

FIRE YESTERDAY DESTROYED ROOF

Jabez Bacon's Residence, E. Middle Street, Badly Damaged by Quick Afternoon Blaze.

The residence of Jabez Bacon, 149 East Middle street, was badly damaged by fire yesterday afternoon. The roof was entirely burned away and clothing and furniture stored in the attic were ruined by fire and water. The fire did not do much damage below the attic, but smoke and water caused considerable loss on the two lower floors.

The fire was first noticed by Mrs. H. M. Armour about 3:45 o'clock. The roof was then all afire, the blaze apparently having started from inside the attic.

The fire department responded promptly and within fifteen minutes the fire was out, as the result of their efficient work.

No estimate has been made of the damage, but it is safe to say that it will be \$1,500 and upwards.

BOY'S NARROW ESCAPE

Carl Feikert Brushed From Railroad Tracks By Train, Rolls Down the Embankment to Safety.

Carl Feikert, 16 years of age and a nephew of Mrs. John Kanteiner with whom he had made his home for several years, had a narrow escape from a frightful death on the Ann Arbor

railroad trestle spanning the Huron river, Sunday afternoon.

Young Feikert left the home of his aunt Friday after some trouble about his keeping late hours. Evidently, he went to Ann Arbor to visit his cousin, Walter Mann. Regarding the accident which so nearly proved fatal, the Ann Arbor Times-News said last night:

"While many persons at the municipal bathing beach and at the canoe livery watched, Feikert and Mann started across the big trestle from Main street end, and when about the center a heavy freight train, moving at a fair rate of speed appeared around the curve from the Ann Arbor depot.

"Both youths started to run and had nearly reached the embankment when Feikert slipped and fell between the rails. They were then not more than 50 feet from the locomotive. Mann turned to give assistance to the fallen Feikert, but saw the engine bearing down on him and jumped, barely in time to escape being hit.

"As Mann jumped, Feikert was seen to throw his arms wildly in the air—then the train passed and spectators felt sure a tragedy had been enacted. However, a moment later, when, with grinding brakes the heavy train stopped, a dust-covered, dirty faced lad crawled up on the right of way.

"Feikert told a Times-News reporter that he believed his time had come when he fell and saw the locomotive right on top of him. 'Then I threw up my hands to try and get off the ties,'

At the Town Pump

MAIL, MAIL, THE GANG'S ALL HERE



he said, but something hit me an awful wallop and the next thing I knew I was rolling out on the bank."

"What happened was that Feikert was struck by the squared pilot of the locomotive, lifted bodily from his position between the rails and rolled to safety and life. Only the fact that the train was not moving fast is responsible for the lad being alive now, trainmen said."

AUTO DRIVER'S LICENSE

Application Blanks Are Now Here; Drivers Must Have Their Licenses Before August 14th.

Application blanks for licenses to operate motor vehicles have been distributed to chiefs of police, sheriffs and county clerks of the state, and the state department began issuing them July 1st.

An operator's license will be required after August 14, when the new law goes into effect. No person under 14 years of age can be licensed or legally drive any kind of a motor vehicle after that date.

When the bill was first introduced the age limit was placed at 16 years, but the legislators in special session at Lansing attached an amendment to it, reducing the age limit to 14 years. Another amendment requires the payment of an additional twenty-five cents when duplicate licenses are secured.

All automobile drivers are advised to secure the application blanks early, fill them out properly and present them to the chief of police in cities, and to the sheriff in the smaller towns and country districts. Deputy Sheriff Charles Martin and L. G. Palmer have been appointed examiners in this vicinity and are authorized to sign applications. When the application is properly signed and witnessed the applicant forwards it to the secretary of state, who will in turn mail to him his license. The fee is fifty cents, to accompany the application.

The license will be printed on cloth stock, and when folded once horizontally will be 2 3/4 x 4 1/2 inches in size, so it will fit an ordinary pocket book. The law requires that licenses be carried on the person of the driver at all times when operating a car.

WHY EDITOR ACTED STRANGE.

Lots of tales have been told about editors of small town newspapers but this is the worst we have heard so far:

The editor of a paper in a Kansas town went to attend a party given by one of his neighbors where just a few weeks before the home had been blessed with a new baby.

The hostess met him at the door and after the usual salutation he asked after the baby's health.

Now, the good lady was partially deaf and had a very bad cold. She thought the editor was asking about herself—particularly about her cold—and answered that although she usually had one every winter, this was the worst she had ever had; it kept her awake nights a great deal and at first confined her to her bed.

Then, noticing that the editor was acting strangely, she said she could tell by his looks and actions that he was going to have one just like hers, and she exhorted him to drink a bowl of hot lemonade and put a porous plaster on his chest as the best way to break it up.

JACKSON BOY HIKED.

Harold Richardson, aged 11 years, 118 Deyo street, Jackson, who had been missing since Wednesday, was picked up here Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Charles Martin.

He left the home of his grandmother, with whom he was living, Wednesday, accompanied by his cousin, Carl Anderson, 115 Deyo street. The lad told his cousin he was going to cut a lawn on Fourth street so that he might earn some money for fireworks. That was the last time he was seen by relatives. It is not known what induced him to come here. He was returned to his home Sunday.

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SCORES D. J. & C. RY.

Jackson News Editorial Writer Says Dispatching System is Faulty.

"Sunday night the D. J. & C. had another narrow escape from a horrible wreck east of Jackson," says the Jackson News this morning. "But for the cool-headedness and nerve on the two cars the News might this morning be printing a long list of the dead and maimed."

"Overlapping orders is given as the cause of the accident Sunday night. The dispatcher forgot. That unexplainable human quantity is always with us, but efficient corporations are striving to reduce the chances of death through someone's error to a minimum. The Detroit United Railways company has not reduced the possibilities of a catastrophe in placing the dispatching of three lines, the D. U. R. main line, the Northville division, and the Saline division, in the hands of two men, at Ypsilanti.

"Sunday night's escape should be a lesson to the D. U. R. The discharge of the dispatcher will not help matters. The system is to blame."

ABOUT AMERICAN LEGION

Non-Partisan and Non-Political Organization American Veterans of the World War.

Herbert J. McKune Post No. 31 American Legion, named in honor of Corporal Herbert J. McKune, U. S. Marine killed in action, is being organized in Chelsea and the application for charter carried forty signatures of ex-soldiers and sailors. It is desired that every World-war veteran who saw service, either overseas or at home, will join.

It is a civilian organization—not military or militaristic, and no distinctions are made in rank. Any soldier, sailor or marine who served honorably between April 6, 1917 and November 11, 1918, is eligible for membership.

Only a temporary organization has been effected to date and the final step in organization of the legion will take place at Minneapolis, Minnesota, November 10, 11, and 12th, celebrating armistice day.

MARCUS S. COOK.

Marcus S. Cook, for years one of the most prominent citizens of Dexter village, died at his home in that place Friday at the age of 72 years. He is survived by his wife.

Mr. Cook was a Mason and well known in Masonic circles throughout the county. He was a member of Moslem temple, Detroit, and of the Ann Arbor commandery, No. 13, Knights Templar.

Funeral services were held in Dexter, Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of his fellow members of Ann Arbor commandery.

JOHN RANSOM SHAUMAN.

John Ransom Shauman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Shauman of Ann Arbor, formerly of Chelsea, died Friday, July 4, 1919, following an illness of only ten days, from pneumonia. He was 16 years of age and an only child.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, interment in Greenville.

NEIGHBORHOOD ITEMS

Brevities of Interest to Tribune Readers From Nearby Towns and Localities.

WHITMORE LAKE—Miss Ethel Johnson, 16 years old, of Detroit, was drowned at Ore lake Friday when she stepped into a deep hole while bathing.

BROOKLYN—Hog cholera has appeared on farms in this and neighboring townships, the county veterinarians finding cases at W. E. Randall's, Ashbal Osborn's, Horace Parsons' and George Tompkins'.—Exponent.

ANN ARBOR—Stanton Lautenschlager, a summer student at the University of Michigan, has the smallpox. His case was diagnosed and reported to the city health officer Saturday. Lautenschlager came from Kitchener, Ontario, ten days ago and had been waiting on table at Chubb house, a student boarding place. He has had an eruption for two days.—Times-News.

WEBBERVILLE—A stray sky-rocket, dropping between two buildings caused a \$25,000 fire here early Friday morning. Seven buildings, all frame structures, were burned, including: Dr. Millis' office, Charles Goyts' meat market, R. A. Donley's barber shop, Charles Monroe's grocery, Silas Weaver's pool room, the Webberville index office and an empty building owned by Mrs. Darling.

HOWELL—The Thompson lake property, which has been held the past four years by the Howell Realty Co., has been purchased by H. J. Wickman, who will build a manufacturing plant on the site. Water power will be used and if the business expands as expected, Mr. Wickman will build an enlarged dam as suggested by Ford engineers a short time ago. Experts who have just completed a survey are confident that a full hundred horse power can be developed there.

FRANCISCO ITEMS.

The Epworth league of the M. E. church will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Henry Notten, Friday, July 11th.

Walter Kalmbach of Detroit spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Emma Kalmbach.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Donnell and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Rowe, of Detroit, spent the Fourth with Mrs. Nora Notten.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Holden of Highland Park spent the week-end with H. Harvey.

Milton Bohne of Jackson spent Friday with his parents.

The Sunday school of the M. E. church held its picnic at Riemenschneider's grove, Cavanaugh lake, Friday. All report a good time.

Mrs. Carl Mast and daughter Geraldine, who have been spending the past week with her mother, returned to their home in Chelsea, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erle Notten and Mrs. Minnie Gage were Grass Lake visitors Sunday.

Chamberlain's Tablets.

These tablets are intended especially for stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation. If you have any troubles of this sort, give them a trial and realize for yourself what a first class medicine will do for you. They only cost a quarter. Adv.

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FOR SALE—Old newspapers for wrapping, shelves, etc. Large bundle only five cents at the Tribune office.

WANTED—People in this vicinity who have any legal printing required in the settlement of estates, etc., to have it sent to the Chelsea Tribune. The rates are universal in such matters, and to have your notices appear in this paper it is only necessary to ask the probate judge to send them to the Chelsea Tribune.

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WE HAVE APPLIED FOR A CHARTER FOR THE CHELSEA POST and have forty members, and more signing membership applications every day. We want EVERY SOLDIER and SAILOR from Chelsea and surrounding country to sign up NOW so that when the charter comes and we elect officers every man will have his choice in selecting the men who are to be at the head of our post.

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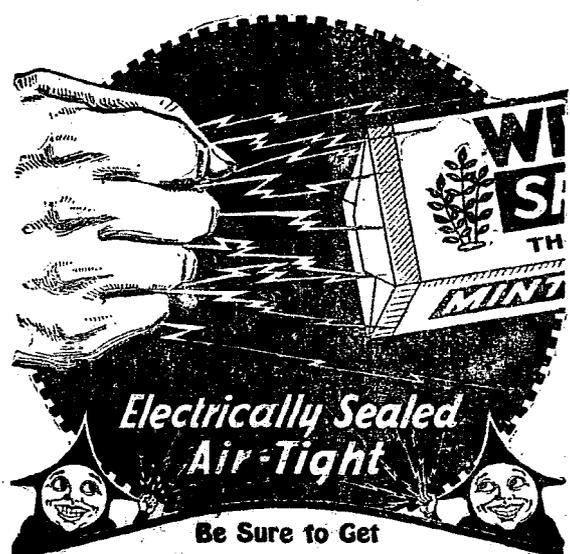
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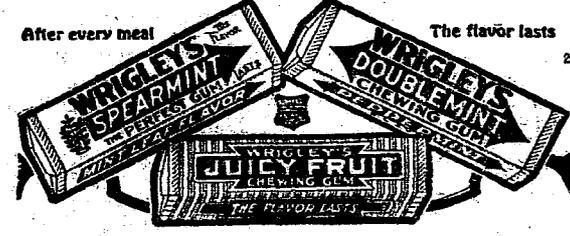
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PARKER'S HAIR BALM A solid preparation of the most valuable natural oils. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Falling Hair.

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This young Frenchman had learned his English in France and found that it was often quite different from that used in the United States. After he had been over here a little more than a month his host asked him to substitute in his place at his card club. And he accepted.

OLD AGE STARTS WITH YOUR KIDNEYS

Science says that old age begins with weakened kidneys and defective organs. This being true, it is easy to believe that by keeping the kidneys and defective organs cleaned and in proper working order old age can be deferred and life prolonged far beyond that enjoyed by the average person.

W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 28-1919.

ROAD BUILDING

BENEFITS OF COUNTRY ROADS

Among Other Things They Cheapen Cost of Transportation of Farm Products to Market. Good roads promote self-respect in a community. They make possible social intercourse. They bring the benefits of churches and schools within the reach of all.



Good Roads Like This Bring Farmer Nearer to City Markets.

What are the things to be considered in locating the road? What "grade" should be maintained? How should the road be drained? What are the laws governing highway construction?

Matters of prime consideration in locating a road are: Easy grades, good drainage, exposure to sunshine, elimination of culverts and bridges by avoiding unnecessary creek crossings, directness and the number of farms to be served for a given length of road.

England Spends 50 Million Grants to That Amount Will Be Distributed for Reconstruction of Roads and Bridges. Grants amounting to \$50,000,000 will be distributed by the British road board for the reconstruction of roads and bridges in England in 1919.

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POOR ROADS ARE EXPENSIVE

Congressional Report Places Annual Loss at \$501,000,000 for Transportation Alone. The congressional report of 1914 placed the economic loss of the United States through poor roads at an annual figure of \$501,000,000 for transportation costs alone.

DIRIGIBLE R-34 FLIES ATLANTIC

BRITISH AIRSHIP COMPLETES TRIP OF 3,600 MILES WITHOUT AID.

First Balloon to Cross Ocean Voyage is Made in 108 Hours and 12 Minutes—Severe Storms Retard Speed of Big Gas Bag. Minocla, N. Y.—Great Britain's super-dirigible R-34, the first lighter-than-air machine to cross the Atlantic ocean, anchored here at Roosevelt flying field Sunday morning after an aerial voyage of 108 hours and 12 minutes, which covered 3,600 miles.

Passing through dense banks of clouds, with the sun and sea visible only at rare intervals, the R-34 was forced to cruise 2,050 knots to reach Trinity bay, Newfoundland, from East Fortune, Scotland, and 1,080 knots from there to Minocla.

When the super-Zeppelin arrived here she had left only enough petrol to keep her moving 50 minutes longer. Her crew, almost sleepless for four and a half days, were weary almost to the point of exhaustion, but happy at the successful completion of their epoch-making trip.

GERMAN WAR LORDS TO BE TRIED

British Have List of 71 Officers They Want to Have Punished. London.—The British admiralty has handed over a list of 71 German naval officers and others, including submarine commanders charged with specific acts of barbarity, which it desires tried by an international court.

No Trial for Kaiser, Prediction. Washington.—Neutral diplomats predict that Count William Hohenzoellern would be spirited to Germany by a secret junker organization and that the plan of the Allied nations for his trial would be frustrated.

NO PEACE WHILE REDS RULE

Allice Decide to Blockade Austria Till Bela Kun is Deposed. Paris.—The council of five have reached the conclusion that it is impossible to make peace with Bela Kun's government in Hungary, according to the Havas agency. Maintenance of the blockade, it was said, still is necessary, although its effects have not been felt by the Hungarian revolutionary government.

U. S. to Sell Rail Equipment

New York.—A corporation has been formed to re-sell to various railroads the \$400,000,000 worth of equipment bought by the United States Railroad Administration and allotted to the roads during government control.

War Restrictions to Be Continued.

Washington.—In the absence of other statutory limitations, war measures effective until the end of the war will continue in operation until the change of ratifications of the treaty of peace between this country and its enemies. This interpretation of several much-disputed phrases has been given by Attorney General Palmer, as the accepted meaning of "the termination of hostilities," and the one on which administration officials would proceed.

Latest Markets

LIVE STOCK—DETROIT. Cattle—Best heavy steers, \$13@13.25; best handy weight butcher steers, \$11.50@12; buffed steers and heifers, \$10@10.50; handy light butchers, \$9@9.50; light butchers, \$8@8.50; best cows, \$9@9.50; butcher cows, \$8@8.50; cutters, \$6.75@7; canners, \$6.25@6.50; best heavy bulls, \$9@9.50; bologna bulls, \$8@8.50; stock bulls, \$7@7.75; feeders, \$5.50@6; stockers, \$8@9; milkers and springers, \$7.5@12.5.

Calves. Best grades, \$18@18.50; common and heavy, \$11@17. Sheep and Lambs. Best lambs, \$17.50@18; fair lambs, \$15@17; light to common lambs, \$14@15; yearlings, \$13@14; fair to good sheep, \$7.50@8; culls and common, \$4@6.

Hogs. Mixed grades, \$22@22.15; pigs, \$23@26.50. EAST BUFFALO. Cattle—Prime heavy steers, \$14.50@15.25; best shipping steers, \$13.50@14.50; medium shipping steers, \$12.50@13; best native yearlings, 950 to 1,000 pounds, \$13@13.75; light native yearlings, good quality, \$12@13; best handy steers, \$12@13; fair to good kind, \$11.50@12; handy steers and heifers, mixed, \$11@12; western heifers, \$11.50@12; best fat cows, \$11@11.50; butchering cows, \$8.50@9.50; cutters, \$7@8.50; canners, \$5@6; fancy bulls, \$10.50@11; butchering bulls, \$9@10; common bulls, \$7@8; best feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs., \$10.50@11.50; medium feeders, \$9.50@10; stockers, \$9@10; light common, \$7.50@8; best milkers and springers, \$10@15; mediums, \$7.5@9.

Hogs—Heavy and workers, \$22.15@22.25; pigs, \$20@20.25. Sheep—Spring lambs, \$18@18.50; yearlings, \$12@14.50; wethers, \$9@9.50; ewes, \$7.50@8.50. Calves—Tops, \$19.50; fair to good, \$17.50@18.50; grassers, \$8@9.

GRAIN AND FEED

Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$2.35; No. 2 mixed, \$2.33; No. 2 white, \$2.33. Corn—Cash No. 3, \$1.85; No. 3 yellow, \$1.88; No. 4 yellow, \$1.86; No. 5 yellow, \$1.83; No. 6 yellow, \$1.60; No. 3 white, \$1.89. Oats—Cash No. 2 white, 72 1/2c; No. 3 white 72c; No. 4 white, 71c. Rye—Cash No. 2, \$1.42. Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$7.15 per cwt. Barley—Cash No. 3, \$2.30@2.40 per cwt. Seeds—Prime red clover, \$27; October, \$25.50; timothy, \$5.60. Flour—Fancy spring patent, \$13.50; fancy winter patent, \$13.50@13.75; second winter patent, \$12.75@13; straight, \$11.75@12 per bbl. in jobbing lots. Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$26.50@27; standard timothy, \$25.50@26; light mixed, \$25.50@26; No. 2 timothy, 22.50@23; No. 3 timothy, \$20@23; No. 1 mixed, \$23@24; No. 1 clover, \$20@21; rye straw, \$11.50@12; wheat and oat straw, \$10.50@11 per ton in carlots. Feed—in 100-lb sacks to jobbers: Bran, \$43; standard middlings, \$50@52; fine middlings, \$55; course cornmeal, \$73; cracked corn, \$75.50@76; corn and oat chop, \$58 per ton.

BUTTER AND EGGS

Detroit—Butter: Fresh creamery, 45 1/2@48c per lb. Eggs—Fresh candled current receipts, 40@41c; fresh candled firsts in new cases, 43c; extra firsts, canned and graded in new cases, 44@44 1/2c per doz. Cheese—Michigan flats, 30@31c; New York flats, 32 1/2c; Michigan single daisies, 30 1/2c; brick, 31c; long horns, 32 3/4c; Wisconsin double daisies, 31 1/2c; Wisconsin twins, 31 1/2c; Limburger, 32@33 1/2c; domestic Swiss 44@45c per lb.

POULTRY

Live Poultry—Broilers, 50@55c; hens, 32@35c; small hens and Leghorns, 30@31c; roosters, 18@22c; geese, 18c; ducks, 32@34c; spring ducks, 35@38c per lb. FARM AND GARDEN. Cherries—\$4.50@5 per bu. Honey—White comb, 32@33c per lb. New Potatoes—Virginia, cobbles, \$6.50@7 per bbl in jobbing lots. Dressed Hogs—Light, 24@25c; heavy, 22@23c per lb. Calves (dressed)—Fancy, 24@25c; choice, 21@23c per lb. Potatoes—Carlots, No. 1 round white, \$2@2.25 per sack of 150 lbs. \$7.50@8 per case. Berries—Strawberries, \$7.50@8 per 24-quart case and \$9@9.50 per bu; blackberries, \$7.50@8 per 24-quart case; huckleberries, \$5@6 per 24-quart case; back raspberries, \$8.50@9 per 24-quart case; red raspberries, \$11; red currants, \$5.50@6 per bu.

Movie Star Adopts Young Here.

New York.—Michael Card, a 14-year-old veteran of the world war, who wears the French and Italian war crosses for gallantry in action, who arrived here as a stowaway from Maricopa six weeks ago, has been adopted by Miss. Elsie Jants and taken to her home at Tarrytown. Miss Jants furnished \$5,000 bond as a guarantee that the boy who served as a factor in two armies, will conduct himself in an orderly manner and not become a public charge.

Nothing but Time. Former Kaiser (on desolate part of Holland's coast, using newly invented secret German contrivance)—Hello, Willie! Could you get a pair of imperial curling irons to me? My mustaches have drooped dreadfully! Five-Shilling Prince Frederick Wilhelm—Sure, pupa! I've oodles of 'em.

Collection of Bird Calls. A Kansas university professor is making a collection of bird calls, and later plans to have them put to music so they may be whistled or played on the phonograph.—Kansas City Star.

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots. There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othello's double strength is guaranteed to remove those blotchy spots. Simply get an ounce of Othello—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion. Be sure to ask for the double strength Othello, as this is the only one guaranteed of money back if it fails to remove freckles—ad.

Save the Babies

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen! We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save many of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestion, sickness, death. There can be no danger in the use of Castoria if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher as it contains no opiates or narcotics of any kind. Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

From the Middle of the Pack. He was a well-dressed and intelligent man, somewhat crowding Father Time, but he didn't know a single thing about buying tickets. For he said to the young fellow in the box office, in the loud voice of one accustomed to calling across the open: "Give me a couple out of the middle of the pack, son. I'm taking my city cousin to the theater tonight and she told me to be sure and get seats in the center."

Frenchman on Princeton Staff. Lieut. Louis Couss, who was delegated by the French government as tutor in French to the family of the former German emperor before the war, has been appointed assistant professor of French in Princeton university. After the outbreak of the war Lieutenant Couss was assigned to the intelligence department of the French army. At one time he was a member of the faculty at Bryn Mawr college.

Jap Farmers Prosperous. In sharp contrast with the condition in industrial and commercial centers, Japanese farmers show wonderful prosperity. This, according to Genaro Shinmura, president of the Hypothen Bank of Japan, is because of the high price of rice and cocoons.

His New Excuse. Mrs. Flatbush—Where have you been till this late hour? Mr. Flatbush—To the lecture, as I told you before I went. "But you wouldn't be at a lecture as late as this?" "Oh, yes I would. You see, the lecturer stuttered."

"Meats in Storage"

Every working day of the year 75,000,000 pounds of meat are required to supply home and export needs—and only 10 per cent of this is exported. These facts must be kept in mind when considering the U. S. Bureau of Markets report that on June 1, 1919, there were 1,348,000,000 pounds of meats in cold storage. If the meat in storage was placed on the market it would only be 20 days' supply.

This meat is not artificially withheld from trade channels to maintain or advance prices. Meats in storage consist of— 65 per cent (approximate) hams, bacon, etc., in process of curing. It takes 30 to 90 days in pickle or salt to complete the process. 10 per cent is frozen pork that is to be cured later in the year. 6 per cent is lard. This is only four-fifths of a pound per capita, and much of it will have to go to supply European needs. 19 per cent is frozen beef and lamb, part of which is owned by the Government and was intended chiefly for over-seas shipment. If this were all diverted to domestic trade channels, it would be only 1 1/2 lbs. per capita—a 3 days' supply. 100%

From this it will be seen that "meats in storage" represent merely unfinished goods in process of curing and the working supply necessary to assure the consumer a steady flow of finished product.

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