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**TRIAL MARRIAGES FAVORED.**  
Mrs. Hoyle—What is your husband's platform?  
Mrs. Doyle—I think he favors the recall of marriage certificates.

**CURES ITCHING SKIN DISEASES.**  
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**On a Summer Day.**  
Maud Miller was talking to her aunt.  
"In an intelligent agriculturist at the same time you are in danger of the recall," she explained in refusing the judge.

**Grasped His Opportunity.**  
A Baltimore clubman tells of two convicts who met for a moment alone in a corridor and took advantage of the fact for a hurried interview. Said one, "How long are you in for?"  
"For life," responded the other.  
"And how long are you in for?"  
"Twelve years," responded the other.  
"Then," said the "lifer," cautiously extracting a letter from his pocket, "I have glanced fearfully around, take this and mail it for me when you get out."

**Big Crop Yarns Are Ripe.**  
Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture was talking about the record crops of 1912.  
"These wonderful crops," he said, "are almost enough to make you believe the cross-cut saw story."  
"A farmer, you know, sent his hired man to a neighbor's with a note saying:  
"Friend Smith: Will you please lend me your cross-cut saw, as I wish to cut a watermelon up so as to get it into my dryer?"  
"The neighbor wrote back:  
"Friend Jones: I would be glad to lend you my saw, but same has just got stuck in a cantaloupe."

**Peep for the Doctor.**  
Dr. Lewis White Allen, the Denver physiologist, was giving an informal talk on physiology upon the windy sea-fronting porch of an Atlantic City hotel.

"Also," he said, "it has lately been found that the human body contains sulphur."  
"Sulphur!" exclaimed a girl in a blue and white blazer. "How much sulphur is there, then, in a girl's body?"  
"Oh," said Dr. Allen, smiling, "the amount varies."  
"And is that," asked the girl, "why some of us make so much better matches than others?"—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

**Tea's Conquest of Rome.**  
Of all the conquerors that have come to Rome no one has gained such a complete victory as tea has won in the Italian capital. Twenty years ago the British and American tourists who came to Rome were content to sit in the matter of tea in a rather shamefaced manner in the strangers' quarter near the Piazza di Spagna, and "English tea rooms" was the legend to be seen in a few windows hard by Cook & Sons' agency.  
Nowadays the palm lounges of the Grand and the Excelsior hotels at tea time are two of the sights of Rome; for all Roman society drinks tea abroad in the afternoon, and there are as many uniforms at 5 o'clock as the big hotels as there are at sundown on band days on the Pincian hill. All the big pastry cooks' shops in the Corso and the other principal streets now have "Afternoon Tea" in gold letters on their plate glass windows.

**CAREFUL DOCTOR**  
Prescribed Change of Food Instead of Drugs.

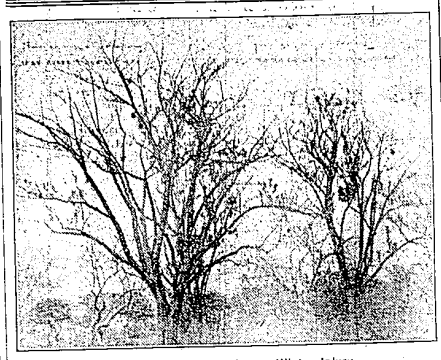
It takes considerable courage for a doctor to deliberately prescribe the food for a despairing patient, instead of resorting to the usual list of medicines.

There are some truly scientific physicians among the present generation who recognize the true conditions as they are and should be treated, regardless of the value to their pockets. Here's an instance:  
"Four years ago I was taken with severe gastritis and nothing would stay on my stomach, so that I was on the verge of starvation.  
"I heard of a doctor who had a summer cottage near me—so I spent a week from N. Y.—and saw a last hope, sent for him.  
"After he examined me carefully he advised me to try a small quantity of Grape-Nuts first, then a spoonful of Grape-Nuts became stronger to eat more.  
"I kept at it and gradually got so I could eat and digest three teaspoonfuls. Then I began to have a good appetite, my memory became clear, where before everything seemed a blank. My limbs got stronger and I could walk so I was readily recovered.  
"After a year on Grape-Nuts I weigh 155 lbs. My people were surprised at the way I grew fleshy and strong on this food." Name given by Pötman Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Well-Being," in 10c.

**There's a reason.**  
Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time, and is a genuine, true, and full of human interest. Adv.

# WHAT TO DO WITH WINTER-KILLED BRANCHES

By G. H. COONS, Research Assistant in Plant Pathology, Michigan Agricultural College.



Apple Trees Showing Severe Winter Injury.

Following the most severe winter the apple trees in many localities present a very bad appearance and the condition has caused much alarm to the fruit grower. In some cases whole trees have been killed, but in most cases a few of the large limbs have been killed and the appearance of the tree a "stag-headed" appearance.

In many cases it is found that these limbs that were weakened by scale, overbearing or other cause, are the ones which suffered the most from the continued cold.

Many of the limbs that were severely injured but not entirely killed pushed out a few leaves, but these never attained full size, but soon withered and dropped off. The majority of these limbs are now completely dead and are of course valueless.

Some limbs, not so badly injured as these just mentioned, produced all their normal foliage—in some cases differing from the healthy leaves only by the slight yellowness—and on these limbs fruit has been produced. This fruit also shows signs of the great disturbance that has taken place for it is frequently found to be smaller, less uniform and this condition is fairly uniform on all affected branches.

It is easy to tell now just which limbs are going to live and which are past recovery. It is the fruit grower's business now to help the tree recover from this damage. He can do this by pruning away the dead wood scientifically.

First of all he must be governed by the rules of good pruning, which require that all cuts be made flush

barrel and carefully inverted that the fruit may not be injured.

**How to store.**  
The fruit should be stored as soon as possible. Piling the fruit in the orchard is a wasteful practice. The fruit bears in the piles and ripens very readily. The aim in storing fruit is to retard this ripening process that the fruit may be kept longer. Do not store fruit that has been piled in the orchard for any considerable time after picking. Get a good spring wagon for hauling the fruit into storage. A springless wagon, especially over rough roads, will injure the fruit for storage. If the fruit is packed in tight boxes or barrels, it will be better than if open crates are used.

The storage house or cellar should be well ventilated, well drained and frost proof. A cellar that cannot be properly ventilated to allow fruit to escape, cannot keep fruit well. Drain the cellar so that it will never be wet and remove excessive moisture with a box of quick lime. In cellars having cement bottoms and floors, use lime to keep them too dry and use the fruit to shrivel up, supply water.

**SHEEP AS WEED DESTROYERS**  
By R. S. SHAW, Dean and Director Michigan Agricultural College.

Early in July of the present year a carload of 250 western wethers was shipped to the Upper Peninsula and broadcasted over the campus for the purpose of subduing weeds and sprouts which had grown up on forty acres of land that had been overgrown with weeds and sprouts since the present year. The broadcasted sheep were of various breeds and of various ages and sizes, but all were of the same sex and were of the same breed.

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# MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS

**Holland.**—The loss of a crisp \$10 bill was the penalty which a prominent Holland young man paid for neglecting to heed the request of his father on his wedding day. The Bible in which he had concealed the greenback and cautioned his son to read the Bible through from cover to cover. The son faithfully promised. This was four years ago. Recently the father appeared at his son's home and was asked to stay for dinner. The son politely handed his father the Bible and asked him to read the daily scripture lesson. When the father between its pages the bill and impressed forcibly upon his son that text: "Seek and ye shall find."

**Muskegon.**—Struck by an inbound G. R. & I. train at Huston avenue while in a rig collecting food for a church supper, three women were carried 500 feet on the pilot of the engine, one being killed instantly, while the other two died shortly after being taken to Hackley hospital. Mrs. Gertrude Riegler, thirty-one years old, who was seated in the engine, was killed. Her husband was instantly killed, while Mrs. Agnes Witt and Mrs. Adolph Turtel were both unconscious when lifted from the engine pilot. The train was traveling about forty miles an hour and the women were literally plastered on the front of the engine. It is stated that the flagman at the crossing waved to them to stop, but the women driving did not see the flagman and thought she had time to get across. The horse was uninjured.

**Battle Creek.**—Believing that the influence of song and gospel would uplift the minds of seven prisoners at the city jail, the Rescue mission members held services in the seven prisoners of the police station. The prisoners, confined for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, listened to the talk given by the minister and heard the sacred music without uttering a single exclamation, most of them lying in their bunks during the service, casting shy glances at one another. This is the first instance of a gospel meeting being held in the local station.

**Pontiac.**—"Mashine" in Pontiac will prove expensive when the ordinance read before the city commission goes into effect. In thirty days from that period, according to the ordinance, any person who is disorderly or conducts of any nature, is made a misdemeanor under the terms of the ordinance and violation is punishable by a fine of not more than \$50, or imprisonment from 10 to 90 days. The ordinance was read and laid on the table until the next meeting.

**Leroy.**—After cutting all telephone wires in the vicinity, robbers broke into the Exchange bank here, blew open the safe and got away in an automobile with \$5,000 in cash. Deputy Sheriff Gordon McKenzie, who lives next door to the bank, was awakened by the explosion and started out to investigate, but was confronted by a masked man as he opened the door and ordered back into the house at the point of a revolver.

**Kalamazoo.**—Constant fear of being kidnapped caused George Collins, thirty-three years old, of Grand Rapids, who has been engaged as a watchman at one of the paper mills, to become insane. Climbing on top of the Stomach Building, he fortified himself and dared anyone to approach him. Collins was finally induced to come down off the building. It is believed he will recover the use of his mind.

**Monroe.**—Thousands of dead fish, mostly pike, black bass, perch and red-bone, are floating on the banks of the historic Wabigoon River. The fish are being washed down by the water from the Waterloo dam, just at the westerly limits of the city. The race will be drained during the high water and the fish will be either buried or turned over to farmers, who will use them for fertilizing purposes on their farms.

**Pontiac.**—Fred Johnson, night yardmaster at the Grand Trunk depot, was arrested for carrying concealed weapons. A 44-caliber revolver was taken from him. Johnson says he is a Cuban and told the officers that several years ago he shot and killed a man at Royal Oak. An investigation of this statement will be made.

**Kalamazoo.**—As the result of drinking well water, L. C. Burgett, sixty years old, died in Borgess hospital of typhoid fever. Burgett had been an employe of the Michigan company since the company started over 32 years ago. He was a lifelong resident of Kalamazoo.

**Kalamazoo.**—Because he said, "No, you needn't do anything," to Miss Esther Baldwin, Fred Ostman not only received a beating from Miss Baldwin's brother, Lester Baldwin, but landed in jail and will probably be fined for a charge of disorderly conduct. Baldwin and his sister were near their home when Ostman happened to come along. Turning to speak to the Baldwin family, he spoke to the sister, who was first resulted in both Baldwin and Ostman being taken to police headquarters. Later Baldwin was released.

# MENTALLY.



Peggy—You have been abroad, haven't you, Reggy?  
Reggy—No, what made you think I had been abroad?  
Peggy—Why, I heard father say you were 'way off.

**Costs.**  
The justice of the peace scratched his head reflectively.

"There seems to be some dispute as to the facts in this case," he said. "The law imposes a fine of \$25 for exceeding the speed limit, but I don't want to be arbitrary about it, and if you'll pay the costs I'll remit the fine."  
"That's satisfactory to me," said Dawkins, taking out his wallet.

"All right," said the justice. "There's \$5 for the sheriff, \$5 for the prosecuting attorney, \$5 for the court stenographer, \$5 for the use of the courtroom, and my regular fee of \$10 per case. Thirty dollars, please."—Harper's Weekly.

# HOW TO TREAT PIMPLES AND BLACKHEADS

For pimples and blackheads the following is a most effective and economical treatment: Gently smear the affected parts with Cuticura Ointment, on the end of the finger, but do not rub. Wash off the Cuticura Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water and continue bathing for some minutes. This treatment is best on rising and retiring. At other times, use Cuticura Soap freely for the toilet and bath, to assist in preventing inflammation, irritation, itching, and soreness of the face, the common cause of pimples, blackheads, redness and roughness, yellow, oily, mothy and other unwholesome conditions of the skin.

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