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The personal touches in this book ("General Botha," by Earl Buxton) are full of warmth and color, including those relating to Mrs. Botha, the single-hearted wife of Irish descent, their five children, and the general's valet.

The latter was ordered to report on the general's health at every stage of his campaigns. One day he sent word: "Dear madam—and all, me and the general took Windhuk yesterday. The general keeps well."

On one return from Europe photographs were being unpacked of conferences, and so forth, but one of "The Last Supper," by Leonardo, had slipped in with the rest. It puzzled the faithful servitor, and he turned to the daughter of the house with: "I can't make out where the general is sitting at this dinner, can you, miss?"

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Encouraging Industry

The governor general of Madagascar and dependencies has granted to a French company a concession of 25,000 hectares (a hectare is 2.47 acres) on the west coast of Madagascar for the growing of vegetable textile fibers to be used in the manufacture of bags. If, within four years, the grantees construct a factory with a minimum capacity of 625,000 bags annually, an additional 25,000 hectares will be put at their disposal, according to report from Consul James G. Carter, Tananarive.

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Ann Arbor—Evan Essery, for the last 17 years school commissioner of Washtenaw county, died of heart failure at his home here recently.

Big Rapids—The body of Charles Hall, Big Rapids merchant, was found recently. It lay 20 feet from the overturned boat in which Hall went fishing in Todd lake, near Orono.

Ann Arbor—Attorneys of Ann Arbor will petition the city council to present a charter change to the citizens at the next election providing for a municipal court here. The proposition will have the united backing of the members of the Ann Arbor Lawyers' Club.

Lansing—Minor errors in both the departments of city treasurer and city comptroller have been found, and a shake-up in the comptroller's department with the introduction of a new system is expected to result as an outcome of a report following an audit of the city books.

Detroit—Clifford Falcove, 3 years old, fell from a third floor window of his home, while his mother was in another part of the house. He was taken to Receiving Hospital where it was found his skull, three ribs and his right arm were fractured. It was believed he would recover.

Lansing—Sufficient signatures to qualify Hal H. Smith, Detroit attorney, as a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States Senator have been filed with the Department of State. The total number of signatures for Smith is more than 10,000. The number necessary to qualify is 7,314.

Lansing—Bids on two state armories, one to be located in Lansing and one in Flint, have been approved. The Flint armory will cost, including all expenses for removal of the present armory, a total of $202,407.91. Low bid for construction work was $178,128. The Lansing armory will cost $146,210.62, of which $27,610.25 must be raised by the city of Lansing.

Lansing—Fred Southcombe, former treasurer of the Capital City Lodge, No. 45, I. O. O. F., who left Lansing last January with his funds $1,300 short, waived examination in Justice Court and was bound over to Circuit Court for trial. Southcombe went west after leaving notes indicating that he had ended his life. He was recognized by a friend and his arrest followed.

Bay City—William Rodkin, 15, is dead near Unionville, victim of a rifle bullet fired accidentally during a "wild west" show which he and his brothers were staging in a barn on their father's farm. The boys were imitating a western picture which they had seen recently at a Unionville motion picture house. William was shot through the abdomen and bled to death.

Detroit—Forty delegates, appointed by their respective communities in counties interested in the formation of metropolitan areas, met at the Board of Commerce recently and organized themselves as the Michigan Metropolitan Conference. Permanent officers were named to set about the immediate preparation of a constitutional amendment to be submitted to the State Legislature.

Grand Rapids—John Quarter, speed officer, it is reported, was discharged recently from the police department for speeding. On the night of July 4, while off duty, he is said to have driven a borrowed automobile at a rate of nearly 80 miles an hour and escaped a pursuing motorcycle officer by driving through a sandy stretch of road several miles from this city. His identity was established through the license number of the car.

Lansing—Petitions placed in circulation by the Merchants' bureau ask that a special election be called to vote on a bond issue to provide for the paving of Michigan and Washington avenues. The paving is asked at this time to provide employment for several hundred men out of work through the closing of factories. The proposal for the paving was lost at the spring election, but city officials claim this was because it was on the ballot with a number of outlying streets.

Bay City—The waterways committee of the Bay City Chamber of Commerce has announced the opening of another boat line out of Bay City. The second line will run to Alpena and Rogers City. Einwald Hanson, of Alpena, has purchased the C. and M., a government boat that has been a relief ship in the lighthouse service. She has capacity of 300 tons dead weight. The owner of the boat is now conditioning her in the Clute slip at the Third street bridge. She has already been rated by the American shipping bureau.

Fremont—The new county jail has been completed at a cost of $14,978.18, which is $21.82 less than the amount of the bond issue voted by the county for that purpose. The lowest bid from outside parties was for $21,000. Sheriff Noble McKinley, who is a contractor and builder, agreed to build it within the bond issue and was allowed by the board of supervisors to go ahead with the job. The building was recently inspected by a member of the board of corrections and charities and the work was very satisfactory.

Corn Objects to Too Much Water

Soil Should Be Well Drained With Plenty of Humus or Plant Material.

Corn won't grow well if it has wet feet.

This means, according to a recent bulletin issued by the New York College of Agriculture, that soil needs to be well drained, yet have plenty of moisture. An abundance for humus or rotten plant material likewise, seems an essential for successful corn culture. Corn is likely to do well in plowed-over sod land, especially where clover has been grown. Too stiff clay soils are not advised for corn.

Plant Is Heavy Feeder.

"Corn is a heavy feeder," explains R. M. Adams, author of the bulletin. "On some soils as much as ten or twelve tons of stable manure, together with 300 pounds of a fertilizer rich in phosphoric acid, is used to each acre. It would be interesting for you to fertilize one-half of your plot at this rate and the rest with one-half as much. You can then determine whether the increased yield on the part more heavily fertilized paid for the cost of the extra fertilizer.

"In figuring the cost of the extra fertilizers you should charge only half the value of the manure against your corn, since much fertility is left in the soil for later crops. The commercial fertilizer may be charged at full value, though on many soils, especially clayey ones, much of the plant food remains more than one year in the soil.

Fall Plowing Best.

"Unless your soil tends to wash or run together, it is usually best to plow in the fall. There are several good reasons for this: First, there is more time to spare; second, plowed land, unless very sandy, retains for the use of summer crops more of the water from winter rains and snows; third, organic material decays better if plowed under; this is especially important if sod land is used, as it commonly is for corn; fourth, insects are exposed to the winter weather and many perish; this also is especially important in the case of sod land, which is likely to harbor many injurious insects; fifth, most clay soils are made more loose and mellow by exposure to freezing and thawing.

"After plowing, the amount of further preparation which you will need to make depends upon the kind of soil and the season. You must make your seed bed loose enough so that corn roots can readily penetrate it; yet compact enough to retain moisture, and you must keep it free from weeds."

Professor Adam's new bulletin is entitled, "Corn Growing for Boys and Girls." It is known as JB-8. While it is intended especially for junior project workers, it will be of value and interest to anyone who grows corn.

Maple Trees Go Back

The soft maple is not a long-lived tree. When the trees reach their maximum size they are apt to begin to go backward and borers begin to attack them. The trees naturally grow along streams and for that reason need an abundant supply of water. If trees are on upland, it may be they have suffered from drought during the last few years. It frequently takes several years for large trees to show signs of injury unless they are watched.

Flies Cause Worry

When the cows are freed from flies they can devote all of their energy to production, which is otherwise materially decreased by the excitement and worry caused by the flies. If screening cannot be done, spraying with some cheap but effective fly repellent should precede the milking process. Care should be taken, not to get any of the spray into the milk because of the disagreeable odor and taste it will impart.

Way to Handle Insects

The rotation of crops is an effective way of handling many injurious insects. The growing of the same crop year after year in the same land enables many insects which normally feed on that crop to develop and multiply. On the other hand, a good crop rotation makes it very difficult for an insect to pass through its life stages without being seriously disturbed and its food supply destroyed.

Undersized Cow Gone

The day of the undersized cow of small capacity of barrel and udder is gone. We want large, rugged, well-developed cows of quality, with the ability to produce large quantities of milk. We may get them by selection from within our state, by growing out the heifers from our good pure bred sires, and by purchasing them from some large dairy center without the state.

High Class Country Butter

A poor butter maker can make better butter from good cream than a good butter maker can make from poor cream. A manufactured product is only as good as the raw material from which it is made. This being true, the production of good, clean cream, free from contamination and foreign flavors, is the first and most important step in the manufacture of high-class country butter.

Herds in Tennessee Make Big Increase

Possibilities of the Other Sources of Farm Income.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

One farmer shipping cream represented the extent of dairying in Tipton county, Tennessee, in 1920. At the end of 1923, there were more than 436 farmers in the county shipping cream from some 3,000 cows, receiving for the year's production, according to reports to the United States Department of Agriculture, more than $250,000. This development came as a result of careful study of possibilities for other sources of farm income than the one prevalent crop, cotton, made in 1920 by progressive farmers and the county agricultural agent. It was found there was a good nearby market for cream and that the county was well adapted to growing dairy feeds. Pastures have been established, leguminous hay grown, proper feeding methods for milk production learned, and cream shipping developed as a supplementary cash enterprise. Only cows already owned in the county have been used and only those farmers making sufficient provision on their own farm for feeds have been encouraged to take up dairying. As these cotton farmers develop skill in feeding and management, the production of the herds is being built up through the introduction into the county of pure bred bulls of high production lines. Seven of these pure bred bulls were brought in for co-operative use last year and several have been bought by individuals.

Improving Poultry Flock by Selecting Carefully

It is possible in a large degree to influence or tell what the harvest will be in regard to the chickens raised this year. One of the most effective means of accomplishing this prediction is by careful consideration of the kind of stock from which eggs are to be hatched. The flock should be pulled closely and besides marketing birds that are disqualified or "off type" for the breed, there should be eliminated (1) all birds that were late hatched or that are immature; (2) all hens or pullets that are physically deformed having twisted or crooked beaks, crooked backs, twisted toes, or feet that have been frozen; (3) all birds that are weak or inactive, showing sunken eyes, crow heads or the like. Individuals coming under any of these classes would make very bad ancestors for stock from which satisfactory results might be expected.

Bovine Tuberculosis Is Fast Being Stamped Out

Continued progress in the work of eradicating bovine tuberculosis from the United States is noted in a recent report by the United States Department of Agriculture. During March, 1924, veterinarians under the supervision of the state and federal governments tested 448,642 head of cattle for tuberculosis infection. Of this number 13,359 reacted to the test, indicating that they were infected with this disease which annually exacts such a heavy toll on our live stock industry. Cattle reacting to the tuberculin test are disposed of generally by slaughter under supervision of the federal meat inspection service.

Valuable Feed for Cows

One of the most valuable feeds for dairy cows, sows and sheep is cow beets. In fact, all stock relish them and they satisfy that craving for the green feed. It seems they cannot get enough of these delicious crisp beets as they are wonderful appetite producers. They are easily grown on rich soil, and it should be rich, as in this kind of soil they mature a large root. As high as 10 to 15 tons of feed can be grown to the acre.

FARM FACTS

Flies are filth with wings. Swat hard.

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If you were satisfied with cheap seed for planting, you will have to be satisfied with low yield for harvesting.

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There may be a more hopeless state of life than farming on poor land, but not a more foolish or unnecessary one.

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In pruning tomato plants it is safe to remove all shoots that appear in the axils of the leaves, as the fruiting stems are borne on the stalk about midway between the leaves.

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Watch your oat fields for smut. Five to eight per cent of smut is commonly found in fields planted to untreated seed. If you plan on using seed next year, plan to treat. The disease persists from year to year on the seed.

The KITCHEN CABINET

(©, 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

Though other purses be more fat,
Why should we pine or grieve at that?
Hang sorrow! Care will kill a cat,
And therefore let's be merry.

FAVORITE FRUIT DISHES

Food nicely served and daintily garnished will be much more appetizing than that which is served carelessly. Next to the palatability of our food we like to have it appeal to the eye.

A luscious basket of fruit garnished with its own foliage when possible, is an ornament to any table.

For those who cannot eat uncooked apples or pears, try this dainty dish to set before them: Stew the fruit in a rich sirup until tender enough to pierce easily, then decorate with quartered almonds, dust with powdered sugar and pour around them the sirup, put into a hot oven to finish cooking. The almonds will be brown and the fruit of delicious flavor. Serve with the sirup and a little whipped cream. If pears are cooked add a little lemon juice to the sirup. When fresh berries are out of season mold a few preserved strawberries in an orange jelly, and serve the quivering mounds with whipped cream and a little of the preserves.

Halves of muskmelons filled with ice cream and garnished with small pieces of preserved ginger to simulate seeds is both palatable and pretty. Roasted almonds also may be used in place of the ginger.

Cored apples filled with a mixture of nuts and marmalade, baked and covered with a meringue, is another apple dish de luxe.

Grated apple added to the white of egg and sugar make a most delicious filling for a plain layer cake.

Grated apple added to the white of egg, beaten stiff with powdered sugar, served in sherbet glasses with a thin custard, makes a most dainty dessert.

Stewed pears, cored and centers filled with jelly, served with whipped cream, is another worthy of trial.

Ripe peaches put through a sieve, added to ice cream ready to be frozen, flavored with almond, is delicious.

Halves of ripe peaches filled with nuts and topped with a spoonful of ice cream is a favorite dessert. Half of a peach placed on a round of sponge cake and both laid upon a slice of brick ice cream is another pleasing fruit dessert.

Hot breads, such as gems, griddle cakes and waffles may occasionally take the place of toast, though the season, temperature and individual taste much to do about the food served.

Remove the cake of soap from the pan, pail or tub; do not waste it by leaving it to become soaked.

The art of cooking cannot be learned out of a book any more than the art of swimming or the art of painting. The best teacher is practice; the best guide is sentiment.

MEALS FOR TWO

Where there are but two in the family for which to provide meals unless there are guests there are many things which must be denied them as they represent too much in leftovers. However, there are enough to keep a variety, even for two.

The spring chicken is just about the right size for two when it first comes into the market and chops and small steaks may be bought in any market.

Fish is another dish for the small family, when one may buy a fillet of any of the larger trout or lake fish, and the smaller ones are of suitable size to serve whole.

Vegetables may be cooked and served in any quantity, small or large; omelets are good for the small family; soufflés may be prepared in any size and puddings of various kinds and small pies may be prepared.

A larger chicken need not be an extravagance, for it may be served in various ways without becoming monotonous. Use the back with the neck and wing tips for stew with dumplings. Save the breast or part of it for chicken salad, or slice it and serve it cold. The giblets, if cooked slowly covered with cold water, may be chopped and added to the gravy or served in a rich cream sauce on buttered toast.

Part of the chicken after parboiling may be fried, such as the second joints, wings and drumsticks. If the meat seems too scanty add a cupful of fresh cooked mushrooms. These may be found in the fields all summer. All bits left over may be used as minced chicken on toast and the bones and unedible parts will make a nice dish of soup, adding cream and a beaten egg.

Salads are easy to prepare in small quantities and one need never lack for variety.

Brook Trout Baked in Cream.—Butter a baking dish and lay a freshly-caught and well-dressed trout or two in the pan. Cover with sweet cream, adding salt and other seasoning just at the last, as salt often curdles the cream. Serve hot with the cream as sauce.

Nellie Maxwell

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Lord Castlerose, who is studying American hotels in the hope of establishing a chain of them in the beautiful lake country of Killarney, was telling a reporter Irish stories.

"Once, at a Dublin dinner party," he said, "the manservant stationed at the drawing-room door announced an entering guest in a loud voice:

"'Mr. Cowie!'

"Then he murmured to the next guest:

"'What name, sir?'

"By an odd coincidence this next guest happened to be a Mr. Bullie. The manservant, when the fact was made known to him, shook his head in despair.

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Emerson in Severe Mood

Emerson, the American epigrammatist, was no admirer of St. George, the patron of England, whom he calls "a low impostor originally hailing from Cilicia," who for his crimes was "lynched by an angry mob in A. D. 361."

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