plants to be irrigated. Water is filled in the boxes and left to find its way to the roots. This places the water where it will do the most good, precludes the possibility of waste and overcomes the objections to surface irrigation.

## VALUE OF THE SILO.

As Important to Animal Husbandry as the Improved Barn or Corn Crib.

The use of the silo as an economical institution of the farm has been exemplified the last winter in many farming sections where visited. Almost without exception, wherever I have gone, I have seen more or less unhusked corn standing in the fields, exposed to the wind, rain and snow, and to the hungry tribute gatherings of mice and crows. The valuable food elements of the fodder are, of course, the ones most soluble and moisture cannot fall upon and run off of any ripened fodder without carrying away with some of the most easily available elements of nutrition. Fodder exposed to the weather cannot be compared in feeding value with that early husked and stored, as any feeder who has fed the two kinds in comparison well knows. The good results from that commaned are much less, compared to that which is stored in a silo, while the animals are very much more.

These losses resulting from the corn exposed in the field to the fall and winter weather are so extreme that the saving that would have been effected had the corn been ensilaged is so apparent that it is not necessary to further enlarge upon it. But the corn saved in the silo has the further intrinsic value of being much more thoroughly saved at the very height of its perfection so that it is easy to count it as having double the feeding value of the other. It must be remembered also that corn for the silo is cut clear to the root or as close to it as possible, whereas that cut and shocked to be husked usually has a stubble from one foot to the top left on the field. This is all lost as feed. In the silo it is all saved.

## FARM MANURE SLED.

For Cleaning a Stable This Device is Highly Recommended by Those Who Have Used It.

My barn is 62 feet long and has two rows of stanchions, with 18 cows in each row. Cleaning out the manure has been a problem, but I have solved it by the use of a sled. I look a horse



## STRONG MANURE SLED.

to a specially made sled, driving back of the cows. All the manure 18 cows will make in 10 hours, I had in one load to the hog lot. I have a ten-foot pole on which I draw the runner of the sled to about the center of the manure pile, which the sled is tipped over with the pole, and returned to draw the next load. The sled is six by two and one-half feet with two by six-inch runners, six-inch sides and solid board floor, with chain from each runner attached to single tree. The wood is used, which is well spiked slightly together. —E. H. Hoody, in Farm and Home.

## Renovated Butter Rollers.

The treasury department has issued a ruling on renovated butter. The ruling is the secretary of agriculture, but in enforcing the oleo and renovated butter law the agriculture and treasury departments cooperate. The ruling relates to branding and marking of renovated butter. It says that the government brands and stamps upon butter cannot be removed or defaced in repacking, and that jobbers and wholesalers who buy renovated butter only in original manufacturers' packages and dispose of it without breaking those packages for any purpose or in any way changing the form and markings.

## Some Useful Churning Hints.

Should you use the old-fashioned dasher churn you are annoyed by the cream milk and butter splashing out at the top, where the dasher handle rests. This may be avoided by melting the bottom off of a small fruit or baking powder can and placing it over the handle of the dasher. It rests on the rim of the churn and catches all the "plash" and cream that it gets into the churn. If you only have one pound of butter per week to sell, don't take it to market in a shapeless mass. It would be cheap and pays for itself in a short time. People like to buy attractive butter, and will pay extra for it. —Midland Farmer.

## Rations for Dairy Cows.

The following rations are suggested by Prof. H. J. Waters, of the Missouri Agricultural College: Corn and cob meal, six pounds; wheat meal, five pounds; gluten or cottonseed meal, two and a half pounds; cowpeas, alfalfa or clover hay, six pounds. Another is eight to 10 pounds of corn and cob meal or eight pounds of corn and cob meal and one pound of alfalfa or cowpea hay the cows will eat. The third ration is seven pounds of corn and cob meal or seven pounds of corn meal plus one pound of cottonseed or gluten meal. To all the above rations add as much straw, corn, fodder, or sorghum hay as the cows will eat.

## ARSENIC VERSUS GOLD.

Poisonous Mineral Found to Be More Valuable Than the Precious Yellow Stuff.

Gold miners in Hastings county, Canada, for years sought for some means to rid the ore of the arsenic which was in that region as found in combination with the gold. They offered rewards, tried numberless experiments and did everything they could to get rid of the poisonous, troublesome stuff that lay between them and their precious gold. But now a wonderful transformation has taken place, says the Chicago Tribune. Instead of separating the gold from the arsenic, the miners are working to get the arsenic out of the gold. It is much the same thing, but different. The difference is that the arsenic and not the gold is what the miners are after; they do not throw away the gold, but the arsenic is the prize.

The miners were still swearing vainly at the arsenic and the process of ridding their gold from them when a party of scientists came over from England. They asked the miners how much gold a ton they took out of their rough ore. The miners replied that the ore ran all the way from \$4 to \$20 worth of gold. They said the trouble was that they had so much technical pyrites in it. The scientists investigated and informed the miners that the arsenic in one ton of their ore was worth something like \$20. The miners quit swearing at the arsenic. This strange turn of the wheel of fortune has been caused by the exhaustion of the former chief source of supply of arsenic in Germany and England, together with the superior quality and purity of the Canadian product.

The companies in the Hastings county gold fields have successfully introduced the arsenic process of treating the previously refractory spickeel, as the iron in which arsenic is contained is called, and are now producing out of one ton of arsenic material the arsenic can be placed on the cars at Marston, in Hastings county, at a cost of \$20 a ton. It sells at \$70 a ton, and can be sold as high as \$90 a ton. This arsenic ore also carries from \$4 to \$60 worth of gold in each ton, which is a handsome profit in iron ore.

## ITALY TIRED OF HER PAST.

Some of Her Ancient Monuments and Landmarks Likely to Disappear Before Long.

Italy is tired of a glorious death. Her sons boast of Garibaldi and Marchetti, but they are tired of their Caesar. Venetians may well shrug their shoulders when foreigners complain of steamboats in the Grand canal. They are not the groovers when the Campanile falls, says Collier's Weekly. The papers and statesmen exhort the people to imitate more powerful nations and abandon their idle, pleasure loving spirit, their love of paganism, idleness and fireworks, their indifference to education, to some political and economic reform.

The Roman city government is now willing to construct railways along with the new industry with mixed vigor with decay. There is a telephone at the spot where St. Peter is supposed to have been crucified. I saw the king of Italy in an automobile by the ruins in which Christian girls were gored by bulls. His four attendant guards rode bicycles. Trans and bands start from the square in which are Nero's hot water, where Luther kneel before his great revolt, by the gate through which an endless line of shadows pass, from the Marchese, doing penance, to so many popes and emperors. The greatest of churches is now lighted by electricity as well as by Michelangelo's dome and the same new luminary in turning into a factor. The Roman glories in his modern stations and ugly civil buildings and cars little for Cicerio or Brutus, for the renaissance or the world.

## Quiet Politics.

The policemen in Hayti are paid by results. They get capture fees for all the arrests they make. As they come from the worst class of the population and are under no discipline, it follows that a man is very liable to be arrested in Hayti unless he is willing to pay the policeman more than the capture fee. As this fee is only 15 cents, the price of freedom is not prohibited. If a man objects to paying the fee and says he would rather go before the judge, the policeman convinces him of the unpleasantness of arrest with a thick club. —Chicago Irish Ocean.

## His Real Estate.

Blossom—Why of earth are you going to marry that old relic?  
Flourie—I love the ground he walks on.  
"Yes, but isn't there any pleasanter way you can get hold of it?" —Baltimore American.

It's usually the man who doesn't believe in love who has the hardest catch when he catches the fever. —Chicago Journal.

## REGISTER OF THE U. S. TREASURY USES PE-RU-NA FOR SUMMER CATARRH.

Summer Catarrh Afflicts Men and Women.

HON. JUDSON W. LYONS, Register of the United States Treasury, in a letter from Washington, D. C., writes: "I find Peru-NA to be an excellent remedy for the catarrh of the bladder during summer, and those who suffer from depression from heat of the summer will find no remedy the equal of Peru-NA." —Judson W. Lyons.

Two Interesting Letters From Thankful Women.

Miss Estelle Charlter, 3 West Lexington St., Baltimore, Md., writes: "I was so much affected by the summer catarrh, that I suffered intensely at times. I took several kinds of medicine, but to no purpose. I was advised by different physicians but still continued to suffer. But the trial of one bottle of Peru-NA convinced me that it would rid me of the trouble. I have not suffered for several weeks and I was in excellent health, having gained ten pounds." —Miss Estelle Charlter.

Mrs. Kate Bohm, 1119 Willoughby Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., writes: "I was so much troubled with frequent headaches, dizzy, strange feeling in the head, sleeplessness, and nervousness, that I was unable to do my work. Sometimes I had heartburn. My food would rise to my throat after every meal. I was so much affected that I took you for advice, and I now take pleasure in informing you that my improvement is very great indeed. I did not expect to improve so quickly."

These Delightful Americans.

"Here's a story, the truth of which is guaranteed by the fact that it is true. Florence. She has a balcony that overlooks the sea. One day she and a few days ago an American mother and daughter passed to look in at the window, and overheard the following remarks: 'Mamma, are you sure that this is the American? Why she certainly is, my dear, you know it says in our directory that she is from New York, and she is today is April 15, sure!' —London Modern Society.

## Wife's lively Occupation.

To one unfamiliar with country nomenclature the question asked by the young man, 'And were you never in the country during the season of suckings, Mr. S?' 'No, the best! How do you suck a bee, say, whether you are in the country?' —Minnesota Man's Discovery.

Adrian, Miss June 1st—Philip Doyle, of this place, says he has found on a medical man that they are not the groovers. Trouble. As Mr. Doyle was himself very sick for a long time with this painful disease, he says that he is sure, well as ever, his statement carries the conviction of the reader. The remedy that cured Mr. Doyle is called Dodd's Kidney Pills.

In regard to Dodd's Kidney Pills, they are a very good medicine—like mine—the best that I have ever taken.

was very bad for a long time with Kidney trouble, and was getting nothing to help me till I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. I can say emphatically that I am completely cured. I am entirely well, without a symptom of my former trouble.

I can heartily recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to all who are suffering with Kidney trouble, for they made me all right. I have seen several who have tried them, and they all have been disappointed.

## Her Preference.

Fashionable Doctor—My dear young lady, you are drinking unfiluted water, which will give you a headache, and you should have it boiled, that will kill them. Patient—Well, doctor, I think I'd sooner be boiled than have my head—like a hot iron.

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BARTLETT CHERRY, Mich.—My husband received the sample of Doan's Kidney Pills has taken two more boxes and feels like a new man. He has a hernia on the Grand Trunk R. R., and has been laid up in the hospital. Mr. Geo. Gifford.

DANN, W. Va.—The free trial of Doan's Kidney Pills acted so well with me, I wrote Hoff, the druggist, at Point Pleasant, to send me three bottles, with a rubber band to hold my weight, as well as entirely rid of my kidney trouble. My water had become very offensive and contained white sediment and cloudy. I would have to get up six and seven times during the night, and then the vomiting, the terrible and cause great attempts, but, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills, they have regulated all that, and I cannot praise them too much. —JAS. LARKIN.

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### HAPPENINGS IN PINE CITY AS REPORTED WEEKLY BY THE PIONEER'S CORPS OF CORRESPONDENTS.

**POKAGAMA BREEZES.**  
Miss Dottie Norstrom departed on Saturday last for Minneapolis, where she expects to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Winchester.

A dancing party was given at the home of Anton Schultz, Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Spurrier, of Minneapolis.

Those attending Memorial exercises at Pine City on Decoration Day were Messrs. J. L. and P. Norstrom, Leas, Fitzhugh, Hornum, Anton and Wm. Schultz, Pickett, O. Holmstrom, Arvid and Ole Wicklund, Mesdames J. E. and F. Norstrom, Leas, H. and Anton Schultz, the Misses Dottie Norstrom, Spurrier, Edna Anderson and Mabel Olson.

Quite a number of our folks went down on the "Victor" Saturday, and enjoyed their trip by way of way of water much.

Mrs. Franklin, of Abraham, arrived here on Thursday to visit a short time with her brothers, Henry and Peter Anderson.

Messrs. Henry Anderson and L. Gervad drove to the county seat Thursday.

Mrs. A. V. Norstrom spent Wednesday at Pine City. "Wid" will call again when you are not at home.

**HENRIETTA.**  
The nice weather is appreciated this week.

John Reynolds' store building will soon be completed and he expects to be ready for business next week.

A bouncing baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peterson last Friday morning, cigars were free all day. Ed is now the proud father of a boy and girl.

Herman Hahn was at Pine City this week on land deals.

Mrs. J. F. Anderson of Abraham is visiting with her daughter Mrs. Ed Peterson this week.

There will be a dance in Joe Reynolds new hall next Saturday evening. A good time is expected and everybody is welcome.

Young Nyquist of Abraham is visiting with his uncle Will.

Ellen Peterson came up from Graston last Friday to stay with her brother Ed for a few weeks.

The contract has been let for the new road and bridge across Mud Creek, and they have commenced work on the same. We expect to have a good road between here and Mora in the near future.

**GILFON.**  
Fred Luce and wife are enjoying a visit from their niece, Annie Greger, of Murray county, Minn.

Albert Luce left Monday morning for Inau to visit his brother, Will, is working.

Fred and Herman Luce went to Pine City Friday by boat returning Saturday.

**BENDON.**  
Miss Christina Vack was at Pine City Saturday.

time at the lake last Sunday.

R. Bacon and son are lathing Mr. Hulls new house.

M. G. Scofield is off on a business trip.

Ed Ziegler came home to visit over Sunday.

Mesdames Cox and Towel went to Pine City on a business and pleasure trip combined this week.

Fine weather these days, crons are looking fine now.

Thursday H. S. Shoemaker and H. Williams went to Pine City.

Cal Ketchum and John Goodspeed took in the sights at the county seat Friday.

Frank Peterson has accepted a position in the mill at Sturgeon Lake and departed on Monday to commence his work.

William Kelsey had the misfortune to cut his foot with the ax Friday, but he is all right we think for he was seen going north across the brook Saturday evening—a little lame.

Bonds carried 54 to 3. Quite a good show to get roads in Brook Park township.

J. B. Sower and family went to Pine City to spend Decoration Day.

Two stray heifers came to Mr. Hogland's place and a man came Saturday from east of Hinckley and claimed and paid damage and went on his way rejoicing.

A load of youngsters went to the lake Sunday. Quite an niry day for outing.

Mr. Borham the dry goods man, was in town the first of the week.

Mr. Moor went to Minneapolis this week to take in the sights at the carnival.

Wind has blown for several days, but is still for a wonder.

Mrs. L. B. Williams left Tuesday for an extended visit in the cities.

Miss Leona and Julia Shaska and their cousin Miss Minnie Shaska visited Pine City Monday.

A. Schweiger an old time friend of Mr. Kelsey was here for a short visit Tuesday.

C. L. Hogland was at Pine City earlier Tuesday.

Saturday was memorial day and a goodly number of our citizens went to the grave yard and cut and cleared a good part of the grounds, a step in the right direction. There will be a party there next Saturday to do some more clearing, and all that feel interested can go and help and their presence will be greatly appreciated.

**NOTICE!**  
Sealed bids will be received by the Common Council of the Village of Pine City to grade the St. Croix road inside of village limits according to plans and specification to be seen at the recorder's office. The successful bidder must furnish a sufficient bond, conditioned on the faithful performance of the contract. The council reserve the right to reject any or all bids, and to let the contract to the party bidding on said work which in its judgment will be for the best interest of this village. Said bids will be opened on the 12th day of June 1903 at the village hall. Dated this 2nd day of May 1903.

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